

Our Lady of Grace Roman Catholic Church

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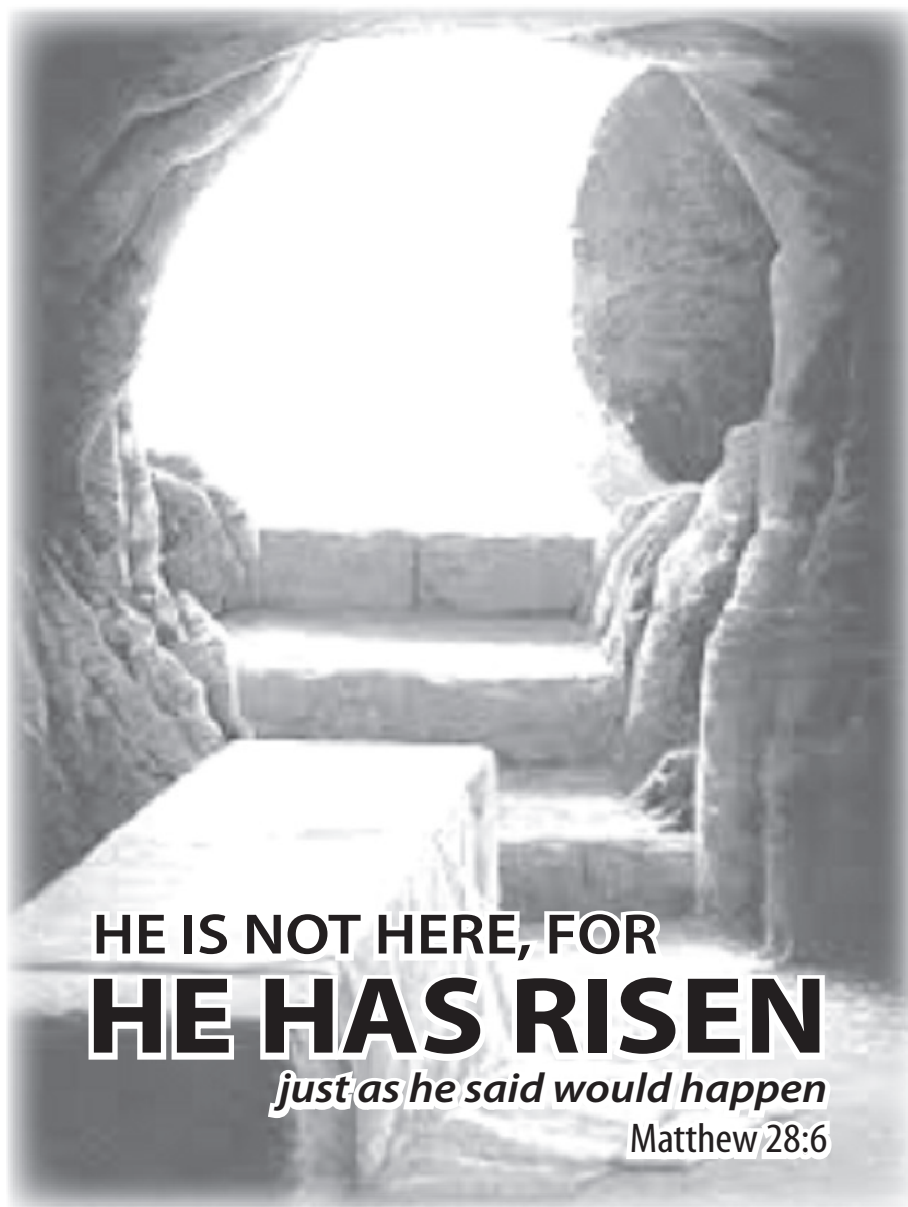
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**HE IS NOT HERE, FOR
HE HAS RISEN**

just as he said would happen

Matthew 28:6

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

MASS INTENTIONS

Mon., Apr. 1 st	9am	+ Shah & Josephine Hosein
Tue., Apr. 2 nd	8am	+ John Mahony
Wed., Apr. 3 rd	8am	+ Cecile & Hubert Thauvette
Thu., Apr. 4 th	8am	+ Debra & Alva Anderson
Fri., Apr. 5 th	8am	+ Natividad Ramiro
	7pm	(SI) Lidy Ann Rodriguez (SI) Giuseppe Nesci + Rose Sammut + Grace Orsino + Fortunato Gerardo
Sat., Apr. 6 th	9am	+ Vitus Simon + Gor family + Rachel Erin Niebler + Jeanette Niebler-Blei + Assunta Fiorentino + Grace Orsino + Allison Dale Downey
	5pm	+ Virginia Coutts
Sun. Apr. 7 th	8am	+ Juanita Legaspi
	10am	+ Ronald Chatman
	7pm	+ Incoronata & Corrina Liscio

Please note: on Mon. Apr. 1st, the office will be closed. Also, the church will be closed after the 9am Mass and Rosary.

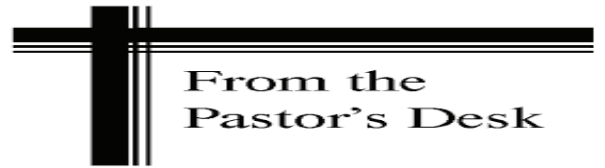
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Please note: at present, the sponsorship is full until Dec. 12, 2026. ** No more dates are currently available. Thank you for your support. **



Mar. 8 th to Apr. 12 th	(SI) Lee Wilson & family
Apr. 13 th to May. 12 th	+ Souls of deceased Bishops & Priests
May. 13 th to Jun. 12 th	(SI) Da Silva family
Jun. 13 th to Jul. 12 th	+ Piedad Moreno
Jul. 13 th to Aug. 12 th	+ Mark Sadowski
Aug. 13 th to Sep. 12 th	+ Mary James Dawson
Sep. 13 th to Oct. 12 th	(SI) Bialkowski family
Oct. 13 th to Nov. 12 th	+ Lennart Lundberg
Nov. 13 th to Dec. 12 th	(SI) Dave Tate & family
Dec. 13 th to Jan. 12 th	(SI) Sayaman family
Jan. 13 th to Feb. 12 th	+ Deceased members of the Letassey & Yap families
Feb. 13 th to Mar. 12 th	(SI) Peter Yiu
Mar. 13 th to Apr. 12 th	+ Aldo Cristofoli



From the Pastor's Desk



A new addition to our church building: with the co-operation of Felix Santiago of Heavenscraft Church Supplies and a generous donation from a parish family, the statue of the Risen Lord has arrived and is now in place.

Bishop John Boissonneau will be blessing the statue at the 12 noon Mass on Easter Sunday.

Divine Mercy Novena

(starts Good Friday and goes through the eve of Divine Mercy Sunday)

“By this Novena, I will grant every possible grace to souls.” - the words of Jesus to St. Faustina

Using the Rosary beads, begin with:
**Our Father...Hail Mary...
The Apostles' Creed**

On the large bead before each decade, pray:
“Eternal Father, I offer You the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your dearly beloved Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world.”



On the ten small beads, then pray:
“For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world.”

Conclude with:
“Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and on the whole world.”

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Tax receipts will be issued for the maximum eligible amount.

To further enhance our tournament, we welcome sponsorship enquiries, silent auction, and prize donations. If you wish to discuss a sponsorship or donation, please contact: Thiviya Keethadevan by phone at 416-934-3400 ext. 526 or by email at tkeethadevan@archtoronto.org; Wendy Wong by phone at 416-934-3400 ext. 516 or by email at wwong@archtoronto.org. As ShareLife's mission reminds us, we are all called to live the Gospel by providing for those in need, so please join us for a day of golf and friendship while continuing to support our Catholic agencies that respond generously with justice and love.

"He is not here, for He is risen, as He said."
- Matthew 28:6



HAPPY EASTER!

"The tomb is empty,
our hearts are full."
- DaySpring



Life-Giving Wounds: A Healing Retreat for Adult Children of Divorced or Separated Parents

When: from Fri., Apr. 26th at 7pm to
Sun., Apr. 28th at 3:30pm

Where: St. Augustine's Seminary
(2661 Kingston Rd., Scarborough)

Cost: \$290 per person (\$190 for students), which includes meals, lodging, and retreat material.

For more information or if cost is of concern, please email: lgwtoronto@proton.me; limited subsidies are available. Must be 18 years or older to attend. To register, visit: <https://bit.ly/LGW-TO-Retreat-Register2024>.

Pastoral Letter from the Most Rev. Francis Leo

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