# FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT CATHOLIC PARISH AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ST. MICHAEL'S COLLEGE



ST. BASIL'S

MARCH 10, 2019

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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

Administered by the Basilian Fathers

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!

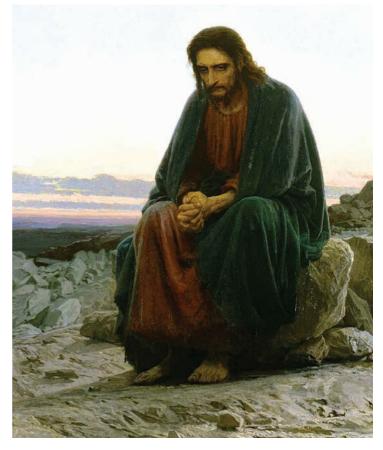
For those who need hearing assistance, devices are available at the front desk. Simply leave a photo ID to borrow one during your visit.







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# Parish Staff

Pastor:	F
Associate Pastor:	F
Deacon:	Ja
Office Manager:	M
Director of Music:	J.
Assistant Organist:	S
Director of Community Engagement:	N
Coordinator of Social Justice:	V
Director of Family Ministries:	N
Catechesis of the Good Shepherd:	N
R.C.I.A. Coordinator:	Т

Fr. Morgan Rice, CSB Fr. Norm Tanck, CSB James Sand, SJ Margaret D'Elia J.P. Farahat Stefani Bedin Michael Pirri Veronica Courtois Marilena Berardinelli Mariann Dunsmore Trevor Rainwater, SJ



St. Basil's Parish, Toronto

#### SAVE THE DATE

This year marks the 100th Anniversary of the installation of Saint Basil's 1919 Casavant Frères organ. In celebration of this occasion, Saint Basil's is thrilled to be able to welcome OLIVIER LATRY, Organist of Notre Dame Cathedral in Paris and Professor of Organ at the Paris Conservatory, for a solo organ concert at Saint Basil's on the evening of **Friday, November 22, 2019.** 

The evening concert will be free, though a reservation will be required through Eventbrite. Reservation details will be made available in the coming months.

Stay tuned for more details as they become available! Please contact John Paul Farahat, the Director of Music and Principal Organist, for more information at johnpaul.farahat@utoronto.ca.

# The liturgy corner

# **R.C.I.A. THE SCRUTINIES**

This weekend, The Elect (individuals in RCIA seeking baptism, first communion of confirmation) in the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) Program begin the final steps towards the Easter Vigil.

A scrutiny is a rite of self-searching and repentance meant to heal all that is prone to sin in the hearts of the Elect so that as a community we can bring out and strengthen their desire for Christ.

At one Mass on the 3rd, 4th and 5th Sundays of Lent, we celebrate a Scrutiny—each week illuminating an aspect of Christ that will further lead the Elect (and all of us) into the mysteries of Christ and love for Him.

## THANK YOU

The Society of St. Vincent dePaul wishes to thank you for your generous support during their Bundle-Up weekend. Your donations go a long way to helping those most in need in our community. *The next Bundle-Up weekend at St. Basil's is June 1-2, 2019.* 

# DONATION TAX RECEIPTS

Tax receipts for donations made in 2018 were mailed last week. Kindly inform the parish office if you were supposed to receive a receipt and have not, or if there are any corrections necessary.

Please contact the parish office by March 20th, as no changes will be permitted after this date.

### USMC SCHOLA CONCERT: In the Midst of Life

St. Michael's College Schola Cantorum and Constort present <u>In the Midst of Life: A Concert for</u> <u>Lent</u>. Funeral anthems and other usic for voices and strings by Henry Purcell, Thomas Morley, and Joh Merbecke. Consort led by Chris Verrette, Directed by Michael O'Connor.

#### Sunday, March 17, 2019 St. Basil's Catholic Parish 8:00PM

Admission is free, but donations are welcomed.

#### THE GOSPEL OF LUKE

Join us in exploring the Living Word of God through the lens of the Gospel of Luke—the Gospel read this liturgical year. This four session series is an opportunity to enrich our understanding of Luke's distinct portrait of Jesus and discipleship as presented by the evangelist. You need not have attended our first session to attend an upcoming one. Our upcoming sessions are:

- March 13 Jesus' ministry and teaching (rescheduled from February 6)
- **April 3** The passion narrative and the Risen Jesus

Sessions take place from 7PM-8:30PM in Ardèche Hall. Although registration is not required, it is encouraged so as to better prepare to welcome everyone.

For more information or to register please contact Marilena, our Director of Family Ministry: <u>marilena.berardinelli@utoronto.ca</u>

#### PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVINGS (P.A.G.):

February 2019 \$9,318.69

#### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Join us on **Fridays during Lent** for the Stations of the Cross. Each week we will join in prayer beginning with Vespers, at 5:10PM followed by the Stations of the Cross. Each week during Lent, we will use a different variation of the Stations of the Cross.

#### AID TO WOMEN: BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

Aid to Women is a Christian charity offering practical help to pregnant women in crisis, enabling them to choose life for their unborn children. In addition to providing counseling, they provide material, emotional, spiritual and financial support for these mothers in need. Representatives from Aid to Women will be at the back of the church after each mass the weekend of **MARCH 16/17**, handing out their baby bottles that contain more information about the campaign. You are asked to return the bottles to the parish with your donation on the weekend of April 13th and 14th. 100% of the donations received go directly to Aid to Women's life affirming work.

#### THE WOUNDED BODY OF CHRIST: LISTENING AND RESPONDING TO ABUSE IN THE CHURCH

#### Believing in a Sinful and Holy Church

All are invited to attend a public lecture by Dr. Brian Flanagan, Marymount University. **Thursday, March 14 at 7PM** in Alumni Hall, Room 100, 121 St. Joseph Street.

#### Voices from survivors

Voices from survivors, with Dr. Brian Flanagan facilitating the conversation. **Friday, March 15 9AM-5PM** in Charbonnel Lounge, 81 St. Mary Street

- A paper by Sr. Nuala Kenny, O.C., M.D., F.R.C.P., on diagnosing and treating clerical sexual abuse
- A paper by Dr. Mary Ann Hinsdale, IHM, on clericalism as it relates to abuse

All events are free and open to the public, please RSVP: events.usmctheology@utoronto.ca

### LAST SUNDAY'S OFFERTORY:

Sunday, March 3, 2019 \$7,050.95

# SUNDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT 9:00am Katrina Teh (liv.) 10:30am *Pro Populo* 12:00pm Edmund Deabreo (+) 4:30pm Mary Jane Henry (+)

Monday

7:30am Arthur Barthos (+) 12:10pm Ching Yock Lo (+)

Tuesday

7:30am Robert and Shirley Steer (liv.) 12:10pm Michael Edmonds (liv.)

Wednesday

7:30am John Lawson (liv.) 12:10pm Carmen D'Cruz (+)

#### Thursday

7:30am 12:10pm Stefan and Anna Papez (+,+), Raphael Kimmage (+)

Friday

7:30am Angela You (liv.) 12:10pm Luigi and Lina Ciavarella (+,+)

Saturday

5:00pm José Torres (+)

**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, Marie Ange, Paul O'Brien, Barbara Boyle, Carry Eillen, Maria Teresa Blackwell, Margaret Mary McKenzie, Donna Wood, Jose Gaitero, Ed Brash, Shane Carroll, Romulus DeMello, Neil McCormack, Alexander Wu, Desmond Brownlee, Emilia Perejmybida, Helen Tilston, Young-Mi Sim, Marywynne Parke, and Jasper David-Fuchs.

#### PRAY FOR THE DECEASED.



