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Sunday Masses:

Saturday Vigil 5:00 pm
Sunday 9:00 am, 11:00 am

Morning Prayer:

Monday to Friday 8:40 am

Weekday Masses:

Monday to Friday: 9:00 am
Saturdays & Holidays: 9:00 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday 4:00 pm to 4:30 pm
First Friday 6:15 pm to 6:45 pm
For any other day by appointment only

First Fridays:

Holy Hour: 6:00 pm
Mass 7:00 pm

Baptism:

By appointment and after an interview with the parents.

Marriage:

Couples planning to be married should contact the pastor one year in advance.

Care of the Sick:

Please call the parish to request visitation of the sick or elderly for prayers, Holy Communion, Sacrament of the Sick.

New Parishioners:

Registration Form is available in the vestibule of the Church, in the parish office or on the website.

Eucharistic Healing Procession & Benediction

Every 1st Sat. of the Month after the 9:00am Mass.

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Principal: Ms. Sandy Gunter

<i>Mass Intentions</i>		
APRIL	MASS FOR	REQUESTED BY
11 <i>Mon, 9am</i>	Ronald Jacinto +	Nerissa Jacinto
12 <i>Tues, 9am</i>	Benjamin Enriquez, Sr +	Victor & Nenita Cabahug
13 <i>Wed, 9am</i>	Danilo Pagkalinawan +	Nemie & Mitz Caldos
14 Thurs 9am 7pm	NO MASS- Holy Thursday Celebration of the Lord's Last Supper	
15 Fri 12nn & 3pm 7 pm	OFFICE CLOSED Good Friday Services Liturgy of the Passion of Christ Stations of the Cross	
16 Sat 9am 5pm 8pm	No Mass No Mass EASTER VIGIL	
17 Sun 9 & 11am	Easter Sunday	

Meditate on God's Word



1st Reading: Is. 50.4-7
2nd Reading: Phil. 2.6-11
Gospel: Lk 22.14 – 23.56 – The Passion of the Lord

The Cross of Christ

Today marks the beginning of Holy Week, the most important and solemn week of the Church's liturgical calendar. In the Gospel this Sunday we are invited to reflect on the passion and death of our Lord Jesus Christ. The cross is the most recognizable symbol of our Christian faith. We see crucifixes hanging in Churches, schools, homes and even worn around many people's necks. However, we can become so used to this constant presence of the crucifix that we become indifferent to what it signifies. Let us take a moment to grasp the beauty and truth found in the cross. God became man and was willing to be crucified for the forgiveness of our sins. It is through the cross that Christ defeats Satan and triumphantly attains our salvation, allowing us to enter our heavenly home. The entire course of human history was dramatically altered because of the cross of Christ. As stewards, we should always view the salvation won through the cross as the greatest gift that God has bestowed on us. As we approach the Holy Triduum, let us take some time each day this week to reflect on the passion of Christ. Many great saints strongly promoted this practice of calling to mind the sufferings of Christ. We can do this in many ways such as praying the Stations of the Cross or the sorrowful mysteries of the Rosary, reading the passion narratives in the Bible or simply gazing upon a crucifix. Let us never fail to appreciate the sublime beauty of Jesus' sacrifice on the cross. Summary It is through the crucifixion that Christ defeats Satan and triumphantly attains our salvation, allowing us to enter our heavenly home. As we approach the Holy Triduum, let us take some time each day this week to reflect on the passion of Christ. We can do this in many ways such as praying the Stations of the Cross or the sorrowful mysteries of the Rosary, reading the passion narratives in the Bible or simply gazing upon a crucifix.



Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

We would like to inform everyone that the exposition of the Blessed Sacrament is every **Tuesday to Friday after the 9:00 a.m. Mass until 10:00**

a.m. in the Church ***except on holidays.***



Let us pray for the sick

We keep in our prayers the sick, the homebound, and the "forgotten members" in our community.

If you have a loved one you would like on our Sick list, please call or email us. We will keep their names on our list for 4 weeks. *Thank you.*

<https://www.archtoronto.org/stewardship>



A moment to stop the routine of everyday life To worship, pray, share in communion and celebration together.

2022 HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

DATE	ACTIVITIES	MASS/SERVICE TIME
April 11, 12, 13 (Mon, Tues, Wed)	Regular Mass and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	9:00 am to 10:00 am
April 14 (Thursday)	Holy Thursday <i>Celebration of the Lord's Last Supper & Washing of the Feet</i>	NO 9:00 am Mass 7:00 pm <i>Followed by Adoration until 10pm</i>
April 15 (Friday)	Good Friday <i>Liturgy of the Passion of Christ</i> Stations of the Cross	12:00 noon & 3:00 pm 7:00 pm
April 16 (Saturday)	Holy Saturday <i>Easter Vigil</i>	NO 9:00 am Mass 8:00 pm
April 17 (Sunday)	Easter Sunday	9:00 am & 11:00 am
April 18 (Monday)	Easter Monday (OFFICE is CLOSED)	9:00 am

REGULAR CONFESSIONS

1st Friday: 6:00 pm to 6:30 pm

Saturday: 4:00 pm to 4:30 pm

OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday to Friday : 9:00am to 3:00pm

Office Closed

Every Monday and during Lunch Break

From 12:00 to 1:00pm

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