

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, JUNE 9TH

12:10 P.M. Rosalina Parale
Req. The Fitzpatrick Family

TUESDAY, JUNE 10TH

8:00 A.M. +Martina Le Hunte
Req. Maria Le Hunte

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11TH

12:10 P.M. +Vidal Lingan
Req. The Lingan Family

THURSDAY, JUNE 12TH

8:00 A.M. +Martina Le Hunte
Req. Maria Le Hunte

FRIDAY, JUNE 13TH

12:10 P.M. +Vincenzo Mammoliti
Req. The Mammoliti Family

SATURDAY, JUNE 14TH

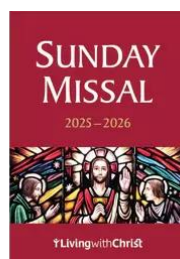
10:00 A.M. +Pablo Narciso, Sr.
Req. Roy Narciso

HIS EMINENCE FRANK CARDINAL LEO

Message on the Month of The Sacred Heart of Jesus (excerpt)

While hope anchors us in the love of God amidst the turbulent seas of life, it is fundamentally oriented towards our future glory with God in His Kingdom (cf. CCC, 1820). Simply put, whereas faith believes in God and charity loves him, hope longs for union with him and trusts that, despite our human frailty and suffering, such union is truly possible (cf. Rm 8:31-19). We have a foretaste of this union in the Eucharist, and we recognise that in the Divine Person of Jesus Christ, God and humanity are forever united, accomplishing the union we hope for and making Jesus Christ the revelation of hope incarnate (cf. *Dilexit Nos*, 65-70).

<https://www.archtoronto.org/en/outreach/news/archdiocesan/message-on-the-month-of-the-sacred-heart-of-jesus/>



ORDERS ACCEPTED UNTIL AUG. 3RD FOR 2025-2026 SUNDAY MISSAL

If you would like to have your own copy of the 2025-2026 Sunday Missal, please put **your \$5 cash or cheque** (payable to St. Monica's Parish) donation in an envelope marked **"2026 SUNDAY MISSAL"** with your name & phone number and/or email address so we can contact you when your missal is ready for pickup. Kindly drop your donation in the collection basket or through the mail slot on the parish office door on or before Sunday, Aug. 3rd.

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION

will take place on June 6th, 2025 from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. in the church. For the Adoration pamphlet with prayers, visit www.stmonicasto.archtoronto.org
All parishioners are welcome!



CONFIRMATION MASS (ROC) 2025 will be held on Saturday, June 7, 2025 at the 5 pm Mass. *Please pray for the candidates and their families as they prepare to receive this sacrament.*



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*If you would like to **Offer a Weekday Mass**, please call the Parish Office at 416-483-1513 or email stmonicatoronto@gmail.com.*

Having a Mass said for a specific intention, whether for a living or deceased person, is a way to offer prayers & graces for that person or need. It is a way to ask for divine intercession through the powerful act of the Mass, which is the highest form of prayer.

RCIA REGISTRATION OPEN

Please contact the Parish Office if you are interested in becoming Catholic or if you are already Catholic but have not completed the Sacraments of Initiation (Confirmation & receiving Eucharist for the first time).



You are the light of hope this ShareLife

Sunday On the third ShareLife Sunday of the year, you can extend God's compassion and solidarity to our brothers and sisters. Together with your support, let us illuminate His light in the darkest of places, providing strength to those enduring unimaginable hardships. Because of you, people who feel the weight of the world on their shoulders can experience some relief. Like young mother Sarah, and her 4-week-old baby, who fled a life-threatening situation. She went from being alone, homeless and afraid, to supported, secure and safe through programs at Catholic Family Services of Durham. *Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.*



Pentecost Sunday – June 8, 2025

"Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and enkindle in them the fire of your love." Send forth workers into your vineyard. May some of our parishioners choose to serve you by becoming priests, deacons, brothers & sisters. If God is calling you, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto, 416-968-0997. www.vocationstoronto.ca; vocations@archtoronto.org.



FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING WEBINAR

Saturday, June 7, 2025 at 9:00 a.m.

Learn:

- How to avoid problems: in your Will, in the Powers of Attorney, and through proper Estate Trustee selection
- How to create your own legacy
- About our Catholic traditions around cremation, burials and funerals

3 WAYS TO REGISTER:

1. scan the QR code
2. follow this QR link: qrco.de/WebJune7
3. send an email to:

Development@ArchToronto.org and write "webinar June 7" in the title line + your name(s) in the body of the message.



We need **VOLUNTEERS** to serve as ***Ministers to the Sick & Homebound, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Lectors, Altar Servers, Offering***

Collectors, Choir Members and Garden Volunteers! If you are interested, please contact the Parish Office at (416) 483-1513 or stmonitoronto@gmail.com.

REFLECTION: PENTECOST SUNDAY

Today is Pentecost Sunday, the 50th day after Easter. Pentecost is often called the "birthday of the Church." It commemorates the day the Holy Spirit descended upon the disciples and they first began proclaiming the Gospel. This was the mark of the successful completion of Jesus' earthly mission.

We should never fail to marvel at the fact that 2000 years later the Church is still active and growing. No other human institution has lasted as long as the Catholic Church. The permanence of the Church points to one fact, that the Church is not merely a human enterprise, but a divine one. The Church will always persist for it is constantly being guided by the same Holy Spirit that descended on the first Pentecost.

As stewards, we play the important role of cooperating with the Holy Spirit to continue the work and mission of the Church. Archbishop Emeritus Cardinal Collins often says that the Church needs to "care for the gathered and reach out to the scattered." Let us ask ourselves how we can use our time and talents to participate in this two-fold mission of the Church. Perhaps we can use our talents in various ministries to beautify and liven the activity within our parish communities. Moreover, we can invest our time in journeying with those away from the Church in an effort to show Christ's love to them. Let us strive to invoke the Holy Spirit in all of our stewardship efforts and continue to celebrate the greatness of the Catholic Church.

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From: Archdiocese of Toronto, Office of Formation for Discipleship, Stewardship Reflections, Year C.