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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.

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.

PLEASE REMEMBER SAINT CECILIA'S CHURCH IN YOUR WILL

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 29, 2023

YEAR A

FEASTS OF THE WEEK

- Wed. Nov. 1: All Saints
Thurs. Nov. 2: The Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed
(All Souls` Day)
Fri. Nov. 3: St. Martin de Porres, *religious*
Sat. Nov. 4: St. Charles Borromeo, *bishop*
Sun. Nov. 5: Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time



REMINDER
Next Sunday
November 5, 2023
Daylight Saving Time ends
At 2 a.m., clocks are turned back 1 hour.



MASS INTENTIONS OF THE WEEK

Mon. Oct 30 - Sun. Nov 5

Monday 9:05 a.m.

Deceased member of the
Dias and Clementino Families (RIP)

Req. By R.C.

Saturday 7 p.m.

Intentions of the Parish Community

Sunday 9 a.m.

Antonio Grasso (RIP)

Req. by His wife Teresa and Children

Sunday 11 a.m.

Moira Gallagher (RIP)

Req. by The St. Cecilia Parish Community



First Friday Eucharistic Adoration

Friday, November 3, 2023

Eucharistic Adoration takes place following the 9:05 a.m. Mass. Please come spend time with the Lord in adoration.



REGISTRATION DEADLINE: FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 2023

or earlier if we reach capacity.

REGISTRATION is open on our website: saintcecilia.ca.

Parents/legal guardians with children currently in Grade 2 who wish to receive First Holy Communion in the Spring of 2024 are invited to register.

INITIAL PARENT MEETING: Sunday, November 12, 2023

immediately following the 11 a.m. Mass.

CLASSES: THURSDAY evenings (one hour, time TBD)

FIRST CLASS: Thursday, January 11, 2024

ENROLMENT CEREMONY: January 14, 2024 at 11 a.m. Mass

The programme consists of 11 classes, Mass attendance, celebration of Reconciliation on Thursday, February 22, 2024 and celebration of First Communion, Saturday May 4, 2024.



NOTE CHANGES TO THE CONFIRMATION SCHEDULE

The date of the first class has changed to:

Tuesday, February 6, 2024 (6 classes total)

The enrolment ceremony date has changed to:

Sunday, February 11, 2024 at 11 a.m.

The rest of the schedule remains as announced previously (see below).

REGISTRATION is open on our website: saintcecilia.ca.

Parishioner families with children currently in Grade 7 or 8 who wish to celebrate Confirmation in the Spring of 2024 are invited to register.

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Friday, December 15, 2023

or earlier if we reach capacity.

INITIAL PARENT MEETING: January 16, 2024, 7 p.m.

ENROLMENT CEREMONY: February 11, 2024 at 11 a.m. Mass

CLASSES: Tuesdays from 7-8 p.m.

FIRST CLASS: Tuesday, February 6, 2024.

The programme consists of 6 classes, 1 Retreat Saturday on February 10, 2024, and Sunday 11 a.m. Mass attendance. Confirmation will be celebrated Friday April 12, 2024.

NOVEMBER 1

All Saints All Souls

NOVEMBER 2

ALL SOULS' DAY THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2023

A basket will be available at the base of the altar for your **All Souls' Envelopes**. On the envelope, write the names of deceased family members and friends and enclose your offering. Place envelopes in the basket. The office staff will enter those listed on the envelopes into the *BOOK OF SOULS*. The *BOOK OF SOULS* and the basket will remain at the altar for the month of November and those named therein will be prayed for at all Masses during the month of November.

All Souls envelopes are available at the back of the church.

St. Cecilia's Church



Sunday,
December 3, 2023



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

Drop-off details to come.

DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA VOTIVE CANDLE SALE FINAL WEEKEND Oct and 28/29

The Daughters of Isabella will be selling large red votive candles for home use after all Masses this weekend. The cost is \$10 per candle. Fr. Joseph will be available to bless the candles after purchase.



ALL SOULS DAY MASS

Saturday, November 4, 2023 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.

5 Catholic Cemetery locations

Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services - Archdiocese of Toronto wishes to invite all families to participate in the All Souls' Day Mass. All Masses will be held indoors at the following locations: -Assumption Cemetery, Mississauga – Our Lady of Fatima Mausoleum Christ the King Cemetery, Markham –Reception Centre Holy Cross Cemetery, Thornhill – Holy Family Mausoleum Queen of Heaven Cemetery, Woodbridge – St. Anthony's Mausoleum (Liturgy in Italian and English) Resurrection Cemetery, Whitby – Our Lady of the Assumption Mausoleum.

OFFERTORY

Weekly, Oct 22 \$ 2, 170.00

World Mission Sunday 1, 805.00

Thank you for your generosity!

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR
NOV 5, 2023
31ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Malachi 1.14-2.2,8-10
Psalms 131
1 Thessalonians 2.7-9, 13
Matthew 22.1-12

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Please notify the office of any changes to the list

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, Ignacio Juarez Ednet, Dominic Coccimiglio, Winifred Ismail, Mimi Ashton, Ann Baby, Marta DiGregorio, Rosa Loschiavo, Anne Marie Skewes, Blossom Reid, Brendan Clough, and Sophia Oppel



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