

st. leo's parish

WEEKLY BULLETIN

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PASTOR

Fr. Nicola Defina

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday Masses

Saturday | 5pm
Sunday | 8:30am; 10am & 11:30am

Weekday Masses

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday | 8am

Wednesday 7pm with
Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help
Rosary begins at 6:30pm

Magnificat Charismatic Prayer Group (Polish)
Thursday 7:30pm

SACRAMENTS

Baptism

Sunday after the 11:30am Mass
Register three months in advance

Marriage

Contact the Pastor
one year in advance

Reconciliation

Wednesday - 6pm to 7pm
Saturday - 4pm to 5pm
or call to arrange a time

Pastoral Care of the Sick

Please notify the Parish Office
for arrangements

Eucharistic Adoration

Every first Friday of the month
following the 8am Mass

Devotions

First Friday and Saturday 8am

Scriptural Rosary

Friday 6:30 pm

MINISTRIES

Altar Servers | Altar Society
Extra Ordinary Eucharistic Ministers
Hospitality | Ushers
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Music | Choir

PARISH ACTIVITIES

R.C.I.A.
R.C.I.C.
Adult Faith Study
Movie Night
Finance Council
Quilters' Club

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

SAINT PETER AND SAINT PAUL, APOSTLES

MASS INTENTIONS



FOR THE WEEK

Sat Jun 28	5 pm	† Chloe Rosatelli (The Family)
Sun June 29	8:30 am	† Filippo Zita (Lucy Zita)
	10 am	† Ana Gornik (Son Tony)
	11:30 am	PRO POPULO
Mon June 30	8 am	For Vocations & Religious Life (Agnes Martinez)
Tue Jul 1	8 am	† Carla Suppa (The Family)
Wed Jul 2	7 pm	† John D'Ambrosio (Anna Maria Cerullo)
Thu Jul 3	8 am	† Rev. Vitaliano Papais
Fri Jul 4	8 am	† Christopher Emanuele (Donna Micco)
Sat Jul 5	8 am	† Carla Suppa (S. Suppa)
	5 pm	† Jan Chokota (Steve & Paula Vitasek)
Sun Jul 6	8:30 am	PRO POPULO
	10 am	† Silvio Ciccocelli (Lina Ciccocelli & Family)
	11:30 am	† Tom Scollard (Maureen Scollard)

"Founders" of our Faith

Solemnity of Saints Peter & Paul Apostles June 29th. The apostles share the same feast day even though they suffered on different days. Simon, son of Jonah and Andrea's brother, first among the disciples prophesied that Jesus was the Christ, the son of the living God, from which he was called Peter. Paul, the Apostle of the Gentiles preached to the Jews and Greeks, Christ crucified. Both in faith and love of Jesus Christ announced the Gospel and died martyrs under Emperor Nero in Rome: the first, according to the tradition, crucified upside down and buried in the Vatican, the latter pierced with sword and buried on the via Ostiense. On this day Catholics all over the world honor and celebrate their triumph. Let us embrace what they believed, their life, their labors, their sufferings, their preaching, and their confession of faith."



Mass in Vacation Land

Sunday Mass is a must for Catholics every week of the year. Remember to keep Jesus at the center of your life. A vacation shouldn't be an excuse to skip Mass. Remember to make room for Sunday Mass during your vacation time. Mass times in cottage country are posted at Archdiocese of Toronto website. www.archtoronto.org.



All Is Quiet

All Parish activities are at rest for the summer; even the parish staff will be enjoying vacation from time to time during July and August. If you call the office and get the answering machine please leave a message your call will be returned as soon as possible.

This is our last bulletin for this season we will resume in September. Our Pastor Father Nick will keep you up to date and make the necessary announcement every week. Mass intentions, Tabernacle Lamp Sponsors intentions, will be updated weekly for your convenience and posted on the church bulletin board. Have a great and safe summer!

Eucharistic Adoration

First Friday of the month July 4, 2025

Following the 8 am Mass

Rosary at 7: 30am

Adoration concludes with Holy Mass

Saturday morning July 5, 2025 @ 8 am

Come. See. Hear. Encounter.

Experience the Real Presence of Jesus

Mark your calendar

Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed

This year's Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed will be celebrated on Wednesday

August 13th, 2025 at 7:00 p.m.

In all the Catholic Cemeteries

For more information, please contact the cemetery office or visit catholic-cemetery.com

All are welcome

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Thus far we have raised [\$23,380.05] toward our goal of [\$35,000.00]. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

The Spiritual Meaning of the Jubilee

At the heart of the Jubilee lies the concept of the plenary indulgence, which represents the complete remission of sins for the faithful who fulfill certain conditions: sacramental confession, participation in the Eucharist, prayer according to the Pope's intentions, and performing a work of mercy or a pilgrimage. This time also serves as an invitation for personal conversion and reconciliation with God and others. The faithful are encouraged to renew their faith with prayers, and acts of charity towards those in need.



Catholic's in Recovery

Hope and healing for those impacted by addiction

Catholic in Recovery provides healing from addictions, compulsions and unhealthy attachments. Family members impacted by a loved one's addiction are also encouraged to attend. Meetings combine the spiritual principles of 12-step recovery and the sacraments of the Catholic Church. Join others in recovery as we overlap scripture from Sunday's Mass readings, liturgical themes, and recovery topics with honest discussion and prayers. Confidentiality is protected.

St. Roch's Parish 2889 Islington Ave., Toronto

Thursdays at 7:30 p.m. CONTACT: Catholic in Recovery
PHONE: 289-541-8188 EMAIL: cirstroch@gmail.com
WEBSITE: <https://www.catholicinrecovery.com>

A celebration in Honor of God the Father

Will be held on Sunday August 3rd, 2025

From 4 – 6 pm

Christ the King Parish

3674 Lake Shore Blvd. West

Rev. Jacek Cydzik C.SsR

Will give a talk on God the Father

Scriptural Rosary

Please join us in prayer for the scriptural Rosary every Friday evening at 6:30 pm. Praying the Scriptural Rosary brings us into contact with the Word of God, and help us grow in holiness; we focus on each Mystery in the Life of Jesus giving us the listening space we need in the midst of our busy lives.

Please pray for the sick of our Parish,
And for the souls of the deceased especially:

Patrick Leane

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

Serra Vocation

Jesus still speaks the invitation "Follow Me." Pray for the strength and the grace of discernment if you feel He is calling you to be an ordained or consecrated person. If God is calling you, to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

Email vocations@archtoronto.org

Remember the Poor Box

Our parish St. Vincent de Paul Society is always on duty. Volunteers field calls from individuals and families in need within our parish boundaries. They respond with home visits, grocery assistance and love. Please remember the Poor Box on your way out of church.

Parishioners Please Note:

Will the parishioner using envelope #205 please call the parish office. We don't have a name attached to this number. Thank you!

Mission Co-Op Program

Once a year missionaries from different parts of the world visits parish communities in the Archdiocese of Toronto to preach God's Word and to share with the community specific projects that are being undertaken. A Mission representative will be here the weekend of July 26/27 to bring us his message and to ask for your support. Please be generous and give your support to the missions. Thank you.

Parish Pilgrimage to Guadalupe

Oct 9 – 20 2025

The pilgrimage to the Basilica of Our Lady of Guadalupe in Mexico City, is a major, religious and cultural event for many Catholics, it gathers people from all walks of life to express their faith and devotion to the Virgin of Guadalupe and seek her intercession and blessings. More information is available for interested parishioners on the cabinets at the back of the church.

45th Annual Filipino Pilgrimage to Martyrs' Shrine, Midland, Ontario

Saturday, August 2, 2025 9 am – 4 pm

Archdiocesan Filipino Catholic Mission, together with this year's host, Missionary Families of Christ 45th Annual, invites everyone to the 45th Annual Filipino Pilgrimage "Hope in Christ" as we celebrate the Year of Jubilee

9:00 a.m. - Rosary and Procession

10:00 a.m. Holy Mass

1:30 p.m. - Cultural Programs

Happy Canada Day

Tuesday July 1st is Canada Day. The parish office will be closed Have a safe and fun filled holiday weekend.



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