

**MARCH 10, 2024**  
**FOURTH SUNDAY**  
**OF LENT**  
**GOD LOVED THE WORLD**  
**HE SPOKE**  
**AND HE SENT HIS SON**  
**TO SAVE US**



**HOLY WEEK 2024**

**Holy Thursday – Washing of the Feet**

If you wish to participate and have your feet washed please contact Fr Keith. As a model of discipleship women and men are invited. Thursday 28 @ 7:30 p.m.

**Good Friday – Stations of the Cross**

Do you know the Hail Mary in another language ?  
 The Meditation for Stations is through Mary’s Eyes.  
 I am looking for 14 languages please.  
 Contact Fr Keith Good Friday – March 29 @ 7:30 p.m.

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

**Fridays @ 7:30 p.m. preceded by 7:00 Mass**

March 15 – Were You There?  
 Led by Lectors  
 March 22 – Scriptural Way  
 Led by School and Youth

**MONTHLY WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS**

**IS YOUR ANNIVERSARY IN MARCH?**

Add your name to the list to be prayed for Saturday March 23 @ 9:00 a.m.

**40 CANS FOR LENT FOOD DRIVE**

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

**PRAY FOR THE SICK**

Autumn Rogers, Emelda Jackson, Les Keefer, Patti Reilly, Marj Kelly, Brooklyn, Mavis, Sarah Rose, Ruth Kenny, Lily Cosette Lillian Partington, Kim Smith, Paul McDonald, Michele Baptiste, Nikki Edge, Dirk Jol, Barbara Thompson, Dharen Dieterich, Veronica Kirk, Mary Theresa Rutledge, Paul McLean, Shirley Harvey, Jose Chavez, Bruno and Lucy Salvador, Anna Zambito, Rudy Hart, Mike McKernan, Veronica Kingston, Wanda McGill, Loretta Escote, Inge Hentrich, Bob Partington, Shirley Bedouin, Zak Adams, Annetta Chin

**ALZHEIMER SOCIETY OF DURHAM**

MARCH 11 AND MARCH 18 @ 10:00 a.m.  
 Dementia 10 - First Step for Care Partners  
 905 – 576- 2567 information@alzheimerdurham.com

**CANADA’S ASSISTED SUICIDE POLICY**

**including the introduction of “MAID” at the Hospice**  
 There are many resources including in the Catholic Church that supports ones journey, often difficult, towards natural death including: www.compassionatecommunitycare.org and epc.ca ( Euthanasia Prevention Coalition )

**SHARELIFE 2024**

In support for over 40 Catholic Charitable agencies providing services for all the community; Projects in the ‘developing world’ through Development and Peace; and support for our new priests at Seminary.  
 Collection date: March 16/ 17

**FRIDAY LENTEN PRAYER GROUP**

Join us Fridays in Lent 9:30 – 10:30 a.m.  
 Praise, Petition, Thanksgiving, Song  
 The world needs our Lenten prayers.



**PARISH LIBRARY**

There is a selection of books on Jesus, the Bible, Saints, Spiritual Readings in your new Parish Library in the hall. The Library is “open “ any time that the church is open. There is a binder in the Library that you sign out the books.

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

**FRIDAY MARCH 22 – “All Day Confession”**

**9:30 a.m. – 11:00 / 1:00 – 2:00 p.m. / 8:00 – 9:00 p.m.**

Also ~ Saturdays 9:30 – 10:30 a.m.

Also ~ Contact Fr Keith for a private ‘appointment’ time

**NOVENA FOR PRIESTS**

Without our priests there would be ~  
 No Eucharist, No Confessions, No Anointing of the Sick.  
 Our Novena for Priests and Vocations **begins March 19**  
 to Holy Thursday It will be inserted in the March 17

**SCHOOL / YOUTH / CHILDREN’S CORNER**

**CHILDREN’S LITURGY OF THE WORD**

Children’s Liturgy is celebrated at 9:00 a.m. Mass  
**TODAY Sunday March 10.** The children are escorted from the church to the chapel for the Word of God

**R.O.C.K. (Reaching Out to Christ’s Kids) Grade 1 – 5**

Teachings, Music, Crafts, Fun, Faith  
 Register at gorock2021@gmail.com  
 Note – No March session due to Easter weekend  
 Next ROCK is Saturday April 27 @ 2:00 - 4:00

**YOUTH Grade 6 – 7 – 8**

Thank you for being part of the Friday Stations of the Cross

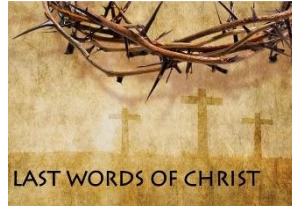


**THIS WEDNESDAY MARCH 13**  
**TAIZE PRAYERS FOR PEACE**

This Service is celebrated in a quiet and peaceful setting. The church will be Candle-lit; peaceful silence; Taize music. Wednesday 13 @ 7:00 p.m. in the church  
**A PRAYER MOMENT FOR PEACE IN THE WORLD.**

**THIS THURSDAY MARCH 14**  
**MINISTRY OF MATURING ADULTS**

Morning of Reflection with Sister Ursula, a Loretto Sister. Any senior over 60 may join this LENTEN morning  
9:30 coffee / 10:00 session / 11:30 lunch / 1:00 session  
Thursday March 14  
**THE LAST WORDS OF JESUS**



**SUNDAY MARCH 17**  
**MONTHLY COFFEE SUNDAY**

Sunday March 17 @ 9:30 – 11:00  
Green ? Pancakes for St Patrick's Day  
\$ 5 per person / under 4 years old free / \$15 per family



**TUESDAY MARCH 19**  
**FEAST OF ST JOSEPH**

St Joseph is the Patron Saint of Canada and the Universal Church. ANNOINTING with St Joseph Oils will occur after 7:00 p.m. Mass  
**400 YEARS AGO St Joseph** was proclaimed as the Patron Saint of Canada.

**WEDNESDAY MARCH 20**  
**STREET PATROL FOR HOMELESS**

MARCH WEDNESDAY 20 @ 5:00 – 10:00 p.m.  
We are handing out 'Easter Bags'. **Please donate \$10 Tim Gift Cards. Please donate apples, oranges, chocolates on March 16 / 17 THANK YOU**

**SATURDAY 23 / SUNDAY 24**  
**C.W.L. EASTER BASKETS**

The Catholic Women's League will be holding the Easter Baskets Sale the weekend of **March 23 -24** after all Masses. For CWL members who wish to donate baskets / goodies, please bring all items to the back of the church after ALL Masses the weekend of **March 9 -10** so that we can prepare/label them.

**SEDER CELEBRATION**

The Mass is rooted in Jesus' Last Supper which is rooted in the Jewish Passover. A Seder is a meal and celebration of Passover that includes the 'explanation' of each element that grew to become the Mass.

**EASTER FLOWERS** – Thank you for your donation to make our church look so beautiful during Holy Week and Easter. Any offering is welcome.

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

**Monday 11**

Office is open 9:00 – 3:00  
10:00 a.m. Dementia 101

**Tuesday 12**

7:00 p.m. Mass - Intentions of Michelle Gregory  
Req. by Mary Lou Elliott  
7:30 p.m. Knights of Columbus Executive Meeting

**Wednesday 13**

9:00 a.m. Mass + Parents of Bernie and Mary Lou Kawa  
Req. by Bernie and Mary Lou Kawa  
7:00 TAIZE PRAYER SERVICE FOR PEACE

**Thursday 14**

9:00 a.m. Mass + Anita Onyskiw  
Req. by Frank and Marie Armstrong  
10:00 a.m. MINISTRY OF MATURING ADULTS  
LENTEN MORNING ( Hall )  
3:00 p.m. CWL Executive Meeting  
7:30 p.m. Lent Bible Study

**Friday March 15**

9:00 a.m. Mass + Catherine Fenton  
Req. by Wally and Lorraine Wellbanks  
9:30 Lenten Friday Prayer Group  
followed by coffee hospitality.  
2:00 Tai Chi  
7:00 p.m. Mass + Bernadette O'Donnell  
Req. by Henry and Mary Pii  
7:30 p.m. Stations of The Cross  
Led by Fr Keith and Lectors

**Saturday March 16**

9:00 a.m. Mass + Anita Onyskiw  
Req. by Faye Tait  
Our Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions  
9:30 -10:30 a.m. Sacrament of Reconciliation

5:00 p.m. Mass - Intentions of the parishioners of Immaculate Conception Parish

**Sunday March 17**

**Fifth Sunday of Lent**  
DONATIONS FOR STREET PATROL FOR THE HOMELESS

9:00 Mass + Emma Peco Req. by John Kersten

9:30 -11:00 PARISH PANCAKE BREAKFAST

11:00 a.m. Mass + Mary Lou Warlick  
Req. by Jean and Don Biffin

3:00 p.m. Baptisms

