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SUNDAY EUCHARIST
Saturday: 7:00 p.m.
Sunday: 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES
Monday to Saturday: 9:05 a.m.

FIRST FRIDAY:
Exposition 9:30 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
Saturday: 4:00 - 4:30 p.m.

BAPTISM
Please contact the Pastor at least two months before the proposed date.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY
Couples planning to be married must contact a priest one year in advance. They must also receive personal preparation for entering marriage. If either party has previously gone through any form of civil or religious marriage with another person, the priest is not permitted to set a date for the wedding until the Bishop's office has been consulted. The reception venue should not be booked until after the couple meets with the priest.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK
Please let us know if you know someone who would like to receive this Sacrament. Upon request, Communion will be brought to the sick and shut-ins.

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PLEASE REMEMBER SAINT CECILIA'S CHURCH IN YOUR WILL

Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 15, 2024

YEAR B

FEASTS OF THE WEEK

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| Mon. | Sept. 16: Sts. Cornelius, and Cyprian, <i>bishop, martyrs</i> |
| Tues. | Sept. 17: St. Robert Bellarmino, <i>bishop, doctor</i> St. Hildegard of Bingen, <i>virgin, doctor</i> |
| Thrs. | Sept. 19: St. John Januarius, <i>bishop, martyr</i> |
| Fri. | Sept. 20: St. Andrew Kim Tae-Gon, priest Paul Chong Ha-Sang & companions, <i>martyrs</i> |
| Sat.. | Sept. 21: St. Matthew, <i>apostle, evangelist</i> |
| Sun. | Sept. 22: 25 th Sunday in Ordinary Time |



MASS INTENTIONS OF THE WEEK

Mon. Sept. 16 - Sun. Sept 22

Wednesday 9:05 a.m.

Emiddio Ruccolo (RIP)

Req. by Maria Ruccolo

Saturday 7 p.m.

Lorraine Mustyk (RIP)

Req. by Colleen Murphy and family

Sunday 9 a.m.

Hartmut Beneditz (RIP)

Annette Beneditz (INT)

Req. by Annette Beneditz

Sunday 11 a.m.

Jack Ostafew (RIP)

Req. by Lorraine Ostafew



MARIAN PRAYER GROUP

The Marian Prayer Group meets on Mondays in the Church from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Everyone is Welcome!



DIVING DEEPER INTO OUR FAITH – ADULT FORMATION PROGRAM

Wednesday, Sept. 18, 2024 - Wednesday, April 02, 2025
7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

St. Peter's Church, 840 Bathurst St.

Are you interested in learning more about our Catholic faith? Do you have questions or want to grow in your understanding of God, the history of the Church, prayer or social justice? Please consider joining us as we address these topics in a four-part adult faith formation program over the next year. Each Wednesday evening, from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., Sonal Castelino, M. Div, (Director of Mission and Ministry at the University of St. Michael's College), will animate a discussion on various topics within four themes – 1. God and the Trinity; 2. The Church and Christian Community; 3. Catholic Social and Moral Teaching; and 4. Christian Spirituality and Prayer. Each themed series will run over a 5–6-week period.

For specific topics and dates, please visit:

https://www.stpeterstoronto.ca/assets/forms/2024-Faith_Formation_Brochure.pdf

MASS AND PROCESSION

FEAST OF THE HOLY PROTECTORS:

Sts. Cosmas, Damian, St. Michael and St. Pio

Sunday, September 29, 2024 2:30-5:00 p.m.

St Francis of Assisi Parish

72 Mansfield Ave., Toronto

Join us for our traditional autumn procession.

Bilingual Mass at 2:30 p.m.

Procession at 3:30 p.m.

CONTACT: St. Francis of Assisi Parish

416-536-8195, stfrancis.sec@gmail.com

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER EXPERIENCE

Fri, Sept. 20, 2024, 6:00 p.m. – Sun., Sept. 22, 3:30 p.m.

Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre

1617 Blythe Rd, Mississauga

Where are you in your marriage journey? Every marriage could use a boost. Learn easy to use communication tools to help enhance your relationship. Our proven program will guide you through practical and private exercises to refresh your wedding vows and to spark up your romance. Based on Catholic values, but married couples of all faiths are welcome. Are you ready to rediscover each other?

INFO: Christian & Elizabeth Arroba,

416-554-4439 OR 416-554-7062,

christian.elizabeth.arroba@wwme.org

St. Cecilia Parish Event Listing Sept. - Dec. 2024

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| Sept. 15 | Coffee Sunday |
| Oct. 20 | Pizza Sunday |
| Oct. 25 | Trivia Night |
| Nov. 22 | Feast of St. Cecilia Mass/Reception |
| Nov. 24 | Coffee Sunday |
| Dec. 8 | Christmas Market |
| Dec. 14 | Choral Concert |
| Dec. 10-18 TBD | Advent Retreat |

SHARELIFE

Archbishop Leo encourages you to help your neighbour

"We see and feel the pain of those struggling to feed their families, and it moves us deeply," says Archbishop Francis Leo. "Proverbs 22:9 reminds us, 'The generous will themselves be blessed, for they share their food with the poor.' Our faith calls and challenges us to be the beating heart and outstretched hands of Christ himself, extending his love and compassion to those in need. Together, we will continue to bring hope and dignity to our community, to those who suffer thus making a concrete difference in the lives of our neighbours."

To date, we've raised **\$38,808.85**

towards our suggested goal of **\$63,500.00**.

Please share your blessings by making a contribution to our parish campaign either on-line at:

sharelife.org/donate or at the parish

using a ShareLife envelope.



OFFERTORY

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| Canadian Missions, Aug 11,18 Sep 1 | \$ 1, 655.00 |
| Weekly, Aug 11 | 1, 245.00 |
| Weekly, Aug 18 | 1, 162.00 |
| Weekly, Aug 25 | 1, 725.00 |
| Restoration | 750.00 |
| Weekly, Sept 1 | 1, 455.00 |
| Taxes and Insurance | 510.00 |

Thank you for your generosity!



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION

Details for the sacramental programmes for 2024-2025 will be announced at Mass and posted on our website next week. Parish families with children in grade 2 and above are invited to register for First Communion when registration opens. Parishioners with children in grades 7 & 8 are invited to register for Confirmation when registration opens. Please be reminded that Sacramental preparation is to take place in your **home** parish. **If St. Cecilia Parish is not your home parish, please contact your parish regarding their programme registration.**

CHORISTERS WANTED!

The parish choir invites people of all ages with an interest in singing to join the choir. All experience levels are welcome! Rehearsals are Thursdays at 7 p.m. and the choir sings at the 11 a.m. Mass on Sundays. For more information, please contact Choir director Peter Treen: 416 760 4416, petertreen@hotmail.com

WELCOME BACK COFFEE SUNDAY THIS SUNDAY

Please plan to stay after Masses this Sunday for treats and to catch up with fellow parishioners.

hosted by *The Knights of Columbus*
& *The Daughters of Isabella*



SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2024 25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Wisdom 2.12, 17-20

Psalms 54

James 3.16-4.3

Mark 9.30-37

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Hang Sam Lee, Richard Mijares, Drew Fiala, Connie Tari-Kornhauser, Lisa Reardon, Stuart Robson, Rosa Maria Santos, Bianca Auriemma, Rosie Po, Frank Ferreira, Antonina Koziara, Julia Collins, Mary Ann Cuschieri, Sebastian Carvalho, Anne Tran Fazzalari, Gabriel Sebastian Romano, Robert Freimuts, Giuseppe R., Mikayla Haswell, Victoria Cooper, Anna Solims, Lorenza Varga, Steven McKinney, Krysten Telfer, Edward Spiteri, Maria Rucolo, Dominic Coccimiglio, Winifred Ismail, Mimi Ashton, Ann Baby, Marta DiGregorio, Rosa Loschiavo, Anne Marie Skewes, Blossom Reid, Sophia Oppel, Timothy McNulty & Gwen Chabane

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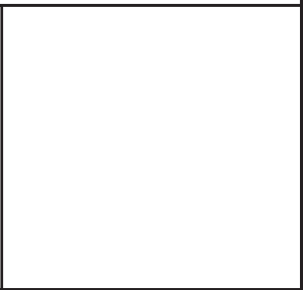
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