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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. Edwin Gonsalves

Associates:

Rev. Cole Powers
Rev. Kevin Adriano
Rev. Dennise Joy (St. Stephen's
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St. Michael's Choir School:

66 Bond Street | 416-393-5518

Principal: Miles Fernandes

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www.smcs.on.ca

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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.

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass Intentions

Monday, August 4 – St. Jean-Marie Vianney

10:00 AM Catherine Chang Wai Fan (I)

Tuesday, August 5

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

12:10 PM Santos Jornacion Jr. (D)
John Franssen (D)
Maria Urbano (D)
Rosa Darrou (D)
Tala Ysabel Romero Capili (I)
5:30 PM Mattheus Blenke (D)

Wednesday, August 6 – Transfiguration of the Lord

7:30 AM Emmi Wallner (D)
12:10 PM Mary & Philip Orfali (D)
Charles Hobeika (D)
Domingo Sanchez Enriquez (D)
For the repose of the souls of those
laid to rest in our Catholic
Cemeteries
The Thalheimer Family (I)
5:30 PM Rafal Rozborski (I)

Thursday, August 7

7:30 AM Lizette Wong Chan Chuk Yin (D)
12:10 PM Benedicta Tapia Fudalen (D)
William Matusik (D)
Oswald Lloyd Daley (D)
Felicia Losiggio (D)
Avery Vince Taylo (I)
Shannon Harley (I)
5:30 PM Pamela Barbaste (D)

Friday, August 8 – St. Dominic

7:30 AM Bernadette Tow-Ying &
Lee Voon Ah Chong (D)
12:10 PM Valerie Alexander (D)
Ernesto Dongo (D)
Teresa Clark (D)
Norman Forbes (D)
Sonia Arana (I)
5:30 PM Joseph Hoang (D)

Saturday August 9

7:30 AM Benson Danlay (I)
12:10 PM Christine Potes (D)
Ciriaco Dalora Bagares (D)
Zosia Niemiec (D)
Nancy and Genaro Ocampo (D)
Donald Murray Maynard (D)

Memorial Lamp Transepts - August

Sacred Heart	Immaculate Heart
Claudia Krawchuk (D)	Lie & Leong Family (D)
Josephine Camilleri (D)	Simeon Jesuthasan (D)
Larry & Marg Baker (I)	Karina Gibbard (D)

RCIA Registration



The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a program offered to adults who would like to become fully initiated into the life of the Roman Catholic Church through the

Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist. It is a step-by-step process of learning about the Catholic faith and is open to adults who are not yet baptized, those baptized in a non-Catholic church, or those who were baptized Catholic but have not yet been fully initiated through Confirmation and/or Holy Communion.

Participation in the **RCIA program begins in September** and involves weekly sessions, Bible reflections, and days of recollection.

Registration opens on Monday August 4.

For more information and to register, please visit:

<https://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/rcia/>

Civic Holiday

On **Monday August 4**, the parish office will be closed for the Civic Holiday. **There will be only one Mass at 10:00 AM on this day.** The church will open at **9:30 AM** and close at **11:00 AM**. Our regular schedule will resume on Tuesday, August 5th. We wish everyone a happy long weekend!

Mass for the Faithful Departed

The **Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed** will be celebrated on Wednesday, **August 13, 2025, at 7:00 PM**. Masses throughout the Greater Toronto Area and Barrie will take place for the souls of the deceased buried at our Catholic Cemeteries.

For more details and the cemetery locations, visit

<http://bit.ly/44KgVhF>

AUGUST 3, 2025



"By willingly washing his apostles' feet, God Incarnate lowered himself to the status of a slave and asks us to do the same out of love and honour for him, and as a witness that we belong to him."
FRANK CARDINAL LEO

Cardinal Leo's Pastoral Letter, That Blessed Upper Room

"By willingly washing his apostles' feet, God Incarnate lowered himself to the status of a slave and asks us to do the same out of love and honour for him, and as a witness that we belong to him. For Christ, love takes on a very concrete and even crude physicality; for him, love is not a fuzzy feeling we get from time to time; it is not a philosophical ideal. For the Son of God, it is a tangible even earthy expression of the gift of self - this self-giving is real, graphic and costly."

Read and reflect on the third chapter of **Cardinal Leo's Pastoral Letter, That Blessed Upper Room - The Example and Commandment to live in Humble Service:**

<https://bit.ly/ThatBlessedUpperRoom3>

Upcoming Events

Pilgrimage to Martyrs' Shrine

August 24, 2025

Transitional Diaconate Ordination at the Cathedral

September 13, 2025

Mass for the Solemnity of Saint Michael

September 28, 2025

Come & See Discernment Weekend Retreat at St. Augustine's Seminary

October 31 to November 2, 2025

Music of the Mass

	Mass	Cantor	Organist
Saturday	5:00 PM	Nathaniel Kulin	Philip Fillion
Sunday	8:00 AM	Felipe Morgado	Christopher Ku
	10:00 AM	David Avila	Philip Fillion
	12:00 PM	Rocco Marciano	Philip Fillion
	5:00 PM	Joey Jang	Christopher Ku
	9:00 PM	Felipe Morgado	John Paul Farahat
Organ Prelude at Saturday 5 PM, Sunday 10 AM and noon Masses. Prelude and Fugue in f minor, BWV 534 – Johann Sebastian Bach. I cry to thee, Lord Jesus Christ, BWV 639 – Bach.			
Music of the Mass			
Entrance	385	O God, our help in ages past	
Kyrie	575	<i>from</i> Mass of St. Mark	
Gloria VIII	496	<i>from</i> Missa de Angelis	
Psalm	742	Lord, you have been our dwelling place in all generations.	
Gospel Acclamation	816	Alleluia.	
Offertory	371	Amazing grace! how sweet the sound	
Sanctus	581	<i>from</i> Dominion Mass	
Memorial Acclamation I	583	<i>from</i> Dominion Mass	
Amen	541	<i>from</i> Mass of the Good Shepherd	
Agnus Dei	592	<i>from</i> Dominion Mass	
Communion Hymn	175	O Lord, I am not worthy	
Closing Hymn	438	Guide me, O thou great Redeemer	
Organ Postlude at Saturday 5 PM, Sunday 10 AM and noon Masses. Chorale-Improvisation on "Cwm Rhondda" – Paul Manz			

Bus to Martyrs' Shrine



The Cathedral is organizing a bus to Martyrs' Shrine for the **Archdiocese of Toronto's Jubilee Pilgrimage to Martyrs' Shrine on Sunday August 24, 2025.**

The cost is \$50 per person and can be paid at the parish office by cash or cheque. We invite you to visit our website for full details including the itinerary for the day.

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