

### St. Edward the Confessor Church

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Weekend Masses

Saturday 4:30 p.m.

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

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

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* 

Josie Paladino - Secretary
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Gerry Robin - Accountant

**Weekday Masses** 

Saturday 9:00 a.m.

Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m.

First Friday of the Month

Following 8:30 a.m. Mass

Adoration/Benediction

Clare Koo - Custodian

**Parish Ministries** 

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IN TODAY'S FIRST reading, we read description of love in the midst of chaos. It's Pentecost and it's terrifying. Fire. Howling winds. The followers who had assembled in Jerusalem were gathered in this place. They must have been talking loudly among themselves in fear and confusion, each in their own language. Imagine the cacophony!

In this mayhem, what did God do? He used the spectacle to get their attention and then spoke to each in their own language. One voice, many languages. For what purpose? To share the good news, person to person. God was saying, here in the midst of bedlam, "I am calling you. I love YOU."

Fast forward to Sunday Mass in 2025, which is reverent worship in peaceful place. Let this time and place get your attention. I know I have to check myself so as not to forget what is really taking place. Unlike Mass, life is noisy and our culture is chaotic. Maybe your life is both. With the psalmist, consider the majesty of God. His works in nature are astounding. When God sends forth His spirit, He renews the face of the earth. The psalmist ends with this supplication: May the Lord rejoice in His works! We are the work of His hands and God wants us to know His love in personal. He is talking to us.

(Reflection by Johanne Brownrigg, of Living with Christ)

## **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!



Monday, May 20, 2024

8:30 a.m. + Grace Cowan

Tuesday, May 21, 2024 Multi-intention

8:30 a.m. + Giovanni Corso

+ Galu Raul Narvaez Andrade

Wednesday, May 22, 2024

8:30 a.m. Deceased Members of Ruggiero Family

Thursday, May 23, 2024 Multi-intention

8:30 a.m. + Angela Donaghy

Birthday Wishes for Vilma De Leon

Friday, May 24, 2024

8:30 a.m. + Florencia Banal

Saturday, May 25, 2024 Multi-intention

9:00 a.m. For Our Holy Father Pope Francis

4:30 p.m. + James Hutchinson

Sunday, May 26, 2024

8:00 a.m. + Giuseppe D'Andrea & Deceased Family Members

9:30 a.m. + Bystrzycki Family 11:00 a.m. + Raphael Berney

#### LIFE TEEN

Life Teen, our new program for teenagers, meets each Sunday, at 12:00 Noon, following the 11:00 a.m. Mass, in the parish hall. For more information, or to register, contact our Youth Director, Keith, at the following email: stedwardyouthministry@gmail.com

# Corpus Christi Mass & Procession Saint Michael's Cathedral Basilica Sunday, June 2, 2024 (following Noon Mass) All are welcome!

All are welcome to join the Most Reverend Francis Leo, Archbishop of Toronto, for a Corpus Christi Mass & Procession at Saint Michael's Cathedral Basilica (65 Bond St.) on Sunday, June 2, 2024 following the Noon Mass. A short procession (30-45 minutes) will take place in the vicinity surrounding the cathedral followed by Solemn Benediction followed by fellowship.

#### <u>Senior Residence Masses – May 2024</u>

Monday, May 27<sup>th</sup> – AMICA – 10:30 a.m.



Congratulations to Fr. Jeremy Zou, Fr. Marko Bušić, Fr. Daniel Lee, Fr. Ryan Nigli, Fr. Szymon Karol Sorbian who were ordained to the Priesthood on Saturday, May 11<sup>th</sup>, at 10:00 a.m. at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica.

Fr. Jeremy Zou will be celebrating Mass at St. Edward's Church on the weekend of May 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup>. There will be a time for greeting and refreshments following the 11:00 a.m. Mass on Sunday, May 26<sup>th</sup> in the parish hall.

#### **Year of Prayer Video Series**

In advance of the Jubilee Year taking place in 2025, the archdiocese has created a video series which will highlight the importance of prayer in our lives. The series will focus on the seven petitions of the Lord's Prayer as found in the fourth part of the Catechism of the Catholic Church. The first video, an introduction to the Year of Prayer by Archbishop Leo, is available for viewing now on the archdiocesan website as well as on the archdiocesan YouTube channel at

http://www.youtube.com/@archtoronto.

### Archbishop Leo's Message/Reflection On the month of Mary

The month of May is dedicated entirely to the Mother of Jesus, Mary Most Holy. Archbishop Francis Leo has written an inspiring message as a way of further highlighting a stronger devotion to Mary in our personal lives and within the faith community. The Archbishop's reflection will be sent this weekend to all parishioners on the parish Flocknote. Parishioners who do not receive Flocknote may sign up by simply providing the parish office with your email. You may also view the Archbishop's reflection at: www.archtoronto.org

During this month of May, Msgr. Pat will be also offering Special Masses at the parish schools in honour of Mary.

#### Victoria Day Long Weekend

Due to the Victoria Day Long Weekend, the office will be closed on Monday, May 20. We wish everyone a safe and happy long weekend.

# <u>International Eucharistic Congress –</u> <u>September 8–15, 2024</u> Join the Archdiocese of Toronto Delegation!

Traditionally every four years, the Holy Father invites pilgrims from around the world to join in an International Eucharistic Congress. This year's event will take place in Quito, Ecuador from September 8–15, 2024. Limited spaces are available for pilgrims from the Archdiocese of Toronto to join with other Canadian delegates to travel to Ecuador. To learn more about the pilgrimage, visit www.archtoronto.org/iec. Registration deadline is June 6, 2024 with early bird pricing extended until May 17, 2024.

### St. Edward's CWL Communion Brunch

Sunday, June 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2024

Mass: 11:00 a.m. at St. Edward's Brunch: 1:00 p.m. at Novotel, 3 Park Home Ave., North York, M2n 6L3

Tickets: \$50

Keynote Speaker: Linda Pletzer

"The Power of Team Work In the Spiritual Journey"

Tickets available after all weekend Masses, until June 26<sup>th</sup>. RSVP with Monica@ stewardcwl@gmail.com

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