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CATHEDRAL SCHEDULE:

Sunday Masses:

5:00 PM (Saturday Vigil)
8:00 AM, 10:00 AM,
12:00 Noon, 5:00 PM & 9:00 PM

Weekday Masses:

Monday to Friday: 7:30 AM,
12:10 PM & 5:30 PM
Saturday: 7:30 AM & 12:10 PM

Confessions:

Monday to Friday: 11:30 AM – 12:00 Noon
Saturday: 3:00 – 4:45 PM
Sunday: 9:15 – 9:45 AM, 11:15 – 11:45 AM,
4:15 – 4:45 PM, 8:15 – 8:45 PM

Rosary:

Monday to Saturday: 11:45 AM

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Monday to Friday:
Following the 12:10 PM Mass

Cathedral Hours:

Monday to Saturday: 7:00 AM – 6:30 PM
Sunday: 7:30 AM – 10:00 PM

Office Hours:

Monday to Friday: 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM
Saturday: 1:00 PM – 4:00 PM
Sunday: 9:00 AM – 11:30 AM

Mass or Memorial Lamp Intentions:

Offerings can be made at the Parish Office
during office hours.

PARISH TEAM:

Rector:

Rev. Frank Portelli

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PARISH SCHOOLS:

St. Michael's Choir School:

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www.smcs.on.ca

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Principal: Lisa McMillan
www.tcdsb.org/schools/stmichael

BAPTISMS, WEDDINGS & FUNERALS:

Please call the Parish Office or visit our website for details.
Weddings must be booked a minimum of one year in advance.



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PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL: St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

ASCENSION OF THE LORD

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, May 22 – VICTORIA DAY

10:00 AM Anthony, Chrishelle &
Alana Ladignon Pereira (I)

Tuesday, May 23

7:30 AM Rina Kan (I)

12:10 PM Larry Murray (D)
Stefano Cancelli (D)
Fr. Sarath Maddineni (I)
Lucas Gary McIntyre (I)
Fe Lolinco (D)

5:30 PM Nicholas & Catherine (I)

Wednesday, May 24

7:30 AM Bernadette Tow-Ying &
Lee Voon Ah-Chong (D)

12:10 PM Giovanni Leva (D)
Narciso, Nora & Nazor Pilleren(D)
Maria Fe Carreon (D)
Erly Escueta (I)

For the repose of the souls of those
laid to rest in our Catholic Cemeteries

5:30 PM Elvira Santos Samonte (D)

Thursday, May 25

7:30 AM Melquiades and Juana E. Garcia (D)

12:10 PM Stefan Cristian Mototolea (I)
Benedicta Tapia Fudalan (D)
Patrick Archer (D)
Andre De Silva(D)
Nathaniel Leung (I)

5:30 PM Priest's Intention

Friday, May 26 – St. Philip Neri

7:30 AM Joseph Jong-Min O (I)

12:10 PM Jimbo Perez (D)
Sean Byrne (D)
Cherry Lee Lao Hua (D)
Eliseo Magtoto (D)
Ann Oliveri Fusco (I)

5:30 PM Orly Calasan (D)

Saturday, May 27

7:30 AM MT Klotz (I)

12:10 PM Lucas Gary McIntyre (I)
Virginia Pacheco (D)
Joyce Madore & Stephen Taylor (I)
Pisarczyk Mirosław (I)
Henry Ygbuhay &
Rosita Noda Ygbuhay (D)

MEMORIAL LAMP TRANSEPTS MAY

Sacred Heart	Immaculate Heart
Erly Escueta (I)	Lidya, Andi & Family (I)
Cheryl James (I)	Fr. Ed Curtis (I)
Maria Giuliana Giugovas (I)	Fr. Francis Portelli (I)

SUNDAY READINGS

First Reading: Acts 1:1-11

Responsorial Psalm: 47:1-2, 5-6, 7-8

Second Reading: Ephesians 1:17-23

Gospel: Matthew 28:16-20

ASCENSION OF THE LORD

This weekend, we celebrate the Solemnity of the Ascension of Our Lord. Originally celebrated on the Thursday after the Sixth Sunday of Easter, the Ascension represents the 40th day after Christ's resurrection when he ascends into Heaven to sit at the right hand of God the Father. Next Sunday will mark the 50th day after Easter, when Our Lord sends down the Holy Spirit upon the Apostles, Pentecost Sunday.

SHARELIFE AND WORLD COMMUNICATIONS DAY

On this World Communications Day, your support of ShareLife is improving the lives of Deaf people in our community.

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Thus far we have raised **\$40,300.78** toward our goal of **\$196,600.00**. Please give at the Cathedral using a ShareLife envelope, at <https://sharelife.org/donate> or <https://donate.stmichaelscathedral.com/sharelife/>.

MAY 21, 2023

**SMCS SPRING CONCERT:
HAIL, GLADDENING LIGHT**

This **Friday, May 26 at 7:00 PM**, please join us here at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica as the choirs of **St. Michael's Choir School** perform their Spring Concert! All are welcome to come and enjoy the beautiful music sung by the students as they present their final concert of the school year. A donation of \$25 is suggested.

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Please join us on **Monday, May 29 at 10 AM to 11:30 AM** in the Cathedral Atrium. Please register by **May 24** using the QR code or the following link: <https://bit.ly/letstalkfraud>.

**MUSIC FOR CANTOR & ORGAN
MASSES**

CANTOR & ORGAN MASSES		
Mass	Cantor	Organist
Sunday 8:00 AM	Felipe Morgado	Christopher Ku
5:00 PM	Joey Jang	Paul Jenkins
9:00 PM	Felipe Morgado	John Paul Farahat
Organ Preludes		
Sunday		
5:00 PM	L'Ascension: Majesté du Christ demandant sa gloire à son Père - Olivier Messiaen	
	Prière du Christ montant vers son Père	
9:00 PM	Élévation - M. Dupré	
Hymns & Acclamations		
Entrance	133	Hail the day that sees him rise (omit vv. 3, 4)
Gloria	496	VIII de Angelis
Psalm:	693	God has gone up with a shout, the Lord with the sound of a trumpet.
Gospel Accl:	815	Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!
Offertory:	140ii	Lord, you give the great commission
Sanctus:	516	From A Community Mass
Mem. Accl:	517	From A Community Mass
Amen:	518	From A Community Mass
Agnus Dei:	519	From A Community Mass
Communion:	167ii	Lord, enthroned in heav'nly splendour (omit v.5)
Recessional:	137	The head that once was crowned with thorns
Organ Postludes		
Sunday		
8:00 AM	Fuga in F (BWV 540/ii) - Johann Sebastian Bach	
5:00 PM	Transports de joie d'une âme devant la gloire du Christ qui est la sienne - Olivier Messiaen	
9:00 PM	Prelude in E-flat Major, op. 99 no. 3 - C. Saint-Saëns	
At the Saturday 5:00 PM, Sunday 10:00 AM and 12:00 PM Masses with St. Michael's Choir School, please refer to the <i>Music of the Mass</i> bulletin insert.		

**SEEING WITH HEART:
A DAY OF REFLECTION FOR
PARENTS OF LGBT YOUNG ADULTS**

Saturday, June 3, 2023: 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Manresa Jesuit Spiritual Renewal Centre
2325 Liverpool Rd., Pickering

This day of reflection will provide parents with an opportunity to share their stories, listen to presentations from an experienced Catholic priest, reflect on the gifts and talents of their children, and participate in group discussions. The day ends with Mass. We hope to provide a relaxed and supportive environment for parents to meet and interact with other parents, reflect and discuss concerns, learn about resources, strengthen their love, and grow closer to God.

Facilitator: Fr. Tom Rosica, CSB.
Suggested offering of \$65 per person. Includes lunch.
For more information or to register, please call Mike Hyland at **647-296-2499**.

**VICTORIA DAY
MONDAY MAY 22, 2023**

Please note that this **Monday, May 22**, the parish office will be closed for **Victoria Day** and there will be only one Mass at **10:00 AM**. The Cathedral will close following the Mass, and our regular schedule will resume on Tuesday. We wish all of our parishioners a happy and restful long weekend!

**FRIDAY, MAY 26 - 12:10 PM & 5:30 PM
MASSES MOVED TO CRYPT CHAPEL**

This **Friday, May 26**, our **Rosary at 11:45 AM**, Masses at **12:10 PM** and **5:30 PM**, and afternoon **Adoration** will be moved down to the **Crypt Chapel**, as the Cathedral is set up for the Spring Concert. The **7:30 AM** Mass will take place in the main Cathedral as usual.

Apologies for any inconvenience.



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