

# st. leo's parish

WEEKLY BULLETIN

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## OFFICE HOURS

Mon thru Thurs - 9am to 4pm

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## SCHOOLS

St Leo's School  
159 Stanley Av.

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## PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor: Fr. Nicola Defina

In Residence: Fr. George S. Galea

## MASS SCHEDULE

### Sunday Masses

Saturday - 5pm

Sunday - 8:30am; 10am & 11:30am

### Weekday Masses

8am on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday

7pm on Wednesday with Novena to

Our Lady of Perpetual Help | Rosary begins at 6:30pm

Magnificat Charismatic Prayer Group (Polish)

Thursday 7:30 pm

## SACRAMENTS

### Baptism

Sunday after the 11:30am mass  
Register two months in advance

### Marriage

Contact the Pastor  
one year in advance

### Reconciliation

Wednesday - 6pm to 7pm

Saturday - 4pm to 5pm

or by appointment

### Pastoral Care of the Sick

Please notify the Parish Office  
for arrangements

### Eucharistic Adoration

Every first Friday of the month  
following 8am Mass

## MINISTRIES

Altar Servers | Altar Society

Eucharistic Ministers

Eucharistic Ministers (at Home)

Hospitality | Ushers

Lectors | Readers

Music | Choir

## PARISH ACTIVITIES

R.C.I.A.

Children's Liturgy

Finance Council

Parish 50+ Social Group

Social Fundraising Committee

Quilters' Club

Knights of Columbus

(Meetings every 4th Monday

of the month at 8 pm)

*Parishioners are welcome and encouraged to participate in Parish Ministries/Activities. Call the Parish Office for details.*

## NEW PARISHIONERS WELCOME

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Unit/Apt.: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Weekly Offering Envelopes

New Parishioner

Change of Address

Moving out of Parish

ST. LEO'S PARISH IS WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE

## TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



### Masses For The Week

Sat Jun 8	8 am	† Agostino Pocino (The Family)
	5 pm	PRO POPULO
Sun Jun 9	8:30 am	In Onore della Madonna della Strada (Club San Lorenzo)
	10 am	† Gaetano Salandra & Antonio Piserchia (The Ciprietti Family)
	11:30 am	On the Occasion of Fr. Frank Anniversary of Ordination (Robert & Patricia)
Mon Jun 10	8 am	† Wladyslaw Kowalski (Jacek Cyggan & Family)
Tue Jun 11	8 am	† Jerry Chreptak
Wed Jun 12	7pm	† Joseph Olekas (Daughter Ona)
Thu Jun 13	8 am	Birthday Blessings Maria Teresa Palaca
Fri Jun 14	8 am	Birthday Blessings Aurora Bringas (Agnieszka Martinez)
Sat Jun 15	5 pm	PRO POPULO
Sun Jun 16	8:30 am	† Luisa Sarrapochiello (Husband Frank)
	10 am	† Virgilio Fuoco (Pierina Fuoco & Family)
	11:30 am	† Vito Romita (Anna Romita & Family)

### Promise of Redemption

God promises victory over sin through the offspring of the woman. On this 10th Sunday of ordinary time, we are invited to deepen our understanding of God's mercy and compassion, we are reminded of the importance of repentance, faith, and embracing God's mercy. We're challenge to reflect on our own lives, recognizing our shortcomings and seeking genuine contrition. We are invited to have unwavering faith in God's righteousness and the promise of resurrection through Jesus Christ.



(Lonsdale Commentaries & Clip-Art)

### MaryGrove Camp Collection

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul manages Marygrove Camp for less fortunate girls ages 5-13. The primary source of funding for Marygrove is the annual collections held in the parishes of the Archdiocese of Toronto. Envelopes are available for this weekend special collection. Please give generously and deposit your offering at the offertory collection. Thank you for your support, many children will benefit from your generosity and caring help.



#### Eucharistic Adoration

First Friday of the month July 5, 2024

Following the 8 am Mass

Rosary at 7:30am.

Adoration concludes with Holy Mass

Saturday morning July 6, @ 8 am

Come. See. Hear. Encounter.

Experience the Real Presence of Jesus

### Serra Vocation

"Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother". If you feel the inclination to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997. Email [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org)

### Living the Gospel by supporting people with special needs

When you give to ShareLife, you help people with developmental disabilities and their family members through an agency called Mary Centre. Here's how your contribution makes a difference in the lives of those served by this remarkable Catholic agency: "Thank you to all who donate to ShareLife. With each donation we receive, we are able to attain our goals of assisting people in their efforts in building a good life." – Don Walker, Mary Centre Transform someone's life today. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at [sharelife.org/donate](http://sharelife.org/donate).

The Sanctuary Lamp for the month of June is offered by an anonymous parishioner:  
"For Special Intentions and Thanksgiving"

#### The Source Holy Hour

Thursday, June 20<sup>th</sup> 2024 7:00-9 pm

840 Bathurst Street, Toronto

You are invited to The Source Holy Hour with music by the Sisters of Life at St. Peter's Church in Toronto (Bathurst and Bloor). More information can be found on the

[Sisters of Life website](http://SistersofLife.com).

### **St Vincent de Paul meeting**

The St Leo's St Vincent de Paul invites all parishioners to attend a meeting to learn more about what we do to serve our neighbors in need. The meeting will be held on Tuesday June 11th from 7-8pm in the parish hall (entrance from Stanley St). If you are not able to attend but are interested in learning more please leave a message at (416) 855-9002.

### **Adult Faith - Presenting: SYMBOLON**

#### **The Catholic Faith Explained**

Friday June 14<sup>th</sup> @ 7 pm please join us for this fascinating, powerful and beautifully crafted teaching: with state of the art video, author, speaker and theologian Dr. Edward Sri leads a team of dynamic teachers who provide a clear and comprehensive explanation of the Catholic Faith.

### **Totus Tuus Summer Camp at St. Ambrose Church!**

The children and youth of the parish are invited to join St. Ambrose Parish for the Totus Tuus (Latin for Totally Yours) this summer from Sun Aug 11 to Friday Aug 16, 2024. Totus Tuus is an Archdiocesan program whereby seminarians and young adults travel to different parishes, spreading the Good News of our Lord through catechesis, Mass, confession, songs and games! The grade school program, for children entering grades 1-6, runs Monday-Friday from 9am – 2:30pm. The Intermediate/High School program for Grades 7-12 runs Sunday-Thursday from 7–9pm. The cost is only \$100 per person for the day program and \$50 per person for the evening program for the entire week! Registration will begin soon. More information about the program is also available at To register, please email: [stambrosetotustuus@gmail.com](mailto:stambrosetotustuus@gmail.com) more information about the program is also available at [www.totustuustoronto.ca](http://www.totustuustoronto.ca)

One of the most financially sound ways to support the Archdiocese of Toronto is with the gift of securities (stocks, bonds, mutual funds). When you donate stocks, mutual funds and other publicly traded securities to a registered charity, you pay no capital gains tax and receive a tax receipt for the full amount of the gift. It means a great tax break for you and more significant support of your Parish and various archdiocesan charities such as ShareLife, St. Augustine's Seminary, The Shepherds' Trust and many others. To donate securities, follow this link: <https://bit.ly/GiftsOfSecurities> where you will find our "How to Gift Securities Info Sheet" and a "Letter of Direction." For more information, contact our office at [development@archtoronto.org](mailto:development@archtoronto.org).

**Friday June 28<sup>th</sup> @ 7 pm**  
**Movie Night in the parish hall**  
**Featuring:**  
**"The Wolf in Sheep's Clothing"**

### **Relics of St. Anthony of Padua**

All Saints Parish **Saturday June 15<sup>th</sup> 2024**

8:15 am Celebration of the morning Eucharist  
9 am – 5 pm Veneration of the Relics  
5 pm - Celebration of the Sunday Vigil Eucharist  
6 pm - Departure.

All Saints Parish, 1415 Royal York Road, 416-244-3066

Please pray for the sick of our Parish  
And for the souls of the deceased

Margaret Moran  
Rev. Frederick J. Foley

Communion for the homebound upon request,  
anointing of the sick with the seriously ill, or those  
undergoing surgery.

Please call the parish office

### **Cradle of Hope 2024**

**Saturday, June 22, 2024, 8:30 to 5:30 pm**

**Bishop Marrocco/Thomas Merton Catholic Secondary  
School 1515 Bloor St W, Toronto,**

CCRC is excited to announce our upcoming event Cradle of Hope with an Adult and Children program. Conference Cradle of Hope "Rescued by the Power of the Holy Spirit" We welcome the Speakers: Fr. Cristiano Pinheiro C. Bede, Dr. Josephine Lombardi and with special presider for Mass Bishop Robert Kasun, Liaison to Archbishop Francis Leo. Powerful Worship led by Shalom Catholic Community.  
<https://forms.gle/PSsWKkpsOGMtPtbs9>

### **For safety sake**

If you are elderly and living alone, it is always helpful to have a friend who you will call each day, and if the friend doesn't hear from you, ask them to call to check on you. Also, check into safety alerts available in the market that are very helpful.

### **Happy Seniors Month Stay Safe, Active and Connected**



Life expectancy has increased by 30 years over the past 100 years and our potential for spiritual growth increases as we age. Seniors constitute a new generation. A new ministry is emerging in churches to support the faith development of "maturing adults" throughout the multiple transitions that mark the second half of life.

**Thank you seniors for your important  
contribution to our community!**



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