



February 26th is Ash Wednesday

Please remember that this is a day of abstinence. "People are asked to begin the practice of abstinence after their 14th birthday; fasting would obligate those who have celebrated their 18th birthday and for a period up to their 59th birthday, although all, no matter what their age, should be taught the meaning of penance" (*Canon 1252*).

This does not apply should a medical condition dictate otherwise.

MASSES ON ASH WEDNESDAY

9:30 a.m.
12:00 Noon
7:30 p.m. (Bilingual)

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PLEASE NOTE THAT DURING LENT WEEKDAY MASS WILL BE CELEBRATED AT:

9:30 a.m. and 12:00 Noon
EXCEPT FOR SATURDAY

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Stations of the Cross

TO BE HELD EVERY FRIDAY AT:

11:30 a.m. in English
followed by Mass at 12 Noon

6:30 p.m. in Italian
followed by Mass at 7:00 p.m.

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FIRST RECONCILIATION

Rehearsal

Tuesday, February 18th, 2020
6:45 pm – 8:00 pm

Practice

Saturday, February 22nd, 2020
3:00 pm – 4:30 pm

First Reconciliation

Tuesday, February 25th, 2020
6:45 pm

Note: All events will be taking place in the church



Monday: 17 February 2020

9:30 am Edith Murphy

Tuesday: 18 February 2020

9:30 am Souls in Purgatory

Wednesday: 19 February 2020

9:30 am Louis Tolfo (L)
7:30 pm Ivor Thomas, Laureta Rancangan
Sylvia Grant, Gabriele Di Tommaso
Joseph Scerri, Idamanne Jean-Baptiste
Ramon & Maria Arana Torres
Alonso Lopez
Christian David Lopez Arana (L)
In thanksgiving to God
Special intention

Thursday: 20 February 2020

9:30 am Members of the Altar Society (L)

Friday: 21 February 2020

9:30 am Lily Mancuso

Saturday: 22 February 2020

9:30 am Yanush Czuva
5:30 pm John & Jessie Saville, Alexander Todd
Laurinda Nunes & Jack Champagne

Sunday: 23 February 2020

7:45am Carmine Maietta & Pierre Pena
9:00am Liboro Boroni, Raffaele Galle, Frank
Galle, Marianna & Giovanni Bottoni
10:30am **Parishioners of Transfiguration**
Matthew Dishart, Anna & Joseph Vu
12:00pm Giovanni Mazzanti,
Sandra & Stephen Chukwu (L)
7:00pm Ben Leonetti

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PRAY FOR THE SICK

Theresa Burns, Pat G., Noemy Pereira,
Clint Viegas, Samuel Cordeiro, Arthur Ruston,
Avio Carboni, Raphael Colaco, Victor Colaco,
James Ernst, Sophia Coleman, Dana McGrath,
Roman Joe Zakrajse & Olivia Balsamo

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THE OUTREACH PROGRAM

The Outreach program will be collecting men's new underwear, socks, winter hats, gloves & scarves, toothpaste, toothbrushes, body lotion, bar soap/liquid body wash, shampoo, razors, & shaving cream, vitamin (multi, b, c), Vicks vaporub, foot powder, polysporin & Rub A535.
Please give your donated items to a parish office staff for inclusion into the blue box.

PARISH ENVELOPES

Envelopes for the year 2020 are available in the vestibule and are displayed numerically. Please

pick-up your donation envelopes if you have not already done so.

**EXTRAORDINARY EUCHARISTIC
MINISTERS' MEETING**

We are inviting all Eucharistic Ministers to attend an important meeting in the parish hall on **Sat., February 22nd from 11:00 am to 12:00 Noon. Please RSVP to Angela Capobianco or Liliana Labrozzi.** Thank you for your commitment to the ministry.

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A LENTEN JOURNEY

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 2020

8:45 am to 4:30 pm

EUCHARISTIC CELEBRATION

9:30 AM

We invite you to join us to celebrate a Lenten Prayer Service at our parish.

Praise & Worship, Inspired Teaching's and Prayer Service with the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Conducted by: Brother Savio Rodrigues & Team

To register: call our parish office 416.247.0513 or send email to translord45@gmail.com

Admission is free. Registration is required as refreshments and a light lunch will be provided.

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DONATION TAX RECEIPTS

Tax receipts from the parish office and also from the Society of St. Vincent de Paul are available for pick up in the vestibule this weekend. They are filed alphabetically by last name. **Note: this will be the last weekend for a pickup.** Please take a minute to pick your receipt and help us save on the cost of mailing.

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**28th ANNUAL LIFT JESUS HIGHER
RALLY: Saturday, March 7th
9:00 am to 5:30 pm**

Keynote: Fr. James Mallon

Speaker: Ralph Martin

Emcee: Msgr. Gregory Smith

Mass with Cardinal Thomas Collins

Metro Toronto Convention Centre

255 Front Street West (Toronto) North Bldg.

For tickets (adult rally \$25; youth rally \$15),

consignments, and information, visit www.ljhr.ca

email: contact@ljhr.ca **call:** (647)243-9441

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16th Annual Dinner Celebration

Saturday, March 28, 2020

in our parish hall.

\$30.00 per person (door prizes & raffles)

**Tickets will be available on Monday,
in the parish office.**



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

The CWL will conduct its Annual "Change for Change Collection" this weekend of February 15th & 16th at all Masses. All proceeds go to support the Ernestine's Shelter. This shelter provides a safe place & support for women & children in our community facing abuse. We are grateful for the past support of our parish & pray for your continued support. Thank you.

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NEW BEGINNINGS

New Beginnings, is a ministry dedicated to assisting those who have suffered a loss through death. Together... we explore our grief, experience healing and renew our faith.

Transfiguration of Our Lord (in the upper hall)

Bereavement Support Group

Start Date: February 27th

Time: 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

For information or to register, contact: Arcangelo Limanni at alimanni@cfstoronto.com

By phone: (416)921-1163 ext. 2225

People from all ethnic, cultural & religious backgrounds are welcome.

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus will hold a Texas Hold'em Poker tournament at Transfiguration of Our Lord parish hall on February 29th. Dinner is at 6:30 pm with tournament starting at 7:30 pm. Cost is \$50 (buy in extra). Please register with the parish office if you wish to attend.

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**THE COME AND SEE WEEKEND
MARCH 13th – 15th
ST. AUGUSTINE SEMINARY**

Inviting single Catholic men 17 years and older, to cultivate a deeper prayer life and relationship with Jesus Christ; leading to a better discernment of God's call for their lives. Time for prayer, reflection and information on the process of becoming one of Christ's disciples as a Catholic priest. Please register online at www.vocationstoronto.ca. For more information, please contact the Office of Vocations at 416.968.0997; or email: vocations@archtoronto.org

Please note: Registrants 17 years old will require parental consent.

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PASSION PLAY: Transfiguration Youth have begun their preparation for the church's annual Passion Play. All youth interested in either acting or assisting in various behind the scene roles are welcome to participate. The play is a fun way for students to gain volunteer hours while at the same time meet other youth in the parish.

Practices will take place every Sunday after the 12 Noon Mass in the parish hall.

For further information, please contact our Youth Minister, Stephanie Veliz

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ELEMENTARY SCHOOL MINISTRY



February 21st - The Way We Are

March 6th - Authenticity

March 20th - March Break

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HIGH SCHOOL MINISTRY



February 28th - The Word Becomes Status

March 13th - Distorted Direction: Pornography

April 3rd - Easter Special

HOLY LAND: JORDAN & ISRAEL

*Under the Spiritual Leadership of Fr. George Parayil
September 14th - September 24th, 2020*

CAD \$3,380.00 tax included (double occupancy)

CAD \$4,180.00 tax included (single occupancy)

All 3 Meals, Entry tickets, Road &

Air Transportation included

Attractions: Petra, Madaba, Nabatean Tombs, Basilica of Annunciation & the Well of Virgin Mary, Mount Precipice, Capernaum, Mount Beatitudes & Church, Tabgha, Mount Tabor, Boat ride on the Sea of Galilee, Knights Hall, Aljazar Mosque, Church of the Nativity & the Shepherds' Fields, Mount of Olives, Chapel of Ascension, Pater Noster, Chapel of Dominus Fleuit, Garden of Gethsemane & Church, Church of All Nations, Mount Zion Complex, Pools of Bethesda (St. Anne's Church), St. Peter in Gallicantu, Yad Vashem Museum, Qumran National Park, Masada National Park including cable car, Wailing Wall & the Temple Mount, Cenacle Church, Ecce Homo Convent, City of David including Hezekiah's Tunnel (wet tunnel), Western Wall Tunnel, Jerusalem by night Tour.

For further information, please contact:

Fr. George at (416)247-0513 ext. 0 or 1

Travel arrangements by:

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