



St. Leo The Great

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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OFFICE HOURS:

Tuesday & Thursday 8 am to 12 noon and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Monday, Wednesday & Friday by appointment only.

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE:

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday at 8:30 a.m.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – Friday 7:30 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. (followed by 8:30 a.m. Mass)

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday 4:30 p.m. Youth Mass

Sunday 9:00 a.m. (with Children's Liturgy JK, SK, Grade 1 & 2) & 11:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturdays 3:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. or anytime by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Please download the Baptism Information Kit and Registration Form from the parish website, www.stleothegreat.ca

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:

The Archdiocese of Toronto requires that you contact your parish priest at least one year in advance of the planned date of your wedding and that you participate in a marriage preparation course. Please call the Parish Office.

PARISH REGISTRATION:

All families attending St. Leo's are requested to register with the parish.

Registration forms are available in the vestibule of the church.

LOCAL HOSPITALS AND EMERGENCY PASTORAL VISITATION

If you or someone in your family is in the Oshawa, Whitby or Port Perry Hospitals and would like to have a priest (for serious reasons) visit the person who is sick for Anointing of the Sick, Last Rites, Confession or Communion, please note that there is a full-time Catholic Priest assigned to these three hospitals at various times of the week. Simply ask hospital staff to inquire as to whether *Hospital Chaplain* is present in the hospital (or when he will be). If the Hospital Chaplain is not available and there is an emergency requiring a Catholic priest, please call St. Leo the Great Parish at 905-655-3286 and when prompted, press "8" and leave your message. Fr. Mounir will receive your message (if he is available) and return your call. If there is no emergency but you would like to speak to Fr. Mounir, please call the parish office and leave a message with the parish secretary at 905-655-3286 ext. 1001.

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Tuesday:

8:30 am Mass, Stations of the Cross
9:30 – 10:30 am Holy Hour/Confession

Wednesday:

8:30 am Mass, Stations of the Cross
9:30 – 10:30 am Holy Hour/Confession
7:00 pm Mass, Stations of the Cross
8 – 9:00 pm Holy Hour/Confession

Holy Thursday:

7:00 pm Mass of the Last Supper
Benediction / Adoration 8 – 11:00 pm

Good Friday: Communion Service

3:00 pm The Lord's Passion
4:00 pm Stations of the Cross
4:30 – 5:30 pm Private Prayers

Holy Saturday:

7:00 pm Easter Vigil Mass Celebration

Easter Sunday:

9:00 am and 11:00 am Easter Mass

Share Your Thoughts on DCDSB's 2022-2023 Budget

The Durham Catholic District School Board's Finance Committee are currently in the process of gathering feedback to assist with the board's 2022-2023 budget development. As parishioners, you play an important role in the success and support of our Durham Catholic students and schools and we want to hear from you.

We invite you to engage in a ThoughtExchange and share your thoughts on the following question:

From your perspective as a valued member of our Catholic learning community what are the most important or impactful investments the Board should continue or consider for the 2022-2023 budget that would enhance student well-being, academic achievement, or educational experience?

We invite you to visit the board's website at dcdsb.ca and click on the Budget Consultation banner on the homepage of the site.

The ThoughtExchange is anonymous and will allow you to share your thoughts and rate the thoughts and ideas of others. The ThoughtExchange will be available until **Friday, April 22, 2022.**



*Lenten
Food
Drive*

Then the king will say to those at his right hand, "Come, you that are blessed by my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world; for I was hungry and you gave me food..."

The Knights of Columbus are still collecting non-perishable food items. Donations can be dropped off in the vestibule.



Attention all youth!

We will resume our movie nights starting **Tuesday, April 19 at 6:30 - 8:00 p.m.**

Come join us in the parish hall, for the Chosen Series, popcorn and a chance to socialize with other youth.



Plantables Fundraiser

The CWL is teaming up with Plantables.ca for a wild new fundraiser. You pick from a variety of organically grown fruit and veggie plants and they deliver ready to plant direct to your door. Visit <https://plantables.ca/for.stleocwl>

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Members of **Secular Franciscan Order** are members of your Church. We are not an Organization, but an Order of the Church. We follow the Rule of St. Francis of Assisi which is to "Go from life to Gospel and Gospel to life" and we endeavour to do so.

If you would consider increasing your spirituality or love for God through the love and living of the Gospel, we invite you to visit with us at our Sunday afternoon meeting at the Parish Hall of St. Gregory the Great Church, to see what we do. You may also help yourself to one of our Brochures at the back of the Church.



MASS INTENTIONS OF THE WEEK

Saturday, April 9th

4:30 p.m. † Alex & Susan Quinn

Sunday, April 10th

9:00 a.m. † Fred Molica

11:00 a.m. † Valerie Hotner & Helen Freve

Tuesday, April 12th

8:30 a.m. † Henry Larocque

Wednesday, April 13th

8:30 a.m. † Anthony Wadden

† Mary Lynch

† Margaret Jewitt

7:00 p.m. *available*

Thursday, April 14th

7:00 p.m. Mass of the Last Supper

Friday, April 15th

3:00 p.m. The Lord's Passion

Saturday, April 16th

7:00 p.m. Easter Vigil

Sunday, April 17th

9:00 a.m. † Jose Cris Pasaporte

11:00 a.m. † Attilio & Maria Bianco



ShareLife agencies need our support

The LA Centre for Active Living is a ShareLife-funded that agency that helps seniors. Here's how your support of ShareLife is enabling their lifesaving work:

"This pandemic has had a big impact on the world, revealing new needs in our communities, and it through ShareLife's support that we have been able to provide prepared meals and pantry goods every week to our members through our food delivery program. Your support is invaluable and we cannot thank you enough!"

The Witness of a Life-Giving Faith

Monday, April 25 – 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Manresa Jesuit Spiritual Renewal Centre

2325 Liverpool Rd., Pickering

A day of reflection for men and women. In our environment of growing social polarization and division, in which our Christian faith is so often used as fuel for such polarization and divisions, many people see our faith in Christ as overly-defensive, political and lifedepleting. But our faith in Christ was born to be lifegiving, as we have been experiencing this Easter season. What does it mean to be alive in our faith in a Christ-like way? What do life-giving Christians in the spirit of the resurrection give witness towards? This day will include talks given by Fr. Trevor Scott, SJ.

Confessions available and plenty of time for private prayer and to walk our grounds. Included is lunch and break. The day ends with Mass. A suggested offering of \$50 per person.

REGISTER: www.manresa-canada.ca

CONTACT: registration@manresa.ca

PHONE: 905-839-2864

Living and Loving Boldly:

Reflections on Ignatian

Spirituality for a New Day

Friday, April 29 – 7 p.m. to Sunday, May 1 – 1 p.m.

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2325 Liverpool Rd., Pickering

A silent Ignatian weekend retreat in the Jesuit tradition for men and women. We are called to live and love boldly in challenging days. This retreat offers a time set aside to reflect on the practice of the presence of God in all things and in all ways – a mysticism for fulness in everyday living. Discover anew the heart of the spirituality of St. Ignatius for a transformed world context in which we are called always to embrace and realize the designs of God and to dream a future of hope. Facilitated by Sr. Mary Rowell, CSJ. A suggested offering of \$235 per person. Includes two-nights' accommodation, meals, program and spiritual direction.

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