



Holy Cross CWL Bake Sale



Saturday, April 20th after the 4:30 p.m. Mass &
Sunday, April 21st after the 12-noon Mass

All proceeds will be going to support the CWL's many charities. Anyone who wishes to make donations of baked goods are asked to bring them 1 hour before each Mass. Thank you!

Church Bulletin Advertising

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements beginning in May. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1-800-268-2637.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!!! Holy Cross Parish - 85th Anniversary Dinner

Saturday September 14th, 2024

Mass: 4:30pm Dinner: 6:15pm in Parish Hall

Tickets: \$80

Only 130 Tickets Available. Deadline to purchase your ticket is **June 28, 2024**. Please contact the Office. Please see Menu in the Foyer (If you have dietary restrictions, please let us know)



Easter at Holy Cross is truly a joyous family celebration. It takes many helpers doing great things to ensure Holy Week and Easter are joyful and meaningful celebrations. Thank you to all involved especially our Music Ministry, Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Videographer, Sacristan, Altar Servers and Ushers for their participation. Also thank you to our cleaners and decorators and especially, you our parishioners who came out in faith to share and celebrate!

Sacramental Prep

First Communion Prep Class #6 at 10:45 a.m.

Sunday April 7, 2024 at St. Gregory the Great Parish Hall (190 Simcoe St. N.)

Confirmation Prep Class #6 at 10:45 a.m.

Sunday April 14, 2024 in Holy Cross Parish Hall.



Marriage Preparation Course

St. John the Evangelist Parish, Whitby
Monday evenings April 8 to May 13
7pm to 9pm

Register in person or call: 905-668-3676
Cost \$300, includes materials

MASS Intentions

Saturday April 6

4:30pm For the Parish Family

Sunday April 7 (2nd Sunday of Easter)

12-noon †Augusto Chiodo

Tuesday April 9

St. Gregory the Great at 12:10 p.m.

Wednesday April 10

8:30am †Gerald Kissel

Thursday April 11 (St. Stanislaus)

8:30am †Americo & Maria Santos

Friday April 12

Confessions at St. Gregory's - 6 p.m.-6:45 p.m.

St. Gregory the Great at 7:00 p.m.

Saturday April 13

Confessions here 3:30 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.

4:30pm For Our Parish Family

Sunday April 14 (3rd Sunday of Easter)

St. Gregory the Great at 8:00 a.m.

St. Gregory the Great at 9:30 a.m.

12noon †Dominic & Doris Vinco & Family

Please remember Holy Cross Parish in your Will.

Divine Mercy

Divine Mercy Sunday derives largely from the writings of Saint Faustina Kowalska, a poor, uneducated Polish nun who was blessed with spiritual wisdom and insight. The gifts of divine mercy and love are provided to us through Christ's life, death and resurrection. Saint Faustina, the apostle of Divine Mercy, believed that our life's purpose is to unite our soul with the Divine, and that God's mercy is always available when we are truly penitent.

Totus Tuus 2024 is coming!

The children and youth of the parish are invited to join us for Totus Tuus (Latin for Totally Yours) this summer from July 8th to July 12th. Totus Tuus is an Archdiocesan program whereby seminarians and young adults travel to different parishes, spreading the Good News of our Lord through catechesis, Mass, confession, songs and games! The grade school program, for children entering grades 1-6, runs Monday-Friday from 9am - 2:30pm.

The Intermediate/High School program for Grades 7-12 runs Sunday-Thursday from 7-9pm. The cost is: **\$30** for Gr. 7-12 & **\$70** for Gr. 1-6 for the entire week. If not possible, freewill offering will be accepted. To register or for more information, please contact: 905-723-8141 or

stgregorythegreat@archtoronto.org.

More information about the program is also available at www.totustuustoronto.ca

SL ShareLife

Your ShareLife gift is a lifeline to families in need.

Many individuals and families silently suffer from depression, anxiety, grief and trauma. ShareLife-supported Catholic Family Services agencies provide a lifeline to those dealing with mental health challenges.

So far, we have raised **\$3,163.00** toward our goal of **\$19,500.00**. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, or at www.sharelife.org/donate.

Holy Cross Parish

SPRING Food Drive

Please remember our Food Drive is ongoing throughout the year. Please place all donations at the Altar. Thank you in advance!

ATTENTION ALL PARISHIONERS

Over the past number of weeks, we have advertised that we received permission to have two multiple intention weekday Masses on Wednesday and Thursday at 8:30 am here at Holy Cross. If you have a Mass intention already booked there may end up being multiple intentions on the same day as your intention. Sorry for any inconvenience this may cause.



*The Sanctuary Lamp
burns this week for:*

Raymond Derry

NOTICE OF CONSTRUCTION

The Regional Municipality of Durham has begun construction for the replacement of existing watermain, sanitary and storm sewers, service connections, road construction and pavement rehabilitation on Simcoe St. S. from Olive Ave. to 20 metres north of Metcalfe St. There will be lane closures and at the intersections of John St. and Gibb/Elm St. there will be intermittent road closures to through traffic in both eastbound and westbound directions. For more information, please visit:

www.durham.ca/SimcoeStreetWatermain



Ontario State Bursary

The Ontario State Board offers five bursaries valued at \$1,000.00 each to students of our members entering a full-time course at an accredited Ontario university or college. The deadline for applications is June 1st. Applications can be downloaded here:

<https://ontariokofc.ca/programs/faith-in-action/community/bursary/>

Sacrament of Baptism

If you are interested in having your child Baptized, please request a registration form from the priest after attending Sunday Mass. We ask that couples be registered with the parish and that the Catholic parent(s) be in regular attendance at Sunday Mass.



Mary McDermott, Ryan Brown, Raymond Richard, Rita Globe, Rose Henry, Maurice Chartrand, Alberto Pinto, Mark Smegal, Shaunna Herron, Sean Brooks, Eric Gates, Joseph Cassar, Phillip Alberigo, Elizabeth Kowalczyk.

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