

 MASS INTENTIONS OF THE WEEK		
Sat Oct 31	5 pm	† Adam Lecznar (The Lecznar Family)
Sun Nov 1	8:30 am	† Biagio Forte & Elena & Mariano Forte (Civita Forte & Family)
		† Margherita Piscione (Husband Angelo Piscione)
		† Florenio Marasigan (The Family)
	10 am	"In Suffrage of all the Souls of: St. Leo's Parish"
	11:30 am	PRO POPULO
Mon Nov 2	8 am	† Pasquale & Angelina Martino (Mafalda Perri)
		† Amedeo & Giulia Perri (Mafalda Perri)
		† Susan Hornby (The Family)
	7 pm	"In Suffrage of all the Souls of: St. Leo's Parish"
Tue Nov 3	8 am	
Wed Nov 4	7 pm	"Deceased Family Members of the: Martino, Paone, Perri & Vigna Families" (Mafalda Perri)
		"In Thanksgiving" (Teresa Palaca)
Thu Nov 5	8 am	"Special Intentions for: Robert & Patricia Wedding Anniversary" † Josephine Walshe (Robert & Patricia)
Fri Nov 6	8 am	
Sat Nov 7	5 pm	† Agostino Pocino (Vittoria Pocino & Family) † Eduardo Pontes (Wife & Children)
Sun Nov 8	8:30 am	† Giuseppe, Maria Concetta & Donato Zita (Lucy Zita)
		† Margherita Piscione (Husband Angelo)
	10 am	† Rita Gallagher Birthday Memorial (The Family)
		† Mary & Matthew Surman (The Surman Family)
		† Tony Di Giorgio & Rocco Santaluyce (Civita Forte & Family)
	11:30 am	"In Suffrage of all the Souls of: St. Leo's Parish"

Please keep a reverent silence in our church

All Soul's Day

Monday November 2nd is "All Soul's Day". This day we commemorate all the departed souls. This month we have an opportunity to remember our beloved deceased and those in need of prayer. United



we wish to share the Eucharist in a measure that is pleasing to God, together finding peace following God's will. To know God means to have a spiritual union with him, to meet, to hope, to embrace him and our neighbors. We may not always feel peaceful when things get tough, but we can always be "at peace," in the knowledge that our God is always with us. During the entire month, remembrance envelopes with the names of your loved ones will be placed and stay on the altar; memorial Masses are also being celebrated throughout the month.

Update from St Leo's St Vincent de Paul

So far this year we have made 80 visits to homes in our area distributing just over \$5,000 in food, clothing and furniture assistance. We have continued to operate during the pandemic through socially distanced drop-offs to our neighbors in need. We are so appreciative for the generosity of all the parishioners who donated to the Thanksgiving collection, who put money into the poor box and who dropped off cheques at the rectory when the church was closed. We have been overwhelmed by the response and when we are thanked by the neighbors we are assisting, we let them know that it is only due to the continued generosity of our parishioners that we are able to help. God bless and stay safe!

Serra Vocation

"The greatest among you will be your servant." Have you ever considered a life of service as a priest, deacon, brother or sister? If God is calling you, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997. *Email: vocations@archtoronto.org*

2021 Parish Envelopes

We are currently preparing parish envelopes for next year. If you haven't already, this is a great opportunity for you to request envelopes for 2021; to make this request, cut the registration portion of the front page of our bulletin and drop it in the offering baskets. Or, contact the Parish Office: 416-251-1109; envelopes will be available the first Sunday of Advent November 29th.

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

Volunteer in the Parish

Many people give of their time and talent to assist in the weekly gathering of the parish at Mass. A few hours of your busy schedule would contribute greatly to the continued service and growth of our parish. Volunteers are needed in several areas and ministry. At the present, help is needed with the cleanup of the pews, and high touch points that are to be cleaned and sanitized before and after each celebration. We would appreciate it very much if you would consider sharing your time. Please call the parish office if you can help.



Feast of the Dedication of Rome Lateran Basilica Nov 9, 2020

Many people are surprised when they discover that the cathedral of Rome is not St. Peter but the Lateran Basilica. The oldest and one of the five great basilicas; ranks first among the major basilicas of Rome. It holds the title of ecumenical mother church of the whole inhabited world among Roman Catholics. The Pope gives his blessing from the upper loggia of the north facade, and only the Pope can celebrate mass at the altar of St. John the Lateran.

A reminder that next Tuesday

November 10 is the

Feast of Saint Leo the Great:

*Great Pope and Doctor of the Church and
Patron of our Church!*

*We will be celebrating the Sacrament of
Confirmation of the students of*

St. Leo's School at 7 pm.

*Due to the Covid-19 restrictions, attendance is
limited to the students and their immediate
family members.*

Remembrance Day

Wednesday November 11th is Veterans Day, a day when we pay homage to veterans all over the world whether living or deceased who have served our country. We want them to know that we understand the sacrifices they have made so that we may enjoy the freedom we have today.



Wisdom

In the Old Testament wisdom is more than intelligence or common sense. It is the divine will or plan of God for all created things. It is an attribute of God and is personified as a woman. Early Christians understood it as a foreshadowing of the Holy Spirit. The book of Wisdom is a series of meditations about God's will. (Lonsdale Commentary & Clip Art)

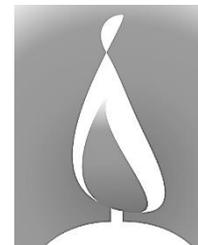


Signs of the Spiritual

In sickness we need reminders of the spiritual world. Catholic tradition has always recommended visual signs like holy water (a reminder of baptism), a crucifix, the rosary, and blessed pictures to keep our minds and senses aware of God's presence. Nor should we neglect any sign of beauty that will lift up our hearts when they are heavy. A flower, a plant, a card of greeting, music that we love can raise our spirits and give our bodies strength. In illness we need an environment of hope. The parish community supports and prays for all who are sick, whether they are at home, hospitalized or in a nursing home.

Remembrance Candles

Memorial candles symbolize the memory of a deceased person, and you can honor the memory of someone special with a memorial candle. We have candles available for home use for an offering of \$5.00, they are located on the cabinets at the back of the church. The remembrance candles are also suitable for outdoor use. Please leave your offering in the offering box. Remember never leave a burning candle unattended and keep the candles out of reach of children and pets at all times.






LIVESTREAM
Special Recognition
for Pandemic Volunteers
in Parishes
MASS WITH CARDINAL THOMAS COLLINS

Wednesday, November 4, 2020 | 7:30 a.m.

*His Eminence Cardinal Thomas Collins will
be livestreaming Mass from St. Michael's Cathedral
Basilica*

