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IF WE WISH TO MAKE ANY PROGRESS IN THE SERVICE OF GOD we must begin every day of our life with new eagerness. We must keep ourselves in the presence of God as much as possible and have no other view or end in all our actions but the divine honor. – Carlo Borromeo

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM: Parents who wish to have their child baptized must complete a Baptism Preparation Program. Please contact the Parish Office for registration information.

MARRIAGE: Couples planning to be married must contact the Pastor at least ONE YEAR in advance of the anticipated date and participate in a Marriage Preparation Course.

RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION): Confessions are heard every Saturday, from 3:30pm to 4:00pm.

PASTORAL TEAM

Fr Mario Cafarelli, C.P.P.S. Pastor
Fr Gerardo Laguartilla, C.P.P.S. Associate Pastor
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PARISH STAFF

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OFFICE HOURS

MON / TUE / THU / FRI 9am to 3:30pm
WED 9am to 12:30pm
SAT 9am to 12pm

EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATION

MON to FRI 8am Italian
12:05pm English

SAT (SUN VIGIL) 4:30pm English

SUN 8am Italian
9:30am English
11am Italian
12:30pm English

FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTION

On the first Friday of the month, the Holy Rosary is prayed at 6:30pm, followed by the celebration of the Holy Mass, Holy Hour, and Confession.

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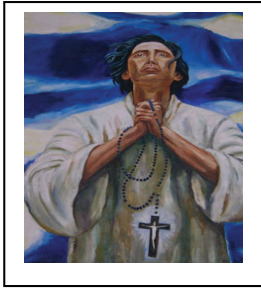
PARISH AND LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Adult Choir (English, 12:30pm)
Catholic Women's League
Coro Adulti (Italiano, 11am)
Daughters of Isabella

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Ministers of Welcome
Ministers to the Altar

Ministry to the Sick
Precious Blood Prayer Group
RCIA rcia.stcharles@gmail.com
Society of Saint Vincent de Paul

ST. LORENZO RUIZ



On **Saturday, September 28**, Fr. Gerardo, C.P.P.S., will be celebrating the Feast Day of the First Filipino Saint, St. Lorenzo Ruiz with Mass at 4:30PM. All are welcome!

NOVENA TO ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

Once again, this year, Archbishop Leo is inviting the Catholic community throughout the archdiocese to join in offering a Novena to Saint Michael the Archangel, leading up to the Solemnity of Saint Michael on **September 29, 2024**. The Novena will commence on **Friday, September 20, 2024** and continue until **Saturday, September 28, 2024**.

CWL FOOD DRIVE

The CWL (The Catholic Women's League) is hosting a Fall/Thanksgiving Food Drive during the **month of October**. All food items collected will be donated to St. Francis Table for families in need. **Beginning on the weekend of September 30**, baskets (bins) will be located in the church vestibule. Please be as generous as your means allow.

CWL

Catholic Women's League of Canada Humber Valley Region recognizes: National Day for Truth and Reconciliation. Save the Date: **Monday, September 30th at 7pm** at Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Church 739 Browns Line, Etobicoke. Join us in prayer to celebrate mass with Bishop R. Kasun, followed by a First Nations traditional round dance. Help make this a day to heal, honour and celebrate life. Fellowship and refreshments will follow in the hall. RSVP to Gigetta Rizzo Daudlin: gigetta.hvr.cwl@gmail.com

PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Please keep in your prayers all our parishioners who are elderly, depressed, sick and/or hospitalized and are unable to attend our Eucharistic celebrations here in our parish. May the Lord give them health and strength in their time of need.

SECOND COLLECTION

Next Sunday, **September 29, 2024** we will have a second collection for the needs of the Canadian Church.

CWL BINGO NIGHT

The St Charles Borromeo Catholic Women's League is thrilled to present our Second Bingo Night with 50/50 Raffle on **Friday, October 18th** in the Parish Hall open to ALL parishioners. Dinner starts at 6pm with a choice of Veal, Sausage or Eggplant Sandwich with 1 beverage and a bag of chips followed by coffee and dessert. Additional beverages will be \$1.00 each. Bingo starts at 7pm sharp to 9:30pm. Tickets cost \$30 per person and include one dinner meal and 5 Bingo cards and can be purchased in the Parish Office. Ticket sales are limited and will not be available at the door on Bingo night. We are looking forward to enjoying a delightful evening with great fun and lots of prizes.

INDIGENOUS HEALING AND RECONCILIATION FUND

The Archdiocese of Toronto will hold a special collection the weekend of **October 5 & 6, 2024** to support the Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation Fund. The fund will support both local and national programs proposed by Indigenous communities to nurture the ongoing reconciliation journey. Envelopes for this fund can be found at the entrance of the Church.

DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA

The Daughters of Isabella would like you to save the dates of **October 5th and 6th**. After all the masses they will be selling pies in time for Thanksgiving. The event has been a success in the past years and will provide the opportunity to "sweeten" the Thanksgiving table. More information in the coming weeks.

MARTYRS' SHRINE HEALING MASS

Sunday, September 29, 2024, 7:30pm. Join us for a special Healing Mass at Martyrs' Shrine and those seeking spiritual renewal and grace in this sacred place.

SOLO PERSONS ENCOUNTER WEEKEND

An invitation to all Mature Single Persons or Parent, Widowed, Separated or Divorced for a wonderful and life-changing encounter with our loving & forgiving God. The date is October 5&6, 2024 from 9am to 6pm. The venue is St. Marcellinus Catholic Secondary School (730 Courtney Park Dr. W., Mississauga). Presiding priest is Fr. Armand Galay. The cost is \$50 and includes meals and materials.

FONDO INDIGENO DI GUARIGIONE E RICONCILIAZIONE

L'arcidiocesi di Toronto organizzerà una colletta speciale nel fine settimana **5 & 6 ottobre 2024** per sostenere l'Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation Fund. Il fondo sosterrà i programmi locali e nazionali proposti dalle comunità indigene per favorire il percorso di riconciliazione in corso. Le buste per questo fondo si trovano all'ingresso della Chiesa.

NOVENA A S. MICHELE ARCANGELO

Sua Eccellenza, Mons. Francis Leo, desidera invitarvi, anche quest'anno, a incoraggiare i fedeli della nostra comunità a unirsi alla famiglia arcidiocesana in una novena a San Michele l'Arcangelo. La preghiera della novena si troverà all'ingresso della chiesa. Inizierà il 20 settembre 2024 e proseguirà fino a sabato 28 settembre 2024.

PREGHIERA PER I MALATI

Ti preghiamo di tenere nelle tue preghiere tutti i nostri parrocchiani che sono anziani, depressi, malati o ricoverati in ospedale e non possono partecipare alle nostre celebrazioni eucaristiche qui nella nostra Chiesa. Possa il Signore dare loro salute e forza nel momento del bisogno. Ricordate che offriamo lo streaming live ogni domenica per coloro che non possono venire in chiesa. Tenete presente che questo non sostituisce la presenza alla messa per chi è fisicamente sano.

CWL RACCOLTA CIBO

CWL (Donne dell'Azione Cattolica) in occasione del Thanksgiving, sta organizzando una raccolta cibo per le famiglie bisognose durante il mese di ottobre. Tutto il cibo ricavato verrà donato alle famiglie bisognose dell'associazione "St. Francis Table". Ad iniziare dal weekend del 30 settembre, troverete dei contenitori all'entrata della Chiesa. Per favore, siate generosi, secondo le vostre disponibilità. Grazie, per quest vostro contributo comunitario.

MESSA DI GUARIGIONE AL SANTUARIO DEI MARTIRI

Domenica 29 settembre 2024, 19:30. Unitevi a noi per una messa speciale di guarigione al Santuario dei Martiri e a color oche cercano il rinnovamento spirituale e la grazia in questo luogo sacro.

FIGLIE DI ISABELLA

Le Figlie di Isabella vi chiedono di mettere queste date nel vostro calendario; il **5 e 6 ottobre**. Dopo tutte le messe venderanno torte in preparazione alla festa del Ringraziamento (Thanksgiving). Dettagli più precisi nelle prossime settimane.



Sabato 28 settembre Padre Gerardo, C.P.P.S., celebrerà la festa del primo santo filippino, San Lorenzo Ruiz, con la messa alle 16:30. Tutti sono benvenuti!

Masses of the Week

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

4:30PM Pro Populo

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

8:00AM Loreta e Giovanni Palozzi

9:30AM Joseph Cascun, Mike Almeida, Josè Resende, Lucrecia Lopes & Domingos Adao

11:00AM Casimiro Baldessara, Mario Pietrodangelo, Rita Campisi

12:30 PM Pro Populo

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

8:00AM San Padre Pio of Pietralcina

12:05PM Bruno Iaboni, Feast of St. Padre Pio

7:00PM Antonio Resciniti

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

8:00AM Padre Perna, Defunti della Famiglia Roti, Francesco Iozzo e Famiglia Bertucci

12:05PM In Thanksgiving for Fr. Gerardo, For the Souls of Pedro Arias Basantes, Antonio Domingos, Our Lady of Sorrows

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

8:00AM Aurelio Di Rocco

12:05PM Antonio Julio

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

8:00AM Giovanni Iannacci

12:05PM Sts. Cosmas & Damian Martyrs, St. Vincent De Paul

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

8:00AM Luigi e Marta Di Matteo

12:05PM Alessandro Magno

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

4:30PM Maria Tino

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