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He is Risen!
Alleluia, Alleluia

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S RESURRECTION

God Is Always at Work

Easter is the most important feast in the Catholic liturgical calendar, as it celebrates the Resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead. Through his death and Resurrection, Jesus has triumphed over sin and death, and offers us the hope of new life and salvation.

The readings today remind us of God's goodness, power, and saving work throughout history. In the Gospel today, we hear the amazing news of Jesus' Resurrection, which brings hope and new life to all who believe.

A Message of Hope

This message of hope is especially important in our world today, where there is so much suffering, pain, and despair. We are all touched by the effects of sin and death, whether in our own lives or in the lives of those around us. But the Resurrection of Jesus offers us a way out of this darkness. It reminds us that death is not the final word, and that God never abandons us, even in our darkest moments.

As we celebrate Easter, we are called to let go of sin and selfishness, and to embrace the new life and hope that Jesus offers. We are called to let Easter change our hearts and transform our lives, so that we may become more fully the people that God created us to be.

Meaning through Faith

God sent his Son to free us from sin and death and to live without fear. This message is just as important today as it was in the time of the early Christians. The Resurrection of Jesus is a powerful reminder of the transformative power of our faith.

The message of the empty tomb was initially confusing to the disciples. They couldn't understand where the body had gone and what had happened. The experiences of our lives can sometimes be confusing and difficult to interpret without faith. We need to remember that, through the Resurrection, God has the power to transform our lives.

Let us rejoice and be glad this Easter, as we celebrate the triumph of Jesus over sin and death. Let us give thanks to God for the gift of new life, and let us renew our commitment to follow Jesus, the risen Lord, wherever he may lead us. May the hope and joy of Easter fill our hearts and our lives, now and always.

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



Saturday, Apr. 19, 2025 Holy Saturday

8:00pm Easter Vigil

Sunday, Apr. 20 Easter Sunday

8:30am + Rod & Jeanne Gaudette

10:00am MESSA CON PIU INTENZIONI

11:30am MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS

1:00pm + Mangaree Mahabir

2:30pm FILIPINO MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS

4:00pm + Adnan Zohrob

6:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

Monday, Apr. 21 St. Anselm

8:00am + Florencio Hernandez

7:00pm + Agostinho & Maria Lucinda Mota

Tuesday, Apr. 22

8:00am Special intentions for Nelson Chico

7:00pm + Raymond Pereira

Wednesday, Apr. 23 Sts. George & Adalbert

8:00am Thanksgiving for Joe Koshy Joseph

6:00pm *Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help*

7:00pm MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS

Thursday, Apr. 24 St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen

8:00am + Cesare Lombardi

11:00am SENIORS' MASS

7:00pm + Filippo Primo

Friday, Apr. 25 St. Mark

8:00am Thanksgiving Fr. Jerzy Tomon

7:00pm + John, Frank & Lilian Kaszycki

Saturday, Apr. 26 Our Lady of Good Counsel

8:00am + Jose Pangilinan

12:00pm WEDD: Joejry Supnet & Milanie Cruz

6:00pm + Pietro Dal'Bo

Sunday, Apr. 27 2nd Sunday of Easter

8:30am + Sabina & Benedict Maksilowski

10:00am MESSA CON PIU INTENZIONI

11:30am MULTIPLE INTENTIONS MASS

1:00pm + Deceased of Rebellato & Pasqual Families

4:00pm + Francesca Turchiaro

6:00pm MISA CON INTENCIONES MULTIPLES

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Thank you for your generosity throughout the year.

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 7:30 pm en el salón "Fr. Zanon". Es una oportunidad para crecer, afianzar, dar a conocer y defender la Fe siguiendo las enseñanzas de la Iglesia Católica.

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

"SEMANA SANTA". La Semana Santa comenzó el Domingo 13 de Abril con la Misa de Ramos a las 6:00 pm, en Español. El Jueves 17 de Abril se realizará la celebración de la Última Cena del Señor a las 8:00 pm en Inglés. El Viernes 18 de Abril se realizará la Representación en Vivo del Santo Via Crucis al mediodía (12:00 pm) en Inglés, Italiano y Español, y a las 8:30 pm la celebración de la Pasión del Señor en Español. El Sábado 19 de Abril la Misa de la Vigilia Pascual a las 8:00 pm, en Inglés. El Domingo 20 de Abril se celebrará la Misa de la Resurrección del Señor a las 6:00 pm en Español.

"MISALES EN ESPAÑOL PARA EL AÑO 2025". Ya están a la venta (\$12) en la oficina parroquial y los domingos al final de la Santa Misa en Español de las 6:00 pm.

"DONACIÓN PARA LA RENOVACIÓN DE LA IGLESIA". Estamos muy agradecidos a todos los que han contribuido con sus donaciones a las renovaciones. Dado que todos los bancos han sido nortrocinos, los nuevos confesionarios están disponibles para nortrocinio. Póngase en contacto con la oficina parroquial (905-272-1454) para obtener más información.

PILGRIMAGE to Our Lady of Guadalupe in Mexico with Father Gabriel in occasion of his 25th Anniversary of Ordination. On July 21-26, 2025 for a cost of \$3,540.00 CAD with double occupancy. For Further details contact the church office or edgar@gateways-international.com 1-800-268-0900

Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for April 2025

For the use of the new technologies

Let us pray that the use of the new technologies will not replace human relationships, will respect the dignity of the person, and will help us face the crises of our times.

HAPPY EASTER BUONA PASQUA FELIZES PASCUAS

MALIGAYANG PASKO NG PAGKABUHAY

SHARE LIFE This Easter Sunday, we thank you for being a beacon of hope for our brothers and sisters in need by supporting ShareLife. Thus far we have raised \$9,710.00 toward our goal of \$54,500.00 Please give at the parish, or at sharelife.org/donate.

RCIA We pray for the Catecumens that received the Sacraments at the Easter Vigil.

SENIORS' MASS is on Thursday, April 24th at 11:00am followed by an Easter lunch for \$15.00. Please make reservations.

ENGLISH PRAYER GROUP Saturdays at 2:30pm in Scalabrini Hall. All are welcome.

CHURCH RENOVATIONS We continue to pray for the success and completion of the Church renovations. There are still a few minor details left to be done. We are very grateful to those who have contributed with their donations towards the renovations. Confessionals are available for sponsorship. Please contact the office for further information.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY (SVDP) Thank you to those contributed to the food drive for Easter. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

DATES FOR SACRAMENTS 2025

FIRST COMMUNIONS

Sat., May 24 9:30am Fr. Zanon & Other Schools
Sat., May 24 2:00pm St. Timothy School & Atrium
Sat., May 31 9:30am Mary Fix School
Sat., May 31 2:00pm St. Catherine of Siena School

CONFIRMATIONS

Mon., Jun. 2 7:00pm St. Timothy & Atrium
Wed., Jun. 4 7:00pm St. Catherine of Siena & Others
Fri., Jun. 6 7:00pm Fr. Zanon & Mary Fix Schools

SUMMER CAMP 2025 August 5-8 & 11-15
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