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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. Andrew Taylor – *Associate Pastor*
Rev. Mr. David Quail – *Permanent Deacon*
Sr. Teresa Morrison, CPS – *R.C.I.A.*
John Xerri – *Seminarian*

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Parish Ministries

55+ CLUB - 416-222-5139

CATECHISM COURSE(S) - Msgr. Pat O'Dea

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE - Monica Figueredo
stedwardcwl@gmail.com

GOOD SHEPHERD - Margaret Hawkins

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - Grand Knight, Kim Pacis
Kim.pacis@kofc.org

SOCIAL COMMITTEE - Monica Figueredo

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL - 437-388-4960

YOUTH MINISTRY - Maribeth Go
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THE DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA IN ROME

Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

THERE ARE TIMES when we are tired and frustrated and we do not act as we normally would. Is this what is happening in today's Gospel passage, where Jesus clears the temple of the money changers? This reading follows upon the wedding at Cana. Surely Jesus had just had a brilliant time with His family and friends. So why does John the Evangelist situate this passage here? John's focus is very different from the other Gospels. John's Jesus is the Christ, God in charge.

When I was growing up, it was frowned upon to show anger. Since that time I have learned that when my head judges that an injustice is taking place, anger is often the response of my heart. So maybe this is the reason Jesus displays such a deep anger when He senses that the temple is being used for a purpose it was never intended to have.

Why these reading on this memorial day of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica? The act of dedicating a place to God is a ritual found in most religious traditions. The Lateran Basilica is considered the mother church of all churches. It is the home church of the Pope. So it is today that we see Jesus acting in a way to purify and confirm the purpose of the temple as a place of worship dedicated to God. *(Reflection of Sr. Pat Carter, CSJ of Living with Christ)*

Youth Ministry

The EDGE and Life Teen Ministry began Friday October 4th. EDGE will be held the 1st and 3rd Friday of the month at 7:00 p.m. Life Teen will be held the 2nd and 4th Friday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

Registration Forms available in the lobby of the Church or contact Maribeth Go at stedwardyouthministry@gmail.com

COR PROGRAM A NEW SPIRITUAL PROGRAM FOR THE MEN OF THE PARISH

The men of the parish are invited to attend a new spiritual program designed to assist men to grow in faith and fellowship. The program is called "COR" (from the Latin, meaning "Heart"). The meeting time is early on a Saturday morning, to allow less disruption of family life. There is no need to sign up or to feel obligated to attend all the meetings. The program will run in the parish hall on the first and third Saturdays of the month. The next meeting is **Saturday, November 15th. And Saturday, Dec. 6th.**

Schedule as follows:

7:00 a.m. - Hall Doors Open;

Gathering time for social/coffee/refreshments

7:30 a.m. - Themed Talk and Spiritual Discussion

8:30 a.m. - Concludes with Prayer



Monday, November 10, 2025

8:30 a.m. + Antonio Porcelli

Tuesday, November 11, 2025 Multi-intention

8:30 a.m. + Roseleen Fitzgerald
+ Selliah Rajakulendran
+ Antoon Loucks
+ Kim Ok Hee Teresa
Deceased Members of Boaretto Family

Wednesday, November 12, 2025

8:30 a.m. + Cecilia So

Thursday, November 13, 2025 Multi-intention

8:30 a.m. + Kim Thin Ah Lan
+ Mary Kelly
+ Abenina & Sheedy Families
Special Intentions of Sonny & Winnie Lo

Friday, November 14, 2025

8:30 a.m. + Azucena Monzon Avancena

Saturday, November 15, 2025 Multi-intention

9:00 a.m. + Boaretto Family
+ Angela Conetta
+ Vivian Springer
+ First Death Anniversary of Bonifacio M. Asufra

4:30 p.m. + Karlos Kwok-On Lau

Sunday, November 16, 2025

8:00 a.m. + Doug Jamieson

9:30 a.m. + Onorio Carlesimo

11:00 a.m. Jasmine & Wilfred Carvalho's Wedding Anniversary

Shepherds' Trust Collection - November 15th/16th



The mission of The Shepherds' Trust is to ensure elderly and disabled priests are provided with sufficient financial resources to lead a dignified life after many years of ministry.

Your generous gift will help our priests maintain a modest but active and independent lifestyle in their retirement years. For priests who are ill or otherwise infirm, the trust ensures they have access to nursing home facilities and medical care. The special collection will take place next weekend, **November 15th/16th**. Thank you for your support of this important work.

Red Wednesday Mass – November 19th, 2025

On November 19, 2025, Red Wednesday will be marked across Canada and the world. In Toronto, the faithful are invited to attend Mass at 5:30 p.m. at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica – Bishop John Boissonneau, Auxiliary Bishop of Toronto will preside. Red Wednesday highlights the persecution of Christians and calls us to defend religious freedom. Parishes, schools, and communities can show solidarity by praying, wearing red and organizing events. More info: www.acn-canada.org/rw.



A Prayer for Remembrance Day

*Loving God,
have mercy on your people,
and open our hearts
to peace and love.
Reward all who have died
for their country,
and grant that Canada
and all nations
may continue to work
for peace and justice.
Bless us in your service,
and help us to follow
Jesus Christ,
who is our Saviour
and our Lord
for ever and ever.
Amen*

Youth Contests 2026!

The Catholic Women's League of St. Edward the Confessor Parish invites all youth to grow in faith, build confidence, and share their gifts! Contests include the:

1. Mary Matthews Public Speaking (Grades 7–8)
2. Mary Dobell Pro-Life Essay & Poetry (Grades 7–12)
3. Jean McCann Service Award (Ages 15–18)
4. CWL Michael's Scholarship.

Registration deadline: Nov. 25, 2025.

Contest and submission dates run Feb.–May 2026.

Let your voice, words, and actions shine for your parish and beyond!

We look forward to seeing what you will bring to the table in 2026!

Questions or more details?

Email Gene: stedwardcwl@gmail.com

Website: cwltoronto.ca

CWL Christmas Bazaar

Please help us make this fundraiser successful!

1. Poinsettia Plants can be pre-ordered after Masses this weekend Nov. 8-9 and next weekend Nov. 15-16. An order form is included in this bulletin.
2. Surprise Package Table: We need NEW items to wrap up and sell sight unseen at less than their actual value; ie, unused gifts. These items can be for men, women, children, youths.
3. Gently Used Sporting Goods - please donate (ie, skates, hockey equipment, balls, etc.)
4. Candy Cane Pull - for this game we need prizes for children, such as small games and toys, colouring books, etc. (new items). We also need an abundance of regular size Candy Canes!

CWL members will accept donations of the above items at the table in the foyer before and after weekend Masses on November 8-9 and November 15-16. The deadline for all donations is Sunday, November 16th following the 11 am Mass. For further information, please contact Susan Barry at 416-223-5261. Proceeds from this Bazaar are to address needs within our own community! Thank you!



Offertory envelopes for 2026 are available in the hall. The boxes are in alphabetical order. Please check your name and address on the box. If there is a change of address, please contact the Parish office – 416-221-9131.

November

During the month of November, parishioners are welcome to write the names of deceased at the special Remembrance Table which will be placed near the sanctuary. During the month of November, we shall remember the deceased through a special petition at all the Masses.

ShareLife – Double Matching of Funds

Starting today, a generous anonymous donor within the Archdiocese of Toronto has once again pledged to match every gift to the ShareLife Parish Campaign up to \$500,000, until December 31st. This is a wonderful opportunity for those who have yet to donate, to still make a contribution knowing it will be doubled. Thank you for your generosity.

New Sunday Missal

The new Living with Christ Sunday Missal for 2025- 2026, arte available after each Mass, for persons wishing to obtain their own copy. Each Missals costs \$5.00.

55+ Club

The 55+ Seniors Group meets weekly on Wednesdays from 1 – 3 pm. and the knitters & crocheters from 11:30 am to 12:30 pm. For more information, contact Lorena Chioran at 416-398-0973.



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