# PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

#### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, April 1<sup>st</sup> 5:00 pm Michael & Anne Balicki by Michael & Erika Balicki For the Newly Ordained by Elvio & Neva Lorenzon Sunday, April 2<sup>nd</sup> – Palm Sunday of the Passion Of the Lord 8:30 am Frank & Bernice Crosland by Anne & Greg Maltby & Family 10:30 am Josephine Frias Celebrating her 99<sup>th</sup> Birthday by Neriza Neville & Joseph Frias For the Intention of Maria Torrone Salvatore Cazzetta by Mary Cazzetta Wednesday, April 5<sup>th</sup> 7:00 pm For the Intention of Melanie A. For the Intention of Francis Conte Holy Thursday, April 6<sup>th</sup> 8:00 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper Good Friday, April 7<sup>th</sup> 3:00 pm The Passion of the Lord Holy Saturday, April 8<sup>th</sup> 8:00 pm Easter Vigil Mass Easter Sunday, April 9th 8:30 am For the Intention of Luciano & Maria Conte Amie & Dario Gentilini: Maria & Fiore Furgiuele by Nadia Buszchak 10:30 am Deceased Members of the Torrone & Vecchiarelli Families For the Intention of the Torrone Family Adriano Lovisa by Silvana Lovisa & Family

# **CHRISM MASS**

On Tuesday, April 4<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 in St Michael's Cathedral, Bishops bless sacred oils at a special liturgy. The oil of chrism is used during Baptism, Confirmation, Ordination and the consecration of altars. The oil of catechumens is used at the Easter Vigil. The oil of the sick is used to anoint people during the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. Priests renew their promises at the Chrism Mass.



## CHAPLET IN HONOUR OF ST. JOSEPH

Join us every Wednesday beginning at 6:00 pm.



## Our Mother of Perpetual Help Weekly Devotion

Join us in praying the Novena every Wednesday evening beginning at 6:30 pm, followed by the Celebration of Mass at 7:00 pm.



#### HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 6<sup>th</sup>

Mass of the Lord's Supper 8:00 pm Followed by Altar of Repose in the Parish Hall until 12:00 midnight

### GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 7<sup>th</sup>

Passion of the Lord – 3:00 pm Stations of the Cross after the 'Veneration of the Cross' (Overflow in the Parish Hall)

## HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 8<sup>th</sup>

Easter Vigil – 8:00 pm (\*\* NO 5:00 PM MASS \*\*)

#### EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 9th

Mass in the Church: 8:30 and 10:30 am (Overflow in the Parish Hall)

#### **BEREAVEMENT NOTICE:**

**ADA CARTAGINESE**, Mother of Joe (Iolanda) passed away peacefully on March 28, 2023 at the age of 94. Her Funeral Mass was celebrated on Friday, March 31<sup>st</sup> at 11:30 am. We offer our prayers to Joe and the entire family. May Ada rest in eternal peace in the hands of our Lord.

Help us support our Narthex Project

Tickets for: 2022 Mitsubishi Outlander; \$5,000.00; Apple Laptop OR \$2,000.00 available after Mass or at the Parish Office. Raffle Licence Number M771970

# SUNDAY, APRIL 2ND, 2023

## OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS DURING HOLY WEEK

HOLY THURSDAY - <u>Good Shepherd Ministries</u> Your gift to Good Shepherd Ministries helps those struggling with homelessness to find their way back to secure housing. Your donation also serves 800 hot meals a day so they don't have to choose between food and rent. Together, we can bring the joy of renewed life to those most in need.

### GOOD FRIDAY - Needs of the Holy Land

This Pontifical Collection is requested by the Holy See to help maintain the Church's holy places in the Holy Land, so important to the faith of Christians everywhere, and also to support the faithful who struggle to survive under political and economic oppression and persecution. We thank you for giving generously and showing your solidarity with a Church in need.

# The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

#### Easter Vigil, Saturday, April 8th - 8:00 pm Mass

For the last several weeks, MYLES TYLER SCOTT ANEVICH: MICHEL BENJAMIN HENZE: EHIMWENMA OMOLABAKE OSIFO **OFUNIM:** JEREMIAS CANO RAYMUNDO AND JONA JAVIER SANTOS, have explored their faith and journey and whether the Catholic Church is the place to continue that iourney. They have praved about it and have decided to take the next step. They will publicly for the first time declare their intention to the Church, and the Church, in turn, accepts them to become its members. We are asked to warmly welcome these families into our Catholic faith family and to support them with our prayers. SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: BENJAMIN FRANCO CADORNA-BASA; FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: ISMENA TOSCAN CHOUDHRY We are grateful to Piotr & Malgorzata Krys for preparing and guiding the candidates for this important day of their lives.





We Congratulate and pray for *His Grace Archbishop Francis Leo*, installed as Archbishop of Toronto last Saturday, may the Holy Spirit endow our new Shepherd with the

necessary grace to carry out his ministry with faithfulness. Through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary, may he shepherd us all with wisdom, courage and charity.



We are grateful to *His Eminence Cardinal Thomas Collins* for his sixteen years of good and faithful stewardship as Shepherd of the Archdiocese of Toronto, caring for the gathered

and reaching out to the scattered. In his retirement as Archbishop, may he be granted unfailing joy and health as he embarks on new pathways of ministry and pastoral care.

#### SHARELIFE Living the Gospel by providing for those in need

Give a helping hand to those who need it most, right here at home. By donating to Sharelife, you help support over 40 agencies to serve the most vulnerable people in our community – regardless of their faith, age, or background.

## FAMILY DINNER DANCE Great Food, Dancing & Fun for the whole Family SATURDAY, APRIL 29<sup>TH</sup> 7:00 PM

Tickets can be purchased from The Knights of Columbus or by contacting the Rectory/Office \$45.00 Adults; \$20.00 (5 – 12 yrs.) Under 5 free Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus

"They took branches of palm trees and went forth to meet thim, and cried, "Hosanna! Blessed is the who comes in the name of the Lord!"

John 12:13