

Sunday, April 12, 2026



“Put your finger here and see my hands, and bring your hand and put it into my side, and do not be unbelieving, but believe.” Thomas answered and said to him, “My Lord and my God!” Jesus said to him, “Have you come to believe because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed.” - Jn 20:27b-29

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, April 13, 2026

8:15 am: + Patrick & Nora McKeown

Tuesday, April 14, 2026

8:15 am: + Sr. Mary Emmanuel Lardizabal & Alfredo Lasmarias

7:00 pm: + Daminh Bui Quyen

Wednesday, April 15, 2026

8:15 am: + Elias Patrick D’Souza

Thursday, April 16, 2026

8:15 am: + Marian & Harold Quenault (Wedding Anniversary)

Friday, April 17, 2026

8:15 am: Maria Scupham (50th Birthday)

7:00 pm: + Jan Opalia

Thanksgiving for Aurora Chavez

+ Soosapillai Gananapragasam & Mary Roslin

+ Michael Troy

+ All Souls

Saturday, April 18, 2026

8:15 am: + Laurette Dallaire

5:00 pm: + Deceased Members of the Carbonelli & Howley Family

Sunday, April 19, 2026

8:30 am: St. Patrick’s Parishioners

10:00 am: + Halina Kotowicz

12:00 pm: + Paul Tjioe

7:00 pm: + Emily & Arthur Brown

Second Sunday of Easter

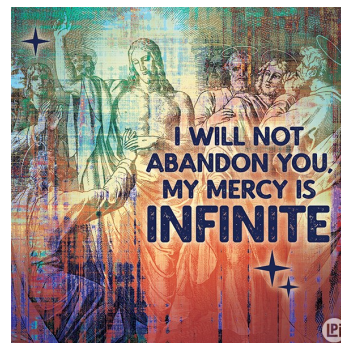
“Then he said to Thomas, ‘Put your finger here and see my hands, and bring your hand and put it into my side, and do not be unbelieving, but believe.’” (John 20:27)

In my early 20s, I volunteered at a parish youth group. I witnessed teens encountering Jesus with a fresh, romantic wonder that reminded me of my own teenage conversion. But something had changed in me. I was quietly jaded and cynical. When teens shared stories of encountering Christ, I’d want to sarcastically murmur, “Well, good for you.” I had grown suspicious of the zeal I once knew. Then we brought the group on a pilgrimage. I was standing in an old church in France, ignoring a long-winded tour guide. I found myself before a crucifix. In that moment, I heard something, not audibly, but unmistakably in my heart: “I came to be your friend... and you wish to be my enemy? Why do you stand far from me? I suffer gladly for you. I was pierced for you. Why do you run from me?” My heart opened. I saw how cold and cynical I had become. But Jesus had not given up on me. He had returned, and his mercy broke through. So I can relate to the scoffing — and transformation — of Thomas when the Risen Jesus presents his wounds for inspection. Thomas is not simply doubting; he is guarded, suspicious, even cynical. But Jesus comes to him. No lecture. Just understanding and mercy. He invites Thomas to touch his wounds. This burns away his cynicism like the morning mist.

Divine Mercy Challenge: This week, rejoice with someone who is newly alive in faith. If your own heart has grown skeptical or tired, ask Jesus to help you. He will.

ShareLife

After the first collection, we have raised **\$27,984.00 for ShareLife**. Your kindness and support to give are a true reflection of our faith and love for one another. The second collection will be on the weekend of April 25-26, 2026. We thank you in advance for your generosity!



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Please Pray for the Sick...

Please pray for our parishioners, family and friends who have requested our prayers: Alessia & Tony Commisso, Tina MacPherson, Damien Chaytor, Humberto Casimiro, Char-maine Menezes, Maria Bizzaro, Thomas Chircop, George Blanchette, Sonia Miranda, Suzy Zahra, Marcelle Caruana, Paul Celia, Alix Meikle, Arnold De Castro, Rosa Santos, Virginia Sevilla, Carole Melbourne, Royston Guilford, Jacintha Fernandes, Anna Iafrate, Dominic Alvia, Manuel Bienvenido Locsin, Theresa Boutilier, John Ngoc Truong, Maureen Tierney, Bill Cranor, Jose Valle, John Fermin, Jonathan Pinto, Gatsby & Ryen Lung, Fruto Relator, Virginia Torrefranca, Carole Bullock, Pat Mooney, Rhea O'Hara, Sybrea O'Hara, Maria Maddele-na, Chris Troughton, Rita Pinto, Henryka Zebrowska, Therese Torrefranca, Benedict De Castro, Tessie Morales, Natalie Troughton, Michael Healey, Melissa Cas-tillo, Marisa Castillo, Gladys Castillo, Teresa Kuervers, Teresa Marchese, Antonio Marchese, Wojtek Stanislawski, Theresa Fraiser, Beata, Arthur Moniz, Pasqua Dimucho, Camila M. Binauhai, Oliver Pinto, Elizabeth Blizniouk, Cathy DeBono, Samantha & Andrew Paliwada, Charlotte Carvalho, Zerina Vaz, Amal Abdou, Terry Blanchette, Justina Colaco, Jose Martins, Celia Ro-drigues, Thomas Nedumpara, Nardo Laxamana



Camp Shamrock at St. Patrick's!

Camp Shamrock is a 2 week long summer day camp at St. Patrick's, Mississauga. This **day camp** is for kids enrolled in grades 1 to 8. Camp Shamrock will offer games, outdoor water activities, sports, music, crafts and more! It's a great place to learn and grow in the Catholic faith and includes prayerful elements and other activities. Camp dates are:

Week 1: July 20-24

Week 2: July 27-31

Fees: \$180.00/week per child OR \$300.00 for two weeks per child.

Hours: 9:00 AM to 3:30 PM everyday

NOTE: Extended Care Hours are also available for an extra cost. Please contact Kristina for more details!

If you wish to register, email Kristina at ksilvester@archtoronto.org or ext. 226

That Man is You

That Man Is You! addresses the pressures and temptations that men face in our modern culture, especially those relating to their roles as husband and fathers. The weekly series continues every Wednesday at 7:00 PM in the church Hall. All men are welcome!

EDGE Camp August 15th to 19th

EDGE Camp is back and we're heading to Camp White Pine in Haliburton! This year is extra special because we're welcoming all students in Grade 5 through 8. Spots fill up quick so please register before April 30th for Early Bird Registration.

Registrations open March 1st. There is a \$100 non-refundable deposit to secure your spot. **Early Bird is \$500.00 BEFORE April 30th.** After April 30th, the price will be \$575.00. All registration and medical forms will be completed online.

Please contact Kristina for more information and to register.

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2026 ACTS Spring Retreats

Women's Retreat – April 16 – 19, 2026

Men's Retreat – May 21 - 24, 2026

Women's Contact: Andrea Tjioe (416-525-3893) or a_tjioe@yahoo.com

Men's Contact: Willy Klaudusz (647-281-5990) or wklaudusz@gmail.com

For more info, please visit www.actscanada.org

Spring Bottle Drive

The Knights of Columbus will be holding a bottle drive in support of **Special Olympics Ontario**. Please bring your empty liquor, wine, and beer bottles before or after all Masses on the **weekend of April 18 and 19**. Your generosity is greatly appreciated! and we thank you for your support!

Mini Reflection

There is a reason Christ showed his wounds as he said the words, "Peace be with you." It was not just a means of identifying himself — it was a catechism lesson. *Here*, he was saying. *Here is the peace you will not find anywhere else.*

Easter Prayer

Dear Lord,
Your redemption has been known in every age. You have never stopped inviting us closer into your presence. Fill us anew this Easter season, bringing new hope, new life, and new light into our journey.
Amen.