

SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST



May 19th, 2024

THIS WEEKEND

Saturday May 18th

4 pm Pro Populo

Sunday May 19th

9 am ** Speedy Recovery of Brock MacDonald

11 1m + Helena Podoba



The ancient Pentecost commemoration of the revelation of God (through the giving of the Torah and the making of the covenant) was now celebrated by the early Christians as the revelation of God through the outpouring of the Spirit (**First Reading**).

In the **Gospel**, St John returns us to Jesus's words of farewell to his disciples. The 'Spirit of truth' is promised to us as it was to them. So today, we can say, this is *our* season in the Spirit.

The **Second Reading** shows St Paul's condemnation of self-indulgence amongst those belonging to the Church at Galatia. He tells them that only the consolations of the Spirit – 'love, joy, peace ... gentleness and self-control' – can unite their hearts to the freedom of the Gospel.

We can ask for the help of this same Spirit in the words of the **Psalmist**: 'Lord, send

out your Spirit and renew the face of the earth'.

As we are called to witness to the fire of God (by bringing the light of the Son and the heat of the Spirit to all we meet), let's pray this line of St Paul every day this coming week:

'Since the Spirit is my life, let me be directed by the Spirit.'

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FIVE NEW PRIESTS ORDAINED



NEWS
Five Men Ordained to the Priesthood for the Archdiocese of Toronto
Rev. Marko Basic, Rev. Daniel Lee, Rev. Ryan Nighl, Rev. Szymon Sorbian and Rev. Jeremy Zou received the Sacrament of Holy Orders during the Mass of Ordination that took place at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica on Saturday, May 11, 2024.

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WORKING WONDERS IN OUR COMMUNITY. . .



ShareLife Agencies provide competent, faith informed care

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ShareLife Running Total

\$ 2,195.00

3rd & Final Collection for 2024

will be on the weekend of

June 1st & 2nd at all Masses

MAY IS THE MONTH OF OUR LADY

During the month of May ~ our Lady asks that we pray the Rosary, especially during this month. There are rosaries at the back of the church, should you need one.

PARISH COMMUNITY

SACRAMENTS



First Holy Communion: Next class is THIS Sunday May 19th after the 11:00 am Mass.



Confirmation: Mass is Saturday May 25th @ 4:00pm. Please keep our 10 students and their families in your prayers.

LADIES OF THE PARISH

The Ladies next meeting will be on Monday May 20th @ 2:00 pm in the hall.

ALPHA CLASS

The next ALPHA scripture class will be on Thursday May 23rd @ 6:30 pm in the hall.

BUTTERFLY MEMORIAL SERVICE

The 14th annual Service and Butterfly Release is scheduled for **Sunday June 23rd, 2024. Service starts at 2 pm** at the Beaverton Curling Club. This service and LIVE butterfly release is to celebrate the lives of those who have departed this life. Call (705) 432-3322 to **RSVP and order your butterflies by Friday June 10th. Butterflies are \$5.00 each.**

REQUESTING A MASS INTENTION

Often, people request a Mass for a specific intention. They may be for deceased family members and friends, or for special intentions for the living, such as a wedding anniversary or birthday. These special Mass

intentions are offered to God as prayers of intercession and thanksgiving. Fr. Oswin asks that you submit your requests at least 2~3 weeks before the date you are requesting. Please place the stipend (\$) in a Mass Intention envelope along with the completed form in the offertory basket. Forms are available at the back of the churches.

MASS INTENTIONS

** living or + deceased.

May	Time	Mass for
Tuesday 21 st	6:00 pm	+ Rosauro Canantigue
Wed. 22 nd	6:00 pm	+ Friends & + Relatives
Thursday 23 rd	9:15 am	+ Felipe Gorospe
Friday 24 th	9:15 am	** Good health of the Maier Family
Saturday 25 th	4:00 pm	Pro Populo
Sunday 26 th	9:00 am	* Special Intention
	11:00 am	+ Joyce E. Pereira

PRAYERS REQUESTED FOR THOSE IN NEED OF HEALING

Jean Adams, Colleen Andrews, Celia & Raymundo Babao, Janice Barry, Colette Bryson, Irene Cantwell, Lourdes Cruz, Chico Evangelista, Sr. Esmeralda Garing, Barry Giblin, Donna Giblin, John Kearsley, Brock MacDonald, Vanessa Pimentel, Lucy Reyes, Ralph Slaney, Rosemary Thompros, Marie Vandenberg & all the sick of the parish.

DONATIONS TO YOUR PARISH

Building Fund	\$ 160.00
Papal Charities	100.00
Envelopes & Loose	1,438.00