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**Mass Intentions**



**for the Week**

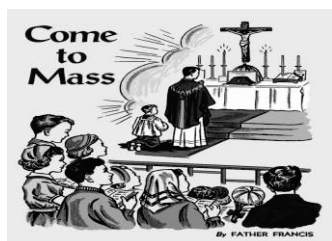
8:15am	Mar 11	Mon	+Peter Scott
8:15am	Mar 12	Tue	Private Intention
8:15am	Mar 13	Wed	+Martiniana Nunez
8:15am	Mar 14	Thu	+John Maxwell Isaacs
8:15am	Mar 15	Fri	+Marjorie Jilla
8:15am	Mar 16	Sat	+Nora Molnar
4:45pm	Mar 16	Sat	+James Ieraci
9:30am	Mar 17	Sun	Parishioners
11:30am	Mar 17	Sun	+Thomas Calnan & Erica Chesser

**LAETARE SUNDAY**



The Fourth Sunday of Lent is traditionally called **Laetare Sunday**. This Latin word is an invitation to look beyond the penance of Lent to the joy of Easter. It's an invitation to rejoice! On Laetare Sunday the priest wears festive rose instead of purple. And flowers are permitted in church.

**MARCH BREAK – COME TO MASS**



The March school break begins this weekend. Here's a Lenten challenge. Get the kids up early and bring them to weekday Mass at 8:15 a.m. Make it part of your family Lenten programme.

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**SHARELIFE – 2024**

**FIRST SHARELIFE SUNDAY**  
**NEXT WEEKEND – MARCH 17**  
**Envelopes are in your box**

**INSPIRED BY GOD'S LOVE**  
**SUPPORT SHARELIFE'S MISSION**

Today, as we contemplate God's boundless generosity, may we, too, be moved by this same spirit of generosity. May this inspire all of us to be kind, compassionate, and move us to share our blessings with our brothers and sisters in need.

**HOW TO MAKE YOUR GIFT**

Donate by Direct Mail  
 Place Your Gift in the Regular Collection  
 on any Sunday  
 Donate on the 3 Official ShareLife Sundays  
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**THE GREAT COVERUP**



When you arrive for Mass next weekend you will find all crosses, statues and sacred images covered in purple. This dramatic change reminds us that Holy Week is drawing near and challenges us to make good the remaining days and weeks of Lent. Crosses will be unveiled on Good Friday and all other images at the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday evening.

THE SCRUTINIES CONTINUE

*Becoming Catholic*  
**RCIA**  
Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

This Sunday, at the 9:30 a.m. Mass, we celebrate the Second Scrutiny with Hardeo, Dan and Alicia who are preparing to celebrate the Sacraments of Initiation at Easter. We pray over them, asking God to free them from sin and from the influence of the Devil.

TIME WITH GOD TAKES A BREAK



**Time with God**

Parents, we remind you that there will be no Time with God at the 9:30 Sunday morning Mass this Sunday (March 10) and next Sunday (March 17). Our catechists are enjoying March Break with their families.

Time with God returns on Palm Sunday (March 24).

BEWARE AND BE WARNED



In recent days, a Facebook account and e-mail communication claiming to come from Archbishop Leo have been circulating

through the Catholic community. Archbishop Leo does not have a Facebook account and any official e-mail correspondence should come from an archtoronto.org e-mail address. If you receive fraudulent correspondence, please delete the content from your inbox. Sadly, we have seen this type of fraudulent activity target priests and bishops on a regular basis. Please review the e-mail address on your correspondence and be mindful of these impersonation accounts.

**THE HOLY SEASON OF LENT  
2024**

**LENTEN CONFESSIONS**

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

**Friday Evening  
after Stations of the Cross**

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

**Every Friday During Lent  
7:00 p.m.**

**Confessions Available  
After Stations**

**LENTEN SUGGESTIONS**

**Set aside the money  
usually spent on coffee breaks  
And make a gift to the poor.**

**Try to speak an affirming  
word to every person you meet  
during the course of your day.**

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