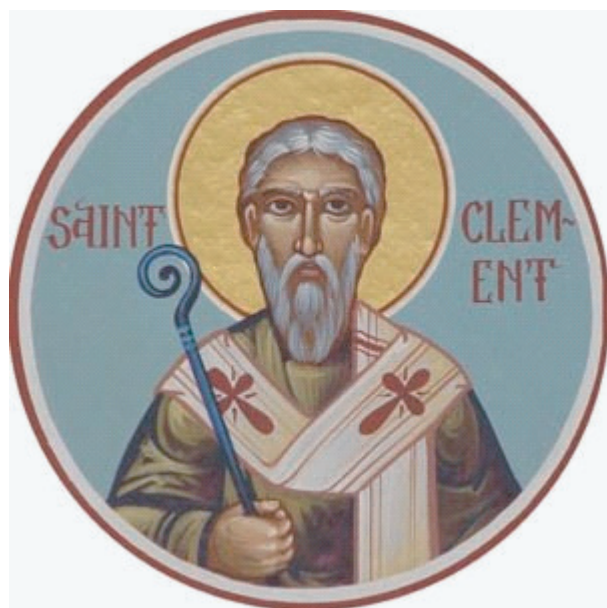


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SUNDAY MASSES

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

WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday to Friday: 8:15 a.m.
Saturday: 9:00 a.m.

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 3:30 p.m. To 4:15 p.m. or by appointment

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

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Registered Parishioners. Preparation Programme required before a date will be set.
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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.

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Communion for the homebound upon request. Anointing of the Sick for the seriously ill, or those undergoing surgery.
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Mass Intentions



for the Week

8:15am	Dec 17	Tue	+Michael & Rita D'Souza
8:15am	Dec 18	Wed	+Mr. & Mrs. Zee
8:15am	Dec 19	Thu	Isaacs Family
8:15am	Dec 20	Fri	+Mathias Sequeira
9:00am	Dec 21	Sat	Multiple Intentions
4:45pm	Dec 21	Sat	+deceased members of the Soltys family
9:30am	Dec 22	Sun	Parishioners
11:30am	Dec 22	Sun	+Angela Faure



From the desk of Fr. Tim...

CONGRATULATIONS CARDINAL LEO!

Congratulations!

The faithful of the Archdiocese of Toronto offer our prayers and best wishes for the newest

members of the College of Cardinals, including our chief shepherd, the Archbishop of Toronto, Frank Cardinal Leo. Last weekend, Cardinal Leo was in Rome as one of the 21 new cardinals from around the world gathered with Pope Francis. Please pray for our new cardinal as he begins this important role of service to the Church.

ADVENT/ JUBILEE YEAR 2025

The Archbishop has written a letter for Advent and the upcoming Jubilee Year in 2025 – it is included on the opposite page. I have the honour of Chairing the Archdiocesan Jubilee 2025 Committee, and among the members of the committee is Michael McBride from our own parish community. Please join us for the Solemn Opening Mass for the Jubilee Year on: **Sunday, December 29, 2024 at 5 p.m. at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica, Toronto.**



ADVENT CONFESSIONS 2024

This coming week is the Archdiocesan Week of Confessions.
 (see www.archtoronto.org/confession/ for times of confessions for Etobicoke parishes).
 Here at St. Clement Parish confessions are on:
Thursday, December 19: 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.
 (2 priests available)
Friday, December 20: 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.
 (2 priests available)
Saturday, December 21: 3:30 p.m. to 4:15 p.m.
 (2 priests available)

2024 CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

Christmas Eve - Tuesday, December 24th
5 p.m. and 7 p.m.
 (No 8:15 a.m. Mass on Christmas Eve)
Christmas Day - Wednesday, December 25th
9:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m.
 (No 8:15 a.m. Masses on Thursday, December 26 or Friday, December 27)

New Year's Eve - Tuesday, December 31st
4:45 p.m.
New Year's Day - Wednesday, January 1st
9:30 a.m. & 11:30 a.m.
 (No 8:15 a.m. Mass on Wednesday, January 1)

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT...

As your pastor I have been touched by your generosity not only for the special collections and appeals throughout the year, but also in your sharing in the financial responsibility of this parish, and so I thank you in advance for your kindness in generously supporting your parish at Christmas. Please don't forget to pick up your **2025 envelopes** (available at the doors of the church...no pre-assigned numbers...just pick any box) and consider registering for **Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG)** here at the parish (forms available at the doors of the church) or alternatively by using the **"Donate Now"** button on our parish website to make a single or monthly donation to our parish as well. Thank you for supporting our parish community!





26 November 2024

Dear Brothers and Sisters in the Lord,

May Jesus and Mary be in your hearts.

As we prepare for our Advent journey and the anticipation of the birth of Jesus, be assured of my prayers and spiritual closeness.

You may be aware that the Catholic Church worldwide will be celebrating a special Jubilee Year in 2025. This has been a tradition dating back to the year 1300 when Pope Boniface VIII announced the first Jubilee, which is also referred to as a "Holy Year". The frequency has changed over time, with a Jubilee year originally celebrated every 100 years, later every 50 years and, more recently, every 25 years or at the request of the Holy Father.

The Jubilee Year includes many celebrations within the city of Rome and also local initiatives in dioceses around the world. The theme of the 2025 Jubilee will be "**Pilgrims of Hope**". In the words of Pope Francis: "*We must fan the flame of hope that has been given us, and help everyone to gain new strength and certainty by looking to the future with an open spirit, a trusting heart and far-sighted vision.*"

The Holy Father will open the Jubilee Year on December 24, 2024, with the official opening of the Holy Door of Saint Peter's Basilica and continuing until January 6, 2026, the Solemnity of the Epiphany, with the closing of the Holy Door.

In the Archdiocese of Toronto, we will open the Jubilee Year with a Solemn Opening Mass taking place on Sunday, December 29, 2024 at 5:00 p.m. at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica. I extend a warm invitation for you to join in this special celebration, Please note that the Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available prior to the Eucharist from 3:30 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.

You will be hearing more about the Jubilee Year in your own parish and I pray this Holy Year will provide a grace-filled opportunity to nurture the seeds of faith for you and your loved ones, immersing ourselves as Pilgrims of Hope into a year-long journey of prayer, witness and service drawing on the example of Jesus, our Lord.

Resources for personal, family or parish use, along with helpful links and other information related to the Jubilee Year can be found by visiting: www.archtoronto.org/jubilee

I hope you will join us on Sunday, December 29 at 5:00 p.m. as we launch this special milestone in our faith journey. You and your loved ones will continue to remain close in prayer with special gratitude for all that you do to strengthen the Body of Christ in the Archdiocese of Toronto.

Sincerely Yours in Jesus with Mary,

Most Rev. Francis Leo
Metropolitan Archbishop of Toronto

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