

		
Saturday Sept 2	5:00 pm	
Sunday Sept 3	8:30 am	† <b>Biagio Forte</b> (Civita Forte & Famiglia)
	10:00 am	† <b>Rocco Santaluca</b> (Vittoria Santaluca & Family) † <b>Rufina Manuel</b> (The Family)
	11:30 am	<b>PRO POPULO</b>
Monday Sept 4	8:00 am	"Blessings Intentions for <b>Grandchildren</b> " (Joanna Bak)
Tuesday Sept 5	8:00 am	
Wednesday Sept 6	7:00 pm	† <b>Francesco &amp; Concetta Paone</b> (Mafalda Perri)
Thursday Sept 7	8:00 am	
Friday Sept 8	8:00 am	
Saturday Sept 9	5:00 pm	
Sunday Sept 10	8:30 am	
	10:00 am	† <b>Joao De Medeiros, Jose, Francisco &amp; Annibal</b> (Maria De Medeiros) † <b>Katherine &amp; Michael Krubnik</b> (The Surman Family) † <b>Stanislaw &amp; Anna Guzda</b> (Posluszny Family) † <b>Joan Varty</b> (Tony & Cathy Dodds)
	11:30 am	<b>PRO POPULO</b>

### Get behind me Satan!

Poor Peter, Jesus promises to build his church on his like--then he calls him "Satan". The apostle has had an insight into Jesus' nature. He fails to understand the mission of Christ. When the lord predicts his own death, Peter takes him aside and urges him to "cool it". That kind of talk will not attract more followers. As much for the benefit of the others, Jesus tells Peter that he is judging the mission by human standards. He calls him a tempter. In the book of Job, Satan is a sort of aid to God. His mission is to test souls to prove their worthiness for God's blessings. Only in later theology does Satan become equated with the devil. Jesus isn't calling Peter diabolical; he is simply advising him to get with the program through self-sacrifice. (Fr. Lonsdale Clip-Art and Commentaries)



### Children's Liturgy

The kids are back in school next week and its starting time for our Sunday school at the 10:00 o'clock Sunday morning Mass. Children from 3 - 7 years are invited downstairs to the parish hall for their own Liturgy of the Word. We begin Sunday, September 24<sup>th</sup> 2017. Registration forms are available on the cabinets at the entrance of the church. Adults interested in working with this program are asked to call the parish office or speak with Fr. Frank.



### RCIA – The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Are you someone or do you know someone who has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic? Anyone not yet baptized. Anyone baptized but not as a Catholic. Anyone who was baptized Catholic as a child, but has not celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist? We offer an opportunity to come together in a small group to learn more about our faith. Sessions focus on the teachings and experience of the Church and prepare individuals to celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist during the Easter Season. If you are interested--please call the parish office and ask to speak with Fr. Frank.

### We welcome new members to St Leo

If you are new to this parish, we wish to welcome you and hope that you find this to be a warm and caring community. Please make sure you introduce yourself to Father Frank and register with the parish. The simplest ways to register is by using the registration part on the front page of our Sunday Bulletin and drop it in the collection basket. Or you can call the parish office (416-251-1109) register and pick up a box of offering envelopes.

### Parish Website

The parish website [www.saintleosmimico.ca](http://www.saintleosmimico.ca) is not your average parish website! It includes parish information as well as interesting, informative, and entertaining videos and links intended to share the beauty and joy of our Catholic faith. Check it out at [www.saintleosmimico.ca](http://www.saintleosmimico.ca) and add your name to our emailing list to be kept up to date on changes as new material is added almost on a daily basis.

### Cell Phones

Please leave cell phones, etc. at home or turn them off at the door of the church. It is never acceptable to answer or make a personal call in church not even when mass is over. The same holds true for text messages, emails, etc. Keep the mind and heart free in church, communication with God should be the only focus.



### SANCTUARY LAMP

The Sanctuary Lamp for the month of July  
Is sponsored by Nicoletta Leonelli in  
memory of:  
Anthony Di Carvalho



### Serra Vocation

For what will it profit anyone to gain the whole world but forfeit their life? Isn't there more to life than chasing the dollar? Are you being called to be a priest, deacon, brother or sister? Humbly ask the Lord. If God is calling you **contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.**

Email: [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org)

### Join the Choir...

**You'll be glad you did!**

Choir Rehearsals for 11:30 am Choir commences Wednesday, September 6<sup>th</sup> 2017 @ 7:45 pm. Rehearsals every Wednesday at the same time.



### Merrymakers

A dynamic afternoon program for children 3-5 year olds; songs, stories, poems, nursery, rhymes, instruments, games, classical music, Mime, drama, play. Where: 1515A Queen Street West (Mary, Mother of God School) When: Monday and Thursday afternoons (Children can be registered for one or two afternoons per week.) Time: 1:00-3:30 p.m. For more information or to register call the school at 416-531-7897. Come and make merry with us!

### Catholic Family Services of Toronto

#### Walk-in Services

Our professional counselling staff is trained to offer Walk-In services to clients who have an urgent need to speak with a counsellor. The single-session consultation is aimed at helping clients identify and hone-in on plans that will provide them with help for their presenting concern. Clients who are interested in accessing services can choose to call one of our branches at 416-921-1163 (Central) or 416-222-0048 (North) and book a single-session appointment or drop-in at our North Office on Thursdays between 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. For additional information on the range of services we offer, please visit our website at: <http://www.cfstoronto.com/>

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### We need your help

Please remember the needy of our parish as you pass the St. Vincent de Paul boxes at the back of the church the program that assists families in our community is made possible through your generous support. Your kindness is very much appreciated.



### Magnificat Charismatic Prayer Group

The prayer group holds Mass in Polish every Thursday night at 7:00 pm. This group also hosts a Healing Mass also in Polish the last Sunday of each Month beginning this September at 6:00 pm. The group shares the spirit of gratitude with prayers, praises and music. Parishioners are welcome to attend.

### Novena, Prayers & 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 benediction with the Blessed Sacrament.



### Archdiocese of Toronto 175th Anniversary

**Western Pastoral Region Celebration-Tuesday, September 12, 2017 @ 7 pm**

#### Merciful Redeemer Parish (Mississauga)

As we celebrate the 175th anniversary of the Archdiocese of Toronto, Cardinal Thomas Collins, Archbishop of Toronto, extends an invitation for all to join him for Mass and a reception to commemorate this historic milestone. The Western Pastoral Region celebration will take place at Merciful Redeemer Parish (Mississauga) – 2775 Erin Centre Blvd. (east of Winston Churchill Blvd, west of Erin Mills Pkwy) on Tuesday, September 12, 2017 at 7 p.m. For more information, visit [www.archtoronto.org/175](http://www.archtoronto.org/175)

### Blessed Mother Teresa

Tuesday September 5, the Church will celebrate the feast of Mother Teresa, a common symbol of God's merciful and special love for the poor and forgotten. Mother Teresa was born Agnes Gonxha Bojaxhiu on August 26, 1910, in Skopje, Macedonia, the youngest of three children. She attended a youth group called Sodality, run by a Jesuit priest at her parish, and her involvement opened her to the call of service as a missionary nun. She joined the Sisters of Loretto at age 17 and was sent to Calcutta where she taught at a high school. She contracted Tuberculosis and was sent to rest in Darjeeling. It was on the train to Darjeeling that she received her calling - what she called "an order" from God to leave the convent and work and live among the poor. She established the Missionaries of Charity and cared for the poorest of the poor, and those who were very sick.

