

St. Luke's Parish

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Masses: Saturday - 5:00 P.M. Sunday - 8:45, 10:30 and 12:15 P.M.
 Mon., Wed., Thu., Fri. - 9:00 A.M., Tue. - 7:00 P.M.

Devotions to Our Lady of Perpetual Help: Tuesday - after mass

First Friday Devotions - after morning mass First Saturday Devotions - 8:30 A.M.

Confessions: Saturday 4:00-4:45 P.M. and Tuesday after Devotions

Office hours: Monday to Friday 8:30 A.M. – 4:00 P.M. 905-881-2786 Ext 221

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For more information on Catholic education in our community or to reach your local school board trustee, contact the York Catholic District School Board at 905-713-2711 or www.ycdsb.ca

PLEASE KEEP US UP TO DATE; COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING & PUT IN COLLECTION BASKET

Name	Phone
Address	Postal Code
Children & Dates of Births:	
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New Parishioner <input type="checkbox"/>	Envelopes <input type="checkbox"/>
Change of Address <input type="checkbox"/>	Moving out of Parish <input type="checkbox"/>



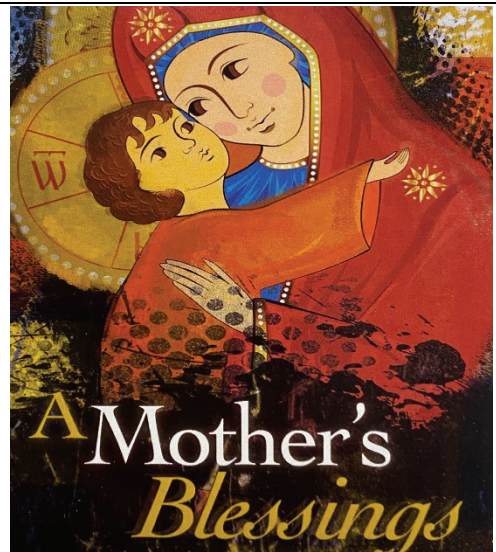
On a least four occasions during the Last Supper, Christ said to his apostles, **“If you love me, you will keep my commandments.”** We need no reminding that these words of Jesus are addressed to Christians of all times including ourselves. The commandments we are called to keep as an expression of our love for him are not the Ten Commandments but the command to love and imitate him in every aspect of our lives. All genuine love comes from God and God is to be found in every encounter where there is real love. This love is something that cannot be bought. The supreme example of God’s love was sending his only Son into the world to assure us that we are saved. The only condition required for receiving this gift is the undertaking to share it with others. When life is over, we will be judged upon how much we have loved. What will count is how we cared for our family, the old, the poor, the handicapped and the marginalized. In this way, Christ’s command to love takes hold and spreads within the community.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	Soul of Thomas Malickel
Tuesday	Soul of Tom Schmoll Soul of Angelo Capozzi Intentions of Madeline Kateri Pinto Mass of Thanksgiving – Anne Marie & Mark Pinto
Wednesday	Soul of Jerry Ambrozic
Thursday	Soul of Amalia Clementir
Friday	Soul of Celestine Martis Soul of Anna Kok Mee Chin

Please pray for the sick in our community.

Especially: Maria DiRienzo, Maria McCarron, Rosaria Lee, Magdalene Ki, Tita Mateo, Marie Ceolin, Janice Abramowitz, Nelia Publico Dela Vega, Don Bownes, Monsignor John Weber, Noli Reyes, Lucia Won, Dolores Trinidad, Bill Lemke, Leslie Albert and Edna Mae Sheker



Let us pray

Good and gracious God, creator of all good things in the universe, your Son, Jesus Christ, loved his Mother and modeled for us how we should love our mothers. Bless all women in our lives who model for us the love of a mother.
Protect them and encourage them to love as you have loved us.
Bless and protect those men in families who have no female partners and give them courage and strength to love their children in the absence of a mother.
We ask this in your name. Amen

St. Luke's CWL
MOTHER'S DAY ROSES
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Sixth Sunday of Easter

ST. LUKE'S INTERNATIONAL NIGHT

Saturday, May 27, 2023

6:30 pm



Come one!! Come All!!
Join us for an evening of international fun, food & dance! Tickets will be on sale the weekends of May 13/14 & May 20/21st and are:

\$10.00 for adults & \$5.00 for

each child **plus** a dish from your country.

Please contact Shaila D'Souza shailaflavy@gmail.com for more information regarding entertainment & food.

SL ShareLife

*Helping the whole community
through Catholic agencies*

Our 2023 parish goal - \$149,000.00

Raised to date - \$63,024.00

Share Your Love on Mother's Day

On Mother's Day, all moms deserve to be celebrated and supported. Did you know that our parish's ShareLife Campaign is helping young women with an unexpected pregnancy? One such mother is Nikki, who was able to continue her education and receive practice assistance through a ShareLife funded agency called Rose of Sharon.

"If it was not for you and ShareLife, I don't know where we would be today," says Nikki. "We will always and forever be grateful for your support!"

Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

Thank you for living the Gospel!

CELEBRATE MARY DURING THE MONTH OF MAY!



Pray & Play Night

Join St. Luke's Ministry every Thursday evening until the end of June from 6-8pm for **Family Pray & Play Night**.

All are welcome!

Any questions? Contact Alan at ahoy@archtoronto.org or Krishna at kshanthakumar@archtoronto.org

BUNDLE UP FOR SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL



A Saint Vincent de Paul container will be in the church parking lot this weekend to collect **household linens, gently used clothing, shoes, bedding, draperies, small household goods and new toys** in

order to support those in need. Please share what you can with our neighbors in need.

Our container will be open all day Saturday until 6:00 pm and Sunday until 2:00 pm. Volunteers will assist with the loading before and after each Mass.

Note: We do not accept books, videos, furniture, dishes, appliances or building materials Thank you.

THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

St. Luke's Council 4393



The Canadian Wheelchair Foundation and Kof C State have recognized The Knight of Columbus - St. Luke's Council 4393, as being one of the three highest contributors in Ontario out of 487 councils. Recently, two containers of wheelchairs & walkers were shipped to Ukraine to assist those with injuries and disabilities due to the ongoing war. Thank you to everyone who participated in the fund-raiser held at the parish in the fall of 2022. This would not be possible without you!

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Day

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