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 - 6:00 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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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 25

9:00 a.m. - CHILDREN & FAMILIES OF THE CATECHESIS

OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

5:00 p.m. - † ORLANDO & LUCIA CABRAL

Sunday, October 26

9:00 a.m. - † CHANTAL & PAUL DUGGAN 10:30 a.m. - FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

12:00 noon- † UMBERTO LACAPRUCCIA

Monday, October 27

9:00 a.m. - † ERNESTO AGUILAR

Tuesday, October 28 - Sts. Simon & Jude, Apostles

7:00 p.m. - † ANTONIO PERRELLA

Wednesday, October 29

7:00 p.m. - † WILFRED BALEWSKI

Thursday, October 30

7:00 p.m. - † **NELLA MONCADA**

Friday, October 31

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

Saturday, November 1 - All Saints

9:00 a.m. - **† HENRY LOBO**

5:00 p.m. - † JOAO & ANNA VIRGINIA SILVA

Sunday, November 2 - All Souls' Day

9:00 a.m. - **ALL SOULS** 10:30 a.m. - **ALL SOULS**

12:00 noon- FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

Readings for October 26

Sirach 35:15-17, 20-22 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18 Luke 18:9-14



GOOD SHEPHERD OUTREACH

The next drop off date for the Good Shepherd Prepare-a-Meal Program is Saturday, November 1st from 11:00 till noon around the back of the

church. Thank you for your continued support of this ministry.

THEY ARE STILL IN NEED OF DRIVERS TO DELIVER THE MEALS TO TORONTO. PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE IF YOU WOULD BE WILLING TO HELP OUT.

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C)

"Two people went up to the temple area to pray; one was a Pharisee, and the other was a tax collector. The Pharisee took up his position and spoke this prayer to himself, 'O God, I thank you that I am not like the rest of humanity—greedy, dishonest, adulterous—or even like this tax collector." Luke 18:10–11

True prayer must begin with the humble recognition of our weakness and need for God. The tax collector expressed this humility by bowing his head to the ground, not even daring to look up to Heaven. This reveals he did not consider himself worthy of God's grace. Truth be told, he wasn't worthy of it. That's why God's grace is a mercy. It is all mercy in that He bestows that which we are not worthy to receive. And He only bestows it on those who know they are not worthy of it. The words spoken by the tax collector are the perfect model of prayer because his words depict these truths. As a sinner, he doesn't deserve mercy but begs for God's grace as an act of God's mercy.

(From mycatholic.life)



A Book of Remembrance containing the names of our deceased relatives and friends will be placed near the altar during the month of November. You are invited to write the names of your recently departed.

MASSES FOR ALL SOULS

Saturday, November 2 - 9:00 am & 10:30 am Friday, November 7 - 7:00 pm Saturday, November 8 - 9:00 am Sunday, November 9 - 12:00 noon Saturday, November 15 - 9:00 am Thursday, November 20 - 7:00 pm Sunday, November 23 - 9:00 am Monday, November 24 - 9:00 am Friday, November 28 - 9:00 am Sunday, November 30 - 10:30 am

The Knights of Columbus have requested a Mass for their deceased members and families on Thursday, November 13th at 7:00 p.m. Everyone is welcome to attend.



The Sunday Missals for the new year 2025/26, beginning the first Sunday of Advent, are available in the foyer of the church for a cost of \$7.00 each.

The Rosary is recited after the 9:00 Mass every Sunday morning

^{*} Please note: † denotes intention for deceased.

ARCHDIOCESAN DAY FOR PALLIATIVE CARE OCTOBER 26, 2025



I am writing to you in anticipation of the upcoming Archdiocesan Day for Palliative Care which was introduced last March and to be observed on the

last Sunday of October throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto. This new observance is born out of a deep pastoral concern for those who suffer and for those approaching the end of life. It is my hope that this day will inspire every parish community to pray, reflect, and act with renewed compassion toward those in need of comfort, dignity, and accompaniment in their final journey. It is imperative that we raise awareness and encourage prayerful dialogue among the faithful and the larger community about what to do when someone we love is suffering, especially in a life-threatening manner. With its proximity to the month of November when we remember those who have gone before us, the Archdiocesan Day for Palliative Care connects the suffering of this world and in our bodies and souls, with the hope that we have in the world to come.

To help foster this awareness, a brochure entitled Palliative Care and a Catholic Response to Euthanasia and Assisted Suicide has been created and distributed to all parishes. This brochure explains the beauty and importance of authentic palliative care, the moral reasons for rejecting euthanasia and assisted suicide, and the compassionate presence the Church offers to those at the end of life. It also includes practical resources such as HopeLine (416-619-5700), as well as guidance for families and parish ministers who accompany the sick and dying. I encourage you all to seek out this valuable resource and share it with others.

(Excerpt from Cardinal Leo's Message for October 26, 2025)



CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISING

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in November 2025 and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 905-624-4422.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE



Gift cards are a convenient way to do your Christmas/birthdays/special occasions from Fundscrip administered by the

Catholic Women's League. Order forms for all major retail/gas/food corporations are available from the CWL after Masses on November 1/2 and completed forms with cheques/e-transfer can be returned after Masses on November 8/9.

The Catholic Women's League will be having their Annual Christmas Bazaar on Saturday, November 8, 2025, 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 7** 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 and can't wait to see you at the Bazaar on Saturday, November 8 between 9:30 am and 3 pm. Please join us.

The CWL thank all those who donated for their Knits of Kindness last weekend. It is greatly appreciated.

Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services - Archdiocese of Toronto wishes to invite all families to participate in the All Souls' Day Mass on Saturday Nov. 8, 2025 at 2 p.m. All Masses will be held indoors at the following locations:



- Assumption Cemetery, Mississauga Our Lady of Fatima Mausoleum
- Christ the King Cemetery, Markham Reception Centre
- Holy Cross Cemetery, Thornhill Holy Family Mausoleum
- Queen of Heaven Cemetery, Woodbridge St. Anthony's Mausoleum (Liturgy in Italian and English)
- Resurrection Cemetery, Whitby Our Lady of the Assumption Mausoleum



St. Marguerite d'Youville Catholic Secondary School will be hosting a Grade 8 Open House for their STEM Program

on Thursday, November 13th. Doors open at 5:15 pm. The Regional STEM program has focused courses in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics. For more info: https://dyouv.dpcdsb.org/programs/guidance-courses/regional-stem-program



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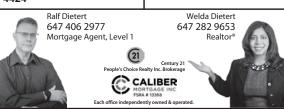
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