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“my Lord and my God” Jn. 20:28

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Wednesday : 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Thursday & Friday: 10:00 am. – 7:00 p.m.
Saturday & Sunday: 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday Vigil 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 12:00 Noon

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Friday: 12:10 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.
Saturday 9:00 a.m.

ADORATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Fridays after the 12:10 Mass to 7:00 Evening Mass.

DEVOTIONS TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

Wednesdays with evening Mass.

BAPTISMS

An information package should be picked up at the Parish Office before meeting with the priest.

CONFESSIONS

20 Minutes before all Masses on weekdays and Saturdays.

MARRIAGES

An information package should be picked up at the Parish Office before meeting with the priest.
One-year advanced planning is required.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

In the case of serious illness, families are requested to notify the Parish Office to arrange the Anointing of the Sick.

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

St. Benedict 905-475-9646
St. Francis Xavier 905-470-2225

DAY CARE

St. Mary of Leuca 905-475-2536
St. Mary of Leuca CONVENT 905-475-2350

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday June 1 12:10 p.m.

Souls in Purgatory

Monday June 1 7:00 p.m.

In Thanksgiving and for the intentions of
Jefferson Tse (Family)

Tuesday June 2 12:10 p.m.

+Father Joseph Man
(Father Joseph)

Tuesday June 2 7:00 p.m.

Intentions of Audrey Carb
(Paul Chong)

Wednesday June 3 12:10 p.m.

Intentions of J. F. Kaylee
(Atkins Family)

Wednesday June 3 7:00 p.m.

Intentions of Jim and Mandy Genco

Thursday June 4 12:10 p.m.

+Glenda Lobo and Vivian Lobo and living
members of the Lobo Family

Thursday June 4 7:00 p.m.

+Singarajah Saminakan
(Family)

Friday June 5 12:00 p.m.

Souls in Purgatory
(Maria Lim)

Friday June 5 7:00 p.m.

+Dick and Elinor Vandervechte
(Jackie Macenzie)

Saturday June 6 9:00 a.m.

Living and deceased Daughters of St. Mary
of Leuca and their living and deceased
families

(Jackie Mackenzie)

Saturday June 6 5:00 a.m.

+Gaston Ah-Nim
(Ah-Nim Family)

Sunday June 7 8:00 a.m.

For the People of the Parish

Sunday June 7 10:00 a.m.

+Francis Tavares
(Rocha Family)

Sunday June 7 12:00 p.m.

+Jean Claude Lee Man Yan
(Family)

THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY



On the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, the Catholic Church celebrates the great mystery of one God in three Divine Persons the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. This sacred mystery reminds us that God is a communion of perfect love, calling us to live in faith, unity, and charity.

As we honor the Holy Trinity, may we grow closer to the Father who created us, the Son who redeemed us, and the Holy Spirit who guides and sanctifies us. May the grace of the Triune God renew our hearts and strengthen us to live as faithful Catholic witnesses in our families, parish, and community.

LET US PRAY FOR OUR PRIESTS



Let us pray for our priests, especially the four newest priests: Victor Manuel Valdés, Matthew Steven Tuanquin Tulio, Moonjun Alphonse Choi, and Matteo Bertozzi, who were ordained on May 9 by Archbishop I

Frank Cardina Leo at St. Michael's Cathedral in Toronto.

We assure them of our prayers and wish them a fruitful ministry in the Lord's vineyard.



MEMORIAL LAMPS & INTENTIONS

May 22nd – May 28th

For,

Cheryl Gomez,

Frank Gomez,

Dane Gomez,

Carlisle Antonio,

Lucy Antonio

Richard Anotonio +

Requested by Dane Gomez

Let us Remember

Remember to pray for the repose of the soul of **Pete Fernandes, former Custodian of our Parish Church.** Also Pray for Rev. J. Kuriedath, Alan Burton & Maria Nayagam

Let us pray for the sick & those in care homes or hospitals.

Nicholas Marshall, Lynn Demers, William Lee Ah-Chong, Cecile Isaacs-Garel, Andy Pucyk, Dennis Remedios, Eva Lemanac, Conrad Poon, Yvonne Lamanna, Joe Agosta, Audrey Carb, Giuseppe Greco, Joe Cherian, Jackie Mackenzie & Veronica Greif.

May 31, 2026

OUR PARISH MATTERS.....

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION



In honor of the Most Sacred Body and Blood of Christ, on Sunday, June 7, the church will have a Eucharistic Procession following the 12:00 noon Mass, during which the Blessed Sacrament will be processed Inside the Church. This beautiful tradition is a public witness of our faith and devotion to the Real Presence of Christ in the Holy Eucharist. All parishioners and families are warmly invited.

SACRED HEART OF JESUS AND IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY NOVENA & FEAST SCHEDULE



The Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus will be held from **June 3–12, 2026**. On June 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, and 11, the Rosary, Litany, and Novena prayers will begin at **6:00 p.m.**, to be

followed by Mass at **7:00 p.m.** On Saturday, June 6, prayers begin at **8:30 a.m.** followed by Mass at **9:00 a.m.**, and on Sunday, June 7, prayers begin at **11:00 a.m.** followed by the **12:00 Noon Mass**. The Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus will be celebrated on Friday, June 12, with prayers at **6:00 p.m.**, **Benediction at 6:50 p.m.**, Mass at **7:00 p.m.**, and the Act of Consecration following Mass. The Feast of the Immaculate Heart of Mary will be celebrated on Saturday, June 13, with a procession at **8:30 a.m.**, Mass at **9:00 a.m.**, and the Act of Consecration after Mass. All are welcome.

FEAST OF ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA



The Feast of Saint Anthony of Padua will be celebrated on Saturday, June 13. A special three-day Novena in honor of St. Anthony will take place from June 10–12 during the 7:00 p.m. Mass each evening, with prayers for healing, special intentions, seeking his intercession. A Solemn Feast Mass will be celebrated on June 13 at 5:00 p.m. All are Welcome

THANK YOU FOR HELPING YOUR PARISH

We thank you for your continued generosity in supporting the needs of your parish.

From Our Pastor ...

GOD IS LOVE

This Sunday we celebrate the Solemn feast of the Most Holy Trinity. The Holy Trinity is a profound mystery revealed to us by Jesus Christ who is the only begotten Son of God. For our prayer and reflection this week, I am giving below some excerpts from the Homilies of Pope Benedict XVI. The Holy Father has given us deep spiritual insights in simple words to help us to be drawn by the Mystery of the Trinity. He teaches us:

The word that summarizes all revelation is this: “God is love” (I Jn 4: 8, 16); and love is always a mystery, a reality that surpasses reason without contradicting it, and more than that, exalts its possibilities. Jesus revealed to us the mystery of God: he, the Son, made us know the Father who is in Heaven, and gave us the Holy Spirit, the Love of the Father and of the Son. God is not solitude, but perfect communion. For this reason, the human person, the image of God, realizes himself or herself in love, which is a sincere gift of self. “The love of God has been poured into our hearts by the Holy Spirit which has been given us”.

Three Persons who are one God because the Father is love, the Son is love, the Spirit is love. God is wholly and only love, the purest, infinite and eternal love. He does not live in splendid solitude but rather is an inexhaustible source of life that is ceaselessly given and communicated.

This week also come to the end of the Marian Month of May, prayerfully remembering that “Mary in her docile humility, became the handmaid of divine Love: she accepted the Father’s will and conceived the Son by the power of the Holy Spirit. In her the Almighty built a temple worthy of him and made her the model and image of the Church, mystery and house of communion for all human beings. May Mary, mirror of the Blessed Trinity, help us to grow in faith in the Trinitarian mystery. AMEN”

Fr. Joseph Chandrakanthan
Pastor