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

WEEKDAY MASSES
Monday to Saturday: 9:05 a.m.

FIRST FRIDAY:
Exposition 9:30 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
Saturday: 4:00 - 4:30 p.m.

BAPTISM
Please contact the Pastor at least two months before the proposed date.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY
Couples planning to be married must contact a priest one year in advance. They must also receive personal preparation for entering marriage. If either party has previously gone through any form of civil or religious marriage with another person, the priest is not permitted to set a date for the wedding until the Bishop's office has been consulted. The reception venue should not be booked until after the couple meets with the priest.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK
Please let us know if you know someone who would like to receive this Sacrament. Upon request, Communion will be brought to the sick and shut-ins.

SOCIETY of ST. VINCENT DE PAUL
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PLEASE REMEMBER SAINT CECILIA'S CHURCH IN YOUR WILL

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 17, 2024

YEAR B

FEASTS OF THE WEEK

- Mon. Nov 18: The Dedication of the Basilicas of Sts. Peter & Paul, *apostles*
- Thrs. Nov 21: The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
- Fri. Nov 22: St. Cecilia, *virgin, martyr*
- Sat. Nov 23: St. Clement pope, martyr
St. Columban, *abbot*
- Sun. Nov 24: Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
Last Sunday in Ordinary Time



MASS INTENTIONS OF THE WEEK

Mon. Nov 18 – Nov 24

Tuesday 9:05 a.m.

Le, Van Thuyet (RIP)

Req. by Teresa Vu

Saturday 7 p.m.

Herb and Brendan Clough (RIP)

Req. by Ann Clough and Family

Sunday 9 a.m.

Intentions of the Parish Community

Sunday 11 a.m.

For the Children enrolling in

First Communion Preparation

Req. by The Parish

WE WELCOME THE NEWLY BAPTIZED

Arya Marie Feijo

Veronica James McColeman

Maxwell Jude May-Sleva



COFFEE SUNDAY – NEXT WEEKEND

November 24, 2024

Please plan to stay after Masses next weekend to catch up with friends!



FEAST OF ST. CECILIA CELEBRATION

THIS Friday, November 22, 2024

9:05 a.m.

regular morning Mass

7:00 p.m.

Mass in celebration of
the Feast of St. Cecilia



Our parish will be hosting an informal reception after the 7:00 p.m. Mass in our church Hall. Those who would like to make a monetary contribution to the celebration, are invited to make an offering using a St. Cecilia's Feast Day offertory envelope, available at the back of the church. For those who would like to contribute food items or assist with set-up for the reception, sign-up sheets can be found at the back of the church.

Everyone is invited to participate!

SHARELIFE

Your love is helping put food on the table

Through your support for ShareLife and the Food Security Grants, your unwavering love is not just a source of hope but a tangible lifeline, ensuring that food finds its way to the tables of those who need it.

"We have seen firsthand the profound impact of food insecurity on families. Last year's Food Security Grants were a lifeline, yet the need continues to grow. We are dedicated to supporting the efforts of ShareLife, ensuring that every dollar contributes to meaningful relief for those who are struggling." - Louise Coutu, Executive Director of the SSVP Greater Toronto Central Council.

FUND MATCHING: From November 1 until year end, your contribution to our parish's ShareLife campaign will be matched by an anonymous donor up to a total of \$500,000.

You may donate on-line at: sharelife.org/donate

or at the parish using a

ShareLife envelope. Thank-you!



LIVING WITH CHRIST MISSALS

2024-2025 Sunday Missals are available for purchase.

ADULT MISSALS: \$5.00. CHILDREN'S MISSALS: \$10.



St. Cecilia's Church



**Sunday,
December 8, 2024
10 a.m. – 3 p.m.**



If you have NEW ITEMS in your home that you do not use, please consider donating them to our curated White Elephant sale at the Christmas Bazaar. VINTAGE items and GENTLY used items are also gratefully accepted!

PLEASE - NO CLOTHING, SHOES or BOOKS

Please mark your donations WHITE ELEPHANT and leave at the bottom of the stairs, outside the Hall door. Thank you!



Vendors - find that perfect decoration or gift **Cafe** - pastries, coffee/tea/hot chocolate and more, **White Elephant Table, Silent Auction, Raffles PLUS Craft area for children** - Letters to Santa & a visit from the big man himself!



St. Vincent De Paul Society Christmas Star Program

The St. Cecilia Conference of The St. Vincent De Paul Society will be running their Christmas Star Program beginning next weekend, November 23/24.

To assist them, please donate grocery cards ONLY and include the Dollar value on the card. Our parish schools will be donating physical gifts.

A Christmas Tree is displayed to the right of the altar with dangling stars. Each star represents a gift card that may be purchased for a neighbour in need. Please take a star and return it with the gift card by:

- giving to an usher at Mass
- placing in the offertory collection basket
- dropping through the parish office mail slot at 161 Annette Street.

Please donate your cards by:

Sunday, December 8th, 2024

Many in our community are experiencing strained budgets due to inflation and high food costs. Thank you for sharing with our neighbours who find themselves in need at this time.



CHRISTMAS CAKES AND CARDS

As in previous years, during the months preceding the great 'Feast of the Nativity of Our Lord', *Right to Life Christmas Cards and Campaign Life fruitcakes* will be sold in the vestibule after Saturday and Sunday Masses this Advent season. Sales begin Dec 1st. Please purchase these items generously which support the Culture of Life in our society. On behalf of the Unborn, the Disabled and The Family,

Thank you!

Sweet boxes, savory boxes and jams will also be sold!

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2024 CHRIST THE KING

Daniel 7.13-14

Psalms 93

Revelation 1.5-8

John 18.33b-37

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Hang Sam Lee, Richard Mijares, Drew Fiala, 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, Dominic Coccimiglio, Winifred Ismail, Mimi Ashton, Ann Baby, Marta DiGregorio, Rosa Loschiavo, Anne Marie Skewes, Blossom Reid, Sophia Oppel, Timothy McNulty, Gwen Chabane, & Biruta Niedra

Please notify the office of any changes to the list



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