

Tuesday, Dec. 9th, 7:00 pm
Soul of Kelly Mawhinney
Wednesday, Dec. 10th, 8:30 am
Intention of Harold Munro & family
Req. by: Margaret Wall
Thursday, Dec. 11th, 9:00 am
A Personal Intention
Friday, Dec. 12th, 8:30 am
Soul of Lorne Wall
Req. by: The family

5:00 pm Soul of John Eng
Req. by: Heather & Robert Brodie
SUNDAY, Dec. 14<sup>th</sup>,
9:00 am Soul of Liz Sheedy
Req. by: Tony Sheedy
11:00 am People of the Parish

Saturday, Dec. 13th,

PRAY FOR OUR SICK Dianne Gordon,
Daniel Berardi, Olier Caron, Fran Pelletier,
Steffan Brunette, Cindy Stefoff, Frank Ethier,
Margaret Swindells, Susan, Nolan Dav is, Fr.
Joseph Rodrigues, Ricki Keyzers, Bill Paterson,
Patrick Kellachan, Karen Larocque, Marilyn
Quesnelle, Leo Elliott, June Hermann, Mario &
Luciana Ciardullo, Fritz Haefele, Onofrio Spatol &
Sue Bowen. Also please pray for those who take
care of them.

#### FIRST COMMUNION

Please pray for the children of our parish as they continue to prepare for their First Communion. Also pray for their parents and teachers as they guide them on their journey to receive this sacrament.

NEXT COFFEE SUNDAY - Dec 14<sup>th</sup>
Join us in the hall for coffee and a chat after the 9 and 11 a.m. Masses.

Our Sanctuary Lamp burns For Cherished Memories of Eileen & Chris Ethier



# ATTENTION LECTORS/HOSPITALITY MINISTERS/EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Sign-up sheets for the Christmas and New Year's Masses are in the sacristy. Please sign up for the Mass you are able to assist with. Thanks very much for all you do.

## **CHRISTMAS ANGELS**

Thank you to everyone who took a Christmas Angel this year. If your Angel was for a present, please wrap it and attach the Angel to it. There is no need to wrap the food items or gift cards. Please return your Angels to the church by this weekend. Please do not return the cold/perishable items until December 13<sup>th</sup>/14<sup>th</sup>. Thank you

## 2026 DONATION ENVELOPE BOXES

If you have not picked up your donation envelope box, the boxes are available in the church foyer.

## **CWL GENERAL MEETING DATES**

All women of the parish are invited to attend.

December 16<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 pm.

January 20<sup>th</sup>, February 17<sup>th</sup> & March 17<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 pm.

## DONATIONS FOR CHRISTMAS FLOWERS

If you would like to contribute towards the flowers for the church for the Christmas season. Please use the envelopes in the church foyer. Thank you





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Celebrating God's Faithfulness and Love Your love, LORD, reaches to the heavens, your faithfulness to the skies. – Ps. 36:5

## PARISH PHOTO DIRECTORY

"Making memories that will last forever"
As we celebrate our 160<sup>th</sup> anniversary, the parish would like to have a photo directory of our parish families. The last directory was done in 2018. Fr. Gerard is looking for a few volunteers to form a committee to coordinate this endeavour. If you are interested, please call the parish office or speak to Fr. Gerard.

## **SL** ShareLife

Make your gift to ShareLife for twice the impact NEW: Your gift will double in value! From now until Dec. 31, 2025, your contribution to our parish's ShareLife campaign will be matched by an anonymous donor up to a total of \$500,000. Our parish goal is \$44,000. So far we have raised \$40,344. Please give generously and wholeheartedly through sharelife.org/donate or at our parish using a ShareLife envelope. Thank you for living the Gospel.



"The voice of one crying out in the wilderness: Prepare the way of the Lord, make his paths straight." Could God be calling you to be a priest, deacon, brother or sister in order to help our world of today to truly "prepare the way of the Lord"? If God is calling you to be a priest,

sister, brother or deacon? visit www.vocationstoronto.ca

Prayer for Advent Candle Lighting Second Week God of power and mercy open our hearts in welcome. Remove the things that hinder us from receiving Christ



with joy so that we may share His wisdom and become one with Him when He comes in glory, for He lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever. ~AMEN.

**CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR SCHEDULE** 

CHRISTMAS EVE – Wednesday Dec. 24<sup>th</sup>, 2025 5:00 pm, 8:00 pm and 10:00 pm

CHRISTMAS DAY – Thursday Dec. 25th, 2025 9:00 am and 11:00 am

SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE MOTHER OF GOD

NEW YEAR'S EVE – Wednesday Dec. 31<sup>st</sup>, 2025 5:00 p.m.

NEW YEAR'S DAY – Thursday Jan. 1st, 2026 9:00 am and 11:00 am

RECONCILIATION/CONFESSIONS

THURSDAY December 11<sup>th</sup>

1:00 pm to 3:00 pm and 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

Every Saturday from 4:00 pm to 4:45 pm

"It is the beautiful task of Advent to awaken in all of us memories of goodness and thus to open doors of hope."

– Pope Benedict XVI.