



March 12, 2023

LENT III

JESUS WITH PEOPLE

WOMAN AT WELL  
THE BLIND MAN  
LAZARUS AND MARY AND  
MARTHA

**LENTEN DAILY MASSES**

Tuesday 7:00 p.m. / Wednesday 9:00 a.m. /  
Thursday 9:00 a.m. / Friday 9:00 and 7:00 p.m.

Why not 'add' a daily Mass for Lent:

*Lord I offer this Mass not for myself but for:*

- + For those who do publicly practice the Faith
- + For the Pope Francis, Cardinal Collins, Bishop-elect Leo, Clergy, Religious.
- + For Prime Minister Trudeau, Premier Ford and governments, for peace on earth
- + In thanksgiving for all my blessings.

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD**

**TODAY - Sunday March 12th at 9:00 a.m. Mass**

The children are escorted after the Opening Prayer to the Chapel off the vestibule. They learn of God's Word at a child friendly level. They then return to the Mass at the Offertory.

**MASS OF CELEBRATION OF WELCOME**

The installation of Bishop Francis (Frank) Leo as Archbishop of Toronto will be March 25th at 10:00 a.m. The Mass will be livestreamed. [www.stmichaelscathedral.com / live](http://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live) and on Salt & Light [www.slmedia.org](http://www.slmedia.org). Parishioners are invited to attend a regional **Mass of Welcome in the Eastern Region – Wednesday, April 26 at St. Isaac Jogues, Pickering 7:00 p.m.** All are welcome. Please continue to keep Archbishop Leo in your prayers.

**FINANCIAL STATEMENT**

If you were away last weekend due to snowstorm there are copies of the Statement in vestibule. Again ~ thank you for your generosity.

**SCHOOL CORNER**

Wednesday 22 @ 10:00	School Mass in Gym
Wednesday 22 @ 1:00	First Communion Class
Thursday 23 @ 11:00	Confirmation Class
Wednesday 29 @ 11:00	Classroom - De Lorenzi
Friday 31 @ 1:00	Passover Seder - Fortier

**THURSDAY 16**

**MINISTRY OF MATURING ADULTS 60 +**

Spiritual Gifts of Spirituality for Mature Adults

- Gift of Being Present
- Gift of Interior Freedom
- Gift of Letting Go
- Gift of Gratitude
- Gift of Wisdom



We will discuss and share these points of Giftedness.

Thursday March 16 @ 10:00 a.m.  
(9:30 coffee / Concludes with lunch)

**FRIDAY MARCH 17**

**ST. PATRICK'S PARISH BRUNCH**

Join us for coffee, tea, Irish scones, veggies and fruit (and Irish Baileys) after the Friday March 17 morning Mass. Good old fashioned Christian fellowship.



**THURSDAY 23 @ 7:00 p.m.**

**TAIZE HEALING PRAYER SERVICE**

This Service (not a Mass) is celebrated in a quiet and peaceful setting. The church will be Candle-lit; experience silence; experience Taize music

**THURSDAY 30 @ 5:00 -10:00 p.m.**

**STREET PATROL FOR HOMELESS**

Fr Keith and any interested parishioners are going downtown Toronto. Handing out 'Easter Bags' Please donate \$10 Tim Gift Cards. Donate apples, oranges, chocolates on weekend March 25 – 26

**PALM SUNDAY APRIL 2 @ 3:00 p.m.**

**THE EYES OF A PILGRIM**

Fr Keith along with a professional video producer has created a 45-minute video of the Holy Land. Walk through the holy sites; Walk the Via Dolorosa the Way of the Cross in Jerusalem.

ALL WELCOME.  
Giveaways of Holy Land items and Dead Sea products.



**SHARLIFE 2023**

In the Archdiocese of Toronto this is THE MEANS of support for our Catholic Charities, Third World Projects and for our new priests at Seminary.

## **40 CANS FOR LENT FOOD DRIVE**

K of C Food Drive in support of Operation Scugog Food Bank. Food donations can be dropped off throughout Lent in vestibule. Cash donations or cheque payable K of C 8951 or Operation Scugog in an envelope marked K of C can be put in the collection basket or dropped at the church office.

## **STATIONS OF THE CROSS Fridays @ 7:30**

17th – St Paul– Christ Crucified–  
led by Band of Brothers  
24th – Where You There ? - led by Lectors



## **FRIDAY LENTEN PRAYER GROUP**

Fridays in Lent in St Joseph Chapel 9:30 a.m.

## **DONATIONS TOWARDS EASTER FLOWERS**

Envelopes will be attached next weekend to the bulletin if you wish to offer a donation in memory or thanksgiving. Thank you for any offering.

## **LENT R.O.C.K. - Reaching Out to Christ's Kids**

Saturday March 25 @ 2:00 – 4:00 – Grade 1 – 5  
Please register at [gorock2021@gmail.com](mailto:gorock2021@gmail.com)

## **YOUTH Grade 6 – 7 – 8**

Thank you for being part of the Friday March 30 led by School + Youth Stations of the Cross

## **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

Executive Meeting: Tuesday, March 14 @ 7:30

General Meeting: Tuesday, March 28 @ 7:30

**SQUIRES** Meeting: Monday March 27 @ 7:30

## **MINISTRY OF MATURING ADULTS**

### **FUTURE DATES:**

April Thursday 20 – Durham Police – Spams and Scams

May Thursday 11 – Sister Ursula of the Loretto Sisters

Topic: A Response of Faith to Loss in our lives

## **HOLY WEEK – 2023**

+ Do you know 'Hail Mary' in another Language?

Please contact Fr Keith to be part of

Good Friday Stations of the Cross. **THUS FAR:**

French + Dutch + Sign + German + English

+ Washing Of Feet – Holy Thursday

Contact Fr Keith if any man or woman wishes

to have feet washed. Only if we have people

we will proceed. Thank you



## **THIS WEEK AT IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH**

### **Monday March 13**

9:00 – 3:00 Office and Church are open

### **Tuesday March 14**

St. Perpetua and St. Felicity

7:00 p.m. Lenten Mass – + Frank & Helen Kawa

Req. by Bernie and Mary Lou

7:30 p.m. K of C Executive Meeting

### **Wednesday March 15**

9:00 a.m. Lenten Mass – Special Intention

7:30 p.m. RCIA (Conference Room)

### **Thursday March 16**

9:00 a.m. Lenten Mass + Len Van Schagen by Parish  
His birthdate

10:00 a.m. Ministry of Maturing Adults (Hall)

(9:30 coffee and conclude with a luncheon )

### **Friday March 17**

St. Patrick

9:00 a.m. Lenten Mass – Intentions of

Deacon Joseph De Caria

Req. by M.L. and R. Elliott

COFFEE, TEA, IRISH SCONES, AFTER MASS

9:30 a.m. Lenten Prayer Group.

7:00 p.m. Lenten Mass – Special Intention

7:30 p.m. Stations of the Cross

led by Band of Brothers (Church)

### **Saturday March 18**

9:00 a.m. Lenten Mass – + John Nynham

Req. by Margaret Wells

9:30 a.m. Devotions to Our Mother of Perpetual Help

9:45 – 10:30 Sacrament of Reconciliation

5:00 p.m. Mass – Intentions of Teresa Houben

### **Sunday March 19 – LENT IV**

9:00 a.m. Mass – Intentions of all parishioners of

Immaculate Conception Parish

RCIA Scrutiny Blessing at Mass

11:00 am. Mass – + Fedele Gesualdo

Req. by Rick & Susie Wierzbowski & family

## **MONTHLY WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS**

IS YOUR ANNIVERSARY IN MARCH ?

Please sign your name and years on the bulletin board.

MARCH MASS is Saturday, March 25 @ 9:00

## **SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

WEDNESDAY APRIL 5 – All Day Confessions

9:30 – 11:00 a.m. 1:00 – 2:00 and 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Also ~ Saturdays 9:30 – 10:30 a.m.