

EASTER SUNDAY

FROM: YOUCAT Youth Catechism of the Catholic Church

The Ten Commandments

355. "You shall not have strange God before me." What does that mean?

This commandment forbids us:

- to adore other gods and pagan deities or to worship an earthly idol or to devote oneself entirely to some earthly good (money, influence, success, beauty, youth, and so on)
- to be superstitious, which means to adhere to esoteric, magic, or occult or New Age practices or to get involved with fortune telling or spiritualism, instead of believing in God's power, providence, and BLESSINGS
- to provoke God by word or deed
- to commit a SACRILEGE
- to acquire spiritual power through corruption and to desecrate what is holy through trafficking (simony). [2110-2128, 2138-2140]

**Jesus Christ is Risen Today
Alleluia, Alleluia!**

**Wishing you all, the parishioners
A Blessed and Joyous Easter!**

Fr. Joseph Sultana, Deacon Patrick Chang & Staff

'VOCATION SEEDS'

The glorious Feast of the Resurrection of Christ proclaims, forever, that life is greater than death. Jesus command 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. Chris Lemieux ,Vocation Director
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APOSTOLATE OF PRAYERS

Intentions for April

Universal: Creation - That people may learn to respect creation and care for it is a gift of God.

Evangelization: Persecuted Christians - That persecuted Christians may feel the consoling presence of the Risen Lord and the solidarity of all the Church.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday April 4:

8:00 pm Celebrant's Intention

Sunday April 5:

9:00 am Celebrant's Intention

10:30 am Celebrant's Intention

12:00 pm Pro - Populo

Monday April 6:

9:00 am +Wilfredo Ylagan

Tuesday April 7:

9:00 am +Manuel & Felisa Tan

Wednesday April 8:

7:30 pm +Fr. Joseph Fenech

Thursday April 9:

9:00 am +Ramon Fulo

Friday April 10:

9:30 am Celebrant's Intention

7:30 pm +Sebastiao Braganca

Saturday April 11:

9:00 am Celebrant's Intention

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

PLEASE PRAY

for the students who will make their Confirmation on Thursday, April 30, 2015 at 7:00 pm

AND

for pupils of Grade 2 who will be receiving their First Holy Communion on Sunday May 3, 2015 at 4:30 pm.

**2014 INCOME TAX RECEIPTS
are available in the gift shop after all
weekend Masses**

April 5, 2015

SHARELIFE

Working wonders for those entering the priesthood

Men who have responded to God's call to dedicate their lives to His service come from all walks of life. Those who enter the priesthood come from different ages and backgrounds, economic situations, skill set, and ethnic communities. At ShareLife-funded agencies such as Serra House, Redemptoris Mater, and St. Augustine's Seminary, they undergo extensive theological education and practical field training. Through ShareLife, you are helping sustain the vocations for priesthood and inspire discernment for God's call. Last year ShareLife helped support 80 priests and seminarians in their formation studies.

Our Paris Goal: \$43,000.00

Our Donation to Date: \$10,500.00

Next Sunday is ShareLife Sunday - April 12, 2015

Please give generously. You can work wonders!

RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION

At the time of Holy Communion, when the person in front of you has received Holy Communion and you are in the front of the procession, you will bow your head, the Minister of Holy Communion will say "**The Body of Christ**", you will reply Amen. **It is important to note that the only appropriate response is Amen.** The Church expects that Amen is said in a voice that can be heard by the Minister of Holy Communion. After saying Amen, you will consume the Sacred Host immediately. The Canadian Bishops have instructed that our common sign of reverence be a bow of the head.

First Holy Communion classes will resume next Saturday April 11, 2015 after the 5:00 pm Mass in the parish hall.

DIVINE MERCY NOVENA SERVICE

began on Good Friday following the Stations of the Cross. Schedules for the other days is put up in the foyer. The Feast Day Mass will be at the 12:00 noon next Sunday April 12, 2015 followed by singing of the Chaplet and Benediction. Please join us for the Novena Prayers as well as the Feast Day celebration in the hall.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

2015 ANNUAL CHARITIES RAFFLES

Tickets will be available next weekend April 11/12 after all Masses for \$5.00 each.

Draw Date: July 16, 2015 International Plaza Hotel

Recipients: Arthritic Society Ontario Division and Special Olympic Ontario

WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT

CONFIRMATION

for Students of Grade Seven and Eight

In the Code of Canon Law (c.891) Confirmation is to be administered at the age of discretion, unless the Bishops' Conference has decided on a different age. Accordingly, the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops have decreed that in the Latin rite the sacrament of Confirmation shall be conferred at the age determined in the approved catechetical programme, that is, it is a diocesan decision. The approved catechetical programme for the Archdiocese of Toronto is the Sacramental Preparation in the Archdiocese of Toronto that states the normal time for Confirmation is between 12 and 15 years of age. The expressed interpretation by previous Archbishops has been to regard Grade 8 as the normal time for Confirmation.

Now, as a result of the consultation, I have decided for the Archdiocese of Toronto to change the elementary school Grade for the candidates for Confirmation from 8 to 7. This will take effect September 8, 2015 in terms of the sacramental preparation.

Yours sincerely in our Lord,

Cardinal Thomas Collins
Archbishop of Toronto

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"Rejoice in the Lord always, I shall say it again: Rejoice (Philippians 4.4)." We can experience the fullness of this joy when we meet and see the face of the Lord in the poor and the most needy.

Standing in the light of the risen Lord, let us rededicate ourselves in helping our neighbour-in-need.

The POOR BOX collection for March was \$1,618.55.

Thank you for your generous help.

We wish you a Blessed and Joyous Easter!

ST. AUGUSTINE'S LAY SPIRITUAL FORMATION PROGRAM Presents

Catholic Social Teaching by Rev. Tom Lynch

Saturday April 11, 2015 , 9:30 am—2:30 pm

Cost: \$40.00 including lunch

Please register by E-Mailing: ioftsas@rogers.com or by Calling: 416- 261- 7207 ext. 235

For more details, please refer to the flyer on the bulletin board in the foyer.