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MASS SCHEDULE

Monday to Friday at 12.05 pm

Saturday at 9 am & 5 pm (Vigil)

Sunday at 9 am & 11 am

CONFESSIONS

Monday to Friday at 11.30 am

Saturday at 4.30 pm

OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Thursday 10 am to 4 pm

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SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

**(Baptism, First Communion,
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Sunday Masses at 12.30 & 4.30 pm (in Tamil)

Carrying our Crosses

John 3: 14-21

Nicodemus Visits Jesus

Spreading the Gospel can be difficult in our increasingly secular society. As stewards who are called to receive our gifts from God and put them at the service of the Church, this challenge can sometimes seem daunting. We may be tempted to think that today's society is just too far gone to accept Jesus. We may even see this within our own circle of friends and family members. However, this resistance from society is nothing new and nothing to fear.

In today's first reading from 2 Chronicles, we hear how God sent many people on His behalf to spread His word "but [the people] kept mocking the messengers of God, despising his words, and scoffing at his prophets." Even in the Old Testament, those who sought to serve God faced hardships and retaliation. Therefore, as stewards, we should not expect everything in our ministry to be perfect or easy.

Jesus says in the Gospel of Matthew that whoever wants to follow Him must take up their cross and follow. To take up the cross is to take up suffering and hardships for the sake of serving Christ. As stewards, let us not shy away from these crosses but accept them willingly. The cross will forever be the symbol of our hope and salvation. To take part in the cross of Christ by carrying our own crosses is a supreme dignity. Therefore, the next time we face a difficulty in our stewardship, let us simply pray "Lord, help me to carry this cross out of love for you."

~ Stewardship Bulletin Reflection – Archdiocese of Toronto ~

JEAN-MARIE CARDINAL LUSTIGER ON THE TEN COMMANDMENTS

Tuesday, March 16 – 7 to 9 p.m.

Fr. Favin Alemao is a beloved priest, speaker and teacher who effectively combines theology with practical spirituality. Fr. Favin will speak about the life and teachings of the late Jewish Archbishop of Paris, Cardinal Lustiger. Many inside and outside the Church see in Jesus a break from the Torah (here as expressed in the Ten Commandments). However, Fr. Favin will explain that Cardinal Lustiger shows how Jesus preserves the heart of the Torah by following the Ten Commandments. Cardinal Lustiger claims, beautifully and boldly, that even God follows the Ten Commandments. All are welcome.

EMAIL TO REGISTER: ahctoronto@gmail.com

POSTER: <http://bit.ly/FrFavinAHC>



**This week
The Sanctuary Lamp
is dedicated**

**For the intentions of
Fatima Cabral**

*requested by
The Cabral family*



Mass Intentions

Mon.	Mar. 15	12:05 pm	
Tue	Mar. 16	12:05 pm	† Genadio Ferreira, <i>requested by the Cabral family</i>
Wed.	Mar. 17	12:05 pm	† For the Holy Souls in Purgatory, <i>requested by the Cabral family</i>
Thu.	Mar. 18	12:05 pm	
Fri.	Mar. 19	12:05 pm	For the intentions of Doris Ward on her 95 th birthday, <i>requested by the Cabral family</i>
Sat.	Mar. 20	9:00 am 5:00 pm	In thanksgiving and for the intentions of Jane Eigo, <i>requested by her sister, Nereza Frias</i>
Sun.	Mar. 21	9:00 am 11:00 am	For the People of the Parish † Deceased Members of the CWL, <i>requested by the Cabral family</i>

Note: All weekday Mass intentions will be offered during the private daily Mass celebrated by Fr. Charles.
Sunday Vigil & Sunday Mass intentions are offered at the Sunday Mass livestreamed at 9:00 a.m.

Annual Mass of St. Patrick (Virtual) Wednesday, March 17 – 10 a.m.

All are invited to join the livestream of the annual Mass of St. Patrick from St. Michael's Cathedral in Toronto.

The Eucharistic celebration will take place on Wednesday, March 17 at 10 a.m.

Celebrant and homilist will be Cardinal Thomas Collins, Archbishop of Toronto.

The livestream can be accessed at:

www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live



CHURCH SCHEDULE

MONDAY TO SATURDAY

Church is presently closed from until further notice

FRIDAY

Private prayer & Adoration

10 am to 1 pm

*[first-come, first-served basis; only 10 people in attendance and the allotted time for each person is **half-an-hour**]*

Stations of the Cross

6:30 pm

can be viewed every Friday in English throughout Lent at

www.olghtamilparish.com

SUNDAY

Livestreamed Mass in English

9:00 a.m.

and can be viewed throughout the day at

www.olghtamilparish.com

Private prayer, Adoration & Holy Communion Service ***

Noon – 3:00 p.m.

[first-come, first-served basis; only 10 people in attendance]

***** Kindly leave the church immediately once the HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE has ended in order to accommodate others who wish to receive Holy Communion**

We thank you for your co-operation!

Celebration of the 500th Anniversary of Christianity in the Philippines

Rev. Lorenzo Salandanan, Chairman, Organizing Committee is pleased to invite everyone to join virtually for the diocesan inaugural Mass celebrating the 500th anniversary of the arrival of Christianity in the Philippines.

Topic: Inaugural Mass for the diocesan celebration of the 500th anniversary of the arrival of Christianity in the Philippines

Date: Tuesday, March 16, 2021

Time: 11 a.m.

Location: Online - the Mass will air from our

Website: www.ph500toronto.com,

Facebook: www.facebook.com/500yocTO and

YouTube: <http://bit.ly/GiftedToGive>

His Eminence Thomas Cardinal Collins and His Excellency Archbishop Romulo Valles, President of the Catholic Bishops Conference of the Philippines, will deliver pre-recorded inspirational remarks. It was on March 16, 1521 when Christianity first came to the Philippines and from then on, the faith spread throughout the archipelago, making it the only predominantly Catholic nation in Asia. The faithful of the Archdiocese of Toronto are in unity with Filipino communities around the world as we celebrate this significant moment in the history of the Church in the Philippines.

For details, please visit: www.ph500toronto.com/events.html or

Email ph500@archtoronto.org

Maraming salamat!

Day of Confessions for Lent Schedule for Immaculate Heart of Mary & Our Lady of Good Health Parishes

[first-come, first-served basis; only 10 people in attendance]

Fridays – March 19th & 26th

Private Prayer, Adoration & Confession

10 am – 12 pm

1pm – 3 pm

5pm – 7 pm

Sunday, March 21st

Adoration, Confession & Communion Service

12 pm – 3 pm



Coffee Chat with Cardinal Collins Thursday, March 18 – 7 to 8 p.m.

Join Women of the Word Toronto for a coffee chat with His Eminence Cardinal Thomas Collins. Take advantage of this rare opportunity to speak to one of the successors of the Apostles! If you have a question for Cardinal Collins, send them in advance to: mary@wovblessingstoronto.com. Kindly note, that names will not be used when questions are being addressed and we will get to as many questions as time permits. Registration is required.

REGISTER: www.wovblessingstoronto.com

Celebrating the Year of St. Joseph Monday, March 8th to Friday, March 19th

Join a ten-day novena in honour of St. Joseph, in preparation for his feast day celebration.



Join us at 7 a.m. for the daily online Mass along with the novena prayers in honour of St. Joseph. We celebrate “Year of St. Joseph” meditating upon the letter of Pope Francis “Partis corde” (“With a Father’s Heart”) and commemorating the 150th anniversary of the declaration of St. Joseph as Patron of the Universal Church. The feast day Mass will be on Friday, March 19 at 7 p.m. livestreamed on

YouTube: <http://bit.ly/hcfm-youtube>

Daily meditations are given by Fr. Wilson Andrade, CSC, National Director of Holy Cross Family Ministries – Canada.

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