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Weekend Masses

Saturday 4:30 p.m.
 Sunday 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Weekday Masses

Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m.
 Saturday 9:00 a.m.

Confessions: Saturdays 3:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
 or by Appointment.

First Friday of the Month
 Adoration/Benediction
 Following 8:30 a.m. Mass

Baptism: Contact the office to register your child. Baptism dates assigned at time of interview with Priest or Deacon.

Marriage: Contact the parish office for appointment.

Office Hours: Monday – Friday 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Pastoral Team

Msgr. Patrick O’Dea, C.H.H. – *Pastor*
 Rev. Mr. David Quail – *Permanent Deacon*
 Sr. Teresa Morrison, CPS – *R.C.I.A.*
 Matthew Tulio – *Seminarian*

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Parish Ministries

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Liturgical Ministries

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Parish Schools

<u>Parish Schools</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Phone</u>
St. Edward	1 Botham Rd., North York, ON M2N 2J6	416-393-5255
St. Cyril	18 Kempford Blvd., Willowdale, ON M2N 2B9	416-393-5270
St. Antoine Daniel	160 Finch Ave. W., Willowdale, ON M2N 2J2	416-393-5339
Cardinal Carter Academy for the Arts	36 Greenfield Ave., Toronto, ON M2N 3C8	416-393-5556



Monday, March 25, 2024

8:30 a.m. + Mike Perk

Tuesday, March 26, 2024 Multi-intention

8:30 a.m. Monica Figueredo's – 25th Wedding Anniversary
 Thanksgiving – Neres & Esther Medina
 Thanksgiving & Blessings for Julianne Gavaran

Wednesday, March 27, 2024

8:30 a.m. + Vincenzo & Anna Saracino

Thursday, March 28, 2024 Mass of the Lord's Supper

7:30 p.m. Special Intention for Joshua Suribjan

Friday, March 29, 2024

11:00 a.m. Passion of Our Lord
 1:00 p.m. Passion of Our Lord
 3:00 p.m. Passion of Our Lord
 7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross

Saturday, March 30, 2024 Easter Vigil

7:30 p.m. Deceased Members of the Zelko Family

Sunday, March 31, 2024 Easter Sunday

8:00 a.m. + Purificacion Peredo
 9:30 a.m. + Emilio & Adelina Carlesimo
 11:00 a.m. Birthday Wishes for Athanasius Braimah

HOLY THURSDAY COLLECTION

The Church recommends that if a collection is taken up on Holy Thursday, it should be used for the needs of the poor and marginalized, inspired by Jesus' washing of the feet and command to serve others. In the past, the collection was provided to the works of charity of St. Vincent de Paul and/or Development and Peace. This year, there are specific envelopes for Development and Peace that you can use if you wish; they will be placed in the pews and in the lobby of the church, along with information and brochures on their works in the Global South. Thank you for your support and concern for those in need of our assistance and charity.

Special Collection – Good Friday March 29th

The Pontifical Collection for the benefit of the Holy Places is on Good Friday. Each year on Good Friday, our parish, is called to support Christians in the Holy Land. Many Christians in the Holy Land depend on the collection for their lives. These funds are used for the upkeep of the sanctuaries and to help with Pastoral work, Catholic schools and social assistance in the Holy Land. Please use the special Good Friday envelopes available in your envelope boxes, or those made available in the church.

For more information please visit www.commissariat.ca

A TRIUMPHANT ENTRY into Jerusalem marked a double departure for Jesus and His three-year public ministry. The arrival at Jerusalem was both a precursor to His pending crucifixion and a deviation from a ministry in which Jesus had been content to travel the countryside on foot, attracting little fanfare. This time, He sent disciples ahead to fetch a colt for an arrival that included shouts of Hosanna from a local throng spreading cloaks and branches along the mucky road.

During His public ministry, Jesus performed many healings and miracles but often told those healed not to publicize what had happened. Arriving in Jerusalem to complete His earthly mission, Jesus embraced the publicity and reverence He had previously downplayed.

Jesus' triumphant arrival in Jerusalem was greeted both by those who accepted Him as a savior and others who erroneously saw Jesus as a leader who would overthrow Roman rule. The latter group's shouts of Hosanna would soon be supplanted by cries to crucify Him when Jesus didn't fulfill their worldly wishes.

On this solemn day, as we begin Holy Week, let us dig deep and rekindle our own profession of life-giving faith enkindled by Jesus' arrival at Jerusalem. May our voices join with those who cry, "Hosanna! Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord!"

(Reflection of Francis Campbell of Living with Christ)

Thank You – Social Committee

A big thank you to the Social Committee for organizing a wonderful St. Patrick's Day & St. Joseph's Festive Meal and Social last weekend. Great fun was had by all who attended. Thank you!

**Totus Tuus Summer Camp
 NOW Open for Registrations!**

The Totus Tuus summer camp is back this summer from July 14-19 for students entering Grades 1-12 in the next school year! Join us for some catechesis, Mass, confession, songs and games! The program is \$100 per child for the day program and \$40 for the evening program. Hope to see you there!

Please email stedwardyouthministry@gmail.com to register or for more information!

Divine Mercy Schedule

Come and pray the 9 Day Novena of the Divine Mercy. Prayer cards will be available at the front of the Church.

Good Friday, March 29th

After the 7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross

Holy Saturday, March 30th

After the 10:00 a.m. Blessing of the Easter Food

Easter Sunday, March 31st

After the 11:00 a.m. Mass

Monday, April 1st – Friday, April 5th

After each morning Mass

Saturday, April 6th

After the 9:00 a.m. Mass

Divine Mercy Sunday, April 7th

After the 11:00 a.m. morning Mass

SPECIAL T.V. EVENT: THE SACRED PROJECT

Experience the soul-stirring fusion of sacred melodies and insightful interviews with Liturgical Ministers of the Roman Catholic Church in the Greater Toronto area on a special TV event, entitled, "The Sacred Project". Across five captivating episodes, hosted by Jonathan Michael (a cantor at St. Edward's Parish, and other parishes, as well as the Daily TV Mass). Jonathan is a graduate of St. Michael's Choir School. Viewers will be treated to mesmerizing performances from his latest sacred album. Embark on a spiritual journey as Jonathan explores local various churches and spiritual centers, delving into topics central to the Roman Catholic faith. Watch "The Sacred Project" beginning Saturday, March 30 for 5 consecutive Saturdays at 12:30 p.m. on YES TV. (Please note: YES TV channel is available on Rogers, Cable 9, and Bell Media, cable 1651.)

Fr. Dave Warren's New Bible Series

"The Resurrections of Jesus

"Jesus is Lord!" is the central proclamation of Christian faith. And Jesus is Lord because He has risen from the dead.

Father David Warren is offering a five-part series on the Resurrection of Jesus in the New Testament. His series will begin on Monday, April 15. We will meet on Zoom from 9:45 to 11:00 a.m.

If you haven't already signed up for Father Dave's Bible Study Group, you can sign up on the parish website at *Latest News > View All News > Sign Up for Fr. Dave's Bible Study Group.*

"If Christ has not been raised, your faith is futile" (*I Corinthians 5: 17*).



HOLY THURSDAY ~ MARCH 28

(No 8:30 a.m. Mass)

7:30 P.M. - Mass of the Lord's Supper

Followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until Midnight

GOOD FRIDAY ~ MARCH 29

The Liturgy of the Lord's Passion

11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

7:00 p.m. - Stations of the Cross

HOLY SATURDAY ~ MARCH 30

10:00 a.m. - Blessing of the Easter Fare:
(Swiecone)

7:30 p.m. - Easter Vigil Mass

(No 4:30 p.m. Mass)

EASTER SUNDAY ~ MARCH 31

Mass times:

8:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

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