

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT



Mass Intentions

MONDAY, March 17th– SUNDAY, March 23rd

MON, Mar 17th	7:30 a.m.	†Fidel Vilorio, Sr.
TUE, Mar 18th	7:30 a.m.	Angelita & Rachel
WED, Mar 19th	7:00 p.m.	In Thanksgiving
THURS, Mar 20th	7:30 a.m.	†Cicere Morra
FRI, Mar 21st	7:00 p.m.	†Maria Rossell Mangilinan and Dannieli Palombi
SAT, Mar 22nd	8:30 a.m.	†Crescencio Viernes / †Donald Morrow / †Desiré & Gertrude Bizongo / †Gavin & Winnifred Richardson / †Cenon, Corazon & Edgar Olaires
	5:00 p.m.	†Gertrude Brochu
SUN, Mar 23rd	7:30 a.m.	Parishioners of St. Rose of Lima
	9:00 a.m.	†Jeanne Horgan
	10:45 a.m.	†Anthony & Susan David
	12:30 p.m.	Residents, deceased and living, at retirement centres
	4:30 p.m.	Mass in Vietnamese

STATIONS OF THE CROSS Every Friday evening during Lent at 6:30 p.m. followed by the 7 p.m. Mass. *It is a prayer of the heart, a walk of gratitude a remembrance of the cost. Come and join us!*

3-DAY PARISH LENTEN RETREAT by Fr. Ben St. Croix, Companions of the Cross, **March 24 (Mon), 25 (Tues) and 26 (Wed)** in the Church, from 7– 9 p.m., St. Rose of Lima.

MASS FOR SENIOR PARISHIONERS

“Mary’s Golden Rose Mass of Hope”
Wednesday, April 2nd at 9:30 a.m. Social to Follow

LENTEN CONFESSION OPPORTUNITIES

- **PARISH LENTEN RECONCILIATION, Wednesday, April 2nd from 7:45 p.m. -9 p.m.**
- **ARCHDIOCESAN DAY OF CONFESSION, Wednesday, April 9th, from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.**

Regular Parish Activities

- BREAKING OPEN THE WORD** – Mondays from 7:30 p.m. to 8:45 p.m. in the Church.
- KARATE** – Mondays and Wednesdays from 7:00 p.m. until 8:30 pm in the Hall.
- RCIA** – Every Thursdays from 7:30 – 8:30 pm in the Basement.
- TAI CHI** – Fridays from 7:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. in the Hall.
- LIBRARY & RESOURCE CENTRE** - You may return books to the Parish office while the Library is under renovation.



We keep in our prayers the sick, elderly, the housebound, the “forgotten members” in our community, and their families and caregivers. Lord, surround them with your healing and steadfast love.

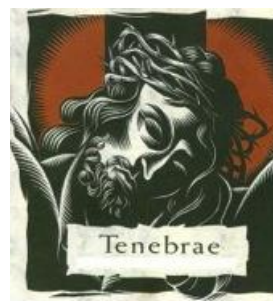
REMEMBERING LOVED ONES

The Bread and Wine that were consecrated this week were donated by an **Anonymous Parishioner** in **Thanksgiving**.



MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Next LENTEN SOUP SUPPER – Wednesdays, March 19th, April 2nd and 9th. Serving will start at 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. in the parish hall. Take a break from cooking and join us for Lenten meal of hearty homemade soups with fresh buns and fruits. **This Wednesday’s host is the Music Ministry.** *A free will donation to support the good works of St. Vincent de Paul Society is appreciated.*



TENEBRAE SERVICE - St. Michael's Choir School Alumni presents the 1st ever Tenebrae Service at St. Rose of Lima Parish, Saturday, April 5th @ 7:30 p.m.. Free Admission. Donations are welcome to help the St. Rose of Lima Parish Building Fund.

“Tenebrae” is the Latin word for darkness. It is a service where we reflect on the Passion of Jesus through a series of readings, psalms, and hymns. Please join us for the first Tenebrae service held right here in the church. I assure you, this will be a remarkable experience you’ll never forget. The gentlemen of the St. Michael’s Choir School Alumni, myself included, will be here to provide musical settings of the readings. I thank Fr. Freddy and Fr. Silvio in advance for giving the alumni the opportunity to introduce this custom

here at this parish in hopes of better preparing ourselves for the mystery of the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ.

Thank you and God Bless,

Joshua Tamayo (SMCS Alumni 2003)

Music Director/Organist, St. Rose of Lima Music Ministry

News and Other Events in and around the Archdiocese of Toronto

Catholic Chapter House Event, 50 Gervais Drive, Toronto (Don Mills & Eglinton), Saturday, April 12th - Join hundreds of Catholics to be renewed and inspired to live your faith to the fullest! The theme of the event is "Put on the Armour of God – Understanding & Defending the Faith Event". The topics of the day: Ephesians 6, learning & defending our faith, and how we can live out our faith in today's culture. The event features 3 talks by Steubenville & Lighthouse Catholic Media speaker, Steve Ray. And 1 talk given by Allan Smith, of the Fulton Sheen Mission Society.

All info and to order tickets :
<http://www.catholicchapterhouse.com/armourofgod>,
info@catholicchapterhouse.com or 1-888-522-2070.



The **SCRUTINIES FOR RCIA**. Last Sunday, March 9th, those enrolled in our Parish RCIA Program were presented to Bishop Vincent Nguyen for the Rite of Election, and, are now called "Elect". Let us continue to pray for our Elects in these days of anticipation, that they may be found worthy, beautiful witnesses to the Truth that is the Catholic Church.

ShareLife Working wonders
in our community...

Andrew attended counselling at Catholic Family Services in Simcoe at the suggestion of his employer. He was experiencing a considerable amount of conflict at work which was affecting his job performance. Andrew realized that if he didn't get some help, he was at risk of losing his job. Through counselling, he

learned more positive ways of interacting as well as some healthy stress management skills. Today, Andrew has fewer conflicts at work and has learned how to separate his work and home life. He appreciated the help that the Catholic Family Services provided to him when he needed it most. Last year, ShareLife-supported Family Service agencies provided family counselling to over 5,100 people in the Greater Toronto Area. **First ShareLife Sunday – March 30, 2014**

Our Parish Goal is \$92,000

Please give generously. You can work wonders!

THE YOUTH CORNER

- **Young Adult Group Meets** on Monday, March 17th @ 8-10 p.m. in the basement.-If you are of age 19-39, join us in the Lenten discussion about "Jesus vs. Devil and the Mystery of Evil". Social to follow.

- **Movie Night** Sponsored by YAG - All parishioners are invited on Sunday, March 30th from 6:30-9:00 p.m. in the basement hall. Following the YAG discussion "Jesus vs. Devil, the Mystery of the Evil," YAG will present the movie "The Exorcism of Emily Rose", the movie is based on true events that took place in Germany in 1976 involving the young Anneliese Michel (in the movie Emily Rose). Please note that the official rating of the movie is PG13 but Catholic NS of USCCB-Office for Film & Broadcasting classification of the movie is A-III-Adults, some material may be inappropriate for teens and young adults under 18.



Dear Parishioners of St. Rose of Lima,
From the beginning of 2014, we were announcing to you our plans to start a new ministry for our teen-parishioners, "The Edge", asking for your support and prayers. Now the time has come, and our pastoral team invites you to come and to attend the Solemn Vigil Mass, Tuesday, March 18th @ 7 pm on the eve of the Feast of St. Joseph-Principal Patron Saint of Canada and Patron Saint of Family Life. Our Families and especially our youth need the protection of St. Joseph in their lives. The Mass will be animated by our youth and the Youth Choir.

Immediately after the mass, the Edge Core Team invites all parents who have their children in grades 6, 7 and 8 to attend EDGE Parent Information and Registration Meeting in the parish hall with a little social gathering.
May God bless you and please continue to pray for our youth.