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, HGN Deacon - James Bell

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	-	6:00 p.m. Holy Hour
		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
St. Evan School	905-843-6159
Notre Dame High School	905-840-2802

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, June 24 - Nativity of St. John the Baptist 9:00 a.m. - DECEASED MEMBERS OF NOVIELLI FAMILY 5:00 p.m. - KEITH BURTLES R.I.P.

Sunday, June 25

9:00 a.m. - JOAN MOULTON R.I.P. 10:30 a.m.- JUANITO GALICIA R.I.P. 12:00 noon- FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

Monday, June 26 9:00 a.m. - ESTER CEGUERA R.I.P.

Tuesday, June 27 7:00 p.m. - THANKSGIVING INT. OF EVA STUGLIK

Wednesday, June 28 - St. Irenaeus 7:00 p.m. - BERNARDO SAMSON R.I.P.

Thursday, June 29 - Sts. Peter and Paul, Apostles 7:00 p.m. - ROMANA LINGAT R.I.P.

Friday, June 30 - First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church 9:00 a.m. - MICHAEL MOFFAT R.I.P.

Saturday, July 1

9:00 a.m. - MARIA SAO JOAO TAVARES R.I.P. 5:00 p.m. - JOE CARLO R.I.P.

Sunday, July 2

9:00 a.m. - JOSE DA COSTA AMARAL R.I.P. 10:30 a.m.- THANKSGIVING - 50TH WEDDING **ANNIVERSARY OF THE RIVAS** 12:00 noon- FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

Readings for June 25

Ieremiah 20.10-13 Romans 5.12-15 Matthew 10.26-33



We thank Fr. Ravi for the 5 years that he has served here at our parish. Our thoughts and prayers are with him as he moves on to his new parish as Associate Pastor of Guardian Angels in Orillia. May the Lord continue to bless him in his priestly ministry.

Thank you also to the Knights of Columbus for organizing and cooking for his farewell BBQ.



Please note that there will **not** be an evening Mass on the First Friday, July 7th. There will be Mass at 9:00 a.m. followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A)

Jesus said to the Twelve: "Fear no one. Nothing is concealed that will not be revealed. nor secret that will not be known." Matthew 10:26

Jesus is very aware of the fact that fear can become overwhelming. This is especially the case when we must endure any form of severe persecution or trial. Therefore, He speaks a consoling line to the Twelve to help them have hope. "Nothing is concealed that will not be revealed, nor secret that will not be known." This is a reference to the end of time when Jesus returns to earth for the Final Judgment. At that time, every deceitful attack that people have endured will come to full light for all to see. Every virtue, including every hidden virtue, will also come to light. In the end, truth will reign, and all will be judged by God's Truth. This should be very consoling to those who have suffered injustice in life.

Persecution comes in many forms. Of course, persecution issued against you because of your faith is the worst form of persecution. But most often, persecution comes in other forms. Jealousy toward another could lead to gossip about them. Revealing the sins of another in a public way is the sin of detraction and is a form of persecution. Passive aggression, slander, the "silent treatment" and so much more are all forms of persecution. Any time one person attempts to inflict some form of harm upon another, this is persecution.

One common tendency that people encounter when another has harmed them in some way is to return the harm done. There is nothing wrong with defending ourselves by speaking the truth with love. But too often, the hurt experienced either turns into a consuming fear or into an attack against the one who harmed us. When this temptation is felt, Jesus' words above are most helpful and freeing. In the end, no injustice will be ignored. Every wrong will be dealt with by the justice and mercy of God, and perfect order and truth will be fully restored for eternity.

(Excerpt from myCatholic.life)

There will not be a schedule through the summer for Altar servers. Please check in before Mass to see if you are needed.





This will be the last bulletin published until the weekend of September 2/3. For any updated parish information, please check our website: stleonardsbr.archtoronto.org and Facebook page: Saint Leonard's Parish. Mass intentions will be published on the bulletin board.



TOTUS TUUS July 30 to August 4, 2023

DAY CAMP (Grades 1-6) July 31st to August 4th, 2023 - Cost: \$60.

EVENING PROGRAM (Grades 7-12) July 30th to August 3rd, 2023 - Cost: \$25.

To register or for more information, please contact Kevin Senra at totustuus_stl@yahoo.com.

Forms are available at the church or on our website: <u>stleonardsbr.archtoronto.org</u>.



The annual collection for the Catholic Missions in Canada will be on August 13th. Your donations will aid missionaries who work in many countries around the world and also in Canada, bringing the Gospel to

non-Christians and building Christian communities. Donation envelopes are in your box of offertory envelopes and will be available in the foyer on the weekend of the collection.



Lord Jesus Christ, look on the people of our land and bless us all. Help us to be brothers and sisters to all the world and to work for peace and love. Be with



us, Jesus and bless Canada, for You are our Lord and Saviour forever. Amen.

(Prayer from CCCB's Blessings and Prayers for Home & Family)

GOOD SHEPHERD OUTREACH

The next drop off date for the Good Shepherd Prepare-a-Meal Program is Saturday, July 8th from 11:00 till noon around the back of the church. The next drop-off after that is August 12th. Thank you for your generosity.

MISSION CO-OP APPEAL

Our Annual Mission Co-op Appeal will take place on the weekend of August 26/27. Donation envelopes for this collection will be available in the foyer on the weekend of the collection. They are not included in your box of envelopes.



Registration forms for First Reconciliation & First Communion for students attending schools *other than our seven parish schools* are available at the parish or on

our website. Instruction classes will begin in the Fall.

Mary, Mother of God School Still Registering for 2023/2024 (NEW FAMILY RATES!)



Have you heard of Mary, Mother of God School? We are an affordable private school (Grades K-12) located in the Roncesvalles/Parkdale area. Deeply rooted in the Catholic tradition with a special devotion to Our Lady, we have an excellent

academic program, a dynamic and joyful student life, and small classes where each student is known and loved. We are still interviewing for September 2023: www.marymotherofgodschool.org or Phone#: 416-531-7897.

This year's Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed will be celebrated on Wednesday August 16, 2023 at 7:00 p.m.



Cemetery locations and Celebrants for this year's Mass are:

- Assumption Cemetery, Mississauga, Most Reverend Frank Leo, Archbishop of Toronto
- Christ the King Cemetery, Markham, Most Reverend Vincent Nguyen
- Holy Cross Cemetery, Thornhill, Most Reverend John A. Boissonneau
- Mount Hope Cemetery, Toronto, Most Reverend Robert Kasun
- **Queen of Heaven Cemetery**, Woodbridge, Most Reverend Ivan Camilleri
- **Resurrection Cemetery**, Whitby, Rev. Fr. Dominic Barber
- **St. Mary's Cemetery**, Barrie, Rev. Fr. Laurence J. Leger



<u>Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults</u>

R.C.I.A. is a process established by the Church for individuals (Grade 9 and up)

to become Catholic and receive the Sacraments of Initiation – Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist. If you, or anyone you know, is interested in becoming a Catholic, contact the parish office. The program begins in the Fall and culminates with the Easter Vigil.



Lord God, Creator of all things, guide our steps and strengthen our hearts, during these months of

summer and vacation days. Grant us refreshment of mind and body. We ask this through Christ our Lord.

