

st. leo's parish

WEEKLY BULLETIN

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Meeting every fourth Monday
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t: 416-733-8544
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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
Lectors | Readers
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

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Mass Intentions

Sat Jul 11	5 pm	PRO POPULO
Sun Jul 12	8:30 am	† Luisa Sarapochiello (Husband Frank)
	10 am	† Deceased Members of the Sherlock Family (The Molto Family)
	11:30 am	† Joseph Bui Tuc Tuyen (Son Phong Bui Tuc Tuyen)
Mon Jul 13	8 am	Wedding Anniversary Blessings Ben & Juliet Taguinod & Birthday Blessings for Juliet
Tue Jul 14	8 am	Special Intentions (Sr. Maria Frances)
Wed Jul 15	7 pm	Intentions Ruth Casha Doughty Birthday
Thu Jul 16	8 am	Ruth Casha Doughty Healing (Anna Maria Cerullo)
Fri Jul 17	8 am	† Gregoria Palaca (Teresa Palaca)
Sat Jul 18	5 pm	† Raymond Casha (Ruth & Family)
Sun Jul 19	8:30 am	Special Intentions & Thanksgiving (Joanna Bak)
	10 am	† Bienvido & Catalina Deblois & Elizabeth Villania (The Family)
	11:30 am	PRO POPULO
Mon Jul 20	8 am	† Vita Malinauska (Antanas & Stase)
Tue Jul 21	8 am	† Ona & Jona Zimnickus (Antanas & Stase)
Wed Jul 22	7 pm	† Ona & Stasi Malinauskus (Antanas & Stase)
Thu Jul 23	8 am	Birthday Blessing Michael Cerullo (Jean & Family)
Fri Jul 24	8 am	Birthday Blessings Michael Cerullo (Anna Maria Cerullo)
Sat Jul 25	5 pm	PRO POPULO
Sun Jul 26	8:30 am	† Anna Iorio & Antonio Orsini (Maria Fasulo)
	10 am	† Helen Antonini (Jean Pozzobon & Family)
	11:30 am	† Mary Vu Thi Hien (Son Phong Bui Tuc Tuyen)

Venezuela Earthquake Relief

The Archdiocese of Toronto invites the faithful to pray for the people of Venezuela and to support humanitarian relief efforts following the devastating earthquakes that struck the country on June 24 and have caused catastrophic damage across much of the country. As of June 29, official reports indicate that thousands of people have died, and many injured, thousands reported missing and thousands of families have been left homeless. The Archdiocese will accept donations and channel funds through our Catholic partners in South America to support the relief efforts underway. You can donate on line or through your local parish. Please continue to keep the people of Venezuela, those who have lost loved ones, the injured, and all emergency responders in your prayers.

Eucharistic Adoration

First Friday of the month August 7, 2026

Following the 8 am Mass

Rosary at 7:30am.

Adoration concludes with Holy Mass

Saturday morning August 8, 2026 @ 8 am

Come. See. Hear. Encounter.

Experience the Real Presence of Jesus.

Save the date and extend the invitation to your family
and friends.

Please pray for the sick of our Parish:

Mike Cerullo

Helen Fernandes

And for the souls of the deceased:

Patricia Mary Bell

Rev. Frank (Francis) Aresi

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

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - July 12, 2026

Let anyone with ears listen! Do you hear God's call for you in your life? Have you considered the way of loving called "priesthood", "diaconate" or "religious life"? If God is calling you contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

Email: vocations@archtoronto.org

Mass Intentions

Masses may be offered by parishioners for the living or the dead. Unannounced Mass intentions will be prayed on the soonest possible date. The offering is \$10.00 per Mass. Announced Masses should be booked well in advance. These Mass intentions are printed in the parish bulletin and announced publicly on the reserved date. The offering is \$20.00 per Mass. Mass cards are available. Call or visit the parish office for more information.

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Imagine arriving in a foreign country, not knowing the local language, and not knowing who can help you find housing and employment. Your gift to ShareLife is helping immigrants and refugees establish a new life in Canada. Through your gift to ShareLife, the Office for Refugees of the Archdiocese of Toronto (ORAT) helps thousands on their journey to safety and freedom. Thus far we have raised [\$21,323.15] raised 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.



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 August 15/16 to bring us his message and to ask for your support. Please be generous and give your support to the missions. Envelopes for the Canadian Missions are placed on the cabinets at the back of the Church. Just one collection is taken up at all the Masses so please put your Offertory as well as any other offering together in the collection basket

Catholic Cemeteries – Archdiocese of Toronto, invites all families to participate in the Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed on Wednesday

August 12 at 7:00 pm

Cemetery locations are:
Assumption Cemetery,
Christ the King Cemetery,
Holy Cross Cemetery,
Mount Hope Cemetery,
Queen of Heaven Cemetery,
Resurrection Cemetery, Whitby
St. Mary's Cemetery, Barrie

Parish Bulletin Break

During the summer, we will be taking a break from publishing our Parish bulletin every week. There will be another bulletins July 26th and also August 9th and August 23rd. Regular weekly bulletin will resume the weekend of September 6th.

From the Parish Secretary

**Parishioners using envelope
#24 and #83**

Please call the parish office.

We don't have enough info for registration.

Sanctuary Lamp Sponsor

The Sanctuary Lamp for the Month of July is sponsored by Agnes Martinez for "All the Souls of Purgatory".

The lamp is always burning in the church – it is a sign of saying, "Christ is here in the Holy Eucharist within this Tabernacle."



Serra Vocation

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - July 19, 2026

"The Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought..." For five minutes today rest with Jesus and ask Him what He requires of you. If God is calling you, to the priesthood, diaconate, or consecrated life, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

Email: vocations@archtoronto.org

Sacrament of Reconciliation

The Church provides a very clear notion on reconciliation. It defines sin as a deliberate turning away from God and God's goodness. In the Sacrament of Reconciliation, Jesus provides us with a way of being reconciled to God and to those we've hurt, and to strengthened our connection to God's entire family. The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available in our parish every Wednesday evening from 6 to 7 pm and Saturday from 4 to 4:45 pm or, by request.



**St. Leo's Book Club
Every Friday @ 7 pm
beginning July 24th.**

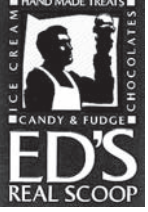
**Please sign up at the entrance
of the church.**

The Kingdom of Heaven

Our lives are really a journey across the sea of time to the shore of eternity. During that crossing all who come to the use of reason encounter some storms. There is no smooth, calm crossing for anyone. This is the will of God for he sees all our life's storms. He permits them, because he is to use them as means to help us in our struggle to reach heaven, we must not expect to get from life what it cannot give. Instead, we must use what it gives us, the unpleasant as well as the pleasant, the rain as well as the sunshine, the pain as well as the pleasure, as means which will help us to reach our perfect ending, our eternal dwelling-place in heaven.



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