

The Parish Community of St. Leonard Welcomes You

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OUR PARISH TEAM:

Pastor - Fr. P. John Nosan
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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.

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OUR SCHOOLS

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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.

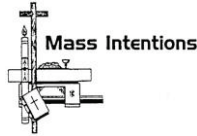
COMMUNION & ANOINTING FOR THE SICK:

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 Rector.

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.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY



Saturday, April 23

9:00 a.m. - **DECEASED MEMBERS OF MARTUCCI FAMILY**
5:00 p.m. - **JOE & LUCY FERNANDES R.I.P.**

Sunday, April 24 – Divine Mercy Sunday

9:00 a.m. - **ANTONIO & MARIA CABECEIRAS R.I.P.**
10:30 a.m.- **FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH**
12:00 noon- **NICOLA & FELICIA FIGLIANO R.I.P.**

Monday, April 25

9:00 a.m. - **DECEASED MEMBERS OF NOVELLI FAMILY**

Tuesday, April 26

No regular Mass – Confirmations for St. Evan School

Wednesday, April 27

No regular Mass – Confirmations for St. Evan School

Thursday, April 28

No regular Mass – Confirmations for St. Stephen School

Friday, April 29

9:00 a.m. - **ROMEO D'SOUZA R.I.P.**

Saturday, April 30

9:00 a.m. - **JASON WATT R.I.P.**
5:00 p.m. - **BEVERLEY KAPITAN R.I.P.**

Sunday, May 1

9:00 a.m. - **ARMANDO NARVALI & MARIA LOURDES ROCHA R.I.P.**
10:30 a.m.- **FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH**
12:00 noon- **MARIANO, IDA, ORLANDO & LORETTA ZEPPIERI R.I.P.**

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY



The Lord expressed His will regarding this feast in His very first revelation to St. Faustina. The most comprehensive revelation can be found in her *Diary* entry 699:

“My daughter, tell the whole world about My inconceivable mercy. I desire that the Feast of Mercy be a refuge and a shelter for all souls, and especially for poor sinners. On that day the very depths of My tender mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the fount of My mercy. The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment. On that day are opened all the divine floodgates through which graces flow. Let no soul fear to draw near to Me, even though its sins be as scarlet. My mercy is so great that no mind, be it of man or of angel, will be able to fathom it throughout all eternity. Everything that exists has come from the very depths of My most tender mercy. Every soul in its relation to Me will contemplate My love and mercy throughout eternity. The Feast of Mercy emerged from My very depths of tenderness. It is My desire that it be solemnly celebrated on the first Sunday after Easter. Mankind will not have peace until it turns to the Fount of My mercy.”

On April 30th, 2000, Pope John Paul II canonized Sr. Faustina Kowalska, “the great apostle of Divine Mercy” and declared the Second Sunday of Easter as “Divine Mercy Sunday” for the universal Church.

“And you, Faustina, a gift of God to our time, a gift from the land of Poland to the whole Church, obtain for us an awareness of the depth of divine mercy; help us to have a living experience of it and to bear witness to it among our brothers and sisters. May your message of light and hope spread throughout the world, spurring sinners to conversion, calming rivalries and hatred and opening individuals and nations to the practice of brotherhood. Today, fixing our gaze with you on the face of the risen Christ, let us make our own your prayer of trusting abandonment and say with firm hope: Christ Jesus, I trust in you! Jezu, ufam tobie!”

(Excerpt from St. John Paul II's Homily – April 30, 2000)

Readings for April 24

Acts 5.12-16 Rev. 1.9-11a, 12-13, 17-19
John 20.19-31



Please note: There are no evening Masses Tuesday, April 26th, Wednesday, April 27th, and Thursday, April 28th, as the students from St. Evan and St. Stephen will be confirmed. Please pray for them.



office at 905-874-0607. Thank you and God bless.

Birthright Brampton is looking for dedicated volunteers. We have many various volunteer positions available as well as a flexibility of days and times. Please contact our

Come celebrate Divine Mercy this Sunday, April 24th from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. for Eucharistic Adoration, Benediction, and the Chaplet of Divine Mercy.



ShareLife Sunday is next weekend

When you support ShareLife, you support agencies like Mary Centre:

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Thank you for supporting ShareLife!



The annual March for Life will be held on Thursday, May 12th in Ottawa. There will be Mass at St. Leonard’s at 6:00 in the morning and the bus will leave after Mass and return at approximately 9:30 p.m.

This event is being sponsored by the Knights of Columbus and St. Leonard’s Parish. Tickets for the bus can be purchased at the parish office for a cost of \$35.00 per person. If you are interested, please contact the office at 905-846-5385. For more information, please call Eric: (416) 402-4091 or Joe: (647) 281-9212 or email: JoeResendes19@gmail.com



Thomas believed because he saw Jesus. What will it take for you to respond to God’s Call to priesthood, diaconate, or consecrated life? If

God is calling you, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

Email: vocations@archtoronto.org

Website: vocationstoronto.ca



MONTH OF MAY

The month of May has traditionally been dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary. During the month of May, the Rosary will be recited each Sunday morning at 10:10.



Thank you to all who helped to make the Easter Triduum celebrations so beautiful.

Prayer for Trust in The Divine Mercy of God

*Most merciful Jesus,
I turn to You in my need.
You are worthy of my complete trust.
You are faithful in all things.
When my life is filled with confusion, give me clarity and faith.
When I am tempted to despair, fill my soul with hope.*


*Most merciful Jesus,
I trust You in all things.
I trust in Your perfect plan for my life.
I trust You when I cannot comprehend Your divine will.
I trust You when all feels lost.
Jesus, I trust You more than I trust myself.*

*Most merciful Jesus,
You are all-knowing.
Nothing is beyond Your sight.
You are all-loving.
Nothing in my life is beyond Your concern.
You are all-powerful.
Nothing is beyond Your grace.*



*Most merciful Jesus,
I trust in You,
I trust in You,
I trust in You.
May I trust You always and in all things.
May I daily surrender to Your Divine Mercy.
Most Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of Mercy,
Pray for us as we turn to you in our need.*

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