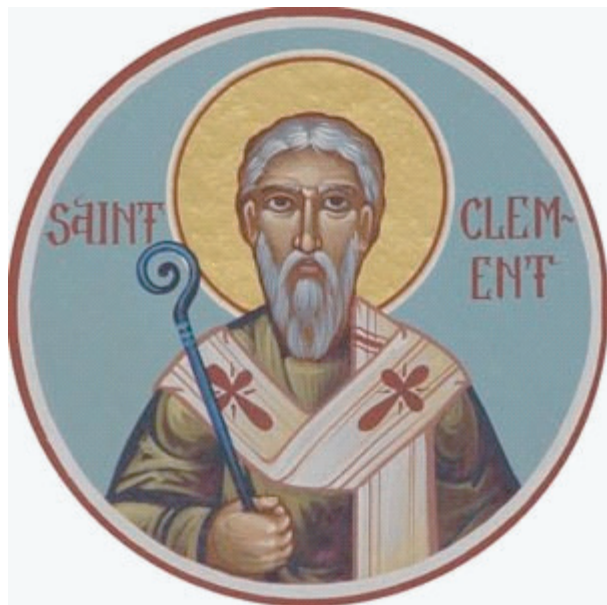


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Elizabeth Yeung

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Leslie de Souza

## SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday - Vigil Mass - 4:45 p.m.  
Sunday - 9:30 a.m. & 11:30 a.m.

## WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Saturday - 8:15 a.m.

## CONFESSIONS

Saturday Morning - 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 Noon

## BAPTISMS

Registered parishioners. Preparation Programme required before a date will be set. Contact the Office.

## MARRIAGE

Registered parishioners. Marriage Course required. Set no date before meeting with the priest. The Bishop must be consulted in the case of a previous marriage.

## CARE OF THE SICK

Communion for the homebound upon request. Anointing of the Sick with the seriously ill, OR those undergoing surgery. Call the Parish Office.

## BECOMING A CATHOLIC

Interested in becoming Catholic? Join our programme for the Christian Initiation of Adults. Call the Office.

## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

For assistance, please call 647-439-8559 and leave your name and phone number.

## ST. CLEMENT CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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## ADORATION CHAPEL

Monday to Friday: 7:00 a.m. to 12:00 Noon

**Mass Intentions**



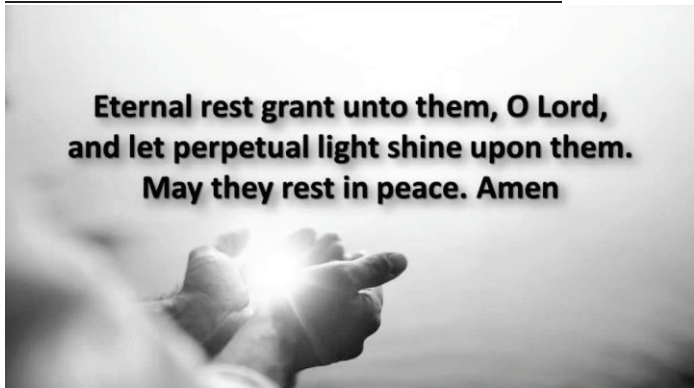
**for the Week**

8:15am	Nov 27	Mon	+Rafael & Teresa Abendan
8:15am	Nov 28	Tue	Peter & Steve Rebello
8:15am	Nov 29	Wed	+Joaquim & Jacinta Soronio
8:15am	Nov 30	Thu	+Jane Orion Bau
8:15am	Dec 1	Fri	+Mr. & Mrs. Zee
8:15am	Dec 2	Sat	Fr. John Croal
4:45pm	Dec 2	Sat	+Gregory Kazmierski
9:30am	Dec 3	Sun	Parishioners
11:30am	Dec 3	Sun	+Carmine Iacovino

**FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK**

- Thursday (30):** St. Andrew, Apostle
- First Friday (1):** Votive Mass, Sacred Heart of Jesus
- First Saturday (2):** Votive Mass, Our Lady's Saturday

**LEST WE FORGET - THE SOULS IN PURGATORY**



**Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,  
and let perpetual light shine upon them.  
May they rest in peace. Amen**

The month of November comes to an end this Thursday. And the Holy Souls Shrine at the front of the church will be dismantled. But please don't forget the souls of the faithful departed. Walk with them each and every day. Hold them in your prayers as they undergo the purification that will prepare them for Heaven. Remember especially those most forgotten. ***Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord.***

**DOUBLE YOUR SHARELIFE DONATION**

An anonymous donor has agreed to match all year-end gifts to ShareLife to a total of **\$500,000!** If you haven't yet made an offering this year, or if you are in a position to increase your annual gift, this is the perfect time to do it. Envelopes are available at the doors of the church. You may drop your gift in the regular collection or donate online via the parish website. Call the office if you need assistance.

**2024 SUNDAY OFFERING ENVELOPES AVAILABLE NEXT WEEKEND**



Sunday Offering Envelopes for 2024 will be available at the doors of the church next weekend. We encourage all wage earners to pick up a box and to use them weekly. Your regular gifts to the parish are the only source of income we have. Once again, there will be no pre-assigned numbers. Take any box and fill in the first gray registration envelope. And thank you!



Monsignor Paul Zimmer Invites You  
to be His Guests  
at a Parish Christmas Social  
No Tickets - No Admission Fee  
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**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9, 2023  
6:00 P.M.  
ST. CLEMENT PARISH HALL**

Finger Foods – Desserts – Tea & Coffee  
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Reserve a spot for you, your family,  
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Call the Parish Office (416-621-4060)  
or Email: [stclementset@archtoronto.org](mailto:stclementset@archtoronto.org)

**LITURGICAL YEAR END**

The *Solemnity of Christ the King* brings to an end the Church's liturgical year. Our year-long meditation on the story of salvation brings us to the feet of Jesus, our King and our Lord. Next weekend we begin a new year of celebration and praise with the *First Sunday of Advent*.



**OUT WITH THE OLD – IN WITH THE NEW**

This is the last weekend for your 2023 St. Joseph Sunday Missal. The new ones come into use on the First Sunday of Advent. Please take your old missal home and place it in the blue recycling box.

**SCHOOL MASS INVITATION**



On **Tuesday, November 28<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 a.m.** the students from St. Clement Catholic School will celebrate Mass in the church. They warmly welcome parents, neighbours and friends to join them.

**FIRST FRIDAY IN DECEMBER**



**December 1<sup>st</sup> is First Friday.** Join us for devotion prayers in honour of the Sacred Heart of Jesus ten minutes before the 8:15 morning Mass. Our celebration of the Eucharist will be followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and end with Benediction at 10:00 a.m. Remember the promise made by Jesus to St. Margaret Mary ... *I promise you in the excessive mercy of my Heart that my all-powerful love will grant to all those who receive Holy Communion on the First Fridays in nine consecutive months the grace of final perseverance; they shall not die in my disgrace, nor without receiving their sacraments. My divine Heart shall be their safe refuge in this last moment.*"

**HOME ADVENT WREATH**



The home Advent Wreath is a wonderful tradition for Catholic families. All you need is a circle of greenery (real or artificial) and four candles, three purple and one pink. In a pinch, any colours will do. Light one new candle each week of Advent during your family prayer time.

**A CHILD'S PRAYER FOR THE ADVENT WREATH**

O God, as light comes from this candle,  
May the blessing of Jesus come to us,  
Warming our hearts,  
and brightening our way.

May Christ our Saviour bring life  
Into the darkness of this world,  
And to us, as we wait for his coming.  
We ask this through the same Christ  
our Lord. Amen.

**MAINTENANCE COLLECTION**

Next weekend we take up our monthly Maintenance Collection. Envelopes are in your box. Your donations help us to keep the church, meeting rooms, parish hall, office and rectory in tip top condition. Thanks for your support.

**ARCHDIOCESAN CONSULTATION – SHARE YOUR IDEAS**

Archbishop Francis Leo is inviting the Catholic community to share thoughts and ideas regarding future pastoral planning in the Archdiocese of Toronto. Feedback will help inform a renewed Pastoral Plan to be used in the years ahead. Visit [www.archtoronto.org/consultation](http://www.archtoronto.org/consultation) and complete the short survey by December 15, 2023. For more information visit our parish website.





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