

# DIVINE MERCY – 2<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER



**Saturday, April 11<sup>th</sup>**

5:00 pm Candy Barrett

by Vito & Wilma DeSimini

**Sunday, April 12<sup>th</sup> – Divine Mercy**

8:30 am Maria Nicoletta Reale

by Mary Spensieri

Deceased Members of the Andrade & Dias Families

For the Intentions of The Andrade & Dias Families  
by Lurdes & Jaime Dias

10:30 am Mary Manchisi

by Bozzo & DeSimini Families

**Wednesday, April 15<sup>th</sup>**

7:00 Special Intention - Friends

by Brenda Chang

**Friday, April 17<sup>th</sup>**

7:00 pm For the Intention of Lou Conte

by Bill & Sherine McCullough

**Saturday, April 18<sup>th</sup>**

5:00 pm Severino DeDonato

by The Catholic Women's League

**Sunday, April 19<sup>th</sup>**

8:30 am Maria Nicolina Reale

by Margaret Rumble

10:30 am Jetley & Deluxi Robinson

by Maria Pennino

**DIVINE MERCY**  
*Sunday*

**APRIL 12, 2026**

12 NOON POTLUCK LUNCH  
1:30 PM PRAYERS  
2:00 PM HOLY MASS FOLLOWED BY  
EUCCHARISTIC EXPOSITION  
DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET  
BENEDICTION

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## Our Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions

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



## EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT FRIDAY, APRIL 17<sup>TH</sup>

Silent Adoration begins at 3:30 pm, **Benediction at 6:00** pm Celebration of Mass at 7:00 pm.



## MARCH FOR LIFE

Join us on **Thursday, May 14<sup>th</sup>** The bus will be leaving from St. David's Church, Maple at 6:30 am and will be leaving Ottawa at 3:30 pm. Cost is \$50.00 per person. Please contact Gerry Sciarra at 647-501-1173 or email [gerrysciara8@gmail.com](mailto:gerrysciara8@gmail.com) and reserve your seat.

**HELP NOT HARM**



## Take Action to Support Bill C-218

**Write your Member of Parliament Today! Visit: [HelpNotHarmCanada.ca](http://HelpNotHarmCanada.ca).**

This Act would amend the Criminal Code to prevent Medical Assistance in Dying (MAID) from being provided when mental illness is the sole underlying condition. Without this change, MAID will be available for those suffering from mental illness alone beginning in March 2027.

SUNDAY, APRIL 12<sup>TH</sup>, 2026



## SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Celebrations uniting **ANTHONY SIMONE**, son of Silvano & Maria, together with **SAMANTHA DOMENICA NIGRO**, daughter of Mario & Mary, will take place on **Saturday, April 18<sup>th</sup>, at 1:30 pm**. May almighty God bless Anthony & Samantha, for God is with them and their families.



## THE RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION

### INVITATION

We invite all of you to join us in welcoming and meeting our RCIA Candidates for Cake & Coffee on

**NEXT SUNDAY, APRIL 19<sup>TH</sup>**

Following 10:30 am Mass in the Parish Hall

Our gratitude to **MICHAEL PALLOTTA AND STEPHEN MORRIS** for preparing and guiding our Candidates for this important day of their lives.

## THE 33<sup>RD</sup> ADULT FAITH EDUCATIONAL MEETING & POT-LUCK DINNER



Join us on **SATURDAY, APRIL 25<sup>TH</sup>** in the Parish Hall after Mass. The theme this month will be **THE LIVING WORD OF GOD**

subtitle: **How God Wants Us to Read and Understand the Bible**. The speakers of this meeting will be: **Michael Pallotto** and **Frank Donato**.

## CELEBRATING THE SPECIAL JUBILEE YEAR OF ST. FRANCIS

As some of you may know, following the conclusion of the Ordinary Jubilee Year of 2025, His Holiness Pope Leo XIV established a special Jubilee Year of St. Francis, beginning on 10 January 2026 and concluding on 10 January 2027 to commemorate the 8th centenary of his birth into eternal life (*dies natalis*). We pray that this will be a time of abounding blessings in which “we are all called to become saints in the contemporary world. Pilgrimage Churches – as per the Decree by the Apostolic Penitentiary, I have identified in the Archdiocese of Toronto several sacred places of worship which are either named after St. Francis of Assisi or are currently ministered by Franciscans. These locations are as follows:

### Northern Region

St. Francis Centre, Orangeville  
St. Francis of Assisi Mission, Washago  
St. Peter's Parish, Woodbridge

### Central Region

Immaculate Conception, Toronto  
St. Bonaventure, Toronto  
St. Francis of Assisi, St. Francis Table, Toronto

### Western Region

Resurrection of Our Lord Jesus Christ, Toronto  
St. Francis of Assisi, Mississauga  
St. Jane Frances, North York  
St. Philip Neri, North York

While there are no official planned programming activities from the archdiocese per se, shortly, we will encourage Catholics to visit pilgrimage parishes and the St. Francis Centre where they will: “spend at least some reasonable period of time in pious meditation and raise prayers to God so that following the example of Saint Francis, feelings of Christian charity towards their neighbors and authentic vows of harmony and peace among peoples may spring forth in their hearts, concluding with the Our Father, the Creed and invocations to the Blessed Virgin Mary, Saint Francis of Assisi, Saint Clare and all the Saints of the Franciscan Family.”

Frank Cardinal Leo  
Metropolitan Archbishop of Toronto

**SAVE THE DATE - PARISH SPRING PASTA DINNER - SATURDAY, MAY 2<sup>ND</sup> - 6:00 PM**

Sponsored by: The Catholic Women's League and The Knights of Columbus