The Parish Community of

St. Leonard Welcomes You

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OUR PARISH TEAM:

Pastor - Fr. P. John Nosan Associate Pastor - Fr. Ravi Tete Deacon - Joseph Murphy

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday - 5:00 p.m. Sunday - 9:00, 10:30 and 12:00 noon

DAILY MASS & DEVOTIONS SCHEDULE:

Monday	-	9:00 a.m. Mass
Tuesday	-	6:45 p.m. Evening Prayer
		7:00 p.m. Mass
Wednesday -		6:45 p.m. Divine Mercy Chaplet
		7:00 p.m. Mass
Thursday	-	6:00 p.m. Holy Hour Cenacle
		7:00 p.m. Mass
Friday	-	9:00 a.m. Mass
Saturday	-	9:00 a.m. Mass

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday - 4:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m. Any other time by appointment.

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday to Friday - 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Closed 12:00 to 1:00 p.m.

TORONTO VOCATIONS OFFICE

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OUR SCHOOLS

St. Leonard	905-846-2086
Sacred Heart	905-846-0802
St. Stephen	905-840-3921
St. Agnes	905-840-5020
St. Rita	905-595-0911
St. Josephine Bakhita School	905-846-0078
Notre Dame High School	905-840-2802
St. Evan School	905-843-6159

BAPTISM:

Must be registered in the parish for at least three months. A baptism date will be set after attendance at a Baptism Preparation Class.

COMMUNION & ANOINTING FOR THE SICK:

The Parish Team and Pastoral Visitors are available to visit the sick in the home or hospital and to bring communion. A priest is available to give the anointing of the sick. Please contact the Rectory.

MARRIAGE:

Couples planning to be married must contact a priest one year in advance. At least one of the parties must reside within the parish boundaries or be a registered member of the parish and attending weekly. If either party has previously gone through any form of civil or religious marriage with another person, the priest is not permitted to set a date for the wedding until the Bishop's office has been consulted.



Saturday, October 23 -9:00 a.m. - DECEASED MEMBERS OF LARONDE & STEPHENSON FAMILIES R.I.P. 5:00 p.m. - MARIA D'SOUZA R.I.P.

Sunday, October 24 -9:00 a.m. - FOR THE PEOPLE 10:30 a.m. - JUSTINE & HAMILTON BAYER R.I.P.

12:00 noon - BENNY LAVECCHIA R.I.P.

Monday, October 25 -9:00 a.m. - RAINER DE PAYREBRUNE R.I.P.

Tuesday, October 26 -7:00 p.m. - **PABLO DEFINO R.I.P.**

Wednesday, October 27 -ST. RITA SCHOOL CONFIRMATION (We will not have our regular weekday Mass)

Thursday, October 28 -7:00 p.m. - (*Still available*)

Friday, October 29 -9:00 a.m. - (*Still available*)

Saturday, October 30 -9:00 a.m. - (*Still available*) 5:00 p.m. - DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE DEL MAR FAMILY R.I.P.

Sunday, October 31 -9:00 a.m. - (*Still available*) 10:30 a.m. - FOR THE PEOPLE 12:00 noon - LOPE & IRENE VIDAD R.I.P.

Readings for October 24 -Jeremiah 31.7-9 Hebrews 5.1-6 Mark 10.46-52

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CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in November 2021 and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 905-624-4422.

SL ShareLife

Living the Gospel by supporting the Deaf community

We've all felt the pain of disconnection since the start of the pandemic. For the Deaf community, the connections severed by the pandemic are even more profound. Many became isolated from their peers and could no longer access the programs they relied upon.

Silent Voice is working to restore those connections. This ShareLife-funded agency is the only one in the area providing virtual programming for Deaf children, among its many services in American Sign Language. Your support of ShareLife is making the connections we need to get through this pandemic together.

Next Sunday, October 31 is the final ShareLife Sunday of 2021. Please give generously during the special collection or anytime at sharelife.org.

The Rosary will be recited each Sunday morning at 10:10 during the month of October.

RESERVATIONS FOR WEEKEND MASS

Register online: https://stleonardsbr.archtoronto.org or email at: stleonardsbr@archtoronto.org or call the office at 905-846-5385. Reservations open on Tuesday mornings.

Cardinal Collins has requested that a weekend Mass attendance count be conducted annually in all parishes of the Archdiocese. Accordingly, a parishioner attendance count will be taken at all Masses this weekend.

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul is looking for new members to serve our neighbours in need of food assistance, living within our parish boundaries. If interested to join or for more information, please call the church at 905-846-5385 and press 3 to leave a message.

Thank (Fyou

Thank you to the many parishioners for your expressions of gratitude, good wishes, prayers and cards. I have made many friendships over the years and will value them always. I am pleased to have been able to serve and assist you for so many years.

Susan Bartlett

ST. MICHAEL'S COLLEGE SCHOOL

The Office of Admissions of St. Michael's College School is now considering applications for September 2022. St. Michael's College School is Ontario's only independent Catholic school for young men from Grade 7 to Grade 12. Virtual open house for prospective students and their families will be held on Tuesday, October 26 and Thursday, October 28 beginning at 7:30 p.m. You are invited to register at ApplySMCScom. St. Michael's College School offers a generous bursary programme that provides financial aid to qualifying students.

FIRST RECONCILIATION/FIRST COMMUNION CATECHISM CLASSES

If you are interested in the Catechism classes for First Reconciliation and First Communion for students attending schools other than our seven parish schools, please call the Rectory office at 905-846-5385 or email <u>stleonardsbr@archtoronto.org</u> for more information. A copy of your child's Catholic baptism certificate will be required..

URGENT NEED

Birthright Brampton urgently needs winter clothes for children (new or gently used) for both boys and girls - size 2 and 3. If you are able to donate, please contact our office at 905-874-0607. On behalf of our moms, thank you for your generosity.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

This weekend is the annual collection for World Mission Sunday. Since 1922 the Pontifical Missions Societies through the Society for the Propagation of the Faith has supported the temporal needs of missions as well as creating awareness of the work of the missions throughout the world. Some examples of projects include: building churches, pastoral centres, cathedrals damaged by tsunamis and earthquakes, religious houses of formation, homes for the clergy, catechism and formation programs for lay missionaries, radio and television production, audio visual materials for remote mission areas as well as support of pastoral work.

Envelopes for this collection are in your box of offertory envelopes. For more information visit their website at: www.missionsocieties.ca.

4TH ANNUAL PARISH MINISTRY CONFERENCE -OCTOBER 26-30, 2021

In the session, **Witnessing Faith: The Parish and the Domestic Church**, with Joe Paprocki, DMin, we will explore how the parish can and must continue to build and strengthen the "domestic church" in the post-pandemic era and help parents to witness faith to their children in an ongoing fashion.

Visit <u>www.archtoronto.org/conference</u> to register and learn more about this and other sessions.

The blind beggar Bartimaeus would not listen to the many people scolding him to be quiet, but shouted all the louder in prayer "Son of David, have mercy on me!" Only then did Jesus call him over and answered his need. Bartimaeus becomes a powerful example of how persistent we must be in prayer when we are asking God to show us His Will for our lives. And then, ask Him for the grace to accept it. If you feel God is offering you the grace of a Church vocation, call Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997 or email vocations@archtoronto.org.

Thank you to everyone who supported the Baby Bundle Weekend to support Birthright and also who donated to the St. Vincent de Paul Bundle Weekend.



