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Office Hours

Mon. to Fri. 9:30 am - 8:00 pm Saturday 9:30 am - 6:00 pm

Daily Mass Schedule

Monday to Saturday 9:00 a.m. Friday 7:00 p.m. Mass

Sunday Eucharist

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m.,

11:00 a.m., 12:30 p.m.

& 3:00 p.m. Spanish Mass

Devotions Rosary half an hour

before weekday Mass

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Friday 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Novena of Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Saturdays after 9:00 a.m. Mass

Reconciliation

Saturday 4:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.

& by appointment

Adoration Chapel

Monday to Thursday 9:30am to 8:00pm

Fridays 9:30am to 6:00pm

Saturdays 9:30am to 4:00pm

3rd Sunday of Easter



Parish Schools

St. Mary905-451-1020 St. Francis Xavier905-459-0646 St. Kevin905-450-0571 Bishop Francis Allen905-457-4677 Cardinal Leger S.S.905-453-2232

Baptisms Please contact the parish office.

Marriages Please contact the parish office a year in advance.

Adults interested in becoming Catholic who have not been baptized or wish to be received into the Catholic Church participate in the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). If interested, please contact the parish office.

Vocations Director Fr. Chris Lemieux 416-968-0997 www.vocationstoronto.ca

Third Sunday of Easter

Mass Intentions For the Week



Monday, May 6 St. François de Laval

9:00 a.m. - Mass

Guilherme & Idalina Galvão †

Tuesday, May 7 Easter Weekday

9:00 a.m. - Mass

Nathan Risavy †

Wednesday, May 8 Easter Weekday

9:00 a.m. - Mass Special Intentions for:

- Bob Byrne
- · Anthony Crow
- The Salter Family
- Tim Hegarty †
- Jo Poirier †
- Margaret Carambelas †

Thursday, May 9 <u>Easter Weekday</u>

9:00 a.m. - Mass

· Margaret Morhart †

Friday, May 10 Easter Weekday

9:00 a.m. - Mass Special Intentions for:

 CWL Members Living & Deceased †

6:00 p.m. Holy Hour

7:00 p.m. - Mass

Clara & Stephen Padua †

Saturday, May 11 Easter Weekday

*Please Note the change of time Mass Time is 8:00 a.m. rather than the usual 9:00 a.m.

8:00 a.m. - Mass

Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help after the morning Mass

4:00 p.m. - Confessions 5:00 p.m. - Sunday Vigil Mass

Pastor's Corner

ear sisters and brothers in Christ
God is good all the time, and all the time
As we continue experiencing the joy of Easter, I wish you all again a very Happy
Easter season.

Some of you might be familiar with a well-known modern musician who once sang, 'love needs confession'! What value has an unconfessed love? Seemingly none! Of course, it does happen at times that, someone falls in love with another but has no clue how to go about expressing it. The contrary is what happened in the Gospel of this weekend. It is not the lover confessing love to the beloved, it is the other way round! First and foremost, St. Peter loved Jesus a lot, this is why before the passion he indirectly confessed this love when he said to Jesus, "I will lay down my life for you" (John 13:37). Nonetheless, after his resurrection Jesus, already was fully aware (for He is God) that St. Peter loved him, did not only do what was extraordinary, but he also did what is contrary to the normal logic (No wonder the Gospel tells us that "Peter was grieved because He said to him the third time 'Do you love me'", John 21:17). For Jesus asked Peter to publicly confess his love for him; in other words, to confess that weak love which could not stand the test of public query, that trembling love which denied its Beloved, that selfish love which preferred its own life to that of the Beloved. But, on the other hand, one might also ask, "What did Jesus need Peter's love for?" Good question! Reading down the passage, one realizes that Jesus wanted to entrust Peter with a huge responsibility, namely to shepherd the flock which He had gathered and redeemed with His own sweat and blood.

Accordingly, Jesus wanted to be sure that his labour would not be in vain. In fact, he waited till He had shown himself thrice to Peter and to the Apostles, clearing therewith every doubt and fear from their minds and hearts. Thus it was not Jesus who needed Peter's love. It was rather Peter himself, who needed to be loved. It was he whose love needed perfection.

Peter needed to be strengthened to carry his own cross! Therefore, after entrusting Peter with the responsibility of shepherding his flock, Jesus asked him to follow Him (cf. John 13:19). And, guess what? This petrine followership has continued since Peter, the first Vicar of Christ on earth (cf. Matt 9:16), all the way to Francis, the 266th Pope. Isn't that amazing? Love can do wonders, yes, but on three condition: love has to be true! It has to be solid! It has to be confessed!

I therefore wish you and your family to spring forth joyfully and to courageously confess your love for Jesus, especially now that we begin our march for the most precious gift: LIFE! Blessings,

Fr. Patrick CCE

Birthright Brampton Baby Bottle Campaign

This Campaign is our main fundraiser. Please take a few moments to sign out a bottle today after mass and take it home so you can fill your bottle with loose change, bills or a cheque and return it the weekend of June 4th and 5th. Tax receipts will be issued for any cheques over \$15. For cash amounts, please request a receipt; in either case please be sure to provide your mailing address. Contact Birthright Brampton at 905-874-0607. Credit card donations can be made through https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/birthright-brampton/ Thank you!!!



Mother's Day Weekend Roses

Roses will be available for sale next weekend May 11/12 for Mother's Day in appreciation of the gift of life our mothers have given us. A donation of \$5 will go to support pro-life initiatives.

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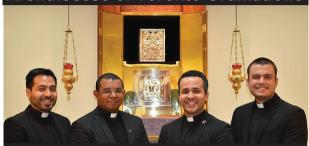
them, serve as a pathway through which acts of justice and love are realized, and the witness of the Catholic faith is strengthened."

— Cardinal Thomas Collins

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Archdiocese of Toronto Ordinations



Please pray for Rev. Mr. Mauricio Gilo Sanjines Calatayud, Rev. Mr. Joao Gilberto Veras Ferreira, Rev. Mr. Eduardo de Oliveira Paixao and Rev. Mr. Renan Roberto Costa who are to be ordained to the Holy Priesthood next Sat. May 11th at St. Michael's cathedral Basilica at 10am.

Knit One / Crochet Too

The Knitting/Crocheting group will be meeting of the following dates downstairs in the Pocock Rm: Evenings at 7 pm to 8:45: May 7, May 21, & Jun 4 Mornings at 10 a.m. to noon: May 9, May 23 & Jun 6. Newcomers always welcome.

Note Mass Time Change

On Saturday, May 11th the regular 9 am mass will instead be changed to 8 am due to the Ordinations taking place at St. Michael's Cathedral.

+55 Club Morning Muffin

May 13, 2nd Monday of the Month +55 Muffin Morning after 9am Mass in the Church Hall, \$1 optional. All are Welcome.

Perpetual Adoration Day

Tues., May 14, is Perpetual Adoration Day in our chapel from 9:30 a.m. to its closing at 8 p.m. To ensure that all hours are covered, parishioners are invited to participate by recording their chosen time on the clipboard located outside the office. "Everyone of us needs half an hour of prayer each day, except when we are busy—then we need an hour." St. Francis de Sales

Let us of Pray **x**

For the Sick Anthony Crow Clyde Crow

For the Recently Deceased

Ray Kunkel

Cornelia Lipman Kathryn Northey Timothy Hegarty

Pray for Vocations

How am I being called to feed the lambs of Jesus?
Could it be as an ordained or consecrated person? If you think God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact
Fr. Chris Lemieux,
Vocation Director,
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416-968-0997
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Envelope Contact Information Needed

If your envelope number is one of the following: 230, 310, 390, 403 & 451 please contact the office by phone or email as soon as possible

to verify your name and contact information.



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CWL News

<u>Bazaar Worknights</u>: Mondays May 13 & May 27 Church lower level at 7:30 pm. We will be taking the summer off. These are the last 2 worknights until Sep. 9th. Everyone welcome.

Executive Meeting: Wednesday May 15th at 7:00 pm Parish Hall.

Peregrinacion hispana anual Marylake y Segundo Concierto Juvenil

17 de agosto de 2019 - Peregrinación hispana anual al Santuario Marylake de Nuestra Señora de Gracia ubicada en 13760 Keele St., King City. La iglesia de St. James y su pastor, el padre Gustavo Campo, invitan a las comunidades hispanas de GTA a unirse a ellos para organizar la peregrinación, de por lo menos 2 representantes por parroquia. Las reuniones se llevarán a cabo en abril 24, mayo 23, junio 23 y julio 23 a las 7 pm en St. James Parish, 728 Annette St. Los jóvenes también están invitados a participar en el segundo concierto bilingüe para jóvenes que tendrá lugar el 1 de junio de 2019. Para obtener más información, contáctenos por correo electrónico a linarturodiaz@gmail.com ¡Un gran abrazo y felices Pascuas! P. Gustavo Campo.

May 5th - 10th is Catholic Education Week - Living as Joyful Disciples



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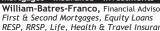
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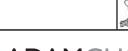
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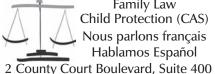


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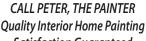
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