



# Epiphany of Our Lord Parish

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## APRIL 18, 2021 - 3<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER

The provincial "Stay-At-Home" announcement effective April 8, 2021 **does not** change current restrictions for places of worship. Our Parish remains open for Masses on a first come first served basis and private prayers but restricted to 100 people inside the church at a time. Physical distancing and wearing of face masks must continue to be observed at all times. Thank you for your cooperation.

### ShareLife

This weekend is ShareLife Sunday!

"Vulnerable members of our community are relying on you and me to ensure ongoing access to the care they so desperately need. This is why it's crucial we meet our parish campaign goal of \$13.8 million. Our goal can be met, but only if we each do our part."

– Cardinal Thomas Collins

Our Parish goal is \$61,700.00. Today is ShareLife Sunday. Please give generously.

**Questo week-end è la domenica ShareLife!**

*"I membri vulnerabili della nostra comunità contano su di te e su di me per continuare ad avere accesso alle cure di cui hanno così disperatamente bisogno. Ecco perché è fondamentale raggiungere l'obiettivo della campagna parrocchiale di 13,8 milioni di dollari. Il nostro obiettivo può essere raggiunto, ma solo se ognuno di noi fa la sua parte." – Cardinale Thomas Collins*

L'obiettivo della nostra parrocchia è \$61,700.00. Oggi è la domenica ShareLife. Per favore, dona con generosità.

### Confessions / Confessioni



**Saturdays**

4:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**All Other Days**

Please call or email the office for appointment.

### Monthly Food Drive, April 15 to 30

**DONATE  
FOOD  
HERE**



We thank the many families who each month make it a practice of bringing non-perishable food as donations for the less fortunate in our community.

Please leave your donation in the Food Drive basket in the front lobby. Please check the expiry date of the food that you will donate.

*Grazie a tutte le famiglie che ogni mese usano portare cibi a lunga scadenza per i poveri della comunità. Vi preghiamo di deporre il vostro contributo nel cestino che troverete nell'atrio della chiesa. Si prega di controllare la scadenza dei cibi in scatola.*

## Oratio Imperata (Obligatory Prayer)

"Merciful and Compassionate Father,  
we come to You in our need  
to seek Your protection against  
the COVID 19 virus that has disturbed  
and even claimed lives.

We ask You now to look upon us with love,  
and by Your healing hand, dispel the fear of  
sickness and death, restore our hope, and  
strengthen our faith.

We pray that You guide the people tasked to  
find cures for this disease,  
and to stem its transmission.

We thank You for the vaccines developed  
made possible by Your guiding hands.  
Bless our efforts to use these vaccines  
to end the pandemic in our country.

We pray for our health workers,  
that they may minister to the sick  
with competence and compassion.

Grant them health in mind and body,  
strength in their commitment,  
protection from the disease.

We pray for those afflicted.

May they be restored to health.

Protect those who care for them.

Grant eternal rest to those who have died.

Give us the grace in these trying times  
to work for the good of all  
and to help those in need.

May our concern and compassion for each  
other see us through this crisis,  
and lead us to conversion and holiness.

Grant all these through our Lord Jesus Christ,  
Your Son who lives and reigns with You,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
God forever and ever. Amen.

We fly to Your protection,  
O Holy Mother of God.

Do not despise our petition in our necessities,  
but deliver us always from all dangers,  
O glorious and blessed Virgin. Amen.

## Eucharistic Adoration

**"Could you not spend one hour  
before Me?" - Matthew 26:40**



- Mondays, after the 8:00 a.m. Mass to 12:00 p.m.
- Tuesdays to Fridays, after the 8:00 a.m. Mass until 6:00 p.m.

## Vocation Seeds



What could convince someone to turn to God? The story that God became human? The story that Jesus cured the sick? The story that Jesus forgave sin? The story that Jesus rose from the dead? Or, perhaps, the story of the witness of your own life! If you have the continuing inclination that God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, call Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997 or email at [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org).

For Parish updates, please visit our **NEW** website at [epiphanyoffourlordsc.archtoronto.org](http://epiphanyoffourlordsc.archtoronto.org) or download MyParish app on your Apple or Smartphones.



## Bible Study Group



**"Your Word is a Lamp to my feet  
and a Light to my Path."  
- Psalm 119:105**

Online Epiphany Bible Study Group is held  
every Monday at 7:00 p.m.  
Please email Craig at  
[robichaudcm@gmail.com](mailto:robichaudcm@gmail.com) to participate.