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Charles Borromeo Giving Communion to the Plague Victims
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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 are asked to complete the Baptism Preparation Program. For registration details, please contact the Parish Office.

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

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

PARISH AND LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

We warmly invite parishioners to share their gifts in our ministries. Please contact the Parish Office to learn more.

Adult Choir (ENGLISH, 12:30PM)
Catholic Women's League
Coro Adulti (ITALIANO, 11AM)
Daughters of Isabella

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OFFICE HOURS

MON / TUE / THU / FRI 9AM TO 3PM
WED 9AM TO 12:30PM
SAT 9AM TO 12PM

EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATION

MON to FRI 8AM ITALIAN & ENGLISH
MON / TUES / THU 9AM ENGLISH
WED / FRI 7PM 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 each month, the Holy Rosary is prayed at 6:30pm, followed by the celebration of Holy Mass, a Holy Hour, and the Sacrament of Confession.

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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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THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

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In this Sunday's Gospel, we walk with the disciples on the road to Emmaus, confused, discouraged, and unsure of what the Resurrection truly means. Yet it is there, in the ordinary act of sharing a meal, that they recognize the Risen Christ in the breaking of the bread.

This passage reminds us that Jesus is not distant from our daily lives. He meets us in our question, our doubts, and our journeys. Like the disciples, our hearts are set ablaze when we listen to His Word and encounter Him in the Eucharist.

As we continue through the Easter season, may we grow in awareness of Christ's presence among us, especially in Scripture, in the sacraments and in one another, and to be renewed in our mission to share the Good News.

CWL

St Charles Borromeo Catholic Women's League will hold a General Meeting on Thursday, April 23, 2026 at 7:00 PM in the Parish Hall. New members are welcome.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION REHEARSAL

There will be a rehearsal for the First Holy Communion Candidates of Sts. Cosmas and Damian School on Friday, April 24 at 4:00PM.

REST IN PEACE



Please pray for the souls of Filomena Buonatella, Maria Rosaria Galle, Teresa Riga whose funerals were celebrated during this past week in our Church.

CONFIRMATION REHEARSALS:

Tuesday, April 21, 2026

7:00PM St. Charles & Regina Mundi Schools

Wednesday, April 22, 2026

7:00PM Sts. Cosmas & Damain & Other Schools

CONFIRMATION:

Tuesday, April 28, 2026

7:00PM St. Charles & Regina Mundi Schools

Wednesday, April 29, 2026

7:00PM Sts. Cosmas & Damain & Other Schools

WEDNESDAY EVENING

MASS

Due to the Confirmation Rehearsals and Confirmations on Wednesday, April 22 and Wednesday, April 29 there will be no evening mass at 7:00PM on those dates. The Wednesday evening Mass at 7:00PM will resume on May 6.

A JESUIT GUIDE TO THE STARS: A SILENT IGNATIAN RETREAT FOR MEN & WOMEN

The Manresa Jesuit Spiritual Renewal Centre is offering a silent retreat on Friday, April 24 – Sunday, April 26 for Men & Women Ignatian Retreat: "A Jesuit Guide to the Stars" explores the deep connection between Ignatian spirituality and the cosmos. Br. Guy Consolmagno, SJ, Vatican astronomer and storyteller of the heavens, will lead a journey through the night sky and a contemplation of scientific truth in the service of faith. This SILENT retreat begins on Friday evening and runs to Sunday with lunch. The suggested offering is \$290 per person which includes two night's accommodation, meals, spiritual direction and retreat program. Facilitated by: Brother Guy Consolmagno, SJ. To register email manresaregistration@outlook.com, online at <https://manresa-canada.ca> or call 905-839-2864.

TERZA DOMENICA DI PASQUA

Nel Vangelo di questa domenica, camminiamo con i discepoli sulla via di Emmaus, confusi, scoraggiati e incerti sul vero significato della Risurrezione. Eppure è lì, nel semplice gesto di condividere un pasto, che riconoscono Cristo Risorto nello spezzare il pane.

Questo brano ci ricorda che Gesù non è lontano dalla nostra vita quotidiana. Ci incontra nelle nostre domande, nei nostri dubbi e nei nostri cammini. Come i discepoli, i nostri cuori si infiammano quando ascoltiamo la Sua Parola e Lo incontriamo nell'Eucaristia.

Mentre proseguiamo nel tempo pasquale, possiamo crescere nella consapevolezza della presenza di Cristo in mezzo a noi, specialmente nelle Scritture, nei sacramenti e gli uni negli altri, e rinnovarci nella nostra missione di annunciare la Buona Novella

CWL

La CWL di San Carlo Borromeo terrà un'Assemblea Generale giovedì 23 aprile 2026 alle ore 19:00 presso la Sala Parrocchiale. Nuove socie sono benvenute.

MESSA DEL MERCOLEDÌ
SERA

A causa delle prove e delle cresime di mercoledì 22 e mercoledì 29 aprile, non ci sarà la messa serale delle 19:00 in quelle date. La messa del mercoledì sera alle 19:00 riprenderà il 6 maggio.

Masses of the Week

SATURDAY, APRIL 18

12:00PM First Holy Communion St. Charles School & Other Schools
4:30PM Pro Populo

SUNDAY, APRIL 19

8:00AM Carmelo Ionadi
9:30AM Deacons Antonio, Alfredo & Giorgio Pignataro
11:00AM Per l'intenzione del Donatore, Tino e Grazia Proscia, Antonio Grossi, Basilio Di Nardo, Donato Facchini, Adelina Nardi, Ernesto Bevacqua, Antonietta Di Carlo, Maria e Francesco Dinatolo
12:30 PM Pierina & Giulio Giuliani

MONDAY, APRIL 20

8:00AM Elisabetta Giancola
9:00AM Mass Association
7:00PM Gino Sirizzotti

TUESDAY, APRIL 21

8:00AM Defunti Iscritti Alle Messe Perpetue
9:00AM Mass Association
7:00PM Confirmation Rehearsal – St. Charles & Regina Mundi Schools

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22

8:00AM Vito Galati
7:00PM Confirmation Rehearsal – Sts. Cosmas & Damian & Other Schools

THURSDAY, APRIL 23

8:00AM Defunti Iscritti Alle Messe Perpetue
9:00AM Protection of Unborn Children

FRIDAY, APRIL 24

8:00AM Tutti I Defunti
7:00PM Sebastiano Montoni

SATURDAY, APRIL 25

12:00PM First Holy Communion Sts. Cosmas & Damian School
4:30PM Sammy & Saro Re, Ricci Family, Rinaldo Tarsitano, Vicentina Moreira

A DAY WITH MARY

Mark your calendars! The Archdiocese of Toronto invites you to A Day With Mary on Saturday, May 30, 2026 at Villanova College in King City. Join us for Mass with Frank Cardinal Leo, grow deeper in our devotion to Our Lady through a keynote address with Dr. Josephine Lombardi for the adults and Catechesis of the Good Shepherd activities for the children, and draw closer to Mother Mary in praying the rosary together. Enjoy music, food and fellowship with families from across the Archdiocese of Toronto. All are welcome! More details at archtoronto.org/mary

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