

# Epiphany of Our Lord Parish

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## APRIL 4, 2021 EASTER SUNDAY

*Wishing You All A Blessed & Happy Easter!*

*From: Fr. Martin, Fr. Ronald, Deacon Val & Parish Staff*

*Auguriamo a tutti una Santa e Felice Pasqua!*

*Da : Padre Martin, Padre Ronald,*

*Diacono Val e da tutto il personale della nostra Parrocchia*



### NOVENA SCHEDULES FOR THE FEAST OF DIVINE MERCY

Day 3: Easter Sunday, April 4, 3 p.m. Day 4: Easter Monday, April 5, 3 p.m.

Day 5 to 9: April 6 to 10, Tuesday to Saturday, 3:00 p.m.

**DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY, APRIL 11, 3:00 P.M.**

**Divine Mercy Chaplet followed by Holy Mass**

**Welcome! New Parishioners!**

**SL ShareLife**



Please email or call the office to register. We encourage you to use our Sunday Offering Envelopes to assist in the needs of the church. **Pre-Authorized Giving** (direct donation debit from your bank) is also available.

- **BAPTISMS:** To register, parents should be registered in the Parish and practice their faith on a regular basis.
- **MARRIAGES:** Couples planning to get married to please email or call the Parish office to schedule a meeting with the priest. At least one party must be practising the Catholic faith on a regular basis. The couple must attend a Marriage Preparation Course which will be discussed in the meeting with the priest.

**Living The Gospel By Sharing Our Blessings.** Our parish's first ShareLife collection will be held in two weeks, on the weekend of April 18<sup>th</sup>. More than 40 Catholic organizations and social service agencies are funded through your generous support. Without our support, the 150,000 people who are helped each year would not receive the hope and healing offered through the important work of these agencies. At Easter we give thanks to Our Lord for the everlasting love He gave us through his life and Resurrection. Thankful for our blessings, in our ShareLife campaign, we are asked to live the Gospel by making our own sacrificial gift to support those in need. Thank you for your generous support of ShareLife.



## Online Course Schedules for 2021 First Holy Communion

**Tuesdays, 7:00 to 8:15 p.m.**

April 6, 13, 20, 27

**May 11: Reconciliation Day & Rehearsal**

**Saturday, May 15**

**First Holy Communion Mass**



## Online Course Schedules for 2021 Confirmation

**Thursdays, 7:00 to 8:15 p.m.**

April 8, 15, 22, 29

**May 20: Reconciliation Day & Rehearsal**

**Saturday, May 22**

**Confirmation Celebration**

## Vocation Seeds



The glorious Feast of the Resurrection of Christ proclaims, forever, that life is greater than death. Jesus commanded us to preach this good news to all peoples in all places at all times. If you feel God is calling you to minister in His Church as a priest, religious or deacon, call Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

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

## Stewardship Reflection



These past forty days we've been preparing for this great feast where we will be met with the risen Christ yet how often do we fail to recognize Him in our daily lives? St. Teresa of Calcutta believes that we encounter Jesus through our neighbour as she says “I see Jesus in every human being. I say to myself, this is hungry Jesus, I must feed him.” This Easter, let us rejoice in Jesus' resurrection and seek to find and serve Him in our neighbour by being good stewards.

## Stewardship Prayer

Loving God, I come to you in thanksgiving, knowing that all I am and all that I have is a gift from you.

In faith and love, help me to do your will. I am listening, Lord God. Speak your words into the depth of my soul, that I may hear you clearly. I offer to you this day all the facets of my life, Whether it be at home, at work, or at school - to be patient, to be merciful, to be generous, to be holy.

Give me the wisdom and insight to understand your will for me and the fervour to fulfill my good intentions.

I offer my gifts of time, talent and possessions to you as a true act of faith, to reflect my love for you and my neighbour. Help me to reach out to others as you, my God, have reached out to me. Amen.

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