APRIL 14, 2019

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Palm Sunday

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Office Hours: Mon-Fri 9:00 am - 1:00 pm; 3:00 pm - 8:00pm Sat 9:00 am - 6:30 pm Sun 8:30 am - 6:00 pm



SUNDAY MASSES

5:00 pm (Sat);

9:00 am; 10:30 am; 12:00 pm; 4:30 pm

CONFESSIONS

Mon-Fri: 11:30 am - 12:00 pm

Sat: 4:15 pm - 4:45 pm

BAPTISMS. WEDDINGS & FUNERALS

Please see the parish website or call the main office for details. Weddings require a one year notice.

WEEKDAY MASSES

Mon-Fri: 7:30 am; 12:10 pm

LITURGY OF THE HOURS

VESPERS Mon-Fri: 5:10 pm LAUDS Sat: 9:00 am

ADORATION

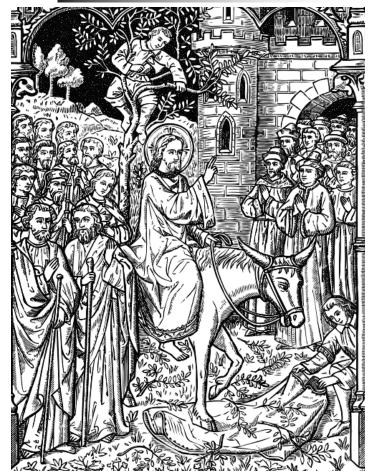
Thurs: 3:30-5:00pm

Since 1856, St. Basil's Parish has been home to people of all ages and needs.

Mothers are welcome to nurse their children in church or provide them snacks as needed. If you need to, feel free to walk with your child in the back of the church or in the hallway off the side aisle. We are blessed because you are all here!

For those who need hearing assistance, devices are available at the front desk. Simply leave a photo ID to borrow one during vour visit.





PARISH STAFF

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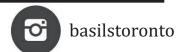
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A MESSAGE FROM FR. MORGAN

As Canada celebrates National Volunteer Week this week, please join me in expressing profound thanks to all the St. Basil's volunteers, who share so generously their gifts of time and talent to strengthen this faith community and help bring the love and compassion of Jesus Christ to others.

—Fr. Morgan

CHRISM MASS

All are welcome to join the annual Mass to bless the Oil of the Sick, the Oil of Catechumens, and the Holy Chrism, which will be used in the administration of the sacraments throughout the Archdiocese for the year.

Tuesday, April 16, 2019 11:00am

St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica 65 Bond St., Toronto

THE WAY OF THE CROSS

You are invited to join Communion and Liberation Toronto to pray the Way of the Cross on Good Friday, April 19, starting from the Newman Centre (89 St. George Street) at 10:30am travelling through campus and ending at 1:00pm at St. Basil's Church.

> For any questions, please email secretary@clonline.ca

EASTER VIGIL

The rubrics of the Roman Missal remind us that the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday Night is the "greatest and most noble of all solemnities". On this holy night, the Church keeps watch, celebrating the resurrection of Christ in the sacraments and awaiting His return in glory. It is the turning point of the Triduum. It begins with The Service of Light, where the Easter Proclamation is sung following the blessing of the fire. Then follows the Liturgy of the Word, and Liturgy of Baptism where we welcome members of the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults into the Church through Baptism and Confirmation, culminating in the Liturgy of the Eucharist where we celebrate Holy Communion together as one community. All are welcome to join on Saturday, April 20, 8:30PM. Reception to follow in Parish Halls.

USMC CHRISTIANITY AND ARTS LECTURE

On April 24 at 7:30pm, please join in Alumni Hall room 400 for the 2019 annual Christianity and the Arts lecture. This year, St. Michael's principal and UofT English professor Randy Boyagoda will deliver a talk titled "Bad Catholics Make for Good Fiction: Faith and Writing Today," which will include a reading from his 2018 novel 'Original Prin' and a conversation with UofT Spanish and Portuguese professor Laura Colantoni. A reception in Fr. Madden Hall will follow. The event is free and open to the public. Please RSVP at usmc-ca.eventbrite.ca

SERRA CLUB

Are you passionate about supporting vocations to the priesthood and consecrated religious life? You might be interested in becoming part of Serra International, an organization committed to praying for and supporting vocations under the patronage of St. Junipera Serra.

The Downtown Serra Club is one of five in the GTA and meets every 3rd Wednesday of the month at St. Basil's Parish following the 12:10pm Mass. After a light lunch in the parish hall, a guest speaker makes a presentation followed by a Q&A with the gathering concluding by 1:50 pm. The Club chaplain is Fr. Ed Curtis.

All are invited to join a meeting on Wednesday, April 17 following the 12:10PM Mass to meet Fr. Chris Lemieux Vocation Director for the Archdiocese and to learn more about what Serrans do for the Church.

Please contact the Parish Office at (416) 926-7110 for more information or to RSVP.

CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

Liturgical Publications is setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in June 2019 and supports the bulletin service.

Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. For more information, please call Liturgical Publications at (905) 624-4422.

PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING (P.A.G.)

March 2019 \$9,336

ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED

Altar Servers assist the members of the liturgical assembly by presenting or arranging vessels and other items used in the celebration of the Mass. Their reverent and efficient services enable other ministers to attend to their own roles while the liturgical actions unfold in a noble simplicity. As members of the assembly who are visible to all, the Altar Servers also model good liturgical participation.

We are currently recruiting Altar Servers for the Saturday 5:00pm and Sunday 4:30pm Masses. If you are willing to learn how to be an Altar Server, please contact Michael at michael.pirri@utoronto.ca or (416) 926-1300 x.3210

TENEBRÆ

Join our parish community during Holy Week for Tenebrae on **Wednesday**, **April 17 at 7:00pm**. Latin for shadows or darkness, Tenebræ is the ancient service that was originally celebrated in the early morning hours of Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and Holy Saturday. The evening will feature a condensed version of the three day service, with prayers, readings, and choral music responses, to usher the beginning of the Triduum.

For more information, contact JP Farahat johnpaul.farahat@utoronto.ca

SHARELIFE

Living the Gospel by supporting vocations

Martin Dicuangco had a life-changing encounter when he visited Serra House, a residence run by St. Augustine's Seminary for those discerning a priestly vocation. He is now a third-year theology student at St. Augustine's. "I thank ShareLife for supporting St. Augustine's Seminary," says Martin, "where young men like myself, after experiencing the love of Christ, are joyfully preparing for ordination to the priesthood."

May 5 is ShareLife Sunday. Please give generously.

LAST SUNDAY'S OFFERTORY:

Sunday, April 7, 2019 \$5,793.35



Sunday

6th Sunday of Lent (Palm Sunday)

9:00am Leo Dugbe (+)

10:30am Pro Populo

12:00pm Julieta B. Villalobos (+)

4:30pm Jim Rothwell (+)

Monday

7:30am

12:10pm Doug Kolmar (+)

TUESDAY

7:30am

12:10pm Francis, Monica, and Mary Gannon (+,+,+)

Wednesday

7:30am Wilfred Goddard (+)

12:10pm Vocations

Thursday Holy Thursday

7:00pm Pro Populo

Friday <u>Good</u> Friday

3:00pm Pro Populo

Saturday Holy Saturday (Easter Vigil)

8:30pm *Pro Populo*

PRAY FOR THE SICK, especially, Lucy Rietveld Bowers, Mary O'Brien, Clare DeMello, Erika Farncomb, Roberto Martello, Filomena Larocca, Joseph Troncone, Rebecca Beaton, Gemma Ciavarella, Gordon Walsh, Rita Moran, Paul O'Brien, Barbara Boyle, Maria Teresa Blackwell, Margaret Mary McKenzie, Jose Gaitero, Shane Carroll, Romulus DeMello, Neil McCormack, Alexander Wu, Desmond Brownlee, Emilia Perejmybida, Helen Tilston, Marywynne Parke, and Jasper David-Fuchs.

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