


<i>Mass Intentions for the Week</i> 		
Saturday April 26	5:00 pm	<p><b>“On the Occasion of Gaetano &amp; Nicoletta Leonelli 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary”</b></p> <p>† <b>Theresa Bell</b> (Sister of Eunice Michalsky)</p>
Sunday April 27	8:30 am	<p><b>“In Onore a Gesù Bambino”</b></p> <p><b>“For the Intercession of John Paul II Blessings”</b> (Barbara &amp; Family) † <b>Filomena Varanelli</b> (Famiglia Varanelli)</p>
	10:00 am	<p><b>“Spiritual &amp; Physical Healing with the Intercession of John Paul II”</b> (Magda &amp; Family)</p>
	11:30 am	<b>PRO POPULO</b>
Monday April 28	8:00 am	
Tuesday April 29	8:00 am	
Wednesday April 30	7:00 pm	† <b>Justus John</b> (11:30 am Choir)
Thursday May 1	8:00 am	
Friday May 2	8:00 am	
Saturday May 3	5:00 pm	<p>† <b>Giuseppe &amp; Catterina Vanin</b> (Bruno Vanin) † <b>Cosimo Torello</b> (Maria Mangiardi &amp; Fam.) † <b>Vincenzo &amp; Leonina Giorgio</b> (The Giorgio Family) <b>“35<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Wedding Blessings for Alvi &amp; Flor Dandal”</b></p>

## Behind Locked Doors

The first Christians were victims of state terrorism. The sudden arrest and death of Jesus provoked a climate of fear and apprehension among the apostles. They



assemble inside a locked room--probably that of the Last Supper. The terror is so great that one apostle, Thomas, is reluctant to approach them even in seclusion. The locks are not only on the doors but on their minds and faith. Jesus breaks through with a powerful witness of love. He gives them power to unlock souls as well as portals.

*(Lonsdale Commentaries & Clip Art)*

## Easter Thanks to Everyone



We are blessed with wonderful celebration during Holy Week! The preparation and celebration of the various events during the Lenten Season involve the planning and preparation of many people. We thank all who took part in our liturgies making them celebrations of faith. Parish staff, lectors, extraordinary ministers of the Eucharist, ushers, altar servers, musicians, choirs, the RCIA team, etc. We take this opportunity to thank the Parishioners Community of the 8:30 am Italian Mass for the contribution of \$150.00 for the Sanctuary Easter Flowers. Many thanks to Mary Alves for making and donating the beautiful flower arrangements to enhance the sanctuary; your hard work is very much appreciated.

## ***New Church Pews***

We are pleased to inform our parishioners that new pews will be purchased for the church; it's going to be beautiful once everything is done. The present pews are offered at no charge to any parishioner interested in one. Please call the parish office to make the arrangements. As well if anyone is interested in sponsoring or memorializing a new pew please call Fr. Frank at the parish office. The donation to memorialize a pew is \$1,500.00. A taxable receipt will be issued. We thank the people who have already come forward and agreed to sponsor one of the pews.

## ***Papal Scrolls***

Parishioners may order a Papal Blessing scroll to commemorate a milestone wedding anniversary or birthday, as well as the reception of the sacrament of baptism, first communion, confirmation, marriage and religious ordination and profession. For further information on how to order a Papal Blessing scroll, including the cost and timeline involved, please contact the parish office.



## ***Pastoral Care for the Sick***

If you have a family member, loved one or friend in the hospital, please notify the parish office so that we can care for the sacramental needs of your sick or homebound family members, Holy Communion and the Sacrament of the Sick are available to all who are seriously ill.

### ***Canonization of Pope***

#### ***John Paul II and Pope John XXIII***

On April 27, 2014 Salt + Light Television will broadcast, LIVE from Rome, the Ceremony of Canonization for Pope John XXIII and Pope John Paul II. This historic event can be watched at the following times:

LIVE April 27: 3:30 am ET / 00:30 am PT (English)

#### **REPEATS**

April 27: 9:00 am ET / 6:00 pm PT (English)

April 27: 2:30 pm ET / 11:30 am PT (French)

April 27: 10:00 pm ET / 7:00 pm PT (English)

April 28: 2:00am ET / April 27 at 11:00pm PT  
(English)



***Moving – please inform the parish office, it will help us keep parish database up to date.***

## ***Devotions***

Devotion prayers to Our Lady of Perpetual Help are prayed every Wednesday evening at 7:00 pm; prayers are followed immediately by Mass and then benediction with the Blessed Sacrament.

## ***First Communion at St. Leo's Church***

The grade 2 children that attend St. Leo's Schools have been preparing for first Eucharist. They will receive the Sacrament next Sunday May 4<sup>th</sup> @ the 11:30 am Mass. First Communion is a momentous experience and a very solemn moment in the lives of our young people. We join the immediate family in the youngster's celebration of this event as they are joining us at *our* family table: the table of God's family.



## ***Come Join The Dorothy Ley Hospice for our Hike!***

The Dorothy Ley Hospice is a volunteer-based community service organization offering compassionate care to people living with the challenges of life-limiting illness and loss. Our goal is to provide comfort and help them manage so they can live every day to the fullest with dignity, meaning and hope. We are hosting our annual Hike for Hospice on Sunday, May 4th from 11am to 2pm at The Dorothy Ley Hospice, 220 Sherway Drive, and we would love to have you join us. It is fun for the entire family! Contact Melody Courtney, at [mcourtney@dlhospice.org](mailto:mcourtney@dlhospice.org) or 416-626-0116 ext. 236 and she can fill you in on all of the details! We hope to see you on May 4th!

### **Mass at Queen of Heaven Catholic**

#### **Cemetery:**

Please join us for a special mass on Saturday May 3 at 9:30 AM at Queen of Heaven Catholic Cemetery. The mass will take place in the St. Anthony Chapel of the Mausoleum. For further information contact the cemetery at 905-851-5822

### **Serra Vocation**

"As the Father has sent me, so I send you." Will you respond to God's call to be sent as priest, sister or brother? If God is calling you, **contact Fr. Hansoo Park 416-968-0997**

**Email: vocations@vocations.ca**

### **Church Support April 19/20 (Easter Weekend)**

Offertory	4348.00
Building Fund	3847.00
Loose Cash	2284.00
	<b>\$</b>
	<b>10,479.00</b>

Envelopes used (374) Average amount \$21.92

**Thank you for your support**

### **A Tutti Grazie!**

Le celebrazioni durante la Settimana Santa sono meravigliose. La preparazione e la celebrazione di vari eventi durante questo periodo Quaresimale coinvolgono la partecipazione di molta gente. Ringraziamo tutti coloro che hanno partecipato alle liturgie e hanno fatto delle celebrazioni un evento straordinario e pieno di fede. Il Personale della Parrocchia, Lettori, Ministri della Comunione, Uscieri, Chierichetti, Musicisti, i Cori, il gruppo RCIA, ecc. Prendiamo questa opportunità per ringraziare i parrocchiani della messa Italiana delle 8:30 am che hanno contribuito e donato \$150.00 per comprare le piante pasquali per abbellire l'altare. Uno speciale ringraziamento a Mary Alves per aver arrangiato e donato i fiori per adornare la chiesa.

### **Cura pastorale dei malati**

Se avete qualche membro della famiglia, qualche persona cara o amico in ospedale, per favore informate l'ufficio parrocchiale, in modo che siamo in grado di curare i bisogni pastorali delle persone che non possono uscire di casa o sono malati in ospedale. La Santa Comunione ed il Sacramento dei malati sono disponibili a tutti coloro che per ragioni fisiche sono indisposti o gravemente malati.

### **Pergamene Papali**

I parrocchiani possono ordinare Pergamene Papali per commemorare un'anniversario di matrimonio, una tappa fondamentale, un compleanno, o anche per i sacramenti del battesimo, comunione or cresima. Per ulteriori informazioni su come ordinare una pergamena con la benedizione papale, per il costo e il tempo che impiega si prega di mettersi in contatto con l'ufficio parrocchiale.

### **Nuovi Banchi**

Siamo lieti di informare i nostri parrocchiani che saranno acquistati nuovi banchi per la Chiesa. I banchi presenti sono offerti gratuitamente ai parrocchiani interessati ad averne uno. Si prega di chiamare l'ufficio parrocchiale per arrangiare il trasporto. Come pure se qualcuno è interessato a sponsorizzare o commemorare un nuovo banco potete chiamare Padre Frank all'ufficio parrocchiale. La donazione per un nuovo banco è \$1,500.00. Ringraziamo le persone che già si sono fatti avanti e hanno accettato di commemorare un nuovo banco.

Auguri di cuore ai nostri nostri parrocchiani Gaetano & Nicoletta Leonelli in occasione del loro 50 ° anniversario di matrimonio. Cinquant'anni d'oro, pieni di unità, d'amore, di fiducia e di ricordi. Complimenti, e tante Benedizioni!

