

# The Church is open for personal prayer and meditation from 7:30am to 12:00pm (Tuesday to Friday)

#### Gruppo di preghiera di San Padre Pio

III Mercoledì del mese alle 6:45pm

#### Adorazione / Adoration

1° Venerdì del Mese First Friday of the Month 6:45pm

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#### **MESSE DOMENICALI**

9:00am : Italiano 10:30am: Inglese 12:00pm: Ge'ez Rite

#### MESSE FERIALI

8:00am: da Martedì a Sabato 7:30pm: Mercoledì & Venerdì: Messe memoriali (prenotare prima)

#### **BATTESIMI**

Chiamate in Ufficio quanto prima

#### CONFESSIONI

Tutti i giorni prima della Messa. Altri giorni su appuntamento

#### MATRIMONI

Prenotarsi 1 anno prima

#### RITI D'INIZIAZIONE

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# SACRAMENTI PER GLI AMMALATI & ANZIANI

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# SUNDAY MASSES 9:00am : Italian

10:30am: English (with Children's

Liturgy)

12:00pm: Ge'ez Rite

#### **WEEKDAY MASSES**

8:00am: Tuesday to Saturday

7:30pm: Wednesday & Friday Memorial

mass (upon request)

#### **BAPTISM**

By appointment and after instruction. Parents must be registered members of our parish community

#### **CONFESSIONS**

Every day before Mass and after mass and upon request

#### **MARRIAGES**

One year notice and marriage course mandatory

#### CHRISTIAN INITIATION

Please call the Office

#### SACRAMENTS FOR SICK & ELDERLY

Please call Rectory anytime

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#### **Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed**

Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services—Archdiocese of Toronto invites all families within the Archdiocese of Toronto to participate in the Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed on Wednesday August 16, 2023 at 7:00pm.

Cemetery locations and Celebrants for this year's annual Mass are as follows:

# **Cemetery & Celebrant**

Assumption Cemetery, Mississauga Most Rev. Frank Leo, Archbishop of Toronto

Christ the King Cemetery, Markham Most Rev. Vincent Nguyen

Holy Cross Cemetery, Thornhill Most Rev. John A. Boissonneau

Mount Hope Cemetery, Toronto Most Rev. Robert Kasun, CSB

Queen of Heaven Cemetery, Woodbridge Most Rev. Ivan Camilleri

Resurrection Cemetery, Whitby Rev. Dominic Barber

St. Mary's Cemetery, Barrie Rev. Fr. Laurence J. Leger

#### **Last Bulletin for the Summer**

This is the last bulletin until September May you have a safe and restive summer. Please remember that amidst the trips and vacations, we need to always make time for our Lord and Holy Mass. May you have great holidays!

## Sacramental Registration, 2023-24

Are you looking to register your child for First Communion (grade 2 or older) or Confirmation (grade 7 or older) soon? Registration will open July 10th and close September 10th. Please register in the office or on the church website on the "Parish Information" page

In preparation, we are informing you that the church will ask for a copy of the child's baptism certificate. Please ensure that you have one and make a photocopy. If you do not have one, please contact the church of baptism and ask for a copy.

#### THIS WEEK'S READINGS

1st Reading: Jeremiah 20:10-13 2nd Reading: Romans 5:12-15 Gospel: Matthew 10:26-33

# **Be Not Afraid!**



"Do not be afraid!" These words from Jesus in today's Gospel should be a source of reassurance for all of His stewards. These same words were echoed by St. John Paul II at his inaugural homily as Pope. He said, "Brothers and sisters, do not be afraid to welcome Christ and accept

his power. Help the Pope and all those who wish to serve Christ and with Christ's power to serve the human person and the whole of mankind. Do not be afraid. Open wide the doors for Christ."

As stewards of Christ, it is easy to succumb to various fears. The fear of financial burdens, family crises, health complications as well as the spiritual fear of not being a "good" enough disciple. It is to these fears and more that Jesus, and St. John Paul II, says to be not afraid.

But how do we fight these temptations of fear? We fight them through prayer and trust in God. Whenever fears or worries take hold of our lives, whenever we doubt the fruits or importance of our stewardship, let us run to prayer. It is in those quiet moments before the Lord that He will slowly reveal His love for us which "casts out fear" (1 John 4:18). Let us take a moment today to intentionally pray to God, asking Him to fill us with greater trust in His goodness.

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# 12a domenica del Tempo Ordinario - 25 giugno 2023



## June 25 Sunday/Domenica

9:00am - Giovanna e Tommaso Sarracini, Maddalena e Giulio Sarracini, Luigi e Patrizia

10:30am -

12:00 pm - Catholic (Ge'ez Rite)

## June 26 Monday/Lunedì

- Non c'è messa oggi

## June 27 Tuesday/Martedì

8:00am - Repose of the soul of Alejandra Hernandez de Elias, Lescek, Kristof, Helena, Wadek, Wiesiek, for the unborn, orphaned and unbaptize children, end of abortion and Euthanasia, Birthday blessings Allistair Pettigrew & Carolina Noguera God help upon Estrella Castillo, Ania, Irena, Marco Gomez, Dario, Carlos Felipe Gonzalez, Juan Salcedo, Lorenita, Gema Aurora

9:15am - End of the year Mass—Stella Maris

11:00am - Catholic (Ge'ez Rite)

# June 28 Wednesday/Mercoledì

8:00am - Repose of the soul of Christopher, Tadeusz, Gienek, Krystyna, Zahira, St. Joseph's help upon Colette and Alistair, Sylvia Lorenzo, Linh Maria Do, Patricia Urea, Luba, Dinora, for the generosity of St. Nicholas parishioners, Holy Spirit's guidance upon Martin Castillo, Jason, Mauricio Castaño, Julian, Michael, Luana, Paul Michael, Alice, Leslie Leyton, Ana Catalina Hernandez, Jovana, Carlos Franco, Joanna Godlik 10:00am - Graduation Mass - Loretto College

## June 29 Thursday/Giovedì

8:00am - Pietro De Carlo; Repose of the soul of Maria de los Angeles Olivera de Villanueva, Marina Carlota Moz, Alejandra Hernandez de Elias, All priest living and deceased, for the Priests of Holy Cross of Marylake, Healing of the Pinargote Family, Otto Rivera, Constancia Mendoza, Jacob Lee MacEwen

11:00am - Catholic (Ge'ez Rite)

#### June 30 Friday/Venerdì

8:00am - Repose of the soul of Martha Lilian Sandoval, Marcelino Naranjo, Maria de los Angeles Olivera de Villanueva All souls in Purgatory, healing of Constancia Mendoza, Jacob Lee MacEwen, Repentance, confession, conversion, unity, peace, unity in the world 10:am - Loretto College Staff Mass

#### July 1 Saturday/Sabato

8:00am - Repose of the soul Mariana Silva de Naranjo, Alejandra Hernandez de Elias. Rev. Priest Pier Giorgio Di Cicco, in Honour of the Most Precious Blood of Lord Jesus, for all migrants, refugees, prisoners, dying, sick, lonely, unemployed, poor, Thanksgiving to Heavenly Father for all Sacraments, Holy Spirit's guidance upon Joanna Godlik

# July 2 Sunday/Domenica

9:00am - Nicola Imenco

10:30am -

12:00pm - Catholic (Ge'ez Rite)

#### Letture

Prima lettura: Geremia 20:10-13 2a lettura: Romani 5:12-15 Vangelo: Matteo 10:26-33

# Messa annuale per i fedeli defunti

Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services-Archdiocese of Toronto invita tutte le famiglie dell'Arcidiocesi di Toronto a partecipare alla Messa annuale per i fedeli defunti che si terrà mercoledì 16 agosto 2023 alle ore 19:00.

I luoghi dei cimiteri e i celebranti per la Messa annuale di quest'anno sono i seguenti:

Cimitero e celebrante

Cimitero dell'Assunzione, Mississauga Rev.mo Mons. Frank Leo, Arcivescovo di Toronto

Cimitero di Cristo Re, Markham Rev.mo Mons. Vincent Nguyen

Cimitero della Santa Croce, Thornhill Rev.mo Mons. John A. Boissonneau

Cimitero di Mount Hope, Toronto Rev.mo Robert Kasun, CSB

Cimitero della Regina del Cielo, Woodbridge Rev.mo Ivan Camilleri

Cimitero della Resurrezione, Whitby Rev. Dominic Barber

Cimitero di St. Mary, Barrie Rev. Padre Laurence J. Leger

#### **ULTIMO BULLETINO**

Questo è l'ultimo bulletino fino a Settembre. Vi auguriamo un'estate felice e riposante. Fra I nostril viaggi e vacanze, però, non si dimentichino il Signore e la Santa Messa. Buone vacanze di Pace e Bene.

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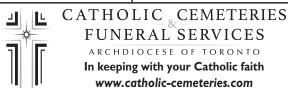
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