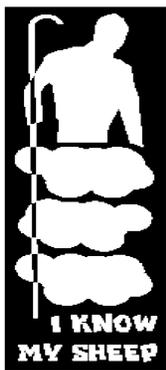


 Mass Intentions for the Week		
Saturday Apr 21	5 pm	† Carlos Medeiros (Denise Lopes) "Special Intentions for Nicole" (Robert & Patricia) † Carmen Micco (Donna Micco)
Sunday Apr 22	8:30 am	† Maria Rita & Domenico Del Buono (Lucy Zita) † Antonio Orsini (Maria Fasulo)
	10 am	† Aldo Gemma (Lucy Gemma & Family) † Edmund & Margaret Smith (The Sheridan Family) † Jose Reguindin (Gloria Felaire) † Aniceta Moreno (Rafaelito Moreno & Family)
	11.30 am	PRO POPULO
Monday Apr 23	8 am	
Tuesday Apr 24	8 am	
Wednesday Apr 25	7 pm	† Marcos G. Celis (Wife Shirley & Family) "In Thanksgiving" (Rafaelito Moreno & Family)
Thursday Apr 26	8 am	
Friday Apr 27	8 am	
Saturday Apr 28	5 pm	"On the Occasion of Mark Querijero's 40th B'day" (Aunt Carmen)
Sunday April 29	8:30 am	† Biagio Forte (Civita Forte & Famiglia) "In Onore al Bambino Gesù"
	10 am	"On the Occasion of Shirley Hernando B'day" (The Family) † Michael & Mary Sheridan (The Sheridan Family)
	11:30 am	PRO POPULO

The Good Shepherd

When Jesus calls himself "The good shepherd" he is using an example that would have been very familiar to his listeners. Sheep are voracious eaters. They consume large amounts of grass and eat right down to the roots. Because of this they must range freely over a wide area. Shepherds had to be outdoors in all conditions for long periods of time. They literally had to surrender a large part of their lives for the sheep in their care. Shepherds had to keep an eye out for predators, while herding the sheep away from dangerous areas. Jesus offers the same kind of dedicated love. He gives his life for each of the members of his flock.

(Lonsdale Commentaries & Clip-Art)



Mother's Day Flower Sale

While we are patiently waiting for spring, Mother's day is on its way (May 13). Our Social/Fundraising Committee is busy preparing for a Mother's Day Flower Sale to be held on Mother's day weekend. This year all proceeds will go towards the new outdoor "Mary's Garden" dedicated to Our Lady on the north side of our church. Please join us in supporting our fundraising events and buy flowers for all the moms in your life.



ShareLife Campaign Second Collection

For over a century, ShareLife continues to provide for the needs of the marginalized both here in our Archdiocese and in many countries of the world. We are grateful for the generosity that our parishioners have shown for all our brothers and sisters in Christ. Please note that this weekend there will be the second collection for ShareLife; we invite you to make a sacrificial gift in support of the work of the ShareLife agencies.

Confirmations Blessings

We want to pass on prayerful good wishes and congratulations to all the students of St. Leo and St. Louis schools that have received the Sacraments of Confirmation, may the peace and love of God accompany you always. Thanks to all the teachers for their spiritual guidance given to all the students during these past months of instructions. May the Lord bless you and keep you always!

World Day of Prayer for Vocations

"We Are God's People"

Today, the Fourth Sunday of Easter or Good Shepherd Sunday we celebrate **World Day of Prayer for Vocations**. The Church invites us to honor the vocation of all Christians given at baptism, as followers of Jesus we are called to remain faithful to the grace of God, we ask that we may be filled with joy and the Holy Spirit as we carry on the mission of Jesus, our Good Shepherd.

Serra Vocation

This is World Day of Prayer for Vocations. The world needs leaders with courage and integrity. The Church needs good leaders as well, leaders who will unselfishly care for the needs of God's people and minister to them. If you feel God is calling you to priesthood, religious life or diaconate, call Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto 416-968-0997 Email: vocations@archtoronto.org

No Old Testament readings during Easter season

By ancient tradition, the Old Testament is not read during the Easter Season. The Old Testament readings at Mass are replaced by a selection from the Acts of the Apostles or from the Book of Revelation.

1st Eucharist at St. Leo's Church

Next Sunday April 29th we welcome the grade 2 children of St. Louis School and the public schools children for first Eucharist. They will receive First Holy Communion @ the 11:30 am Mass. The following Sunday May 6th we will welcome the grade 2 students of St. Leo's



School at the 11:30 am Mass for First Holy Communion. 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.

Sanctuary Lamp

We invite to make an offering of candle to the Blessed Sacrament, it can be made in memory of a loved one, a birthday, an anniversary or a special family occasion call the parish office at 416-251-1109 the name will be published in the bulletin. We wish to thanks all the parishioners that continuously make sacrifices to keep the thought of Jesus True Presence within this Tabernacle”.

Saturday Morning Study Series:

Understanding the Holy Eucharist

10 AM St. Leo's Church Basement Meeting Room

- April 28, 2018; *The Eucharist as Sacrifice/Meal*;
- May 5, 2018; *The Eucharist as Sacrament-Memorial* (Last Supper, Crucifixion, Easter, Christ Second Coming)

Knights of Columbus Dinner/Dance

The Knights of Columbus Council 3401 are having their:

67th Annual Dinner Dance,

April 28th, 2018,

6:00p.m. to 1:00a.m.

St. Ambrose Parish Hall

782 Browns Line

Etobicoke, Ontario

Tickets \$45.00 per person, Door Prizes,

50/50 Draw, D.J., Cash Bar

For Tickets contact:

Adrian deRooy - 416-201-0518

Walter Mendonca - 416-259-7338

Tony Russo - 416-259-0933

Larry Mullins - 416-255-4659



This week the Altar flowers next to the Holy Tabernacle were donated by Shirley Hernando and Family in memory of:
"Marcos G. Celis"

Booking Mass Intentions

Catholics traditionally offer Masses for those who have died and for other special intentions. You may book a Mass by visiting or calling the parish office, Monday to Friday, during office hours. Announced Masses are listed in the weekly bulletin and mentioned at Mass. The stipend is \$20 per Mass. Unannounced Masses are celebrated without public mention and as soon as possible. The stipend is \$10 per Mass. Mass cards are also available.

Coming Soon!

A powerful new Parish Mission presentation May 13-17, 2018 at 7:00p.m. St. Ambrose Parish will be presenting a parish mission entitled "To Serve is to Reign." Join Fr. Joseph Aytona, CPM for 5 evenings of Faith Inspiring Conferences followed by Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament on Sunday May 13 to Thursday, May 17, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. The presentation will last for approximately 45 minutes. Confessions will be available after the presentation. Please attend this grace filled conference! For more information please see the poster on our bulletin board.

Mary, Mother of God School

Mary, Mother of God School invites you to its 25th Anniversary Fundraising Gala on Saturday, May 5th at 7:00 p.m. at the King's Garden Banquet Hall. Tickets are \$125 each. Join us for a delicious meal, silent auction, balloon surprises and lively entertainment! Call Stephanie at the school for more information: 416-531-7897. (Last day of ticket sales: April 24, 2018.)

Etobicoke & Mississauga Faith Community Leaders Forum

The 2018 InterFaith Festival (IFF 2018) is on Sunday, April 29th, at the Tibetan Canadian Cultural Centre, 40 Titan Road, Etobicoke. You are invited to be part of the event. All are welcome. Free admission. Parking. "Cherishing DIVERSITY. Fostering UNITY. Making PEACE with justice." For more details please see the poster attached to our bulletin board in the entrance of the church.

