

OUR LADY QUEEN OF POLAND CHURCH



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Because of the lockdown and "Stay-at-home order" announced in Ontario, all public Masses are suspended until further notice. Our church however remains open for private prayer and adoration: Monday to Friday: 6:00-6:45pm. Attendance inside the church is limited to 9 parishioners. Masks must be worn and 2m social distancing followed. Provide your name and phone number for contact tracing!

CHURCH HOURS

Monday – Friday - 6:00-6:45pm – confessions and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

7:00pm – Litany of Loretto (in Polish)

Saturday – 6:00-6:45pm - confessions

6:00-7:00pm - Communion Service

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Sunday – 10:30am. – livestreaming of Mass (in Polish)

11:30am-1:00pm – Communion Service

There will be no Communion Services Monday to Friday. Only 9 parishioners inside the church (first come, first serve).

All booked/requested Mass intentions

are celebrated by our Priests in the church during private Masses.

Online Masses

can be viewed on television and the internet. Please visit:

<https://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live/> (celebrated by Cardinal Thomas Collins at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica every day at 7:30 a.m.)

www.dailytvmass.com

www.youtube.com/dailytvmass

<https://www.archtoronto.org/covid19/Pages/parishes-mass-videos.aspx>

Rite of Holy Communion

Saturday: 6-7pm.

Sunday: 11:30am.-1:00pm.


Spiritual Communion Prayer

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

Confessions: Monday to Saturday 6p.m.-6:45p.m.

For any updates and useful information visit our website or: www.archtoronto.org/

First reading: **Acts 2:1-11**
 Responsorial Psalm: **Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth.**
 Second Reading: **Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13**
 Gospel: **Jn 20:19-23**



Mass Intentions

Saturday – May 22, 2021
 † Maria GORETTI YEE (Yee & Zee Families)

Saturday – May 29, 2021
 † Heather PINTO (R. M. Lobo)

CONGRATULATIONS TO FR. WALDEMAR MATUSIAK, who is celebrating this Sunday His 26th Priesthood Anniversary.
 May God bless you today and in the years ahead for your dedicated service. Happy anniversary!

ON THIS FEAST DAY OF PENTECOST let us reflect on the words of St. Cyril of Alexandria who says that those who've received the Holy Spirit are "in a sense blended together with one another and with God." We are firstly connected to one another and so we should strive to create a charitable and hospitable community for all of us. Secondly, we are all connected with God, so we should strive to forgive those who've hurt us in order to foster a divine community free of all anger and resentment.

The hymn to the Holy Spirit

*Come, Holy Spirit, Creator blest,
 and in our souls take up Thy rest;
 come with Thy grace and heavenly aid
 to fill the hearts which Thou hast made.*

*O comforter, to Thee we cry,
 O heavenly gift of God Most High,
 O fount of life and fire of love,
 and sweet anointing from above.*

*Thou in Thy sevenfold gifts are known;
 Thou, finger of God's hand we own;
 Thou, promise of the Father,
 Thou Who dost the tongue with power imbue.*

*Kindle our sense from above,
 and make our hearts o'erflow with love;
 with patience firm and virtue high
 the weakness of our flesh supply.*

*Far from us drive the foe we dread,
 and grant us Thy peace instead;
 so shall we not, with Thee for guide,
 turn from the path of life aside.*

*Oh, may Thy grace on us bestow
 the Father and the Son to know;
 and Thee, through endless times confessed,
 of both the eternal Spirit blest.*

*Now to the Father and the Son,
 Who rose from death, be glory given,
 with Thou, O Holy Comforter,
 henceforth by all in earth and heaven. Amen.*

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"ShareLife is the way the rubber hits the road. This is how we validate the legitimacy and integrity of our Christian life: not by the words we speak, but by the love we share, in practical ways. That's what we do with ShareLife."
 – Cardinal Thomas Collins
 Please make your sacrificial gift through your parish or sharelife.org.

GLOBAL WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHINA: MAY 23-30

As China has burst onto the world stage as a rising global power, it has been accompanied by the effort to control, subdue and, where possible, extinguish religion. Issues range from disappearing bishops to bulldozed churches to minors being forbidden from entering churches. Sadly, full-blown persecution of Christians in China has been underway for years but has intensified under cover of the pandemic. (Source: archtoronto.org)

Prayer of Pope Benedict XVI for the Church in China

Virgin Most Holy, Mother of the Incarnate Word and our Mother, venerated in the Shrine of Sheshan under the title "Help of Christians", the entire Church in China looks to you with devout affection. We come before you today to implore your protection. Look upon the People of God and, with a mother's care, guide them along the paths of truth and love, so that they may always be a leaven of harmonious coexistence among all citizens.

When you obediently said "yes" in the house of Nazareth, you allowed God's eternal Son to take flesh in your virginal womb and thus to begin in history the work of our redemption. You willingly and generously cooperated in that work, allowing the sword of pain to pierce your soul, until the supreme hour of the Cross, when you kept watch on Calvary, standing beside your Son, who died that we might live. From that moment, you became, in a new way, the Mother of all those who receive your Son Jesus in faith and choose to follow in his footsteps by taking up his Cross. Mother of hope, in the darkness of Holy Saturday you journeyed with unflinching trust towards the dawn of Easter. Grant that your children may discern at all times, even those that are darkest, the signs of God's loving presence.

Our Lady of Sheshan, sustain all those in China, who, amid their daily trials, continue to believe, to hope, to love. May they never be afraid to speak of Jesus to the world, and of the world to Jesus. In the statue overlooking the Shrine you lift your Son on high, offering him to the world with open arms in a gesture of love. Help Catholics always to be credible witnesses to this love, ever clinging to the rock of Peter on which the Church is built.

Mother of China and all Asia, pray for us, now and for ever. Amen!

HUMANITARIAN RELIEF – INDIA'S COVID-19 OUTBREAK

Those wishing to help may do so in the following ways:

- through: www.archtoronto.org
- By phone through the Development Office: 416-934-3411
- Through our parish. Please use Humanitarian Relief envelopes, if issuing cheques – make them payable to:

OL Queen of Poland – India's COVID-19 Outbreak – Disaster Relief
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