# The Parish Community of St. Leonard Welcomes You

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#### **OUR PARISH TEAM:**

Pastor - Fr. P. John Nosan

Associate Pastor - Fr. Jobby Muppathiyil Joseph Deacons - James Bell, Ferdinand Valera

#### **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**

Tel. 416-968-0997 Fax 416-968-1227 Email: vocations@globalserve.net

#### **OUR SCHOOLS**

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St. Rita	905-595-0911
St. Josephine Bakhita	905-846-0078
St. Evan	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, October 5 - St.Faustina Kowalska

9:00 a.m. - INT. OF WALTER DEMELO & FAMILY

5:00 p.m. - ORLANDO & LUCIA CABRAL R.I.P.

Sunday, October 6

9:00 a.m. - **EDDIE OBIDOWSKI R.I.P.** 10:30 a.m.- **DINO DELAZZARI R.I.P.** 

12:00 noon- FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

Monday, October 7 - Our Lady of the Rosary 9:00 a.m. - EUGENIO & ADELINA CAPUTO R.I.P.

Tuesday, October 8

7:00 p.m. - THANKSGIVING INT. OF KULANGARA FAMILY

Wednesday, October 9 - St. Denis, Bishop & Companions 7:00 p.m. - CHAO JUNG YANG R.I.P.

Thursday, October 10

7:00 p.m. - **SOULS IN PURGATORY** 

Friday, October 11 - St. John XXIII, Pope

9:00 a.m. - DECEASED MEMBERS OF MARTUCCI FAMILY

Saturday, October 12

9:00 a.m. - **JOEY & JOSEPH PISANI R.I.P.** 

5:00 p.m. - **ANTONIO TAPIA R.I.P.** 

Sunday, October 13

9:00 a.m. - **FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH** 10:30 a.m. - **UMBERTO LACAPRUCCIA R.I.P.** 

12:00 noon- ELVIRA & OLIMPIO MOLLICONE R.I.P.

#### Readings for October 6

Genesis 2.7ab, 15, 18-24 Hebrews 2.9-11 Mark 10.2-16



#### CHILDREN'S LITURGY PROGRAM

The Children's Liturgy program is scheduled to begin again on **October 20th** at the 10:30 and 12:00 Masses. Children ages 4-10 go to the Parish Hall and have the Liturgy of the Word explained to them at their

level. They return to join their parents during the Offertory for the remainder of the Mass.

It is only possible to run this program with volunteers from the parish who are willing to give of their time and talents. If you would like to help with this ministry, please contact the parish office. You will be required to fill out a volunteer screening form and have a background check.

#### Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year B)

The Pharisees approached Jesus and asked, "Is it lawful for a husband to divorce his wife?" They were testing him. Mark 10:2

Our Church's teaching regarding the indissolubility of marriage flows from the teachings found in the Book of Genesis, subsequently confirmed and clarified by Jesus in today's Gospel. When a true marriage bond is established by the free and total consent of a man and woman, that bond can only be separated by death.

From a much broader perspective, the marriage bond of which Jesus speaks also reveals to us the depth of commitment that God has made to each one of us and the reciprocal commitment He invites us to make. God's covenant offered to us is freely given, total, and irrevocable. This is important to understand. God will never change His mind when it comes to the commitment He has made to each one of us. For our part, we must continuously seek to reciprocate that commitment by giving ourselves to the will of God in the same way. (from mycatholic.life)

### Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation Fund Collection October 5/6

Catholics throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto are invited to participate in the collection being held this weekend of October 5/6, 2024 to support the Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation Fund. The collection is part of a national grassroots effort to assist healing and reconciliation with Indigenous Peoples of This Land.

The Archdiocese of Toronto has raised almost 50% of its \$6 million pledge with \$2.7 million in funds already allocated to support eight projects that focus on culture and language revitalization, education and community building, healing and reconciliation for communities and dialogue involving Indigenous elders, spiritual leaders and youth.

Let us join together and follow the invitation of the Holy Father for each one of us to become engaged in the healing and reconciliation journey.

You will find an envelope in your donation box and in the foyer of the church. For more information or to donate online please visit:

www.archtoronto.org/healingandreconciliation. Thank you for your generosity!



Archbishop Francis Leo will be visiting our parish on November 17<sup>th</sup>. He will be celebrating the 12:00 noon Mass and a reception will follow in the Parish Hall. Please continue to pray the

Novena to the Holy Spirit for his upcoming Pastoral Visit.

#### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL BUNDLE UP WEEKEND

SSVP Bundle Up weekend truck will be in the back parking lot next weekend, October 12-13. You may bring donations of clothing, bedding, drapes,



towels, boots, shoes and new toys only. We do not accept appliances, furniture, books or dishes, thank you for your support.

### SSVP THANKSGIVING FOOD AND BABY DIAPER DRIVE

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is seeking your help with baby diapers and food items this **Thanksgiving Weekend October 12-13**, 2024. We will have a box in the foyer to collect these items before and after each mass. A big THANK YOU to our Parishioners for your usual kind generosity.

### FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING WEBINAR Saturday, October 19, 2024, at 9:00 a.m.

Learn:

- How to avoid problems: in your Will, with the Powers of Attorney, and through proper Estate Trustee selection
- How to create your own legacy
- About our Catholic traditions around cremation, burials and funerals

#### 3 WAYS TO REGISTER:

- 1. scan this QR code:
- 2. follow this QR link: qrco.de/WebOct19
- **3. send an email to:** <u>Development@ArchToronto.org</u> and write "webinar October 19" in the title line + your name(s) in the body of the message.

#### CWL Intergenerational Craft Day October 19, 2024 – 11:00 am – 2:30 pm

All ages are invited to come and spend an afternoon in the parish hall baking, creating bracelets and making different crafts with family & friends. This is a free event, but we will be accepting monetary or needed items to donate to **Regeneration**, a caring community serving people who are experiencing homelessness. Please see the bulletin board and website for the poster.



Considering becoming a Catholic? Searching for a deeper relationship with Jesus? It's not too late. Although our R.C.I.A. (RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS) classes have started, you can still be a part of this amazing "spiritual"

*journey*". Classes are held every **Tuesday evenings from 7-9 pm**. Please contact the Parish Office for more information.







THE CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE OF CANADA

### Hats for the Homeless

For a \$10 donation a warm winter hat can be given to the homeless.

The CWL have a variety of hats to be selected from and those donated will be delivered to:

Knights Table

The Good Shepherd

Regeneration Brampton

After all Masses October 19/20, 2024

Please support this initiative to provide warm hats for the winter ahead.









If you wish further information please contact: secretary.cwl.stleonardsbr@outlook.com
The funds raised will be used by The Catholic Women's League of Canada St Leonard Council fundraising efforts



### CWL BAZAAR – NOVEMBER 9<sup>TH</sup> 9:30 am-3:30 pm

The St Leonard's Catholic Women's League will be having their Annual

Christmas Bazaar on Saturday November 9, 2024 and are asking parishioners for their support in a variety of ways. We are looking for donations of new items, gift certificates or services that can be used in our raffles or silent auction. Please bring your donations to the Parish Hall on Friday November 8 from 9:30 am to 1 pm or between 6 and 8 pm. If you would like the CWL to pick up the items, please call Joan at 905-866-4085 or email secretary.cwl.stleonardsbr@outlook.com to make arrangements. We thank you for your support. Also, please plan to attend the Bazaar on November 9 between 9:30 am and 3 pm.



On Saturday, October 12th, we will celebrate the wedding of Taha Zafar Khan and Tyurina Nimalakumar. We offer them our best wishes and ask God to bless them and grant them happiness, peace and joy all the days of their life together.

THE YOUTH GROUP MEETS EVERY SATURDAY FROM 7:00-9:00 PM. IN THE PARISH HALL.



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