OUR LADY QUEEN OF POLAND CHURCH

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Weekday Masses (in Polish):

Monday, Wednesday, Friday - 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, Thursday – 10:00 a.m.

First Friday of the Month - 10:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

Weekend Masses

First Saturday of the Month - 10:00 a.m. Saturday - 5:00 p.m. (English), 7:00 p.m. (Polish) Sunday (all in Polish)

- 8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 7:30 p.m.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Mon., Wed., Fri., - 6:00 p.m. Tuesday, Thursday – 9:00 a.m. First Friday of the Month – 9:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. First Saturday of the Month – 9:00 a.m.

Sacrament of Penance

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 6:00-6:45 p.m.

Tuesday, Thursday: 9:00-9:45 a.m.

Saturday: 4:00-4:45 p.m. and 6:00-6:45 p.m. Sunday: 8:00-8:15 a.m.; 10:00-10:15 a.m.; 12:00-12:15 p.m. and 7:00-7:15 p.m.

Sacrament of Baptism

Call the office for available date.

Godparents must be 16 years of age and confirmed. They must submit a Sponsor Certificate from their parish priest before baptism.

Sacrament of The Sick

Please call the priest at any time.

Sacrament of Marriage

Apply one year in advance – marriage preparation classes are obligatory.



Parish Office Hours

Monday through Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Office Services

Referral letters and eligibility forms can be requested only by active parish members, officially registered at the Church for a minimum of six months. Please call ahead.

Parish Registration

We are an ethnic/personal parish, which means that the members of our parish are those who are formally registered. The registration form can be obtained from Parish Office, church or on-line. Once filled, form can be thrown into the offering basket or forwarded to the office. Please inform us of any address changes.

PARISH ENVELOPES

Parishioners who wish to help the Parish financially can do so using offering envelopes. Regular users receive them once a year, usually in the month of December. New ones are asked to contact the Parish Office, fill the registration form, and check the "offering envelopes" box.

Contributions for the church are tax-deductible. Income tax return forms are distributed to Parishioners at the end of January.

Lectors and Ushers Services

If interested, contact Aggie Gomez (416-292-5707)

Masks are mandatory.

A physical 2m (6ft) distance, will be maintained. Families from the same household may be seated together but must be 2m from any non-household members.

Online Masses

https://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live/ www.dailytvmass.com www.youtube.com/dailytvmass

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Nm 11:25-29

Responsorial Psalm: The precepts of the Lord give joy to the

heart

Second Reading: *Jas 5:1-6* Gospel: *Mk 9:38-43,45,47-48*



Saturday – September 25, 2021

5p.m. † Ronald BARBOZA

Saturday - October 2, 2021

5p.m. † John D'SOUZA

(C. L. Pereira)

IN TODAY'S GOSPEL, Jesus gives us the bold teaching that we should rid ourselves of anything that causes us to sin, for the price of losing our eternal salvation is far too great. This teaching can seem harsh at times, yet it is actually one of great truth and love. The radical implication in Jesus message' is that the salvation of our souls is the most important thing in life.

As followers of Christ, we should ask ourselves, is there anything that is causing us to sin? Sin begins to weaken our relationship with God which hinders our ability to truly love others and act as authentic stewards. If we want our stewardship to flourish, we should take concrete actions to avoid the near occasions of sin and seek forgiveness in the sacrament of Confession for whenever we do fall. Additionally, not only should we seek to remove the causes of sin in our lives, but we should try to remove all those things that hinder us from being better stewards of our time and talents. There are many ways we can grow as faithful stewards of Christ so let us start by taking small steps towards being more generous.

SPECIAL COLLECTION FOR THE NEEDS OF THE CHURCH IN CANADA – Saturday/Sunday, September 25/26

There will be a second collection today for the Needs of the Church in Canada. Your gifts are used by the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops to represent Canadian Catholics in national and international pastoral activity.

Your donations will be collected after the Holy Communion. Envelopes for this collection are included in your offertory box. Cheques must be issued to: OL Queen of Poland – Needs of the Church in Canada. Thank you for your support.

NATIONAL DAY FOR TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION

On Thursday, September 30, 2021, across the country, Canadians will be observing the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation. This day provides an opportunity for all Canadians to recognize and commemorate the legacy of residential schools, and commit to working for truth and reconciliation in the relationship between Indigenous and non-Indigenous peoples in Canada.

All are welcome to join Cardinal Thomas Collins for a virtual prayer service on September 30, 2021 at 10:00 a.m. – you can access the prayer service through the St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica livestream at: https://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live/

Keep us up to date if you moved or changed your phone number

Donate on-line: https://community.archtoronto.org/.

HUMANITARIAN HELP - HAITI

Until the end of September, you can still contribute to the victims of the earthquake in Haiti here at the parish by using the Humanitarian Relief envelopes (please make cheques payable to: OL Queen of Poland – Haiti Natural Disaster), through: www.archtoronto.org or by calling the Development Office – 416-934-3411

SL ShareLife

ShareLife Sunday is next weekend

Your gift to ShareLife facilitated the arrival of 528 refugees through the Office for Refugees of the Archdiocese of Toronto last year. They are among the 150,000 people helped by generous donors like you. As we emerge from the pandemic, let's not forget the plight of those facing hardship and persecution, and continue our efforts to welcome them to Canada.

Next Sunday, October 3 is the next ShareLife Sunday. Collection will take place after the Holy Communion. Please give generously during the collection or anytime at sharelife.org

CAMPAIGN LIFE COALITION PRESENTS: LIFE CHAIN SUNDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2021

This year's Life Chain will be held on October 3 Sunday from 2 to 3 p.m. at different corners of the city and GTA. There is a close by intersection of McCowan and Steeles, organized by the pro-life committee of Chinese Martyrs Catholic Church. You're welcome to join in. We will be holding signs and praying the rosary and the Divine Chaplet or silent prayer. Participants please wear masks and keep a distce. Thank you!

VIRTUAL/ONLINE WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER EXPERIENCE - OCTOBER 22-24, 2021

Live your best life in love! Restore your loving communication with your spouse and rekindle the romance. The Marriage Encounter experience is a skill-building enrichment program where you, as husband and wife, learn how to be the best couple you can be; a special weekend to spend in ways that normal, daily living tends to inhibit. No group discussion. Based on Catholic values but open to couples of all faiths. Contact: Marge & Gerard McCauley at gerard.marge@rogers.com or (905) 792-1925, www.ene.gerard.marge@rogers.com or (905) 792-1925, <a href="mailto:www.ene.gerard.marge.g

URGENTLY LOOKING FOR A BLOOD TYPE O LIVER DONOR for a teacher with family and kids. Please contact Michelle (Misia) Wiench: 647-554-5982

PLEASE NOTE OUR NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS:

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