Sunday, March 26, 2023



Jesus told her, "I am the resurrection and the life; whoever believes in me, even if he dies, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die. Do you believe this?"

She said to him, "Yes, Lord. I have come to believe that you are the Christ, the Son of God, the one who is coming into the world."

- Jn 11:25-27

Mass Intentions

Monday, March 27, 2023

8:15 am: + Stasia Aranha & Deceased Members

of the Aranha Family Tuesday, March 28, 2023

8:15 am: + Resurreccion ben

7:00 pm: Aldeanna & Alyssa Hipolito Wednesday, March 29, 2023 8:15 am: + Souls in Purgatory Thursday, March 30, 2023

8:15 am: + Lucy Britto Friday, March 31, 2023

8:15 am: In Thanksgiving: Maxwell Isaacs

7:00 pm: + Tony Dragicevic

+ Bruce Gouldby + Vincent Mui

+ All Souls

Saturday, April 1, 2023

8:15 am: + Ivan Storey

5:00 pm: + Milagros & Roman Gueco & Remedios

Cates Gueco

Sunday, April 2, 2023

8:30 am: In Thanksgiving for the Pham Family 10:00 am: St. Patrick's Parishioners & Youth 12:00 pm: In Thanksgiving from the Pereira Family

7:00 pm: + Harold North



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Fifth Sunday of Lent

Of all Jesus' miracles, the most unsettling might be when he made a dead person alive. We know of three times when he did so: a girl, a young man, and Lazarus. The miracle teaches us he has the power of life and death. He anticipates his resurrection. Sin hurts us. Some sin kills us, spiritually. The three miracles reveal to us that no matter our circumstances, Jesus can give life to us. The three miracles are instructive of the three ways we feel dead. The little dead girl symbolizes sin before it has time to mature. She's in bed and, once alive, gets right back to her life. The young man is lying in his casket in a funeral procession. This is sin allowed to fester, to grow and become somewhat normalized. Once raised, he has a short walk back home. Lazarus, a full-grown dead man, lies wrapped in burial bands in the tomb. Once he is raised, much needs to be done. He'll need to remove those bands, find new clothes, and travel all the way back home. That is sin allowed to go all the way, unchecked for months or years. It's the most spectacular of the three and reveals Jesus' glory more than the others. What hope that should give us, for us and those whom we love! Jesus knows our sin hurts us and can even kill us spiritually. No matter the extent of the damage, he is always ready for the miracle of making the dead fully alive. Father John Muir

Share Life (this weekend)

For 48 years, the people of the Archdiocese of Toronto, have been uniting the celebration of Lent, with SHARE LIFE. We, as a Parish, have been contributing generously during that time. It is my hope that this generosity will continue this year as we gear up for the three Sunday collections which will support SHARE LIFE, **April 30, and June 4**. I hope that you have received the information from Cardinal Collins speaking about the campaign. The various agencies supported by SHARE LIFE are thankful for your support, and they are hoping that this support will continue. We all know the need that is in our communities, and hopefully through SHARE LIFE, we will be able to help in a way that will be beneficial for all those supported through SHARE LIFE. Our total giving for last year was, \$134,638.00, which I think is wonderful. The goal set by the SHARE LIFE office for this year is **\$139,300.00**. I hope that we will be able to make that goal, but whatever we give will make a difference for all those supported by SHARE LIFE. Thank you for your continued support. - Fr. John

Parish Office Hours

Mon-Fri: 9am-4pm

Sat: 9am-12pm, 3pm-6pm, Sun: 9am-1pm

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, Charmaine Menezes, Maria Bizzaro, Thomas Chircop, George Blanchette, Sonia Miranda, Suzy Zahra, Marcelle Caruana, Lynn Viscardi, Maria Bowman, Luigina Furlan, Francis Asis,



Paul Celia, Evelyn Cletus, Alix Meikle, Raul Soriano, Wilfredo Ticzon, Arnold De Castro, Rosa Santos, Virginia Sevilla, Carole Melbourne, Luigina Catalli, Royston Guilford, Irene Lesniak, Jacintha Fernandes, Andre & Tamara Boaden, Dianne Ouellette, Anna Iafrate, Doreen Micallef, John Kolozsvari, Dominic Alvia, Manuel Bienvenido Locsin, Theresa Boutilier, John Ngoc Truong, Maureen Tierney, Bill Cranor, Jocelyn Heydorn, Jose Valle, John Fermin, Jonathan Pinto, Alvaro Interiano, Arlene Claricia, Jennifer Nava-Villa, Gatsby & Ryen Lung, Eleonora Marchese, Fruto Relator, Margarita Flores, Carlito Claricia, Virgina Torrefranca, Benedict de Castro, Carole Bullock, Russell Hussey, Josie Timko, Pat Mooney, Joseph A. Torrefranca, Rhea O'Hara, Sybrea O'Hara, Teresita Morales

Easter Food Drive

March 11-April 2, 2023

Now accepting canned food and non-perishable items! Thank you! Only with your support, we can make a difference for families in need.

CHOCOLATES!

With Easter around the corner, the Squires will be selling chocolates after all Masses on the weekend of March 25-26th, 2023. Thank you for your continued support!

Lectors Needed

Readers are needed for the 7:00pm Mass. If you are interested, please visit the parish office to complete a registration form. Once completed, you will be contacted by the Parish Lector Coordinator, David. Thank you!

John Cabot High School 25th Anniversary Saturday, April 22, 2023

Mass, 10:00am Location: St. Patrick's Church, Mississauga

Cabot Open House, 11:30am-1:00pm Location: John Cabot Secondary School 635 Willowbank Trail



HOLY WEEK SCHEDUL

CONFESSIONS

Saturday, March 25: 3:00-4:45pm Tuesday, March 28: 5:00-6:45pm Wednesday, March 29: 6:00-8:00pm Friday, March 31: 5:00-6:45pm Saturday, April 1: 3:00-4:45pm

HOLY WEEK

*A reminder that there will be no confessions during Holy Week.

> Monday, April 3 8:15am Mass

Tuesday, April 4 8:15am Mass, NO 7:00PM MASS!

> Wednesday, April 5 8:15am Mass

Holy Thursday, April 6 Mass of the Lord's Supper: 7:30pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament to 10:00pm Good Friday, April 7

Solemn Liturgy, Celebration of the Lord's Passion 1:00pm, 3:00pm Stations of the Cross-7:00pm

> Holy Saturday, April 8 Easter Vigil—9:00pm

Easter Sunday, April 9 Masses-8:30am, 10:00am, 12:00pm NO 7:00PM MASS!

Stations of the Cross

Mar 31 & Apr 7 after the 7pm Mass Below is the schedule of the different groups in our parish that will be praying the Stations of the Cross.

March 31st - Legion of Mary

<u>YOUTH MINISTR</u>Y JOIN US FOR EDGE & ELEV8!

Join us Fridays at the Parish from 5pm to 6:30pm (doors open at 4:45pm):

Apr 14, Apr 28, May 26 & Jun 9

RSVP is encouraged through Eventbrite: http://bit.ly/spygedge