

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

FROM: YOUCAT
Youth Catechism of the Catholic Church

The Seven Sacraments of the Church

The Sacraments of Healing

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

244. How is the Anointing of the Sick administered?

The essential ritual by which the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is administered consists of an anointing of the forehead and hands with holy oil, accompanied by prayers. [1517 -1519, 1531]

245. How does the Anointing of the Sick work?

The Anointing of the Sick imparts consolation, peace, and strength and unites the sick person, in his precarious situation and his sufferings, with Christ in a profound way. For the Lord experienced our fears and bore our pains in his body. For many people the Anointing of the Sick brings about physical healing. But if God should decide to call someone home to himself, he gives him in the Anointing of the Sick the strength for all the physical and spiritual battles on his final journey. In any case, the Anointing of the Sick has the effect of forgiving sins. [1520 - 1523, 1532]

Many sick people are afraid of this Sacrament and put it off until the last minute because they think it is a sort of death sentence. But the opposite is true: the Anointing of the Sick is a sort of life insurance. A Christian who is caring for a sick person should relieve him of any false fear. Most people in serious danger sense intuitively that nothing is more important for them at the moment than to embrace immediately and unconditionally the One who overcome death and is life itself: Jesus, the Savior.

246. Who can administer the Anointing of the Sick?

Administering the Anointing of the Sick is reserved to bishop and priests, for it is Christ who acts through them by virtue of their ordination. [1516, 1530]

247. What is meant by “Viaticum”?

Viaticum means the Last Holy Communion that a person receives before dying. [1524 - 1525]

Rarely is Communion so vitally necessary as in the moment when a person sets out on the path that completes his earthly life: In the future he will have only as much life as he has in union (= communion) with God.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
on Fridays starting with Mass at 9:30 am and
concluded with Benediction and Mass at 7:30 pm.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday March 29:

5:00 pm +Antoinette & France
+Beverly Ngan
+Francis & Carlina
+Felix & Seema Arukattie
+Juan & Perpetua Caparanga
Deceased Members of Patterson & Nugara Families
Deceased Members of Acheron & Vasquez Families
25th Wedding Anniversary of Charles and
Matilda Serrao

Sunday March 30:

9:00 am +Ellen Loo
10:30 am +Giovanni Colosimo
12:00 pm Pro - Populo

Monday March 31:

9:00 am Special Intention of Lam Family

Tuesday April 1:

9:00 am Intention of Teodoro Mabbayad

Wednesday April 2:

7:30 pm +Mafaldina D’Souza

Thursday April 3:

9:00 am +John Baptiste & Rudolf D’Silva

Friday April 4:

9:30 am Celebrant’s Intention

7:30 pm Intention of Jacquie Georges

Saturday April 5:

9:00 am Celebrant’s Intention

“VOCATION SEEDS”

“We must work the works of Him who sent me while it is day.” Are you being called to a life as an ordained or a consecrated person? If God is calling you,

contact Fr. Hansoo Park 416 968 0997
email: vocations@vocations.ca
www.vocationstoronto.ca

The path of the righteous is like the first gleam of dawn, shining ever brighter till the full light of day.
Proverbs 4:18

MARCH 30, 2014

Income Tax Receipts for the year 2013

are available for pick - up in the gift shop after all Masses.

DAY OF COFESSIONS

Wednesday April 9, 2014

“So often, our own sins and failings seem to be an obstacle in encountering the love of our Lord, preventing us from taking the steps towards authentic and renewed conversion. Yet Jesus came not to call the righteous, but sinners. He is the Good Shepherd who seeks out the lost, physician who comes to heal the sick. And one of his first acts after the Resurrection was to entrust to the Church the power to forgive sins in his name. Thus, in order to undergo an authentic and renewed conversion, and to encounter the Love of God, a focus on the Sacrament of Reconciliation - this most powerful encounter with divine mercy - is essential.”

- Thomas Cardinal Collins. On Wednesday, April 9, 2014, we will be having a Day of Confessions throughout the Archdiocese.

**Confessions at our parish will be available at:
10:00am - 12:00pm and 3:00pm -7:00pm**

Our Grade 2 pupils from both schools will have their **First Confession** on Wednesday April 2, 2014 at 9:30 am in St. Aidan Church.

MISSION 2014 - The Gift of Forgiveness

Part 1: Monday, April 14, 2014 at 6:00 pm
repeated at 10:00 pm EDT

Part 2: Tuesday, April 15, 2014 at 6:00 pm
repeated at 10:00 pm EDT

On Vision TV

The National Catholic Broadcasting Council
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Lord, help me to make time today to serve you in those who are most in need of encouragement or assistance - St. Vincent de Paul

If you are aware of a neighbour in our parish who is in urgent need of assistance, please feel free to call the number above and leave a message. We will be more than happy to help.

During this Lenten journey, let us ask our Loving Father, the grace and energy to go beyond and be an instrument of His Mercy to those who need us most.

SHARELIFE

Working wonders in our community

“You don’t have to look to see the wonders being worked by ShareLife.... In the pews of your parish, in the homes, on your streets, in your neighbourhood.” ShareLife agencies provide competent, faith-informed care to those who turn to them for help, regardless of their beliefs or background. Last year, over 354,000 services were provided to over 96,000 people in our Archdiocese in more than 20 languages, receiving the compassion, care and respect they rightly deserve. In addition, countless others were assisted through outreach programs around the world.

— Thomas Cardinal Collins, Archbishop of Toronto

Today is ShareLife Sunday

Please give generously. You can work wonders!

NATIONAL VOLUNTEER WEEK

April 6 - 12, 2014

Archdiocese of Toronto

30,000 Volunteers serving across 225 Parishes
Celebrating commitment to Faith, Hope and Charity
Can’t imagine us without YOU.....

Thank You!

Support for Recently Separated or Divorced Catholics Catholic Family Services of Toronto

is offering a 10 week group program for adult men and women coping with the many struggles involved in the process of separation and divorce. Group participants will receive support and guidance as they move through this difficult period of transition. The group will run on Tuesday evenings from 6:30 to 8:30 beginning April 15th to June 17th at our Central Office, 1155 Yonge Street (Summerhill Subway Station).

For further information, please contact Ian Singer at 416-921-1163

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

2014 Annual Charities Raffle

Tickets: \$5.00 each

Prizes: 10 Cash Prizes (including one \$250,000 prize)

999 Prizes consisting of electronics and pre-paid

Credit cards

Draw Date: May 31, 2014 at 10:00 am

The Holiday Inn - Toronto International Airport
970 Dixon Road, Toronto, Ontario

Tickets will be available in the foyer after all weekend Masses.