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## SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY 5:00 pm

SUNDAY 8:30 am | 10:30 am | 12:30 pm | 7:00 pm

## WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY, TUESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY - 9:10 am

WEDNESDAY - 7:00 pm (Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help)

FIRST FRIDAY - 9:10 am followed by  
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

SATURDAY

9:30 am – 10:00 am | 4:00 pm – 4:30pm

## OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY – FRIDAY

9:00 am – 4:00 pm

SUNDAY

9:00 am – 2:00 pm



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**MASS INTENTIONS**

**MONDAY, 24 JANUARY**

**9:10 AM** +VICTOR VIRGILIO  
+RABINDRA CHAND  
+KENWYN RAMCHARAN

**TUESDAY, 25 JANUARY**

**9:10 AM** +CHARLES DE FREITAS  
MONICA TAM

**WEDNESDAY, 26 JANUARY**

**7:00 PM** +DECEASED MEMBERS OF  
PAPASADORO FAMILY  
+SIMON HUNG  
+PAUL OSCAR TENN  
LEE-VOON AH-CHONG  
CHANTAL & JAQUES WONG

**THURSDAY, 27 JANUARY**

**9:10 AM** +ENRIQUE ABANO  
+ESTEBANA APAYA

**FRIDAY, 28 JANUARY**

**9:10 AM** +RORY CHAU  
+VICTORIA ABANO

**SATURDAY, 29 JANUARY**

**9:10 AM** +CARMELINA D'ALESSANDRO  
**5:00 PM** +JEAN LEE CHAN  
CHARMAINE-ARNOLD  
LEE WAH & FAMILY  
DEBBIE-STEVE CHONG & FAMILY  
JACKIE-JOHNNY WONG & FAMILY

**SUNDAY, 30 JANUARY**

**8:30 AM** +HELEN SALVANI  
PARISHIONERS  
**10:30 AM** +PANDORA HO  
+JOSEPH WU  
+FRANCIS FERNANDO  
**12:30 PM** +MARTEL MANALO  
+MARIA FUNG  
+ELIZABETH YIU  
**7:00 PM** +DENNIS NATIONE

**SANCTUARY LAMP**

FOR THE WEEK OF 24 JAN - 30 JAN IS FOR  
THE INTENTIONS OF MSGR. VID VLASIC.

**STEWARDSHIP REFLECTIONS**

**Embracing Our Uniqueness**



In today's second reading St. Paul teaches us a great lesson that can enrich our lives of stewardship. He says, "Just as the body is one and has many

members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ."

We are made up of many different body parts that each have their own important and distinct role to play in order for the entire body to live. It is the same way in the Church. The Church is made up of many individuals who are all uniquely and wonderfully made. If we tried to change ourselves to become like someone else, we would be robbing the Church of our own unique contributions.

St. Therese uses a beautiful image of a garden to express the importance of embracing who God made us to be. She says, "The splendor of the rose and the whiteness of the lily do not rob the little violet of its scent nor the daisy of its simple charm. If every tiny flower wanted to be a rose, spring would lose its loveliness."

In our lives of stewardship, these different types of flowers represent how all of us have our own unique set of gifts from God. When we recognize that we each have our own strengths, we are less likely to compare ourselves to others and we begin to rid ourselves of envy and pride. We all have a role to play in our parish communities. Let us gratefully acknowledge the unique gifts God has given us and seek ways to offer them back to the Church.

**ONLINE BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT**

**Wednesday, January 26, 2022 at 7 pm**

New Beginnings is a ministry for those who have suffered a loss through separation, divorce or bereavement. If you lost a loved one, consider joining the Online Bereavement dropin session; to be with a welcoming, non-judgmental forum. The topic for January is: New promises, New possibilities. Register at: <https://jnpnp.eventbrite.ca> or for more information please contact: Arcangelo Limanni, MRE [alimanni@cfstoronto.com](mailto:alimanni@cfstoronto.com); Ph: (647) 215-3978.

**MARRIAGE SUNDAY 2022****Online Mass on February 13, 2022 at 2:30 pm**

As part of the Marriage Sunday 2022 celebrations, Bishop Robert Kasun, CSB will preside at a

special Mass to honor married couples celebrating milestone anniversaries (25, 40, 50 or 60+) in 2022. The Mass will take place at 2:30 pm on Sunday, February 13 at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica. Watch the Mass livestreamed on [www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live](http://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live) commencing at 2:15 pm.

View the poster: <https://bit.ly/MarriageSunday-Poster2022>

Letter from Cardinal Collins: : <https://bit.ly/MS-LetterToCouples>

**OUT OF THE COLD CASSEROLE PROGRAM****Saturday, February 12, 2022**

Thank you all for your ongoing support and generosity towards the Casserole Program.

Our Casserole delivery date is **February 12, 2022**. We request you to deliver the *frozen casseroles* in a *labeled plastic bag* to the parked car in the Parish parking lot on February 12 between 10:30am and 11am.

Please be kind enough to donate for this good cause. Sign up to participate for January 2022 by clicking on this link: <https://forms.gle/KE4igLTxR9BBijJa6>

For details, call Joy Vaz-Jones / Susan Cheung at 9054708977 / 9054706365 or email at [joyvazjones@gmail.com](mailto:joyvazjones@gmail.com). Thank you in advance!

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**ADORATION****Monday, January 31, 2022 at 7 pm**

Suppose you were told that Jesus wanted to meet with you personally for an hour at your parish. Who would say no to such an invitation? An hour passes very quickly. The Charismatic Prayer Group, Catholic Women's League and the Knights of Columbus invite you to come adore, praise and give Thanks to our Lord on Monday, January 31 at 7 pm. Reservations are required to attend in-person.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

**Thank You For Supporting Coat Drive:** The Knights of Columbus would like to thank all parishioners for donating many coats in November and December. Because of your generosity, the Salvation Army (the recipient of the donated coats) was able to help more than 350 friends in need. The Knights and Salvation Army also 'warmly' thank the students and teachers at St. Augustine High School and St. Matthew Elementary School for their contributions,

**Empty Bottle Program is back!** KOC at St. Justin's would like to announce that the Empty Bottle Program is back. Bring your empty beer and wine bottles (and cans) to the parish leaving them in front of the garage doors. We thank you for your past donations which have yielded more than \$1,300 for Knights' charities.

**WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY****January 18 -25, 2022**

The Office for Promoting Christian Unity and Religious Relations with Judaism, along with the GTA Council of Christian Churches has jointly organized a special prayer service to celebrate the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity.

Join Cardinal Collins and a wide representation of Christian leaders to pray for the restoration of the full visible unity willed by Jesus Christ for the Church. We will pray at Holy Trinity Armenian Apostolic Orthodox Church at 920 Progress Avenue, Scarborough, on Sunday, January 23, 2022 at 4 p.m. All are welcome to attend in person or watch the livestream on Facebook: [www.facebook.com/TorontoArmenianChurch](https://www.facebook.com/TorontoArmenianChurch) For further details, visit: <https://bit.ly/3Gm0CZj>.



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