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Mass Intentions

Tuesday, May 22nd: 8:15 am – Lolita Bayon -Thanksgiving Requested by Mila Benedicto

Wednesday, May 23rd: 8:15 am – In Honour of the Holy Family Requested by Raffaella Sacco

Thursday, May 24th: 8:15 am – In Honour of St. Anne & St. Joachim Requested by Raffaella Sacco

Friday, May 25th: 8:15 am – Corazon & Nelson Beltijar Requested by Nelson & Nelia Ducusin

Saturday, May 26th: 9:00 am –Sophia Atienz**a** -Thanksgiving Requested by Sophia Atienza **5:00 pm** – Terrel Miranda⊕ Requested by D' Souza Family

Sunday, May 27^{th:}
9:30 am -All Parishioners
11:00 am – Carina D'Souza - Thanksgiving Requested by D'Souza Family
7:00 pm –Gregorio & Anastacia Villejo[‡] Requested by Nieva Rivera

Collections May 13th - Offertory<u>: \$ 2,423.75</u> Thank you for your continued support

Upcoming Events

Mondays, May 21, 28, June 4,11,18,25... **Al-Anon** Meeting, 7:30pm - 9:30pm - in the Church Hall

June 3, 2018, 7:00pm - Confirmation Mass



<u>Come Holy Spirit</u>

Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your Spirit and they shall be

created. And You shall renew the face of the earth.

O, God, who by the light of the Holy Spirit, did instruct the hearts of the faithful, grant that by the same Holy Spirit we may be truly wise and ever enjoy His consolations, Through Christ Our Lord, Amen

| Altar Servers Schedule May 26 th /May 27 th , 2018 | | | | |
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| Saturday | Angeline | Angelo | Michael | |
| 5:00 pm | Beltran | Beltran | Orillanes | |
| Sunday | Mary Joyce | Sean | Maryrose | Cheraldine |
| 9:30 am | Gutierrez | Quinagon | Sabio | Carandang |
| Sunday | Catherine | Christine | Matthew | Jann & Jaree |
| 11:00 am | Dipasupil | Dipasupil | Guzman | Ybarola |
| Sunday 7:00 pm | Cerniel Cruzada | Cailean Cruzada | Joshua | Kirsten |

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Two new priests ordained for the Archdiocese of Toronto

On Saturday, May 12, 2018, Cardinal Thomas Collins, Archbishop of Toronto, ordained **Fr. Alexander Mac Donald and Fr. Raymond So** to the priesthood at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica.

These new priests include a Nova Scotian lawyer and journalist, and a Hong Kong born engineering student who both left their previous endeavours to pursue priesthood. They joined the more than 800 diocesan and religious priests who provide pastoral leadership to the Catholic faithful in this region. Pray for them!



Living the Gospel by maximizing the impact of your donation

Administered by St. Elizabeth HealthCare, the Shared Services Initiative is supporting other ShareLife-funded agencies in the areas of human resources, financial services and information technology. Participating agencies report they are able to improve the quality, competency and accuracy of their work. Through this initiative, ShareLife-funded agencies are ensuring the maximum amount received is directed to the front-line service they provide.

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Remembering the Parish in Your Will

A bequest is a beautiful way to express your faith and your gratitude for a lifetime of blessings! A gift to the parish or any of our diocesan charities in your Will creates a lasting legacy that will help the Church continue its heritage of service and pastoral care to the faith community. When making your Will, please consider a bequest to ______ Holy Cross Parish. To learn more about making a bequest, please call the parish office or the Development Office of the Archdiocese at 416-934-3411 ext. 519 or visit www.archtoronto.org/development.

Call for Conscience 2018

An Invitation from Cardinal Collins

Cardinal Thomas Collins, Archbishop of Toronto, recently issued a call to action in advance of the June 7 provincial election to promote palliative care, conscience rights and the protection of faith-based facilities. His Eminence has asked Catholics to visit

canadiansforconscience.ca/ontario to send a letter directly to all candidates in their riding for the June 7 election. A pre-written letter is provided which people can amend as they choose. If you did not receive Cardinal Collins' emailed letter and you would like to receive them in the future, please visit

<u>bit.ly/archtosignup</u> Thank you for advocating on these important issues!

Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi) procession

Sunday, June 3 – following noon Mass Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church 867 College St., Toronto

Benediction to follow. "Processions teach the heart to follow unswervingly." This is our witness to Christ Jesus our King. You are invited to join us. Wear white and bring your rosary. PHONE: 416-534-1145 WEBSITE: http://ourladyofgoodcounseltoronto.com/

Third Annual Retreat for Women

A Reflection on Some Women of the New Testament with Dr. Josephine Lombardi

Saturday, **June 9 - 9:30 a.m. – 3 p.m.**

St. Augustine's Seminary 2661 Kingston Rd., Scarborough

As part of St. Augustine's Seminary Lay Formation Program, the day will involve reflections on women in the New Testament using Lectio and Visio Divina. There will be opportunity for meditation, meditation with scripture and with icons. The retreat will include Mass in the seminary chapel. Bring your mothers, sisters, daughters and friends! Cost is \$50 (includes lunch).

CONTACT: St. Augustine's Seminary of Toronto PHONE: 416-261-7207

EMAIL: <u>layspiritualformation@sastoronto.org</u> WEB: <u>http://www.staugustines.on.ca/</u> POSTER: <u>http://bit.ly/WomenNewTestament</u>

Helping Parents Pray with their Children

"If a family is centred on Christ, He will unify and illumine its entire life." – Pope Francis, Amoris Laetitia

Prayer is an essential way for families to centre their lives on Christ. Modeling different ways of praying at the parish can serve to inspire and equip parents to teach their children how to pray, in age-appropriate ways.

Beverly O'Grady from the Office of Formation for Discipleship will unpack what the Catechism teaches about prayer, the stages of prayer growth of young children and prayer practices.

When: Thursday, June 14, 2018, 5:30 to 8 p.m. Light dinner and networking start at 5:30 p.m.

Where: Catholic Pastoral Centre,

4th Floor, Room 4B, 1155 Yonge St., Toronto M4T 1W2 or via webinar

We look forward to your participation! For any questions or to register, please email your first and last name, parish, and role to rsevilla@archtoronto.org by June 8. Please indicate if you will be attending in-person or via webinar. Liturgical Publications 3171 LENWORTH DR. #12 MISSISSAUGA, ON L4X 2G6 905-624-4422

