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**Apr 9, 2023**

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# Truly He is Risen!



**“Today, as pilgrims in search of hope, we cling to You, Risen Jesus. We turn our backs on death and open our hearts to You, for You are Life itself.”**

-Pope Francis

# Happy Easter!

Daily Mass Schedule

**Monday to Saturday** 9:00am

**Fridays** 9:00am

**Holy Hour** 6:00pm

**Mass** 7:00pm

Adoration Chapel

**Monday to Friday** 9:30am to 8:00pm

**Saturdays** 9:30am to 4:00pm

Sunday Eucharist

**Saturdays** 5:00pm

**Sundays** 8:00am, 9:30am,

11:00am, 12:30pm and

2:00pm - *Spanish Mass*

Reconciliation

**Fridays** 6:00pm - 6:45pm

**Saturdays** 4:00pm - 4:45pm

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**Office Hours:**

**Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays**

9:30am to 5:00pm

**Tuesdays and Thursdays**

9:30am to 8:00pm

**Note:** Office is closed for lunch  
from 1:00pm to 2:00pm

**Blessed Sacrament Chapel**

**Monday to Friday**

9:30am to 8:00pm

**Saturdays**

9:30am to 4:00pm

# MASS Intentions

Apr 10<sup>th</sup> - Apr 16<sup>th</sup>

## Monday - Apr 10<sup>th</sup>

Ferial

9:00 am - Mass

## Tuesday - Apr 11<sup>th</sup>

St. Stanislaus

9:00 am - Mass

- Mary-Ann Noronha †

## Wednesday - Apr 12<sup>th</sup>

Ferial

9:00 am - Mass

- Jose Amaral †
- Ronaldo Cadiz †
- Petronella Kameka †
- Genevieve D'Souza †
- Ayala Family (Thanksgiving)
- Fr. Liborio Amaral (SI)

## Thursday - Apr 13<sup>th</sup>

St. Martin I

9:00 am - Mass

- Patricia McConville †

## Friday - Apr 14<sup>th</sup>

Ferial

9:00 am - Mass

- Mary Maljevac †

7:30 pm - Mass

- Zenaida Mariano †

## Saturday - Apr 15<sup>th</sup>

Ferial

9:00 am - Mass

- Jose Amaral †

## Sunday - Apr 16<sup>th</sup>

Feast of the Divine Mercy



Let us Pray

### For the Sick in our Community

- Alice Howell

### For the Recently Deceased

- Jean McPhee
- Teresa Novielli
- Nicola Susi
- Jose Da Costa Amaral

## Parish Life

### Easter Monday

The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, April 10<sup>th</sup> and will re-open on Tuesday, April 11<sup>th</sup> at our regular scheduled time. Happy Easter!

### Knights Of Columbus Food Drive - Great Success!



Thank you for your generous support of the food drive in support of St Louise Outreach. Along with over \$700 in cash, St Louise estimated we donated over 2,000 pounds of food!

Thank you again for your gracious support and generosity, may God Bless you and your families!



### Liturgy of the Word for Children

**WE ARE EXCITED TO ANNOUNCE THAT THE LITURGY OF THE WORD FOR CHILDREN WILL RETURN TO ST. MARY'S ON SUNDAY, APRIL 12<sup>TH</sup>!**

This program will be held at the **11:00am Sunday Mass**. It will be run the first three Sundays of each month. This liturgy is open to children from the ages of 4 to 12. We look forward to seeing the children once again! If you are a Parishioner who attends Mass each weekend and is interested in joining this Ministry, please contact the office for further information.



### Flea Market

St. Mary's Catholic Women's League is happy to announce that we will be holding our Spring Flea Market on **Saturday April 29<sup>th</sup> from 9:30 am to 12:00 noon.**

Please drop off your donations on Friday, Apr 28th from 6:00pm to 8:00pm.

**No items accepted after 8 pm.**

**We will accept:** gently used clean clothing, purses, shoes/boots, linens, books, toys, jewellery, Christmas decorations, dishes, and any other household items, that you no longer need.

**We will not accept:** electronics, large appliances, baby or regular furniture. Proceeds from this Flea Market will help us support a young girl in Kenya and a family in India.

**Your donations are greatly appreciated.**

### Hablémos Inglés !! En Canada !!

Se ofrecerá, sin costo alguno, un curso abierto para mejorar la comunicación en Inglés.

**Días:** Sábados

**Hora:** por ser determinada

**Lugar:** salón de la Iglesia está por ser determinado

**Para registrarse escriba un e-mail a:** [Stmarysbr@archtoronto.org](mailto:Stmarysbr@archtoronto.org)

*Las clases iniciarán cuando se tenga suficientes personas interesadas.*

*Thank You for your Offering!*

Apr 02, 2023 Collection

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# Parish Life

## In appreciation of His Eminence, Cardinal Collins

"We receive so many good things from God: He is so good to us that it is fitting, indeed necessary, to say thank you." – Pope Benedict XVI

As he enters retirement, we would like to take this opportunity to give thanks to God for blessing us with so many years of faithful service from His Eminence, Cardinal Thomas Collins. We have all benefitted from his thoughtful leadership and steady hand, especially during the turbulent times of the health crisis these past few years. We wish him abundant blessings and continued good health in his retirement.

Thank you, Cardinal Collins!

## Warm Welcome to Archbishop Francis Leo

"We will love our times, our civilizations, our technologies, our arts, our sports, our world. We will love striving to understand, to have compassion, to esteem, to serve and to suffer. We will love with the heart of Christ." – Pope St. Paul VI

We would like to take this opportunity to welcome His Grace, Archbishop Francis Leo. May God bless you as you shepherd your flock here in the Archdiocese of Toronto.

To learn more about Archbishop Leo, visit [archtoronto.org/archbishopleo](http://archtoronto.org/archbishopleo).

To read his homily from the Mass of Installation, visit

[Archdiocese of Toronto - Homily of Mass of Installation of the Most Rev. Francis Leo \(archtoronto.org\)](http://archtoronto.org)

## Installation Celebration of Archbishop Francis Leo

The Installation of Archbishop Francis Leo took place on Saturday, March 25<sup>th</sup>, 2023. Recognizing that the cathedral was not able to accommodate all of the faithful that wished to attend, a regional Mass of Welcome will take place on **Wednesday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2023 at St. Francis Xavier Parish, Mississauga at 7:00 p.m.**

## Calling all Young Adults!

St. Mary's Parish is running a young adults ministry for ages 19-39.

They meet bi-weekly holding faith studies and socials which help to foster good friendships.

If you're looking for a young adult community in which you can relate with people your age and to help you understand and live the faith, please email:

[stmarys.youngadults2020@gmail.com](mailto:stmarys.youngadults2020@gmail.com)



## Holy Name of Mary College School (HNMCS) Open House

HNMCS, an independent Catholic school for girls in grades 5-12, will host an Open House on **April 15<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 am**. It will provide an opportunity to discover the benefits of an HNMCS education, and include a campus tour as well as introductions to the faculty, students, and administrators.

They hope to see you there!

## Online Bereavement Introductory Program

The Online Bereavement Introductory Program offers both women and men a learning environment which is safe, welcoming and non-judgmental. The program provides 4 weeks of psycho-education, which assists and accompanies the bereaved in exploring grief, experiencing healing and renewing faith. The program resources include PowerPoint and time will be allocated for group discussion. People from all ethnicity, culture and/or religion are welcome.

**April 12, 2023 @ 7:00 pm**

Register at: <https://nbb0423.eventbrite.ca>

For more information please contact: Arcangelo Limanni, MRE [alimanni@cfstoronto.com](mailto:alimanni@cfstoronto.com) (647) 215-3978

# Religious Education and Faith Formation



## ***Divine Mercy Sunday Eighth Day of the Octave of Easter***

What a grace-filled day this is! It is the eighth and final day of the Octave of Easter. On this eighth day of Easter, we celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday. It is a day when the floodgates of mercy are opened wide and God lavishes us with more than we could ever hope for.

Divine Mercy Sunday was celebrated for years as a private devotion. But in the year 2000, Pope Saint John Paul II, who himself was an extraordinary instrument of God's mercy, put this feast on the Church's official calendar as he raised Sister Faustina to sainthood.

*Lord of Mercy, help me today to begin to understand what mercy is all about. Help me to first be open to the mercy You wish to bestow upon me. As I receive Your own Divine Mercy, help me also to be an instrument of that mercy for all to see.  
Jesus, I trust in You.*

[Click Here to Read More](#)

## **The Secret to Surrendering to God's Will (The Agony in the Garden)**



You've heard the Agony in the Garden before. You'll hear it again near the end of Lent. But today, with years of Biblical scholarship under his belt, Dr. Edward Sri is going to walk you through Christ' agony like you've never experienced before.

There are some nuggets in here that you don't want to miss. They could change the way you live your life forever.

[Watch Video Here](#)

## **The Story of Easter (The Last Super)**

Bible stories for children



[Children's Video](#)

## **Indigenous Reconciliation Fund Hits First Target**



The \$30 million Indigenous Reconciliation Fund has achieved its first-year goal raising \$9.4 million and the fund's board has greenlit 17 projects.

The Archdiocese of Toronto has so far raised just under \$1 million of the \$6 million it has pledged to the fund. The money comes from annual fall collections, but any shortfall in fundraising will be covered by archdiocesan assets and budgets.

[Read More Here](#)

# Office Schedule

**Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays:** From 9:30am to 5:00pm

**Tuesdays and Thursdays:** From 9:30am to 8:00pm

**Mass Intentions by phone:** Please call 905-451-2300  
(during office hours)

**Meetings:** by Appointment Only

**Note:** During lunch the office will be closed from 1:00pm to 2:00pm

## Adoration Chapel

<b>Monday to Friday</b>	<b>9:30am to 8:00pm</b>
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<b>Saturdays</b>	<b>9:30am to 4:00pm</b>
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## Weekday Mass Schedule

<b>Monday to Saturday</b>	<b>9:00am Mass</b>
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<b>Friday Evenings</b>	<b>6:00pm to 7:00pm Holy Hour followed by 7:00pm Mass</b>
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## Sunday Mass Schedule

**5:00pm Mass (Saturday Vigil Mass)**

**8:00am Mass**

**9:30am Mass**

**11:00am Mass**

**12:30pm Mass**

**2:00pm Mass (*Spanish*)**

## Confession Times

<b>Fridays</b>	<b>6:00pm to 6:45pm</b>
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<b>Saturdays</b>	<b>4:00pm to 4:45pm</b>
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## Church open for Prayer

<b>Monday to Friday</b>	<b>8:00am to 8:00pm</b>
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<b>Saturdays</b>	<b>8:00am to 4:00pm</b>
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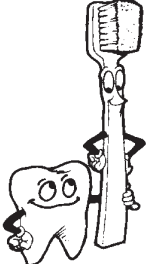
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