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# Fourth Sunday of Lent March 30, 2025

LAETARE SUNDAY

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## FEASTS OF THE WEEK

Wed. Apr. 2: St. Francis of Paola, *hermit*  
Fri. Apr. 4: St. Isidore, *bishop, doctor*  
Sat. Apr. 5: St. Vincent Ferrer, *priest*



## MASS INTENTIONS OF THE WEEK

Mon. March 31 -- Sun. April 6, 2025

**Tuesday 9:05 a.m.**

Deceased members of  
the Dias and Clementino families (RIP)  
*Req. by R.C.*

**Saturday 7:00 p.m.**

Stanley and Marianna Juskiewicz (RIP)  
*Req. by Natalie Chabane*

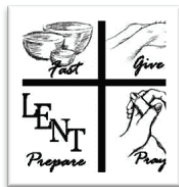


**Sunday 9:00 a.m.**

Drew Fiala (RIP)  
*Req. by Roberta Paul*

**Sunday 11:00 a.m.**

Agatha Sciberas and Joe Frendo (RIP)  
*Req. by Helen and Fred Frendo*



## FIRST FRIDAY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

**April 4, 2025**

Adoration will take place after the 9:05 a.m.  
Mass until 10 a.m.

## LENTEN STATIONS OF THE CROSS

On Fridays during Lent, after morning Mass, the Celebrant will lead the Stations of the Cross, except on First Fridays, when the faithful may offer Stations of the Cross privately.

## HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

### PALM SUNDAY MASSES, APRIL 12/13th

Saturday: 7:00 p.m.  
Sunday: 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.

### CONFESSIONS

#### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 16th

9:30-10:00 a.m. and 7:30-8:30 p.m.

#### HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 17th

No morning Mass

#### **Mass of the Lord's Supper - 6:30 p.m.**

Eucharistic Adoration: 11:00 p.m. - midnight  
Confessions: 11:00 p.m. - midnight

#### GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 18th

No morning Mass

Confessions: 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  
Divine Mercy Novena: 2:45 p.m.

#### **Celebration of the Lord's Passion**

**3:00 p.m.**

Followed by Stations of the Cross

#### HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 19th

No morning Mass

12:00 p.m. Blessing of the Food  
12:15 p.m. Divine Mercy Novena  
12:30-1:00 Confessions

### EASTER

#### EASTER VIGIL, SATURDAY, APRIL 19th

9:30 p.m.

#### EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 20th

8:45 a.m. Divine Mercy Novena  
9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. Masses

## PARISH LENTEN DAY OF CONFESSIONS

**Wednesday, April 2<sup>nd</sup>**

9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.  
12:00 p.m. - 12:30 p.m.  
7:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

For how to go to Confession, visit:

<https://www.archtoronto.org/confession>



## SHARELIFE SUNDAY - March 29/30

ShareLife Sunday marks the first collection for our parish's annual campaign. But ShareLife is more than a parish collection. It is how we, as Catholics in the Archdiocese of Toronto, bring the hands of Christ to those in need. From children to seniors, and everyone in between, more than 40 ShareLife agencies are there each step of the way. As a family of faith, we lift each other up from our lowest moments.

Nick's life had an easy start – he came from a good home, where he was raised with a strong work ethic, and he welcomed a son. But living with a mental illness, he struggled more than some. Deep inside, he felt like something was missing, and he devastatingly fell into addiction. With your helping hand, he rose up through the DARE Program at Good Shepherd.

"By the grace of God, I am still alive," he proclaims. "I'd love to be able to give back what was so freely given to me. I am taking roles of service, giving back as much as I can. I was afraid I'd never be able to feel the way I feel. I am very grateful that I have been given this opportunity to be sober." Thanks to your support, he is no longer just surviving—he is thriving, with a heart full of hope and a future filled with promise.

Our parish campaign goal is \$63,500.00.

Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope or online at: [sharelife.org/donate](http://sharelife.org/donate).



## IRISH CONCERT AND AFTERNOON TEA

*In support of St. Vincent de Paul*

*Sunday, April 6, 2025, at 2 p.m.*

*Holy Rosary Church, 354 St. Clair Ave West*

Featuring: Eithne Heffernan, harpist and Hugo Straney, entertainer. There will also be a bake sale and raffle.

**TICKETS:** \$20 at the door or contact:

Cathy O'Connell 416-483-6914 or

Jackie Jensen 416-562-8482



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## PISANKI EASTER EGG DECORATING WORKSHOP

### NEXT SUNDAY, APRIL 6, 2025

Come down to the Hall after the 9 or 11 am Mass next Sunday to learn the traditional Pisanki style of Easter egg decorating!

All materials will be provided.

Please sign up at the back this weekend to help us gauge the quantity of materials required.

There is no charge to participate but donations are most welcome. Please bring a container to carry your egg home at the end of the workshop.

**NOTE:** Children under 12 *must* be accompanied by an adult.



## COFFEE SUNDAY - April 6, 2025

Please plan to stay after Mass next weekend for coffee, treats and socialising.



## THE CANADIAN CATHOLIC BIOETHICS INSTITUTE

presents a free webinar:

***Religious and Spiritual Aspects of Suffering***

*April 9, 7 pm – 8:30 PM*

Speakers: Charles Lewis and Dr Ann Sirek

Host: Dr Moira McQueen

**REGISTER:** [bioethics.usmc@utoronto.ca](mailto:bioethics.usmc@utoronto.ca).

A Zoom invitation will be sent prior to the webinar.

A recording of the webinar will be posted to [www.ccbi-toronto.ca](http://www.ccbi-toronto.ca) and an email notice of its availability will be circulated to all those on CCBI's email lists.

## NEW BEGINNINGS – APRIL EVENTS

Grief Support Session, *In Person*: April 3, 2025 @ 10:00 am

Mass of Comfort and Light: April 7, 2025 @ 7:00 pm

Annulments 101 Online Seminar: April 9, 2025 @ 7:00 pm

**INFO:** Arcangelo Limanni, MRE

[alimanni@cfstoronto.com](mailto:alimanni@cfstoronto.com), (647) 215-3978

## SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR SUNDAY, APRIL 6, 2025

*Isaiah 43.16-21*

*Psalms 126*

*Philippians 3.8-14*

*John 8.1-11*

## PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

*Please notify the office of any changes to the list*

Hang Sam Lee, Richard Mijares, Connie Tari-Kornhauser, Lisa Reardon, Stuart Robson, Rosa Maria Santos, Bianca Auriemma, Rosie Po, Frank Ferreira, Antonina Koziara, Julia Collins, Mary Ann Cuschieri, Sebastian Carvalho, Anne Tran Fazzalari, Gabriel Sebastian Romano, Robert Freimuts, Giuseppe R., Mikayla Haswell, Victoria Cooper, Anna Solims, Lorenza Varga, Steven McKinney, Krysten Telfer, Edward Spiteri, Maria Ruccolo, Winifred Ismail, Mimi Ashton, Ann Baby, Marta DiGregorio, Rosa Loschiavo, Anne Marie Skewes, Blossom Reid, Sophia Oppel, Timothy McNulty, Gwen Chabane, & Biruta Niedra





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