

# MASS Intentions

## Saturday May 30 (Holy Cross)

6:00pm For the People of the Parish

## Sunday May 31 (Holy Cross) (Most Holy Trinity)

12noon †Augusto Chiodo

## Tuesday June 2

**St. Gregory the Great Adoration at 11:10am**

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

## Wednesday June 3 Holy Cross

**(St. Charles Lwanga & Companions)**

8:30am †Giuseppe & Rosaria Bruno,

†Carmelina Gallegos

## Thursday June 4 Holy Cross

8:30am †Giuseppe Mizzi

## Friday June 5 (St. Boniface)

**Confessions & Adoration at**

**St. Gregory's – 5:45 p.m.-6:45 p.m.**

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

## Saturday June 6 Holy Cross

3:30 p.m. – 4:15 p.m. Adoration & Confessions

4:30pm †Helen Townsend

## Sunday June 7 (Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ)

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

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

12noon For the People of Our Parish

## Holy Cross Parish Spring Food Drive

Please remember our Food Drive is ongoing throughout the year. Please place all donations at the Altar. The items we receive, we donate to food banks at *Simcoe Hall Settlement House, New Life Seventh Day Adventist, and Gate 3:16*. Thank you in advance!

# Confirmation

Rehearsal & Confessions will be held June 6 at 10am

**Sacrament of Confirmation: June 7<sup>th</sup> at 12-noon**

St Gregory's is leasing the 2nd floor of the school. If interested, visit: <https://bit.ly/rentstgsch>

## Pope Leo XIV New Encyclical *Magnifica Humanitas*

Pope Leo XIV has released his first encyclical, *Magnifica Humanitas* ("Magnificent Humanity"), reflecting on human dignity, Christian solidarity, and the moral challenges of our modern age — including the growing influence of artificial intelligence and emerging technologies. The Holy Father calls on all of humanity to ensure that technological progress always serves the human person and the common good.

Parishioners are encouraged to read and pray with this important new teaching document in the weeks ahead. The full text is available through the Archdiocese of Toronto website at: [www.archtoronto.org](http://www.archtoronto.org) or through the Vatican website at: [www.vatican.va](http://www.vatican.va)

## RENEW TORONTO YOUNG ADULT CONFERENCE - November 20-21, 2026

Join us for our annual RENEW Toronto Young Adult Catholic Conference for young adults ages 19-39.

**SAVE THESE DATES!!**

June 1<sup>st</sup> – Early bird registration opens

July 1<sup>st</sup> – Regular Registration begins (prices go up)

October 2 – Late Registration Pricing in Effect

November 4<sup>th</sup> – Registration Closes

Please visit: <https://www.renewtoronto.org>



Holy Cross and St. Gregory's are once again offering a Program for our youth in grades 6-8. Our next meeting night will be held this **Wednesday, June 3**, from 6:15 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. in St. Gregory's Hall. For more information or to register, please contact our youth minister, Kim Carson, at: [ymstghc@archtoronto.org](mailto:ymstghc@archtoronto.org)



## Young Adult Pilgrimage – June 19-21, 2026

Camping on the grounds of Martyr's Shrine with other young adult ministry leaders. An opportunity to grow in faith with your core teams. If you are interested, please visit: <https://jesuits.ca/young-adult-pilgrimage/>.

## World Youth Day Mass 2026

November 21 at 7 p.m.

St. Thomas More Parish, Scarborough

Celebrant: His Eminence Cardinal Frank Leo



## World Youth Day Pilgrimage to Seoul, South Korea



We invite young adults ages 19–39 to let us know if they are interested in travelling with OCY for this incredible pilgrimage. If you are interested, please contact: [bit.ly/3PofC34](https://bit.ly/3PofC34)

## Totus Tuus Summer Camp 2026

The Totus Tuus faith-based camp will be taking place at St. Gregory the Great Parish from **August 9<sup>th</sup>-13<sup>th</sup>** for grades 7-12 (evening 6-9 pm). **August 10<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup>** for grades 1-6 (day 9 am-2:30 pm)

The cost is \$70 per child for the day camp, and \$60 per additional child. The evening camp is \$50.

Teen and adult supervisors are needed to help supervise students, host missionaries and provide meals during the week.

For more information, please contact Kim at [ymstghc@archtoronto.org](mailto:ymstghc@archtoronto.org), or [www.totustuutoronto.ca](http://www.totustuutoronto.ca) For registration form, visit:

<https://www.holycrossoshawa.ca/totus-tuus-2026/> or contact 905-723-8141, or

[stgregorythegreat@archtoronto.org](mailto:stgregorythegreat@archtoronto.org).



Looking for a job? [www.bit.ly/ArchTOcareers](https://www.bit.ly/ArchTOcareers)

**Renovation Collection**

Next weekend, June 6/7, there will be a second collection for the Parish Renovation Fund.



**ShareLife Sunday**

Today is the third weekend of special collection for ShareLife. Reverence for life at all stages has been a core principle of ShareLife since its founding in 1976. So far, thanks to your generosity, we have raised **\$15,662.00** towards our goal of **\$25,500.00**. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, or at: [www.sharelife.org/donate](http://www.sharelife.org/donate).

**Offertory Envelopes for 2026**

If you are new to our parish and would like to have a box issued to you, please contact the office during the week, and a box will be assigned to you and placed on the table in the vestibule the following weekend.

**CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD  
SUMMER FORMATION: JULY 13-18, 2026**

With formation in the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd, you don't just learn a method, you become a catechist: "a keeper of the memory of God" (Directory for Catechesis, 2020)

Come...deepen your understanding of the covenant relationship; delight in the miraculous design of the child; practice "listening to God with children"; prepare a Montessori catechetical environment for children aged 3-6; become part of a community of catechists

**COURSE INFORMATION**

July 13 – 18, 2026, 9:00 am to 4:30 pm – IN-PERSON SESSIONS

**LOCATION:** St. Philip the Apostle, Oshawa

**REGISTER** at <https://www.archtoronto.org/cgsformation>

**PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING - PAG**

If you wish to use the Pre-Authorized Giving Method for your Offertory envelopes, please pick up a form available in the foyer of the Church. Thank you!

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!!**

We are looking for people who are interested in volunteering for any of the positions listed below. Please talk to Fr. Marijan, or please email:

[holycrossos@archtoronto.org](mailto:holycrossos@archtoronto.org)

**Lector, Counter, Children's Liturgy, Usher, Videographer.**

Anyone who is interested will have to go through a free Volunteer Screening process through the Archdiocese as per Archdiocesan policy.



*The Sanctuary Lamp  
burns this week for:*

**LaBarge Family Living & Deceased**



**Procession for Corpus Christi**

All are welcome to join Fr. Marijan for a Corpus Christi Procession on Sunday, June 7, 2026, after the 12 noon Mass. The procession will begin in front of the Church, head north to Olive Ave., turn right onto Olive Ave., then turn right onto Albert St. and then into the back of the Church parking lot, and finally into the Church, bringing Jesus to bless us, our families and neighbourhood, town and province, country and whole world. In case of inclement weather, the procession will take place indoors.

**ATTENTION ALL PARISHIONERS**

We kindly ask you not to park in front of the garage doors at any time, especially during the Masses. Thank you.

The staff of The Refuge has asked us not to park on the west side of their parking lot, at the front, as those spots are for tenants of the building. If you do park there, your vehicle will be towed.

**Fatima and Battle for Marriage and the Family**

Mother of St. Carlo, Antonia says, "Carlo himself cited the prophetic words of Sister Lucia of Fátima, one of the witnesses to the apparitions of the Virgin Mary in Portugal in 1917, on multiple occasions: 'A time will come when the decisive battle between the kingdom of Christ and Satan will be over marriage and the family. And those who will work for the good of the family will experience persecution and tribulation. But do not be afraid, because Our Lady has already crushed his head.'" (<https://bit.ly/mysoncarlo>, 155)

How is the family, especially the Catholic family, under attack today?! Don't we witness and at times experience in our own families this struggle, 'of Christ and Satan over marriage and the family?' Many have rejected marriage, having children, true sacrificial, total, mutual in self-giving, love, and seek immediate pleasure without responsibility. It is heartbreaking to see the collapse of so many families, broken marriages, hurt children, and angry, tearful spouses. We may fall, but God will raise us. Our marriages and our families can be hurting or broken, but God is here to help and revive us.

So, what can we do to transmit the Faith to this and the next generation, to protect, defend, support, and promote Catholic marriages and families? As we come to the close of this month of Mary, let us ask our Lady of Fatima to raise an army of saints who will work with Her to fight well with the 'weapons of justice' (2 Corinthians 6), 'for true marriage and the family.'



**FREE Catholic Estate Planning Webinar**

Saturday, June 6<sup>th</sup>, 2026 at 9:00 A.M.

Online Webinar on Zoom

All are welcome to join this free webinar  
Learn about Wills etc. Scan QR Code to Register.