

 Mass Intentions for the Week		
Saturday Nov 11	5:00 pm	† Jaroslav Chokota (Mila & Paul) “On the Occasion of Rosalo & Lourdes Senador Wedding Anniversary” † Fred & Evelyn Haslan (Joanne McPhee)
Sunday Nov 12	8:30 am	† Maria Rita & Domenico Del Buono (Lucy Zita) † Agostino & Lide Franceschini (La Famiglia) † Nunzio Fiorito (Orsola & Famiglia) † Mirella Favaro (La Famiglia)
	10:00 am	† Mary & Matthew Surman (The Surman Family) † Ultimino & Giuseppina Veltri (The Family) † Giuseppe & Maria Magno (The Family) † Adam Lecznar (Halina)
	11.30 am	“In Suffrage of All the Souls of St. Leo’s Parish”
Monday Nov 13	10:00 am	† All Souls of Purgatory (Barry)
Tuesday Nov 14	8:00 am	PRO POPULO (Nov. 12)
Wednesday Nov 15	7:00 pm	“Knights of Columbus Memorial Mass”
Thursday Nov 16	8:00 am	† Kevin Plaxton (Maria L. Tedesco)
Friday Nov 17	8:00 am	† All Souls of Purgatory (Barry)
Saturday Nov 18	5:00 pm	† Genowefa Kudlaciak (The Family) † Hope Clarke (The Family) † Domenico & Domenica Giannini † Ottavio Cicconi & Delia Diomede † Andrew Tung (The Cicconi Family)
Sunday Nov 19	8:30 am	† Biagio Forte (Civita Forte & Famiglia) † Luigi Nifo (Orsola Fiorito & Vittorio Nifo)
	10:00 am	† Aldo Gemma (Lucia & Family) † Deceased Members of the Leonelli & Mallozzi Families (The Leonelli Family) † Emiliano Hernandez (Lydia) † Adam Lecznar (Lydia)
	11:30 am	“In Suffrage of All the Souls of St. Leo’s Parish”

*Please remember in your prayers
Those who are suffering from illness... They and their
loved ones need our constant prayers and support.*

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord

There is no Eucharistic Celebration in which the Church does not pray for the faithful departed. The Church with maternal preoccupation remembers all those who have fallen asleep in the Lord and implores God to grant them a place of happiness, light and peace. The month of November our thoughts are directed towards all our faithfully departed in a particular fashion. All your offering envelopes with the names of your deceased will remain on the altar throughout the month. May they rest in peace, Amen!

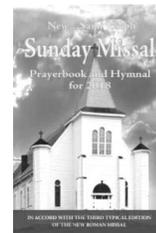


Special Memorial Liturgy

We invite all people to join the Knights of Columbus in the yearly Memorial Liturgy on Wednesday November 15 at 7:00 pm in our Church; during this time everyone is asked to attend and pray for the Souls of Purgatory.

New Season - New Prayer Book

The new prayer book “St. Joseph’s Sunday Missal” for the 2017/2018 season is now on sale; the current edition goes out of use November 26th after the Solemnity of Christ the King. The cost of the Sunday Missal is \$5.00. For a personal copy please see members of our social committee in the back of the church or by the baptismal font. Make sure you are ready for the beginning of the Liturgical Year.



Shepherds Trust

Caring for those who always cared for us - our retired priests who have greatly influenced the lives of so many; they were with us to joyfully celebrate our marriage, baptize our children and also to support us during times of sadness and grief. The **Shepherds Trust** collection will take place in all the parishes in the Archdiocese of Toronto next weekend November 18th & 19th. Envelopes are distributed this weekend. The **Shepherds’ Trust** does more than just bridge the gap in our priest’s retirement years; it says thank-you in a very tangible way for the blessings we have received. Your generosity on November 18th and 19th is deeply appreciated.

Parish Envelopes

The new boxes of envelopes will soon be distributed. The parish envelope weekly collection is the main source of income for our parish and it is vital that as many as possible use them. If it has not been your custom to use the weekly envelopes why not begin in 2018? If you would like a box of envelopes please contact the parish office 416-251-1109 or fill in your name and address on the front page of our weekly bulletin. This is also a good way to register you and your family. A very sincere “THANKS” to all our parishioners and friends of the parish who support us by their generosity and presence. This witness is deeply appreciated and we ask for your continuing support.

What to Do at the Time of Death

The circumstances that surround the loss of a loved one and the planning for funeral services may vary widely. Nevertheless, the arrangements typically follow this pattern in whole or in part. When death has occurred, the family notifies the funeral home which they have selected. The funeral home contacts the Parish and the process of preparing for the funeral begins. The family meets with the funeral home staff to make arrangements. The funeral home will call the Parish to confirm dates and times for services which typically include:

- A vigil service at the funeral home;
- the funeral liturgy;
- the committal service at the cemetery.

Arrangements are also made for the services of an organist and cantor for the funeral mass in church. St. Leo's Parish is glad to be of service at this difficult time and will do our best to accommodate the needs and wishes of the family.

Congratulations to our Altar Servers

The "Bishop Altar Server Award" is a program sponsored by the Serra Clubs of the Archdiocese of Toronto. Last Saturday November 4, at All Saints Church 2 altar servers from our parish received the award for service from Most Reverend John Boissonneau. We offer our sincere thanks and congratulations to **Joseph Lakaj** and **Alexandra Ofor**. Each year altar servers from parishes throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto are selected for this special recognition in light of their dedication and sense of responsibility. The parish is truly grateful to all of its altar servers for their participation at the celebration of the Eucharist throughout the Church year. Thank you and God bless you!

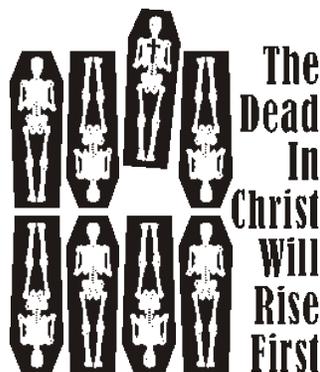
Flu Season

Flu season is out and it's here. Common sense tells us to stay home from Mass if we have symptoms of the flue. Hands should be washed frequently and thoroughly. Cough or sneeze into a tissue or your sleeve. At the "Sign of Peace" let's exchange a gracious bow or a verbal greeting.

Fallen asleep

Paul is teaching about the resurrection. Some of the people of Thessalonica expected the Second Coming of Christ to happen in the immediate future. They also anticipated that they would ascend to heaven with him. But some believers had died. This led survivors to fear that the dead wouldn't share in Jesus' triumph. Paul answers that the dead Christians hadn't really died; they had merely entered a sleep-like state pending the resurrection.

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Save the Date

Saturday / Sunday December 9 @ 10
Christmas Plants @ Annual Bake Sale

Benefit Concert

Catholic Family Services of Toronto presents a Benefit Concert to End Abuse to Women and Girls at Lula Lounge (1585 Dundas St. West, Toronto). The concert features Canadian saxophonist Enrico Galante and vocalist Dan Madison on Wednesday, November 22, 2017. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. Enjoy live music, good food and a silent auction all for a good cause. Tickets can be purchased in advance for \$40 or \$45 at the door. Tickets are available through CFS Toronto at (416) 921-1163. All proceeds go to Catholic Family Services of Toronto's Women Abuse Programs.

New Beginnings

New Beginnings Ministry is hosting a Dinner and Seminar with Dr. Josephine Lombardi on Being Our Best Self. November 30 2017. 6:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. at St John of the Cross, 6890 Glen Erin Dr. Miss. To register for this free event, please search: "Eventbrite New Beginnings Fall 2017" or phone 416 921 1163. Please RSVP by November 24.

Serra Vocation

"Keep awake, therefore, for you know neither the day nor the hour." Listen with your heart as well as with your ears for then you may accept the call to serve in the priesthood, diaconate or consecrated life. If God is calling you, contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997. Email: vocations@archtoronto.org

2018 Calendars

Calendars for the New Year 2018 are now available courtesy of Hogle Funeral Home. We have them in 3 languages English, Italian & Polish. Please request the calendar from members of our Social Committee. One per family, please!