



Caster Sunday

Mass Readings & intentions

Sun., Apr 1 Mk 11.1-10~Is 50.4-7~Phil 2.6-11~Mk 14.1-15.47 Easter Sunday

7:30am	Sister Doris Martin	deceased
9:00am	Carol Israel	deceased
11:00am	For our parishioners and their fa	milies
Mon, April 2 Acts 2.14,22-33 ~ Mt 28.8-15		
Tues., April 3 Acts 2.36-41 ~ Jn 20.11-18		
7:30 pm	Dominic DeVita, Ljuba Condic, Costodia Natale	deceased

Wed., April 4 Acts 3.1-10 ~ Lk 24.13-35

9:00 am Rosalia & Nicodemo Ierfino deceased

Thur., April 5 Acts 3.11-26 ~ Lk 24.35-48

9:00 am Sister Doris Martin deceased

Fri., April 6 Acts 4.1-12 ~ Jn 21.1-14

9:00 am Gail Grundle

deceased

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Sat., April 7 Acts 4.13-21 ~ Mk 16.9-15

5:00 pm Souls in Purgatory, Case & Nellie Bontje, Frank & Stella Orcys, Gord & Helene Wright deceased

Sun., Apr 8 Acts 4.32-35 ~ 1 Jn 5.1-6 ~ Jn 20.19-31

9:00am Manuel De Melo

11:00am For our parishioners and their families Please pray for the sick

and those whose names are recorded in our Parish book And for the repose of the souls of those who have died; may the souls in Purgatory, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

Easter Season

Easter is the most important of feast in the Christian calendar. During this time Christians celebrate the resurrection of Christ. It is a movable feast and may be as early as March 22 and as late as April 25. In 2018, we celebrate Easter on April 1st.

What is Easter Sunday and how does it differ from the Easter Season?

Easter Sunday is the day when Catholics celebrate Christ's resurrection from the dead. The Easter Season totals 50 days - Easter Sunday to Pentecost Sunday. The Easter Season is a time for reflection on and deepening of our awareness of the mysteries prepared for in Lent and celebrated at the Triduum.

What is Pentecost?

Pentecost is celebrated 50 days after Easter Sunday. It is the Christian feast commemorating the outpouring of the Holy Spirit on the apostles, which marked the start of the church's mission on earth.

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DEVOTION TO THE MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD **OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST**

3 HOUR ADORATION EVERY THURSDAY NIGHT from 10:00 pm to 1:00 am. Come and console Jesus even for an hour or two. For more information please contact Precious Blood Apostolate: Sharon Dias at 647-919-0695

PROVIDE-A-MEAL VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

For the past twenty-eight years, members of St. Gregory's Parish have prepared shepherd's pie casseroles monthly to be served at the Good Shepherd Refuge. If you are interested in joining this ministry, please call Anne and Bob Shiley at (416) 232-1775.



From Fr. Sean, staff and volunteers

First Tuesday

<u>April 3rd</u> Exposition – 6:30pm to 7:15pm – Benediction 7:30pm – Mass – multiple intentions *FIRST Friday*

<u>April 6th</u> Holy Hour – 8:00am -8:55am Mass – 9:00am

Easter Flowers

To all who offered donations towards flowers for the sanctuary, thank you. To all who helped in the various ministries during this most Holy time of our faith, thank you.

And a special thank you to those who shared their decorating talents.

My sincere appreciation to one and all.

My sincere thanks to those who support our weekly bulletin in advertising on the back cover. Please mention where you saw the advertising when using their services. Hence community sharing.

Alpha @ St. Gregory's Parish

Alpha is a series of interactive sessions exploring the Christian faith. Each session looks at a different question and is designed to create conversation. There's no pressure, and no charge; it's just an open, informal, and honest space to explore and discuss life's big questions together.

ALPHA is designed to have something for everyone!

The ALPHA evenings begin with a dinner, followed by a video from the beautifully produced **ALPHA** film series and then there is time for small group reflection and conversation about the evening's topic. And to be able to get to know new people from the parish.

Alpha runs on most Thursdays evenings at 6:30pm.

Next Alpha happens April 5th.



First Communion

Our Community congratulates all those who will be receiving their First Communion on Saturday, April 7, 2018

Free Estate Planning Seminar

Join us for free estate planning seminars to learn more about our Catholic traditions around funeral, burial and cremation plans. We will also provide information about the advantages of pre-arranging funeral and burial plans and how to protect your loves ones with a proper Will. An estate planning kit will be provided at no cost. Light refreshments will be provided.

Please RSVP to 416-733-8544 or info@cc-fs.ca

Assumption Cemetery - Sat. April 14, 2018 at 9:00 AM

Queen of Heaven Cemetery - Sat. April 14, 2018 at 9:00 AM

Christ the King Cemetery - Sat. April 21, 2018 at 9:30 AM

Holy Cross Catholic Funeral Home - Sat. Apr 21, 2018 at 9AM

Living the Gospel by evangelizing our faith in the greater world

Gia Lao Parish resides in the mountainous Diocese of Xuan Loc in Vietnam. Its parishioners, mostly poor, work on the hillside farms. The Pastoral Mission Fund, with the support of ShareLife, provided a one-time grant so the parish could acquire resources it could not otherwise provide. This includes bibles and hymnals, along with training for 60 catechists, who lead marriage preparation and catechism classes. With your support, Gia Lao Church is bringing faith to a community in the greater

world.

April 22 is the next ShareLife Sunday. Please give generously.

ShareLife Collections for 2018



2nd Collection – April 22nd 3rd Collection – May 27th

