



Mass Intentions

MONDAY, March 3rd – SUNDAY, March 9th

MON, Mar 3rd	7:30 a.m.	†Dominador & Adelaida Lapar
TUE, Mar 4th	7:30 a.m.	†Florence Todd
WED, Mar 5th	7:00 p.m.	<i>No Intentions</i>
THURS, Mar 6th	7:30 a.m.	†Victor A. Ricafrente
FRI, Mar 7th	7:00 p.m.	†Augusto M. Racelis
SAT, Mar 8th	8:30 a.m.	†Antonina Jimenez / †Marjeta Zidar
	5:00 p.m.	† Tomas Andres
SUN, Mar 9th	7:30 a.m.	Parishioners of St. Rose of Lima
	9:00 a.m.	In thanksgiving
	10:45 a.m.	†Junie Cawley
	12:30 p.m.	†Rocco Ciccarrelli
	4:30 p.m.	Mass in Vietnamese

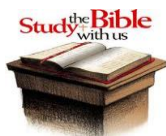


We keep in our prayers the sick, elderly, the housebound, the “forgotten members” in our community, and their families and caregivers. Lord, surround them with your healing and steadfast love.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

ARCHDIOCESE FORMATION PROGRAMME AT St. Rose of Lima “Knowing God Better” – remaining 2 Tuesday evenings, **March 4th & 11th, 7 p.m. – 9 p.m. in the Hall (basement) and Church respectively;** Facilitated by *James Dunn*. *We look forward to your participation. Bring along your family and friends!*

Breaking Open The Word Bible Study - "Samuel to Solomon" – March 3rd Session will be facilitated by Fr. Dominic Borg, OCD. Topic is: *1 Samuel 5-6: The capture and return of the Ark* *We look forward to welcoming you. Bring along your family and friends!*



March 5th - ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICES
@ 7:30 am & 7:00 pm, St. Rose of Lima Church

Distribution of Ashes at Parish Schools will also be held on this day (March 5th)

9:30 a.m. – St. Rose of Lima Catholic School in the Church

11 a.m. – St. Richard Catholic School in the School Gym

1 p.m. – St. Barbara Catholic School in the School

2 p.m. – St. Victor Catholic School in the School

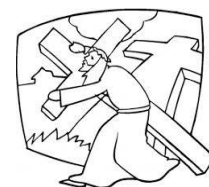
Remember, Ash Wednesday is a universal day of fasting and abstinence from meat.

LENTEN SOUP SUPPER - March 12th, 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. Hosts for the Wednesday Nights:

- March 12th - the Event Planners
- March 19th - the Music Ministry
- April 2nd - the Eucharistic Ministry
- April 9th - the Knights of Columbus.

A free will donation to support the good works of St. Vincent de Paul Society is appreciated.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS Every Friday evening starting March 7th at 6:30 pm followed by the 7 pm Mass during Lent



MASS FOR SENIOR PARISHIONERS

“Mary’s Golden Rose Mass of Hope”

Wednesday, March 12th at 9:30 a.m. Social to Follow.

“REDISCOVER” -- YOUTH PRAISE AND WORSHIP

by the Youth Group – all youth, young adults, confirmation candidates are invited to come, Saturday, March 15th from 6:30pm – 10 pm. Snacks will be provided.

BUNDLE UP for the Society of St. Vincent de Paul – Collection for Clothing is scheduled on March 15 & 16th, after all Masses. *Please note: No Mattresses or Appliances accepted.*



Daylight Savings Time Starts Soon - Clocks move forward one hour on Sunday, March 9th

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.

3-DAY PARISH LENTEN RETREAT by Fr. Ben St. Croix, CC, March 24, 25 and 26 in the Church, from 7:00 – 9:00 P.M., St. Rose of Lima.

To the Parishioners of St. Rose of Lima Parish,

I am looking forward to our upcoming time of mission and encountering Our Lord in a deeper way. Jesus invites us to open our hearts, so we can be set on fire and share this good news of His Love with others. Let's keep each other in prayer and ask the Holy Spirit to prepare our hearts to receive all He has to give us this Lent.

Blessings, Fr. Ben St. Croix, CC



LEGION OF MARY ACIES

Consecration of Legionaries to our Blessed Lady, Saturday, March 22nd at 2 pm, St. Lawrence the Martyr Parish, 2210 Lawrence Ave East (Lawrence & Kennedy)

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER is observed annually on the first Friday in March. It is an invitation for Christians to pause and pray together ecumenically. This year's celebration will be held on March 7th (Friday) at 2 pm at the St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, 115 St. Andrews Rd., Toronto, ON. *We encourage you to come and join our Christian brothers in this service.*

News and Other Events in and around the Archdiocese of Toronto

- **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend.** Upcoming Weekend Date: March 21-23, 2014. Married couples: You deserve a weekend to cherish being together; to rediscover each other and focus on ways to make your relationship even better. A Worldwide

Marriage Encounter Weekend offers this opportunity. Consider giving each other or another couple that you know the gift of a weekend away from daily pressures; time to be with each other and with God on a Marriage Encounter Weekend.

See www.wwme.org For further information or registration please contact: Cora & Mike Bryce (905-896-2958) or cora-mikebryce@sympatico.ca

- **Annual Mass in honor of St. Patrick**, Monday, March 17th, 10 a.m., St. Michael's Cathedral, 65 Bond St. to be celebrated by H.E. Thomas Cardinal Collins

THE YOUTH CORNER

- Young Adult Group is inviting all young adults (19-39 years of age), to join us to a **Cinema/Theatre Evening** with the movie "Son of God" on Monday, March 3rd. Assembly time at 6:30 p.m. in the church basement; Departure time 6:45 p.m.; Returning to the parish around 10 pm. All interested, please contact Fr. Silvio for the ticket reservation and other details. *Come and join us, let us prepare for lent with the powerful movie of Jesus' life.*

- 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.



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 evening 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.