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Mass Gor the Intentions Week

Mon. Apr. 24 th Tue. Apr. 25 th Wed. Apr. 26 th	8am 8am 8am	+ Dorothy Chang + Anna Gogia + Donald Moore
Thu. Apr. 27 th Fri. Apr. 28 th	8am 8am	+ Cecile & Hubert Thauvette + Bernadette Clunies & Gloria Jones
Sat. Apr. 29 th	9am 5pm	(SI) Rebecca Klomp, + Ignatius Nam, + Rosalia Bertani, + Elvira Francescioni, + Deceased Members of the Morelli Family, + Walter Motyka, + Joey Bascin + Herbert Lee
Sun. Apr. 30 th	8:15am 10am 7pm	+ Ron Martin + Jim Day + Sandy & Rosa Sementilli

CONFIRMATION PRAYER

Spirit of God, grant me:
the gift of wisdom to see the world through
your eyes, the gift of counsel to make
difficult decisions, the gifts of knowledge
and understanding to use my mind to know
you and to love you,

the gift of fortitude to have the courage to live in the faith despite the difficulties and disappointments, the gift of piety to be able to express my special love and commitment to you, and the right kind of awesome fear that makes me pause to ponder and revere Your Love.

Amen.



Smile at each other
Smile at your wife
Smile at your husband
Smile at your children
Smile at each other
It doesn't matter who it
is and that will help you
to grow up in greater
love for each other.

- St. Teresa of Calcutta

"Every time you smile at someone, it is an action of love, a gift to that person, a beautiful thing."

- Saint Teresa of Calcutta

Ordination Prayer Vigil

Please be advised that the Prayer Vigil for our soon-to-be priests is being held at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica on *Friday, May* 12, 2023 from 5:30 pm to 10:00 pm.



There will be praise and worship interspersed throughout the evening, as well as communal prayers, such as the Rosary and a sung version of the Divine Mercy Chaplet.

For more information, please contact the Office of Vocations via email at <u>vocations@archtoronto.org</u>.

All are welcome.

"You know that you were ransomed from the futile ways inherited from your fathers, not with perishable things such as silver or gold, but with the precious blood of Christ, like that of a lamb without blemish or spot."

- 1 Peter 1:18-19

OFFICE OF FORMATION FOR DISCIPLESHIP



Archbishop Leo will preside over a special Mass to celebrate with all those in the archdiocese who have been newly initiated into the Church.

The Mass will take place at 2:30 pm on Sunday, April 30th at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica (65 Bond Street, Toronto).

The Mass is open to all, but due to space restrictions, those wishing to attend are asked to pre-register.

Registration closes Tuesday, April 25th. Newly initiated (neophytes) and their guests will be assured of reserved seating.

Those who are unable to attend at the Cathedral are invited to join the celebration via livestream Mass here:

https://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live/ REGISTER:

https://bit.ly/NeophyteMassRegisterApr2023 CONTACT: formation@archtoronto.org



... for all your ShareLife support.

Next week, we will be holding the second collection in our parish ShareLife campaign. We ask for your kind generosity and support once again.

As Catholics, we are called to care for one another and especially for those in need. One of the ways we do this is through our support of ShareLife. We express this love and care by supporting the work of ShareLife-funded agencies. Through their programs and services, we are able to fulfill this commandment.

So far, we have raised \$22,619.05 toward our parish goal of \$165,000.

Please give at our parish using a ShareLife envelope, or online through our parish website at https://olgraceau.archtoronto.org/en/contact-us/donations/.

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OFFICE OF CATHOLIC YOUTH AND OFFICE OF VOCATIONS

The Office of Vocations and the Office of Catholic Youth are preparing for Totus Tuus Toronto 2023. They've recruited 16 young Catholic leaders who will be formed and sent out in teams of four to serve as missionaries in parishes throughout the Archdiocese, facilitating week-long summer camps. This year, we are in need of a vehicle for one of our teams for 6 weeks in July-August, which will allow them to travel between parishes and host families, sharing the joy of Jesus with youth throughout our Archdiocese. If you have a vehicle that you may be able to lend us, please contact:

CONTACT: Office of Catholic Youth

EMAIL: youth@ocytoronto.org

PHONE: (416) 599-7676 WEBSITE:

www.totustuustoronto.ca



Note from Councillor Mark Weese on the developments of a future construction of the present GO Station in our town.

Please refer to the link below:

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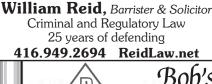
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