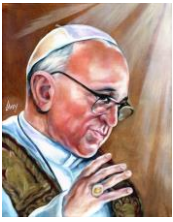


May 5, 2024. Sixth Sunday of Easter – Year B



Special Collection for the Pope's Pastoral Works

This collection was established by the bishops of Canada in 1970. The Papal Charities allow the Pope to contribute to various charitable causes around the world, particularly in aid to the victims of war, famine and natural disasters. By contributing to the Pope's Pastoral Works, the faithful of Canada give a universal dimension to their charity. **This second collection will take place THIS WEEKEND! Envelopes are located at the back of the Church.**



PARISH BBQ

THIS SATURDAY AFTER THE 4:30PM MASS (MAY 4TH, 2024)

Where: Holy Cross Parish Hall

Who: St. Jude Council K of C & the CWL



Renovation Collection

The renovation collection will take place NEXT weekend (May 11/12, 2024) Your monthly contributions help toward projects and repairs that may arise. Thank you in advance for your continuous contributions.



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 **109** 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)

Sacramental Prep

First Communion Rehearsal at 10:00 a.m.

Saturday May 25, 2024 at St. Gregory the Great Parish Hall (190 Simcoe St. N.)

Confirmation Rehearsal at 1:30 p.m.

Saturday May 25, 2024 in Holy Cross Parish Hall.



*The Sanctuary Lamp
burns this week for:*

Amandio & Octavio Saraiva

ShareLife

Live the Gospel by supporting our vulnerable
brothers and sisters.

The last ShareLife Sunday is June 2 and we call upon your compassionate hearts to support ShareLife. Through your love, Catholic agencies bring the hands of Christ to the most vulnerable members of our community.

So far, we have raised **\$8,733.00** toward our goal of **\$19,500.00**. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, or at:

www.sharelife.org/donate.



CWL CORNER

Monthly Meeting **Tuesday May 7th**.
Rosary at 6:40pm followed by Meeting at 7:00pm in Parish Hall. All ladies are welcome. Come out and support the CWL of Holy Cross.



On Sunday May 26th, 2024 at noon Archbishop Francis Leo will Confirm and give First Holy Communion to the children of St. Thomas Aquinas, and Msgr. John Pereyma.

Fr. Marijan will give First Holy Communion to the children the following Sunday June 2.

We look forward as a Parish community to this uniquely special event in the life of members of our Parish.

Please remember Holy Cross Parish in your Will.

Mental Health Awareness Sunday

On Sunday, May 5, 2024, Catholics throughout the Archdiocese are encouraged to participate in Mental Health Awareness Sunday. The special focus for this day is to raise awareness in our parish communities of the importance of mental health, how we need to look after it and how important it is to get help if we are struggling. In our communities, people often report experiencing shame or stigma attached to mental health and mental health illness. Having open conversations about mental health issues, listening and sharing information, opens doors to seeking help and healing.

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

Totus Tuus Summer Camp 2024



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The children and youth of the parish are invited to join us for Totus Tuus (Latin for Totally Yours) this summer. 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, from July 8th to July 12th.

The Intermediate/High School program for Grades 7-12 runs July 7 to 11, Sunday-Thursday from 7pm-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. **Register here,**

<https://bit.ly/TT24STGHC>, contact 905-723-8141, or, stgregorythegreat@archtoronto.org.

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



CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD SUMMER FORMATION: JULY 8-13, 2024

Come to 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 and become part of a community of catechists. More information at, <https://www.archtoronto.org/cgsformation>

ATTENTION ALL PARISHIONERS

Over the past number of weeks, we have advertised that we received permission to have two multiple intention weekday Masses on Wednesdays and Thursdays 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.

MASS Intentions

Saturday May 4

4:30pm For All Souls in Purgatory

Sunday May 5 (6th Sunday of Easter)

12-noon For Our Parish Family

Tuesday May 7

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

Wednesday May 8

8:30am †Ivan, Doris & John Sabljic

Thursday May 9

8:30am †Francisca Andrade

Friday May 10

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

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

Saturday May 11

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

4:30pm †Mary Plavetich

Sunday May 12 (Ascension of the Lord)

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

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

12noon For Our Parish Family

REAWAKEN - Young Adult Retreat (19-35)

June 21st - June 23rd, 2024

Come encounter Jesus, receive His love, and learn how to serve in our mission. Reawaken your hearts as disciples this June at Martyrs' Shrine. During this retreat you will embark on a path of discovery. Registration is now open.

<https://ocytoronto.org/events/reawaken-young-adult-retreat>

Catholic Education Week - May 5, 2024

Together, our parishes, educators and families sow and nurture the seeds of faith with the next generation of Catholics, encouraging them to live lives of holiness and Christian witness as one body in Christ.