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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  
**Sergio Spadafora** Deacon

## PARISH STAFF

**Mary Magno** Office Manager  
**Connie Marcoccia** Receptionist  
**Felix Vargas** Custodian

## OFFICE HOURS

**MON / TUE / THU / FRI** 9am to 3:00pm  
**WED** 9am to 12:30pm  
**SAT** 9am to 12pm

## EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATION

<b>MON to FRI</b>	8am	Italian
	12:05pm	English
<b>SAT (SUN VIGIL)</b>	4:30pm	English
<b>SUN</b>	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.

## OUR SCHOOLS

- ▶ **ST CHARLES CS** 416.393.5250  
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- ▶ **REGINA MUNDI CS** 416.393.5362  
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- ▶ **STS COSMAS AND DAMIAN CS** 416.393.5398  
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## PARISH AND LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

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

**Extraordinary Ministers of Communion**  
**Ministers of the Word**  
**Ministers of Welcome**  
**Ministers to the Altar**

**Ministry to the Sick**  
**Precious Blood Prayer Group**  
**RCIA** [rcia.stcharles@gmail.com](mailto:rcia.stcharles@gmail.com)  
**Society of Saint Vincent de Paul**

**HIS EMINENCE FRANK CARDINAL LEO**

Last Sunday we had the honour of welcoming His Eminence Frank Cardinal Leo to celebrate 2 masses at our parish. In lieu of an honorarium he has requested a Spiritual Bouquet. A Spiritual bouquet is an offering of Masses, Rosaries, Stations of the Cross, Eucharistic Adorations, Sacrifices, Visits to the Blessed Sacrament, Novenas and other forms of prayers. These offerings are not paid offerings. You can offer as many Masses as possible, Communion, Rosaries etc. It can be Masses you attend during the week or on Sunday and can be offered with other intentions. You may start anytime, and it can be completed within the year. Below are the suggested pledges. If you would like to offer your prayers to His Eminence please contact Mary and let her know how many of each you would like to participate in. (416-787-0369 or email, [stcharlesborromeo@archtoronto.org](mailto:stcharlesborromeo@archtoronto.org)) we need this information by Friday, March 21.

_____	MASSES
_____	ROSARIES OF THE BVM
_____	CHAPLET OF THE PRECIOUS BLOOD
_____	STATION OF THE CROSS
_____	ADORATION AND VISIT TO THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
_____	ACT OF CHARITIES / SACRIFICES
_____	NOVENAS

*You have chosen your servant, Francis Cardinal Leo, to be a shepherd of your flock. Give him a spirit of courage and right judgment, a spirit of knowledge and love. By governing with fidelity those entrusted to his care, may he build your Church in Toronto as a sign of salvation for the world. Amen.*

**DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA**

The Daughters of Isabella are excited to announce our 2nd annual Pasta and Scopa Card Night. Join us with your family in the church hall on April 25/25. Enjoy a sumptuous meal and a fun-filled evening of card playing for \$30 per person. Playing cards will be provided. Doors open at 5:30pm. Dinner starts at 6:00pm sharp. Tickets available after each mass on March 29, March 30, April 5 and April 6.

**UPCOMING EVENTS IN THE PARISH**

**Stations of the Cross**

Fridays at 7:00PM in English

Starting with

6:30 PM praying of the Chaplet of the Precious Blood

No mass during Friday evening except on First Friday, April 4

**Lenten Mission**

**March 24-26 at 7:00PM**

**Theme: Healing and Hope in Christ**

**Animated by: Fr. Peter Choi**

**Day of Confession**

Tuesday, April 1

8:30 a.m.-9:30 a.m.

12:30 p.m.-1:30 p.m.

6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.

**SEDER MEAL**

This year in anticipation of Holy Week we will celebrate our annual Seder Meal on Thursday April 10 at 6:00PM in the Church Hall. The Seder is a family meal which celebrates Passover. It follows an ancient Jewish ritual which was celebrated by Our Lord and the apostles at the Last Supper. Through the Seder meal our parish will celebrate the fulfillment of the promise of the Passover, the resurrection. Please join us in celebrating this special feast. Everyone is welcome. Bring family and friends. Share this unique opportunity to deepen our understanding of our heritage and the origins of our Mass. The cost is \$45.00 per person (Roasted Lamb, Roasted Chicken, Rapini, Potatoes, Salad and Dessert). Tickets are available in the church office. Don't delay tickets are limited.

**REST IN PEACE**

Please pray for the soul of Elena Garofalo whose funeral was celebrated this past week in our Church.

**PROSSIMI EVENTI IN PARROCCHIA**

**La Via Crucis**

Martedì alle 7:00PM in Italiano

**Missione Italiana**

**Aprile 2-3 at 7:00PM**

**Giorno delle confessioni**

Martedì 1 aprile  
 8:30 a.m.-9:30 a.m.  
 12:30 p.m.-1:30 p.m.  
 6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.

**SUA EMINENZA FRANK CARDINAL LEO**

Domenica scorsa abbiamo avuto l'onore di accogliere sua eminenza Frank il cardinale Leo per celebrare 2 messe nella nostra parrocchia. Al posto di un onorario, ha richiesto un Bouquet Spirituale. Un bouquet spirituale è un'offerta di Messe, Rosari, Stazioni della Croce, Adorazioni Eucaristiche, Sacrifici, Visite al Santissimo Sacramento, Novene e altre forme di preghiera. Queste offerte non sono offerte a pagamento. Potete offrire quante più messe possibili, comunioni, rosari ecc. Può essere una messa a cui partecipate durante la settimana o la domenica e può essere offerta con altre intenzioni. Potete iniziare in qualsiasi momento e può essere completato entro l'anno. Qui sono riportati gli impegni suggeriti. Se desiderate offrire le vostre preghiere a Sua Eminenza, contattate Mary e fatele sapere a quanti di ciascuno impegno vorreste partecipare. (416-787-0369 o e-mail, stcharlesborromeoto@archtoronto.org) abbiamo bisogno di queste informazioni entro venerdì 21 marzo.

_____	MESSE
_____	ROSARI PER LA VERGINE MARIA
_____	CAPPELLA DEL SANGUE PREZIOSO
_____	VIA CRUCIS
_____	ADORAZIONE E VISITA AL
_____	SACRAMENTO BENEDETTO
_____	ATTI DI CARITÀ E PENITENZA
_____	NOVENE

*Abbiamo scelto il nostro servo, il cardinale Francesco Leone, per essere un pastore del nostro gregge. Diamogli uno spirito di coraggio e giusto giudizio, uno spirito di conoscenza e amore. Affinché governi con fedeltà per tutti coloro che sono stati affidati alle sue cure, possa costruire la nostra Chiesa a Toronto come segno di salvezza per il mondo. Amen.*

**PASTO SEDER (Cena Pasquale)**

Quest'anno in preparazione alla Settimana Santa, vogliamo celebrare il "Pasto Seder", giovedì 10 aprile ore 6:00 p.m., nella nostra sala parrocchiale. Il Pasto Seder, è una cena che festeggia la Pasqua Ebraica. Questo evento viene da un'antica tradizione ebraica, dove il Nostro Signore celebrò l'ultima cena con gli apostoli. Tramite questo pranzo Seder, la nostra parrocchia celebrerà l'adempimento della promessa della Pasqua, della Risurrezione. Vi invitiamo tutti a celebrare questo evento speciale. Condividiamo questa unica opportunità per meglio capire le nostre origini cristiane della Santa Messa. Il prezzo è di \$45.00 a persona, e i biglietti sono disponibili all'ufficio della parrocchia.

***Masses of the Week***

**SATURDAY, MARCH 15**

4:30PM Pro Populo

**SUNDAY, MARCH 16**

8:00AM Giovanni & Loreta Palozzi  
 9:30AM Marrie Balit, Raymundo Salayat, Dalmasio Masamoc, Marcelo Gonzales  
 11:00AM Giuseppina & Maria Elsa Azzoli, Angelina & Maria Luigia Nota, Casimiro Baldesarra, Tristina & Francesco Pucci, Dante Collovati, Santa Commisso, Filomena Arrichiello

12:30PM Alexandrina & Decio Pacheco

**MONDAY, MARCH 17**

8:00AM Anna & Luigi Iannacchi  
 12:05PM Anna Giambattista & Carlo Albanese  
 7:00PM Luigi Magliocchi

**TUESDAY, MARCH 18**

8:00AM Giuseppina & Armando Guido  
 12:05PM Mass Association  
 7:00PM Via Crucis

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 19**

8:00AM Giuseppe Labricciosa  
 12:05PM Antonio Lucchese

**THURSDAY, MARCH 20**

8:00AM Defunti Iscritti Alle Messe Perpetue  
 12:05PM Ippolito & Giuseppe Covelli, Roberto Rendace, Roxanne Hipolito

**FRIDAY, MARCH 21**

8:00AM Salvatore Giancola  
 12:05PM Raffaele & Loreta Manni  
 7:00 PM Station of the Cross

**SATURDAY, MARCH 22**

4:30PM Mass Association

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