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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 o dopo la Messa.
Altri giorni su appuntamento

MATRIMONI

Prenotarsi 1 anno prima

RITI D'INIZIAZIONE

Chiamate in Ufficio

SACRAMENTI PER GLI AMMALATI & ANZIANI

Chiamate in Ufficio qualunque
giorno

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 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

The Church is open for
personal prayer and meditation
from 7:30am to 12:00pm
(Monday 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
8:30am - 9:00am

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The Parish Hall is available for rent – Please call the Office

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD – MAY 12, 2024



HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!

On this Mother's Day, let us reflect on the extraordinary example of love and dedication represented by the Madonna. Just as Mary accompanied and supported Jesus in his earthly journey with maternal love, so too are you, dear mothers, the guides and pillars of our lives. Your unconditional love, patience, and wisdom are a reflection of God's love for each of us. Like Mary, who cherished every word and gesture of Jesus in her heart, you carefully cherish every single moment of our lives. On this special day, we want to thank you for your example of humility, strength, and dedication. May your Mother's Day be filled with joy, peace, and divine blessings. With love and gratitude, we wish you a wonderful day, dear mothers.



Some thoughts on today's scripture

Today, we celebrate the Ascension of the Lord, we are reminded of the profound mystery of Christ's departure from this earth and his glorious ascension into heaven. This event marks the culmination of Christ's earthly mission and the beginning of his eternal reign at the right hand of the Father. In the Gospel passage for today, we hear the account of Jesus ascending into heaven, leaving his disciples with a commission to proclaim the Good News to all nations. As Jesus ascends, he entrusts his disciples with the task of continuing his work here on earth. This commission is not just for the disciples of that time but for all believers throughout history, including us today. We are called to be witnesses of Christ's love and mercy in the world, to share the message of salvation with all those we encounter.

CONFIRMATION CELEBRATION SCHEDULE



CONFIRMATION: May 18th

11:00 am: St Paul VI School

2:00pm: Stella Maris, Saint Nicholas and other Schools. CONFIRMATION REHEARSAL : MAY 16@6-8PM

Mother's Day Spa Gift Set Fundraiser!



Treat your mom to luxury without breaking the bank! Our spa gift set, priced at just \$15.00, boasts a value of over \$45.00. Choose from a variety of delightful fragrances. Proceeds from this fundraiser will support St. Nicholas Church.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY



The Children's Liturgy has resumed. As you know, this is a great opportunity for our children, as it enriches their experience of the Mass while they listen to the Sunday Gospel at their own level. Any young adult wishing to help out in this ministry, please call the office and leave your name and phone number. Fr. Bruno will be in touch with you and you'll be invited to attend some training workshops.

The Children preparing for the First Reconciliation-Communion are highly recommended to attend.

Corpus Christi Mass & Procession – Saint Michael's Cathedral Basilica – Sunday, June 2, 2024 (following Noon Mass) – All are welcome!

All are welcome to join the Most Reverend Francis Leo, Archbishop of Toronto, for a Corpus Christi Mass & Procession at Saint Michael's Cathedral Basilica (65 Bond St.) on Sunday, June 2, 2024 following the Noon Mass. A short procession (30-45 minutes) will take place in the vicinity surrounding the cathedral followed by Solemn Benediction followed by fellowship.

Join the Archdiocese of Toronto Delegation International Eucharistic Congress 2024 – September 8-15 – Quito, Ecuador

The Holy Father has invited Catholics worldwide to participate in the 53rd International Eucharistic Congress. This year's gathering takes place in Quito, Ecuador from September 8-15, 2024. To learn more about the pilgrimage, please visit www.archtoronto.org/iec. Limited spaces are available for pilgrims from the Archdiocese of Toronto to join with the Canadian delegation. Registration deadline is June 6, 2024 with early bird pricing available until May 6.

WEEKLY OFFERTORY

Weekly Offertory: \$1,759.15
Pope Pastoral Works: \$206.00

Thank you for your generosity!. For information on how to donate, please see our website (<https://stnicholasofbarito.archtoronto.org/About-Us/donate>).

ASCENSIONE DEL SIGNORE – 12 MAGGIO 2024



May 12 Sunday/Domenica

9:00am - Famiglia Carini e Famiglia Calabrese; Celeste e Francesco Bianco, Annantonia DeCotiis; Antonietta Pallotta; Angela Bosco e figlia Estera e Flora; Giuseppina Bianco e Maria De Stefano; Assunta Paniccia, La Madonna e defunti

10:30am – 12th Marriage Anniversary of Jorge Urrea & Adriana

12:00pm – Catholic (Ge'ez Rite)

May 13 Monday/Lunedì

No mass today ----- Nessuna messa oggi-

10:00am - † **Funeral Mass** - Salvatore Bartella 🎵

May 14 Tuesday/Martedì

8:00am – Repose of the soul of Marina Carlota Moz, Osvaldo Arevalo, Sr., Stanislaw Misko; For the generosity of St. Nicholas's parishioners; Holy Spirit's guidance for the families who have difficulties with separation, divorce, court hearings, custody of children, housing; Birthday Blessings upon Valeria Plante, Sergio Osvaldo Arevalo, Jr & Mr. Vi Duc Do

11:00am – Catholic (Ge'ez Rite)

May 15 Wednesday/Mercoledì

8:00am - Repose of the soul of Leticia Gomez, George Floyd, St. Joseph help upon Colette and Alistair, Sylvia Lorenzo, Dinora, Irena, Ania, Renaldo, Carlos Jose Tejada; Healing of Patricia Hugo, Carlos Avalos, Gloria, Toty Calle, Joe; Blessings upon Marla, Giselle, Josue & Edward; Birthday blessings upon Christopher Lee McEwen, Kiara Mowat Monge & Abigail Gomez

6:45pm – Gruppo di preghiera di San Padre Pio

May 16 Thursday/Giovedì

8:00am – Repose of the soul of Wadek, Wiesiek, Helena, Terry Fox, End of abortion & euthanasia; For all Priest living and deceased; Healing of Jacob Lee McEwen, Otto, Walter, Irena, Ania, Diego Castaño, baby Luz Fernanda Padron, William Martinez, Carlos Ernesto Rios

11:00am – Catholic (Ge'ez Rite)

6:00pm – 8:00pm – Confirmation Rehearsal

May 17 Friday/Venerdì

8:00am – Repose of the soul of Rev. Priest Juan Triviño, Jose Villanueva Barragan; For the Priests of Holy Cross of Marylake; Repentance, conversion, peace in the world; Healing of Meharite, Francisco Vargas, Lyda Castaño, Emma Sophia Greco

May 18 Saturday/Sabato

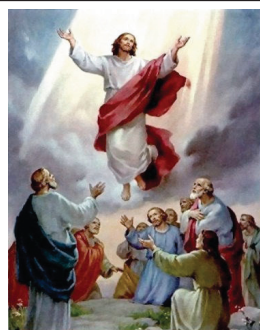
8:00am – Repose of the soul of Llita Elvira Cordova, Maria Serafina & Juan Cedillos; For the Priests of Holy Cross of Marylake; For the unborn, orphan & unbaptized children; All souls in Purgatory; For all migrants, refugees, prisoners, dying, sick, lonely, unemployed, poor; Wedding anniversary Lucia & Carlos Rodas (May 19), Maria Azucena & Jose Gonzalez (May 19)

11:00am – Celebration of Confirmation (St. Paul VI)

2:00pm – Celebration of Confirmation (Stella Maris, Saint Nicholas of Bari and other schools)

May 19 Sunday/Domenica

9:00am – 10:30am – 12:00pm – Catholic (Ge'ez)



Oggi celebriamo con gioia e gratitudine l'Ascensione del Signore Gesù Cristo. Questo evento segna la conclusione del suo ministero terreno e l'inizio del suo regno eterno alla destra del Padre. È un momento di grande mistero e di grande speranza per tutti noi credenti. Nel Vangelo di oggi, ascoltiamo l'account dell'Ascensione di Gesù. Dopo la sua risurrezione, Gesù si è manifestato ai suoi discepoli molte volte, rafforzando la loro fede e insegnando loro le verità del Regno di Dio. Ora, giunto il momento dell'Ascensione, Gesù lascia i suoi discepoli con una promessa e una missione. La promessa è che non li lascerà mai soli, ma sarà con loro fino alla fine dei tempi. La missione è quella di portare il Vangelo a tutte le nazioni, battezzandole nel nome del Padre, del Figlio e dello Spirito Santo.

AUGURI ALLE MAMME



In questa festa della mamma, riflettiamo sull'esempio straordinario di amore e dedizione rappresentato dalla Madonna. Come Maria ha accompagnato e sostenuto Gesù nel suo cammino terreno con amore materno, così anche voi, care mamme, siete le guide e i pilastri delle nostre vite. Il vostro amore incondizionato, la vostra pazienza e la vostra saggezza sono un riflesso dell'amore di Dio per ciascuno di noi. Come Maria, che ha custodito nel suo cuore ogni parola e gesto di Gesù, voi custodite con cura ogni singolo momento delle nostre vite. In questa giornata speciale, vogliamo ringraziarvi per il vostro esempio di umiltà, forza e dedizione. Che la vostra festa della mamma sia colma di gioia, pace e benedizioni divine. Con amore e gratitudine, vi auguriamo una giornata meravigliosa, care mamme.



Festa della Mamma: Raccolta Fondi per Set Regalo Spa!

Fai vivere a tua madre un momento di lusso senza svuotare il portafoglio! Il nostro set regalo spa, al prezzo speciale di soli \$15.00, ha un valore di oltre \$45.00. Scegli tra una varietà di fragranze deliziose. I proventi di questa raccolta fondi supporteranno la Chiesa di San Nicola.

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Pastorale del Papa : \$206.00

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