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WEEKDAYS MASSES:

Weekdays: Mon - Fri 8:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

Saturday 8:00 a.m.

SUNDAY MASSES:

Saturday: 6:00 p.m. (English) **Sunday:** 8:30 a.m. (English)

10:00 a.m. (Italian) 11:30 a.m. (English) 1:00 p.m. (English)

2:30 p.m. (Filipino-Tagalog,

only 3rd Sunday of the Month)

4:00 p.m. (English)

6:00 p.m. (Misa en espanol)

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 905-279-3722

"I was a stranger and you welcomed me." Mt. 25, 35
"Out of many we are one in Christ."

BAPTISMS - BAUTIZOS:

Call the office at least 3 months before Baptism date for an interview and meetings for parents and godparents.

Llamar a la oficina por lo menos 3 meses antes de la fecha del Bautizo, para entrevistarse y reunirse con los padres y padrinos.

CONFESSIONS - CONFESIONES:

Saturday - Sabado: 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. & by appointment.

MARRIAGES - BODAS:

Call the office at least 1 year before the wedding date planned and before you arrange a hall.

Llame a la oficina 1 año antes de la fecha estimada para la boda y antes de reservar el Salón.

<u>RCIA-</u> *RICA:* (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults/Sacramental Preparation) Contact the parish office as soon as possible.

(Ceremonia de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos /Preparación Sacramental) Contacte la oficina parroquial tan pronto como sea posible.

SACRAMENTS FOR THE SICK AND THE ELDERLY-SACRAMENTOS PARA LOS ENFERMOS Y ADULTOS MAYORES

Please notify the parish office if someone is in the hospital or confined to the home due to sickness or old age.

Por favor comuníquese con la oficina parroquial si alguien se encuentra en el hospital o en la casa debido a una enfermedad o adultos mayores que no pueden salir de la casa.

PARISH REGISTRATION

We welcome you to our Parish Community and invite you/your family to introduce yourself to the priests and REGISTER as soon as possible. Registration forms are available in the parish office.

REGISTRACION PARROQUIAL

Le damos la Bienvenida a nuestra comunidad parroquial y lo invitamos a usd y su familia a presentarse con los Sacerdotes y a que se registre lo más pronto posible. Los formatos de registro están disponibles en la oficina parroquial.

The readings of today teach us about service. humility, and true leadership. Reflecting on these passages helps us understand our role as followers of Christ.

Suffering Servant

Isaiah 53:10-11 describes a servant who suffers for others. This servant takes on pain and sorrow to bring healing and forgiveness. This passage points to Jesus, who willingly suffered to save us from our sins.

Jesus's suffering was not in vain. By His wounds, we are healed. His sacrifice shows the depth of His love for us and calls us to love others in the same way. We are called to bear one another's burdens and share in their suffering.

In our lives, we will face challenges and suffering. Following Jesus's example, we should embrace these moments as opportunities to grow in love and service. By doing so, we reflect the love of Christ to those around us.

Christ's Priesthood

Hebrews 4:14-16 speaks of Jesus as our high priest. He understands our weaknesses because He faced the same temptations. Because of this, we can approach God with confidence, knowing we will receive mercy.

Jesus is not distant or unapproachable. He knows what it is like to be human. He sympathizes with our struggles and is always ready to help us.

We are encouraged to draw near to God in prayer. Trusting in Jesus's understanding and mercy, we can find strength and grace in our times of need. Jesus, our high priest, bridges the gap between us and God.

True Greatness in Service

In Mark 10:35-45, James and John ask Jesus for positions of honor. Jesus teaches them that true greatness comes from serving others. He came not to be served but to serve and give His life for many.

Jesus's response turns worldly ideas of power and authority upside down. True leadership in the Kingdom of God is about humility and service, not seeking honor for oneself. He calls us to follow His example.

This lesson challenges us to examine our desires and ambitions. Are we seeking personal glory, or are we willing to serve others selflessly? True greatness is found in humility and service, as shown by Jesus.

Today's reflection is attributed to young-catholics.com



Saturday, Oct. 19, 2024 St. Paul of the Cross

8:00am Blessings & health of Margaret & Jerzy Sieczka 1:30pm WEDD: Jonathan Figueiredo & Carmela Banski 6:00pm Thanksgiving to Holy Trinity and Virgin Mary for life of Juan Camillo Alvarez Valencia

Sunday, Oct. 20 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am Thanksgiving from Paul & Valeria Nasato

10:00am MESSA CON PIU INTENZIONI

11:30am MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS

1:00pm + Maria De Souza

2:30pm FILIPINO MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS

4:00pm + Agostinho & Maria Lucinda Mota

6:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

Monday, Oct. 21

8:00am + Biagio & Sandra Valentini 7:00pm Thanksgiving from Eric Gabriel Pereira

Tuesday, Oct. 22 St. John Paul II/ Ded. of Consecrated Churches

8:00am + Giuseppe Corrente

7:00pm Thanksgiving to St. Anthony from Sony & Santhosh D'Souza

Wednesday, Oct 23 St. John of Capistrano

8:00am + Omega Patterson

6:00pm Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

7:00pm MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS

Thurs, Oct. 24 St. Anthony Mary Claret

8:00am + Eddie Flower & Kitty Cross

7:00pm + Maria Tran Thi Kieu

Friday, Oct. 25

8:00am + Margaret & Patrick McShane

7:00pm + Danilo & Casimira Berdusco

Saturday, Oct. 26

8:00am Thanksgiving for Wedding Anniversary of Giuseppe & Elena Cavallin

1:30pm WEDD: Adrian Ignagni & Alicia Fantin 6:00pm + Deceased of Liptay & Hvasta Families

Sunday, Oct. 27 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am + Candida Escolastica Madeira Vaz

10:00am MESSA CON PIU INTENZIONI

11:30am MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS

1:00pm + Rebecca Loterinia

4:00pm + Antonuzza Cirillo

6:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

2025 MASS BOOK IS OPEN

ANUNCIOS EN ESPAÑOL

A través de la página de Internet de nuestra parroquia pueden participar virtualmente de nuestras celebraciones

eucarísticas: https://stcatherineofsienami.archtoronto.org/ Debe presionar sobre el logo Mass - Live Stream

FAMILIA MISIONERA". Reunión de formación y oración, todos los viernes (excepto el primer viernes del mes) a las 7:30pm en el salón "Principal". Es una oportunidad para crecer, afianzar, dar a conocer y defender la Fe siguiendo las enseñanzas de la Iglesia Católica.

"GRUPO DE RENOVACIÓN CARISMÁTICA CATÓLICA". Igualmente todos los viernes (excepto el primer viernes del mes) a las 7:30pm en el salón "Scalabrini" tenemos asamblea de oración y alabanza. Bienvenidos a todos los que deseen participar en estos encuentros.

"ANIVERSARIO **ORDENACIÓN** #25 DESACERDOTAL PADRE GABRIEL FORERO''. El 23 de Noviembre, 2024, celebraremos el aniversario #25 de ordenación sacerdotal del Rvdo. Padre José Gabriel Forero Martinez. Comenzando con la Santa Misa a las 5:00 pm, celebrada por el obispo auxiliar de la Archidiócesis de Toronto, su excelencia Robert Kasunl. Seguida de una cena de gala (antipasto, pasta, pollo y roast beef, y torta) a las 6:30 pm en Le Treport Wedding & Convention Centre (1075 Queensway East, Mississauga, ON L4Y 4C1). Las boletas para la cena de gala están disponibles en la oficina parroquial (teléfono: 905-272-1454) y la donación es de \$90 (Adultos) y \$60 (Niños de 12 años y menos). Los esperamos.

"SANTO ROSARIO Y EUCARISTÍA". Todos los domingos a las 5:30pm. rezaremos el Santo Rosario y a las 6:00pm participaremos en la celebración eucarística. Después de la misa, generalmente tenemos nuestro tradicional "Café de la amistad" en el salón "Principal". Esta es una oportunidad para compartir y conocernos mejor como comunidad Hispana.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE From September 25th to November 3rd, you're invited to join in a peaceful daily prayer vigil. Our Parish Community days are October 13th and 20th from 7:00am to 7:00pm, on the south side of The Queensway and Confederation Pkwy. Please consider joining us in praying for the unborn members of our society.

NEWCOMERS FAMILY of four has been sponsored by our Parish community. For those who want to help us with a donation, there will be some envelopes available at the entrances of the church. May God reward your generosity.

COMMEMORATION OF ALL SOULS

November 2nd we remember the souls of the faithful departed, especially our loved ones who have gone before us to the Lord. Place your Mass intentions on the Altar.

BUNDLE SUNDAY The Society of St. Vincent de Paul will be collecting gently used clothing and household items to support our neighbours in need. The truck will be in our parking lot November 2 & 3.

BIBLE STUDY facilitated by Fr. Gabriel every Tuesday at 7:30pm in person in Scalabrini Hall or on Zoom, ID 836 4620 6928 Password 388125. The study series is on **The Prophets.**

<u>CATECHISM PROGRAM</u> registrations First Communion and Confirmation children. Please register on line as soon as possible:

https://www.stcatherineyouth.ca/first-holy-communion

https://www.stcatherineyouth.ca/confirmation

YOUTH MINISTRY

<u>CHAMPIONS FOR CHRIST</u> for Grade 2 to 5 every other Friday started October 11th in Scalabrini Hall from 5:00-7:40pm.

EDGE for grades 6-7-8 every other Friday started October 11th in the Main Hall from 5:00-7:40pm.

LIFE TEEN for grades 9-12 every other Saturday starting October 19th from 6:00pm to 9:30pm in the Main Hall. Please registration at:

https://www.stcatherineyouth.ca/c4c https://www.stcatherineyouth.ca/edge https://www.stcatherineyouth.ca/lifeteen

<u>CHURCH RENOVATIONS</u> have started in the washrooms in the Main Hall.

Your prayers, patience and financial support will be greatly appreciated during this time. There are envelopes available at the entrances of the church for your donation. Thank you.

FR. GABRIEL'S 25th Anniversary of Ordination

There will be a special Mass to celebrate the 25th Anniversary of Ordination of our Pastor on Saturday, **November 23rd at 5:00pm** celebrated by the Auxiliary Bishop of the Archdiocese of Toronto Bishop Robert Kasun, followed by a Gala Dinner with a rich menu at Le Treport Banquet Hall. Tickets are available at the office. (Adults \$90., children under 12 \$60.) Tickets are limited.

We keep Fr. Gabriel in our prayers. Let us celebrate this special milestone together with him.

There will be **NO MASS** at 6:00pm on that day.



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