

The Parish Community of St. Leonard Welcomes You

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OUR PARISH TEAM:

Pastor - Fr. P. John Nosan
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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.

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| St. Evan | 905-843-6159 |
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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.

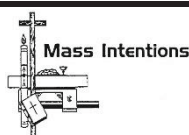
COMMUNION & ANOINTING FOR THE SICK:

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.

THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS



Saturday, September 13 - St. John Chrysostom

9:00 a.m. - REMY ESTEBAN R.I.P.

5:00 p.m. - MARIA FATIMA BOLARINHO R.I.P.

Sunday, September 14 - Exaltation of the Cross

9:00 a.m. - VIRGINIA & KENNETH HO R.I.P.

10:30 a.m. - FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

12:00 noon - ANDY LEAL R.I.P.

Monday, September 15 - Our Lady of Sorrows

9:00 a.m. - GUILHERMINA & AGOSTINHO SILVA R.I.P.

Tuesday, September 16 - Sts. Cornelius & Cyprian

7:00 p.m. - PRABEESH & REETHA JOSEPH R.I.P.

Wednesday, September 17 - St. Robert Bellarmine

7:00 p.m. - INT. OF THE CWL

Thursday, September 18

7:00 p.m. - IAN FERNANDEZ R.I.P.

Friday, September 19 - St. Januarius

9:00 a.m. - INT. FOR THE SOULS IN PURGATORY

7:00 p.m. - FOR VOCATIONS

Saturday, September 20 - Sts. Andrew Kim & Companions

9:00 a.m. - FERNANDO BARBIERI R.I.P.

5:00 p.m. - STANLEY PYJOR R.I.P.

Sunday, September 21

9:00 a.m. - FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

10:30 a.m. - FRED WAUCHOPE R.I.P.

12:00 noon - TANYA, JOHN & HELEN WOOD R.I.P.

Readings for September 14

Numbers 21.4-9 Philippians 2.6-11
John 3.13-17

FIRST RECONCILIATION/FIRST COMMUNION

CATECHISM CLASSES



Enrollment 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 on Saturday, October 19th from 3:30-4:45 pm. Please submit your Enrollment Form to the parish office, along with a copy of your child's Roman Catholic baptism certificate and a fee of \$30 to cover the cost of the two books that will be used.

FEAST OF THE EXALTATION OF THE CROSS



For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life. For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world might be saved through him. John 3:16-17

Though our celebration today, the "Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross," is first and foremost a feast by which we give glory to the Father for what He did in the Person of His divine Son, it is also a feast by which we must humbly understand that God can "exalt" every cross we endure in life and bring forth much grace through them.

What is your heaviest cross? What is the source of your greatest suffering? Most likely, as you call this to mind, it is painful to you. Most often, our crosses and sufferings are things we seek to rid ourselves of. We easily point to crosses in life and blame them for a lack of happiness. We can easily think that if only this or that were to change or be removed, then our life would be better. So, what is that cross in your life?

Reflect, today, upon your own crosses. Prayerfully look at your crosses as invitations to share in Christ's Cross. Say "Yes" to your crosses. Choose them freely. Unite them to Christ's Cross. As you do, have hope that God's glory will come forth in your life and in the world through your free embrace of them. Know that these "burdens" will be transformed and become a source of exaltation in your life by the transforming power of God.

(From mycatholic.life)



On Friday, September 19 there will be a Holy Hour for Vocations at 6:00 p.m. followed by a Mass for Vocations at 7:00 p.m.

ALTAR SERVERS

Please pick up your schedule in the Sacristy if you haven't already done so.

There will be an Altar Servers training/meeting on **Saturday morning, September 27th from 10:00 until 12:00 noon**. All current altar servers and any who would like to join are required to attend.



Moms & Tots Group will be meeting on Monday morning in the parish hall from 9:30-11:30 am.

FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING WEBINAR

Saturday, September 27, 2025 at 9:00 a.m.

Learn:

- **How to avoid problems:** in your Will, in 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 the QR code
2. follow this QR link: qrco.de/WebSept27
3. send an email to: Development@ArchToronto.org and write "webinar September 27" in the title line + your name(s) in the body of the message.



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RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the way adults come to learn about and experience the Christian life, specifically our Roman Catholic tradition, and become initiated into the life of our Church through the celebration of the Sacraments of Initiation: Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist.

The program will run on Tuesday evenings from 7:00-9:00 pm in the Parish Hall, beginning September 16th. If you, or anyone you know, is interested in becoming a Catholic, please contact the parish office.

LIFE CHAIN & 40 DAYS FOR LIFE

On **October 5th** join St. Leonard Parish from 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the Southeast corner of Sandalwood Parkway and Conestoga Drive to witness to preborn children.

You are warmly invited to participate in the international 40 Days for Life campaign. In our community, a peaceful, prayerful vigil will take place outside the Mississauga Women's Clinic (101 Queensway Blvd) from September 24 to November 2, daily from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. **Our parish day to participate will be Wednesday, October 8.**

Contact Izabela at: mississauga40days@gmail.com or visit: www.40daysforlife.com/mississauga/.

MARRIAGE BANNS

Faisal Yousaf and Zarish Julia are to be married on October 4th, 2025 at St. John's Cathedral, Kultur, Turkiye. Therefore, anyone who is aware of any impediment to the celebration of this marriage is obliged to bring it to the Notice of the Church Authorities immediately.



LAY PASTORAL VISITORS

There will be a meeting on **Thursday, September 18th at 7:30 p.m.** in the St. Joseph's room downstairs in the

church for all current Pastoral Visitors and for those who are interested in serving in this Ministry. Pastoral Visitors make scheduled visits to people at home, the nursing home, retirement home, or in the hospital. They are commissioned Extraordinary Ministers of Communion who receive or have received training and are mandated by the Pastor. Volunteer screening and a background check are required.

The annual archdiocesan formation and training for Lay Pastoral Visitors will be offered online on **Thursdays, October 23, 30, November 6, 20, 27 & December 4 from 7 to 8:30 p.m.** This program will prepare you to provide pastoral visits and bring Holy Communion on behalf of the parish to the sick elderly, and homebound. The program is open to both new and experienced volunteers.

Registrants are required to participate in all online sessions, complete pre-homework and pass a final assessment. There is no cost to attend but register early as capacity is limited.

REGISTER: <https://bit.ly/LPVT-Register2025> by October 22, 2025

CONTACT: formation@archtoronto.org or 416-934-3400, ext. 523

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

The Catholic Women's League, St. Leonard Parish Council, will be hosting our general meeting on **Wednesday, September 17, 2025 at 7.30 pm** (after Mass), in the parish hall. We welcome all women of the parish to a warm and friendly space. We invite you to come and see who we are and what we offer. Join us for coffee and friendship. For information please call 416-459-8612.



The Knights of Columbus will be having their General Meeting this Thursday, September 18th at 8:00 p.m. in the parish hall.

SAVE THE DATES

Birthright Baby Bundle - October 4/5
SSVP Bundle-Up Weekend - October 11/12
CWL Hats for the Homeless - October 18/19
Oktoberfest - October 18

More information to come about these events in the following weeks.



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