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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

### Associates:

Rev. Cole Powers  
Rev. Kevin Adriano  
Rev. Dennise Joy (St. Stephen's  
Chapel)

### Lay Pastoral Associates:

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### Cathedral Organist:

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### Toronto Met Catholics Ministry:

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### PARISH SCHOOLS:

**St. Michael's Choir School:**  
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**Exec. Director:** Geoffrey Rawlinson  
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## 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.

# FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Monday, April 7

- 7:30 AM** Therse Foong Yin  
& Thomas Wong Hok Khiam (D)
- 12:10 PM** Rose Atkinson (D)  
Benedicta Tapia Fudalen (D)  
Norma Urbiztondo (D)  
Wilhenry B. Almazan (D)  
Aloysius Michael (I)
- 5:30 PM** Bernadette Tow-Ying  
& Lee Voon Ah Chong (D)

### Tuesday, April 8

- 7:30 AM** Geraldine Merab (I)
- 12:10 PM** Ignacio & Natividad (D)  
Antonio D'Uva (D)  
Maxime & Marcelle Vitu (D)  
Vitu Family (I)  
Ross Menga (I)
- 5:30 PM** Joseph Hoang (D)

### Wednesday, April 9

- 7:30 AM** Miguel Florentino (D)
- 12:10 PM** John Menga (D)  
Freda De Jesus (D)  
For the repose of the souls of those laid  
to rest in our Catholic Cemeteries  
Ann Oliveri-Fusco (I)  
Rev. Frank Portelli (I)
- 5:30 PM** Mary Hoang (D)

### Thursday, April 10

- 7:30 AM** Lizette Wong Chan Chuk Yin (D)
- 12:10 PM** Estela Romero (D)  
Jovencia Olmilla (D)  
Nelia Usana (I)  
Brendalyn & Pamela Lacao (I)  
Rev. Frank Portelli (I)
- 5:30 PM** Mary Nguyen (D)

### Friday, April 11

- 7:30 AM** Pamela Hughes (I)
- 12:10 PM** Jose Pacheco (D)  
Clara Fernandes (D)  
Barb & Elaine Chaisson (I)  
Nelia Usana (I)  
Brendalyn Pamela Lacao (I)
- 5:30 PM** Bernadette Tow-Ying &  
Lee Voon Ah Chong (D)

### Saturday, April 12

- 7:30 AM** Isidra Enrera (I)
- 12:10 PM** Roosevelt Colaco (D)  
Joselito Rubinas (D)  
Mary Camilleri (D)  
Rizalina Enrera (I)  
Emelie Enrera (I)  
Katherine Ann Itay (I)

## MEMORIAL LAMP TRANSEPTS APRIL

Sacred Heart	Immaculate Heart
Lie & Leong Family (D)	Claudia Krawchuk (D)
Dominic & Marcela Romero & Family (I)	Sbeit & Family (I)
Ram Persuad (D)	Michelle Vitu (I)

## INVITATION FROM CARDINAL LEO – SOLEMNITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI



"I am writing to you in anticipation of the Solemnity of Corpus Christi which will be celebrated this year on June 22nd. As part of our annual observance, the Church invites us to conclude our Eucharistic celebration with a Procession. This year our Corpus Christi celebrations and processions take on special significance because they occur within the context of the Jubilee." - His Eminence Frank Cardinal Leo.

Please join us for the Corpus Christi Mass and procession here at the Cathedral on **Sunday, June 22, 2025** following the 12:00 noon mass. All are welcome.

## HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR APRIL For the Use of New Technologies

Let us pray that the use of the new technologies will not replace human relationships, will respect the dignity of the person, and will help us face the crises of our times.

# APRIL 6, 2025

## IMAGE OF MARY ARRIVES AT JUBILEE PILGRIMAGE CHURCHES

A special image of Mary, chosen by Cardinal Leo, is on display at the Jubilee pilgrimage churches throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto, including here at the Cathedral. This image of Madonna and Child by Sano di Pietro will be displayed prominently in the Sanctuary during this year.

In the words of His Eminence, as part of his communication regarding the Consecration of the Archdiocese of Toronto to Mary, Mother of God:



“As was the wish of the crucified and dying Lord Jesus who entrusted the Beloved Disciple to Our Lady and Our Lady to the Beloved Disciple (John 19: 25-27), so we too are called by Christ to welcome his Mother as

our mother and to create space for her in our spiritual home, our faith, our community, our family, our life.”. May the image of Mary deepen our spiritual journey as pilgrims of hope during this Year of Jubilee.

### SHARELIFE

Your support of ShareLife-funded agencies is a saving grace for victims of domestic abuse. Maria was trapped in an abusive relationship, isolated from family and friends. A mother of three, pregnant with her fourth, she needed to escape for her safety and theirs. Catholic Family Services partners with 17 agencies to care for families by providing legal assistance, safe housing, and financial aid. Through your help, women and their young children are able to secure the freedom they deserve.

Please give using a ShareLife envelope or online through our website. Thank you for your support.

### PASCHAL TRIDUUM AND EASTER SCHEDULE

The complete **Holy Week and Easter Schedule**, including modified confession times, can be found at the back of the Cathedral and on our website.

## MUSIC OF THE MASS

	Mass	Cantor	Organist
Sunday	8:00 AM	Felipe Morgado	Christopher Ku
	5:00 PM	Joey Jang	Christopher Ku
	9:00 PM	Felipe Morgado	David Simon
Music of the Mass			
<b>Introit</b>		Iudica me Deus <i>Give me justice, O God, and plead my cause against a nation that is faithless. From the deceitful and cunning rescue me, for you, O God, are my strength. ✠. Send forth your light and your truth; these have led me and brought me to your holy mountain and to your dwelling place.</i>	
<b>Kyrie Mass XVI</b>	499		
<b>Psalm</b>	661	The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy.	
<b>Gospel Accl.</b>	813	Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, King of endless glory!	
<b>Offertory</b>	90A	The royal banners forward go	
<b>Sanctus XVIII</b>	501	<i>from Missa Jubilate Deo</i>	
<b>Mystery of Faith</b>	502	<i>from Missa Jubilate Deo</i>	
<b>Amen</b>	503	<i>from Missa Jubilate Deo</i>	
<b>Agnus Dei XVIII</b>	504	<i>from Missa Jubilate Deo</i>	
<b>Commun ion Antiphon</b>		Nemo te condemnavit <i>Woman, has no one condemned you?</i> – “No one, Lord.” “Neither do I condemn you. Go your way, and from now on do not sin again.”	
<b>Closing Hymn</b>	93	Cross of Jesus (vv. 1, 2, 3, 9, 10)	
At the Saturday 5:00 PM, and Sunday 10 AM and 12 Noon Masses with the choirs of St. Michael's Choir School, please refer to the <b>Order of Mass</b> bulletin insert.			
<i>In Lent, the Roman Missal allows the organ to be played only to support the singing, except on the Fourth Sunday of Lent (Laetare), solemnities, and feasts. The liturgies of Lent thus take on a different character without instrumental embellishment, calling Christians to prayer, not via music, but through silence.</i>			

### COFFEE SUNDAY

All are welcome to join us in the Atrium following the **8:00 AM Sunday Mass** for treats, coffee, and conversation with the parish community.



# 2025 Holy Week & Easter

## at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica

**Sunday April 13**  
**Palm Sunday Mass**

**5:00 PM Vigil** Celebrant: Rev. Frank Portelli  
**8:00 AM** Celebrant: Rev. Dennise Joy  
**10:00 AM** Celebrant: Rev. Kevin Adriano  
**12:00 Noon** Celebrant: His Eminence Frank Cardinal Leo  
**5:00 PM** Celebrant: Rev. Cole Powers  
**9:00 PM** Celebrant: Rev. Frank Portelli

**Tuesday April 15**  
**Chrism Mass**

**11:00 AM** Celebrant: His Eminence Frank Cardinal Leo  
**The 12:10 PM Mass and Adoration are cancelled today.**  
*7:30 AM and 5:30 PM Masses are celebrated as usual.*

**Wednesday April 16**  
**Tenebrae**

**7:30 PM** Presider: Rev. Frank Portelli  
 Music: St. Michael's Choir School and Alumni  
*Weekday Masses are celebrated as usual.*

**Thursday April 17**  
**Mass of the Lord's Supper**

**5:30 PM** Celebrant: His Eminence Frank Cardinal Leo  
 Adoration at Altar of Repose takes place in the Crypt Chapel directly following mass until 11:00 PM. **This is the only Mass today.**  
*The Cathedral opens at 11:00 AM and closes at 11:00 PM.*

**Friday April 18**  
**The Lord's Passion**

**12:00 Noon** Celebrant: Rev. Frank Portelli  
**3:00 PM** Celebrant: His Eminence Frank Cardinal Leo  
**7:00 PM** Stations of the Cross  
*The Cathedral opens at 11:00 AM and closes at 8:00 PM.*

**Saturday April 19**  
**Easter Vigil Mass**

**9:00 PM** Celebrant: His Eminence Frank Cardinal Leo  
**This is the only Mass today.**  
*The Cathedral opens at 1:00 PM and closes following the Vigil Mass.*

**Sunday April 20**  
**Easter Sunday Mass**

**8:00 AM** Celebrant: Rev. Kevin Adriano  
**10:00 AM** Celebrant: Rev. Frank Portelli  
**12:00 Noon** Celebrant: His Eminence Frank Cardinal Leo  
**5:00 PM** Celebrant: Rev. Cole Powers  
*The Cathedral opens at 7:00 AM and closes following the 5:00 PM Mass.*

**Monday April 21**  
**Easter Monday Mass**

**10:00 AM** Celebrant: Rev. Frank Portelli  
**This is the only Mass today.**  
*The Cathedral opens at 9:30 AM and closes at 11:30 AM.*

### Confession Schedule

**Tuesday April 15:** No confessions this day  
**Wednesday April 16:** 11:30 AM to 12:30 PM  
**Thursday April 17:** 12:00 Noon to 3:00 PM

*There are no confessions from Friday April 18th until Saturday April 26th, when our regular confession schedule resumes.*

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