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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.*
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Parish Ministries

55+ CLUB - 416-222-5139

CATECHISM COURSE(S) - Msgr. Pat O’Dea

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SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Dear Parishioners:

This weekend we welcome Fr. Matthew Tulio, our former seminarian-intern, as he celebrates his First Mass at the 11:00 a.m. Sunday Mass, followed by a reception in the parish hall. I invite your prayers for Fr. Matthew, Fr. Victor Valdes, Fr. Moonjun Alphonse Choi, and Fr. Matteo Bertozzi, all of whom were ordained at St. Michael's Cathedral-Basilica by His Eminence Frank Cardinal Leo, on Saturday, May 9. In particular, you may recall that Fr. Moonjun Alphonse Choi also stayed with us for one summer a few years ago, as he worked at the Archdiocese of Toronto. I wish to thank you, one and all, for your tremendous support of vocations over the past years. I believe all of us have been truly enriched by the witness of faith of each Seminarian who served here at the parish. May God bless them and continue to provide them the strength, courage and inspiration to be faithful in their service to the people of God in the priesthood.

We also celebrate Mother's Day this weekend, as we pray for the mothers, grandmothers, and expectant mothers of our parish community, and perhaps within our families. We also lift in prayer all deceased mothers as we recall their vocation and witness to family life.

Finally, I wish to congratulate all the students of our parish schools, and public and private schools that celebrated the Sacrament of Confirmation this past weekend. I wish to thank the teachers, and educators involved in their formation, both at the school and parish level. A special word of thanks to all who assisted with the two Confirmation Masses, and to Bishop Robert Kasun, auxiliary bishop of Toronto, who celebrated the Confirmation Masses and Confirmed the students. Please keep our young people in your prayers.

In this month of May, which is dedicated to our Blessed Mother Mary, we invite her maternal intercession, asking her to draw us ever closer to her Son, Jesus Christ. Please find the time to perhaps offer a rosary for the Church, the Holy Father, Pope Leo, our Archbishop Cardinal Francis Leo, and for all in the Church.

May God bless you, and let us pray for one another.

Msgr. Pat

Good Shepherd Ministries

A reminder that the casseroles for Good Shepherd Ministries are due every second weekend of the month. Thank you for providing a hot nourishing meal for the homeless people



Monday, May 11, 2026

8:30 a.m. Birthday Wishes for Francis Kang

Tuesday, May 12, 2026 Multi-intention

8:30 a.m. + Maria Wonbok Cho
 + Nan Kyo Han
 + Joseph Edwin Jojo Rebanal

Wednesday, May 13, 2026

8:30 a.m. + Cecilia Szeto

Thursday, May 14, 2026

8:30 a.m. + Louisa Pereira
 + Younghoe Kim & Soonhee Lee
 + Celmira Jacome

Friday, May 15, 2026

8:30 a.m. + Lourdes & Danilo Cuevas

Saturday, May 16, 2026

9:00 a.m. + Antonio Major
 + Anna Ko
 + Regina De Montiel

4:30 p.m. + Carrie Anne Clancy Quish

Sunday, May 17, 2026

8:00 a.m. Rita & Michael Monaghan
9:30 a.m. + Daniel Kavisi Wombae
11:00 a.m. + Bob Morin

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, May 14th**

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

Pope's Pastoral Works – May 17th/18th, 2026

There will be a second collection for the Pope's Pastoral Works, next weekend May 17th/18th. These funds are passed on to the Holy Father for immediate response in countries stricken by war, famine and natural disasters. The Pope's Pastoral Works displays Christ's love and compassion for people in desperate need. Please give generously.

A Prayer for Mothers

All-loving God, we give you thanks and praise for mothers young and old.

We pray for young mothers, who give life and count toes and tend to our every need; May they be blessed with patience and tenderness to care for their families and themselves with great joy.

We pray for our own mothers who have nurtured and cared for us; May they continue to guide in strong and gentle ways.

We remember mothers who are separated from their children because of war, poverty, or conflict; May they feel the loving embrace of our God who wipes every tear away.

We pray for women who are not mothers but still love and shape us with motherly care and compassion.

We remember mothers, grandmothers, and great-grandmothers who are no longer with us but who live forever in our memory and nourish us with their love.
Amen.



A Day With Mary

You are invited to a “Day With Mary” taking place on **Saturday, May 30, 2026** at Villanova College in King City. This family-friendly day will consist of Holy Mass with His Eminence Frank Cardinal Leo, praying of the Rosary, Confessions, a keynote address for adults and children’s catechesis for the little ones. There will be music, fellowship and more.

There is no fee to register – this is a free event open to all. Registration opened on April 8 until May 15: <https://bit.ly/DWMRegistration>. Complete information can be found at <https://archtoronto.org/Mary>

Bundle Sunday - St. Vincent de Paul

The truck will be in the church parking lot next weekend May 16th/17th, to accept your donations of used clothing, footwear, bedding, towels and drapes, and new toys (**new toys only**). Thank you for your generosity!

Banns of Marriage

There is a promise of marriage between Anne Oluwatoyosi Taiwo Ayodele of St. Edward the Confessor Parish, Toronto and Efetobor Felix Iruvwe who resides in Lagos, Nigeria.

The marriage is to take place on August 15, 2026 at Church of the Presentation, in Lagos Nigeria. Please keep them in your prayers. Should anyone know of any impediment to their forthcoming marriage, please contact the parish office.

Pre-Planning Seminar

Saturday May 30, 2026, at 9:00 AM
Holy Cross Catholic Cemetery & Funeral Home
211 Langstaff Rd E, Thornhill

Planning ahead is one of the most thoughtful and compassionate decisions you can make for your family. Join us for an informative seminar designed to help you understand your options and make confident, faith-informed decisions.

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- Funeral and burial options
- Planning in advance to ease burden on loved ones
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You must RSVP to attend at 905-889-7467 ext. 1 or by email at holycrossinquiry@cc-fs.ca

Totus Tuus Summer Camp – Registration Now Open!

We are excited to welcome back Totus Tuus this summer, running July 12–17 for students entering Grades 1–12 in the upcoming school year. Join us for a fun and faith-filled week featuring catechesis, daily Mass, confession, music, and games!

Program Cost:

Day Program: \$125 | Evening Program: \$50

Register here:

Day Program: <https://forms.gle/VGcSJv1Kum24WL2j6>

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