

APRIL 24, 2022

EASTER II - DIVINE MERCY

ST. BASIL'S CATHOLIC PARISH

AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ST. MICHAEL'S COLLEGE

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday 9:00am-1:00pm

Sunday 8:15am-1:15pm

SUNDAY MASSES

5:00 pm (Sat);

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

WEEKDAY MASSES

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

CONFESSIONS

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

Sat: 4:30 pm - 5:00 pm

BAPTISMS, WEDDINGS & FUNERALS

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

Current parish guidelines require parishioners to complete a self-screening at home before coming to the church, and to keep a log of all visits. The University is requiring that visitors to campus, regardless of the purpose of their visit, must be fully vaccinated (provided they are eligible for vaccination), and wear masks while on campus (we can provide one if needed). Exemptions to the vaccine requirement must be approved by the University of Toronto.

Students, Faculty, and Staff of the University of Toronto, are required to complete the screening via the University's U-Check tool. Parishioners who are not students, faculty, or staff of the University of Toronto, must use the visitor attestation form available in the narthex.

PARISH STAFF

Pastor:

Fr. Morgan Rice, CSB

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Fr. Norm Tanck, CSB

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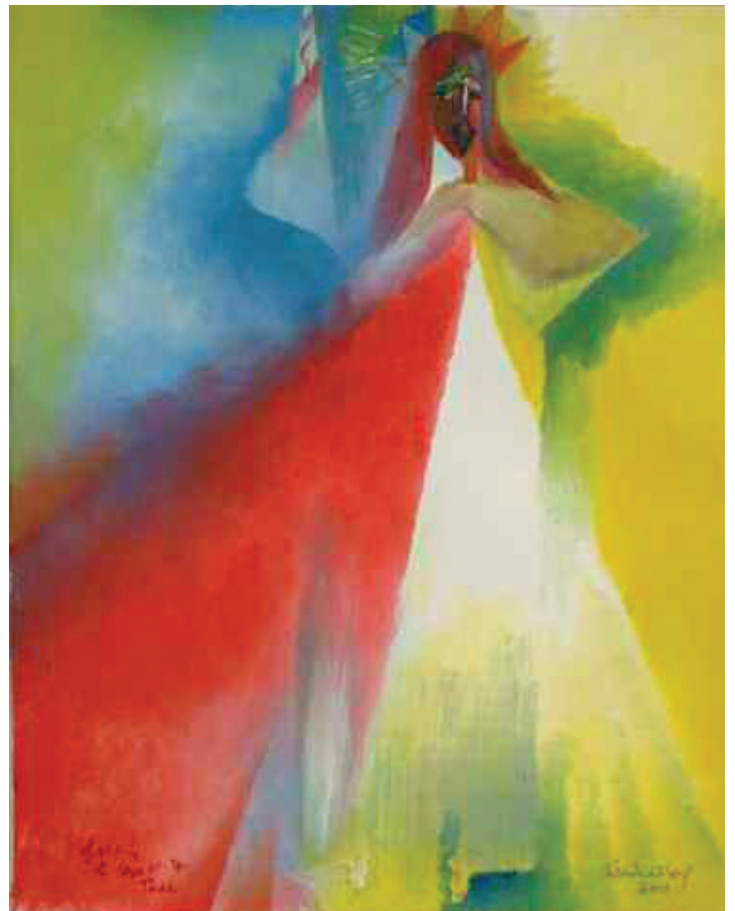
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NEWMAN, WESLEY AND THE LOGIC OF UNITY: AN INDUCTIVE ECUMENISM

Thursday, April 28, 12:00pm

St. John Henry Newman and John Wesley are widely acknowledged as great Catholic and Methodist theologians who also exercised significant pastoral ministries. These two Oxford figures, in fact, started movements that still have a great influence on the cultural and religious life of Christians around the world.

Dr. Daniel Pratt Morris-Chapman, a research fellow at Wesley House Cambridge, Stellenbosch University, and the Oxford Centre for Methodism & Church History, will discuss how these two leaders have much to contribute in promoting visible unity among Christians today.

For online participation register at:
<https://www.prounione.it/en/events/28-apr-2022/>

SHARELIFE

ShareLife Sunday is next weekend

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OUR PARISH TARGET IS \$110,000

The next ShareLife Sunday collection is May 1. Thank you for your generous support of ShareLife.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Divine Mercy Sunday is celebrated on the Second Sunday of Easter, which concludes the Octave of Easter. It is originally based on the Catholic devotion to the Divine Mercy that Faustina Kowalska reported as part of her encounter with Jesus. Faustina Kowalska, a Polish nun, reported that visions and visitations from Jesus and conversations with him. He asked her to paint the vision of his merciful divinity being poured from his Sacred Heart and specifically asked for a feast of Divine Mercy to be established on the first Sunday after Easter Sunday, so that we would take refuge in him:

“This Feast emerged from the very depths of My mercy, and it is confirmed in the vast depths of my tender mercies. Every soul believing and trusting in My mercy will obtain it.”

“Yes, the first Sunday after Easter is the Feast of Mercy, but there must also be deeds of mercy, which are to arise out of love for Me. You are to show mercy to our neighbours always and everywhere. You must not shrink from this or try to absolve yourself from it.”

—Faustinas Diary, nos.420 & 742

UKRAINIAN REFUGEE CRISIS

Please visit www.orat.ca for more information

In addition to praying for the situation, parishioners are able to contribute to the Ukrainian Relief Fund, which the Archdiocese has established to help suffering Ukrainians. Funds raised will be directed to ORAT and CNEWA (Catholic Near East Welfare Association).

This fund will provide humanitarian aid and refugee resettlement support to Ukrainians. Parishioners are able to contribute online or through their parish donation, when they designate their donation to the Ukrainian Relief Fund.

LIVING AND LOVING BOLDLY

April 29, 7pm - May 1, 1pm
Manresa Jesuit Spiritual Renewal Centre
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A silent Ignation weekend retreat in the Jesuit tradition for men and women. We are called to live and love boldly in challenging days.

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SYNOD ON SYNODALITY: WHAT'S A SYNOD?

If you haven't already, you can fill out the survey by scanning the QR code on your smart device. You can also see the Synod web page at www.stbasilortoronto.org/synod



There you'll find a short introductory video about the Synod.

As part of the Synodal work here at St. Basil's, you're also invited to take part in one of two listening sessions. More details are available on the parish synod page.

Thursday, May 5th at 7:00pm (online)

Saturday, May 7th at 11:00am (in-person)

You can contact michael.pirri@utoronto.ca for more information.

UPCOMING OFFICE CLOSURE

Please note that the Parish Office will be closed on Sunday April 24th, and Sunday May 1st



MASS INTENTIONS

APRIL 24TH – 30^{RTH}

SUNDAY

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

9:00am Assem Liu and Yun Sen Lee (✠,✠)

10:30am *Pro Populo*

12:00pm Julieta Villalobos (✠)

4:30pm Char Li Yun Chu and Char Nee Khong (✠,✠)

MONDAY

ST. MARK

7:30am William Regan (✠)

12:10pm Maureen Sewell (✠)

TUESDAY

7:30am Anna Patricia McArthur (✠)

12:10pm John (✠) and Anne (liv.)

WEDNESDAY

7:30am

12:10pm HengQuan Cao (✠)

THURSDAY

7:30am Roberto Moniz (✠)

12:10pm Eduardo and Nena Bueno (liv.)

FRIDAY

7:30am

12:10pm Cassandra Pavone (liv.)

SATURDAY

5:0pm Jessica (liv.)

PRAY FOR THE SICK, especially, Sue Banfield, Rebecca Beaton, Desmond Brownlee, Anne C., Steve Chandeller, Mary Jane Cowan, Josephine D'amico, Jasper David-Fuchs, Clare DeMello, Jose Gaitero, Maisie Henry, Maryanne Hodges, Margaret Mary McKenzie, Neil McCormack, Evelyn McGloin, David Martin, Rosy Menezes, Januz Niemczyk, Paul O'Brien, Delaila Salvador, Girolamo Scoppio, Betty Veit, Eileen Vyphius, Alexander Wu, and Emilio Zaic.

PRAY FOR THE DECEASED, especially, Erika Farncomb.

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