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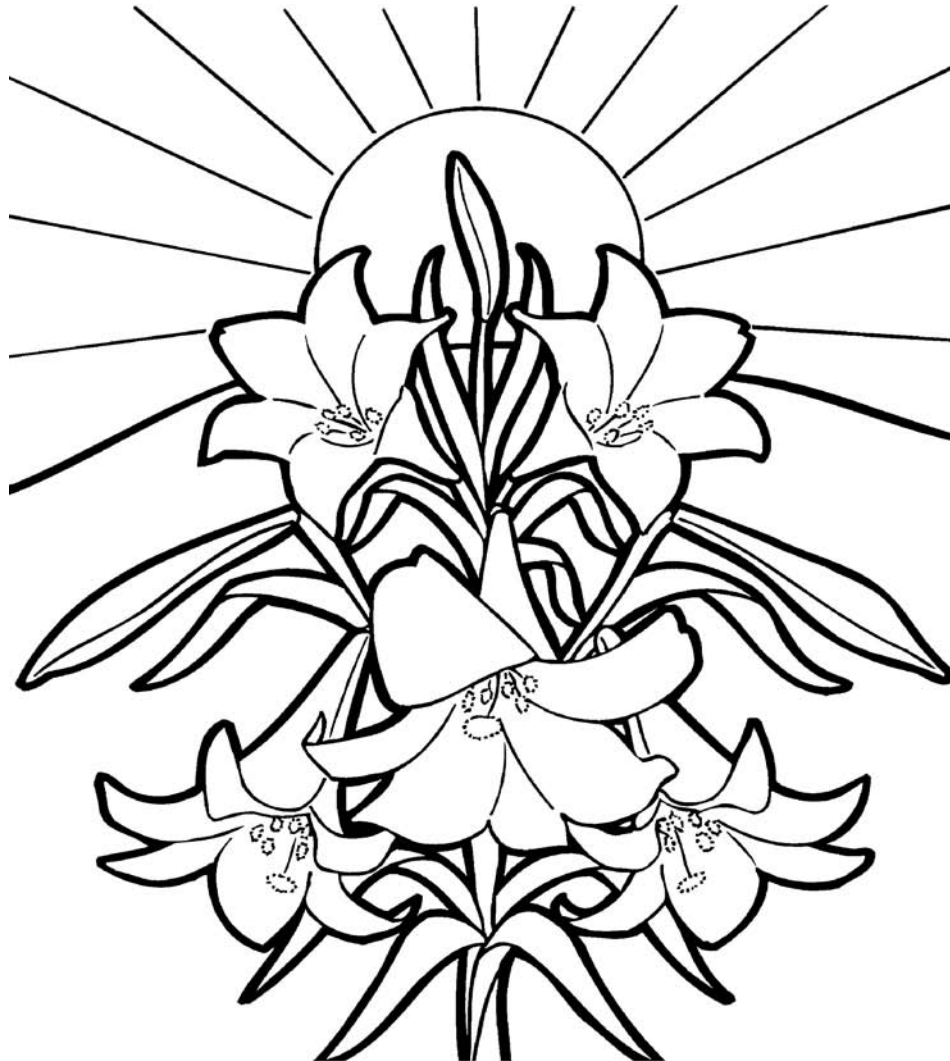
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Organist: Gerard Johnston



**The Lord has Risen,
Allelaia, Allelaia, Allelaia!**



EASTER VIGIL YEAR A APRIL 9th, 2023

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Week of Apr 9 to April 15

Apr 9	Sun	9:00 AM	† Gus Sheehan
		11 AM	Intentions of the People of the Parish
Apr 10	Mon	9:00 AM	† Blanch Barlow
Apr 11	Tue	9:00 AM	† Augustine Fernandes
Apr 12	Wed	9:00 AM	Intention of Cornelia Chua
Apr 13	Thu	9:00 AM	† Carol- Ann Murray
Apr 14	Fri	9:00 AM	† Martin & Arnolta Raposo
			† Alfred & Mitalda Hannah
			† Souls in Purgatory
			† Raul Reyes
			Intention of Ricardo & Cornelia Chua
			Intention of Cherileen & Lenson Carido
Apr 15	Sat	9:00 AM	† Justino Silva Ferreira
		5:00 PM	† Marshal, Ledwin & Philomine Pinto



CATHOLIC WOMENS' LEAGUE



All women of the parish are invited to the CWL General Meeting on Tuesday, April 11th at 7:00 pm. Rosary followed by the meeting in Room 2. Refreshments will be available. Come join us and feel free to bring a friend!

PAVING OF THE PARKING LOT

We have received approval to proceed with the paving of the parking lot on the land to the west of the church. There is a poster in the Narthex of what the parking lot will look like when completed. We have started submission of applications to the city for the permits to proceed, and expect to get these permits by mid April at which time we will go out to tender for construction. We expect the construction to occur during the summer and look to have it completed by the end of September.

REFLECTION

The Lord is risen as he said! The Father has responded to Jesus' obedient *yes* with new life surpassing glory. From ancient times the Christian people have gathered to keep Easter vigil, rejoicing in the Lord's triumph over sin and death as a pledge of their own victory. The scripture readings, many more than usual, recall God's saving interventions in human history, which culminated in Jesus' death and resurrection for us.

Let us listen with special care tonight to God's word. It urges us to accept the invitation to love him with all our hearts. Then, as we renew our baptismal commitment, our lives will become more deeply hidden in Christ's. We will share gladly in his death, in hope of knowing the joy of his resurrection.

(Sunday Mass Book for Canada)

PARISH MINISTRY CONTACTS

Catholic Women's League: Therese Baduria at 416.938-5855 General meetings held on the 2nd Monday of each month at 7:00 pm in Room 2.

Faith Enrichment: Bonnie Washer at 416.284-5772 Meetings on Thursdays at 9:30 – 10:45 am in Room 2.

Knights of Columbus: Roy Van Deen at 416.899-2771. General meetings held every 3rd Thursday of the month at 7:30 pm in Room 2.

Legion of Mary: Dawne Williams at 416.284-8699 or Manisha Raju 647.678-0371. Juniors contact Manisha.

Prayer Group: Patricia Furtado at 416.724-8570 and Michael McManus at 416.438-8453. Meetings held every other Thursday at 7:30 pm.

Refugee Outreach: Carmela Gaudet at 416.283-8151. Meets on the last Saturday of every month.

Seniors 50+ Club: Joe Van Pinxteren at 416.284-4213 Refreshments, coffee, cards and companionship from 12 – 3:30 pm in the Hall every Wednesday. Seniors mass held every 1st Wednesday of the month at 11 am.

Social Committee: Bryan Noble at 647.937-6631 or bryannoble1967@gmail.com

St. Vincent de Paul Society: 416.282-0370 ext. 217

Technology Ministry: Isis Rebello at 416.286-0707

Youth Ministry: Angie Bernard at 647. 242-8429 or abernard@archtoronto.org



*Wishing you all a
Happy Easter!*

From

*Fr. Francis
Fr. Arinze
and the Pastoral
Team*

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

BUNDLE UP WEEKEND

On April 29th and 30th a SSVP container will be in the church's West Parking lot to collect your gently used clothing, footwear, and linens. No appliances, books, video tapes, crockery or furniture (except small dresser) will be accepted.

Drop off times are, Saturday and Sunday from 8:30am to 6:30PM. Volunteers will be available to assist you. See the notice on the parish website & bulletin boards at the back of the church for more information.

CHRISTIAN LIFE SEMINAR

The Missionary Families of Christ invites you to a Christian Life Seminar open to all adult men and women. The Seminar is an integrated course intended to lead the participants into a renewed understanding of and response to God's call to them as Christians. Every Friday at 7pm from April 14 - May 19, 2023 in St. Joseph's basement hall.

TDC St. Michaels Scholarship

The Toronto Diocesan Council of the Catholic Women's League of Canada is offering a scholarship of \$3,000 to St. Michael's College. This scholarship is open to any young woman who is of Catholic faith, who is completing her secondary school education, and who has indicated on her application to the University of Toronto that St. Michael's College is her first choice. The applicant must be entering the Faculty of Arts and Science in one of the following areas of study: Commerce, Computer Science, Humanities and Social Sciences or Sciences. The applications must be submitted by **May 31, 2023**. For further information, please contact Lucia Vacca at 416-283-3536



**SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION
DATES 2023**



FIRST COMMUNION MASS

Sunday, April 16th @ 1 pm

-St. Brendan, St. Jean de Brebeuf

Sunday, April 23rd @ 1pm

-Cardinal Leger, St. Dominic Savio, Sunday School

CONFIRMANDI RECONCILIATION

Saturday, April 15th from 10 am to 11:30 pm

CONFIRMATION MASS

Sunday, 30th April @ 1 pm

- St. Brendan, St. Jean de Brebeuf

Sunday, May 7th @ 1 pm

-Cardinal Leger, St. Dominic Savio, Sunday School

CONFIRMATION RETREAT

Saturday, June 3rd from 8:30 am to 3:00 pm

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY—April 16th, 2023

Preparation - 1) Novena begins on Good Friday. If you wish to pray it with others, meet at the Divine Mercy image after any service on that day and after any 9:00 am Mass during Easter week. 2) Acts of mercy— word, deed and prayer. 3) Make a good confession.

Information and Novena Pamphlets are available at church exits. For more info please call Bonnie Washer at 416-284-5772.

INNER HEALING RETREAT 2023

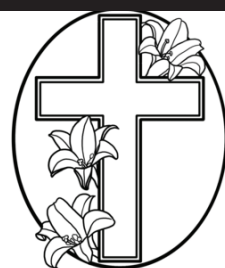
An Inner Healing Retreat will be held on April 22nd & 23rd from 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM at the Divine Retreat Centre - 69 William St, Toronto.

Registration is free (Full attendance is mandatory)

For more info:

Call: 647-949-4932 Email: enquirydrct@gmail.com

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