

# St. Gregory's Parish

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<b>Weekend Masses</b>	
<b>Saturday:</b>	5:00 p.m.
<b>Sunday:</b>	9:00 and 11:00 a.m.

**Planning to be a Catholic Teacher?**

It is critical for you to know that to be hired to teach in any Catholic school board in Ontario, as part of your application for employment there must be a letter of reference from your pastor. If you (or if your adult child) is planning to apply to teach in a Catholic School, it is highly recommended you contact the pastor one year before letter is written. Please plan to have a conversation with your pastor early in the process and you will avoid disappointment and stress at the time when applications are to be submitted.

**Pastoral Letters of Reference** - Candidate must contact the Pastor one year in advance before a character reference can be issued.

<b>Weekday Masses</b>	
<b>Tuesday:</b>	7:30 p.m.
<b>Wednesday, Thursday, Friday:</b>	9:00 a.m.

<b>Sacrament of Reconciliation</b>	
<b>Tuesdays:</b>	6:00 - 7:15 p.m.
<b>Saturdays:</b>	4:00 - 4:45 p.m. or upon request

**Sacraments**

**Baptisms** - Please call for appointment  
**Marriage** - Couples planning to be married must contact the parish one year in advance. A marriage preparation course is mandatory.

**Adoration Chapel**  
**Every Thursday after Mass until 6pm**  
 Please consider spending some time with our Eucharistic Lord.

**Other Catholic Organizations**

- **Catholic Pastoral Centre**  
website – [archtoronto.org](http://archtoronto.org)
- **Office of Vocations (Serra House)**  
website – [vocationstoronto.ca](http://vocationstoronto.ca)
- **Catholic Cemeteries**  
website – [catholic-cemeteries.com](http://catholic-cemeteries.com)
- **The Vatican**  
website - [www.vatican.va](http://www.vatican.va)

# 4th Sunday of Easter

## *Mass Readings & intentions*

**Sun., May 12** Acts 13.14,43-52 ~ Rev 7.9,14b-17 ~ Jn 10.27-30

**9:00am** For the intentions of all mother in the St. Gregory's Catholic Moms Group

**11:00am** For our parishioners and their families

**Mon., May 13** Acts 11.1-18 ~ Jn 10.1-10  
*Our Lady of Fatima*

**Tues., May 14** Acts 1.15-17, 20-26 ~ Jn. 15.9-17  
*Saint Matthias*

**7:30pm** For a special intention

**Wed., May 15** Acts 12.24 – 13.5a ~ Jn 12.44-50

**9:00 am** Maria, Michael & Nino Bizarri *deceased*

**Thur., May 16** Acts 13.13-25 ~ Jn 13.16-20

**9:00 am** For the intentions of Anna Poroniuk

**Fri., May 17** Acts 13.26-33 ~ Jn 14.1-6

**9:00 am** Amador Ding Raz *deceased*

**Sat., May 18** Acts 13.44-52 ~ Jn 14.7-14  
*Saint John I*

**5:00 pm** Bishop Atila Mikloshazy,  
Maria T. Lepore, Zygmunt Gorzelany,  
Laura Flabbi *deceased*

**Sun., May 19** Acts 14.21b-27~Rv 21.1-5a~Jn13.1, 31-33a, 34-35

**9:00am** For the intentions of the Ordinandi of the Archdiocese of Toronto

**11:00am** For our parishioners and their families

Please pray for the sick especially Nick Ierullo, Father John Bertão, Michael Bertin, Estelle Cowe, and those whose names are recorded in our Parish book of intentions.

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.

## Overnight Camping Retreat For Young Adults

Come experience the beauty of God and nature in the heart of Orillia's Bass Lake Provincial Park

**May 26/27**

If you are interested in joining other young adults (19-35yrs) for an overnight retreat experience, please contact Adam Kozak at St. Gregory's Church by May 17<sup>th</sup>. Tel. 416 239-4831 or email

[stgregorys@rogers.com](mailto:stgregorys@rogers.com).

Cost: \$30.00



The **CWL** is hosting a talk on May 15<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m. in the Church hall on how our community might approach "Caring for our Common Home" through nature- based design. Our speaker, Jane Hayes, is a regenerative community developer and permaculture designer. Learn more about Jane and her work here: <https://www.gardenjane.com/meet-jane/>

A speaker from Good Shepherd Ministries will be coming in on **May 25/26** to speak to us on how our contributions to ShareLife help the Good Shepherd Ministries provide food, shelter, clothing, medical care, housing services, pastoral counselling and pre-and-post addiction treatment services for people struggling with poverty and homelessness.

In its work, Good Shepherd Ministries strives to promote and protect human dignity. Services are offered in a spirit of hospitality, compassion, faith and acceptance.

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**Ordinations into the Priesthood of Jesus Christ in the Archdiocese of Toronto.**



On **Saturday, May 11, 2019**  
Cardinal Collins will ordain

**Rev. Mr. Mauricio Gilo Sanjines Calatayud**  
**Rev. Mr. João Gilberto Veras Ferreira**  
**Rev. Mr. Eduardo de Oliveira Paixão**  
**Rev. Mr. Renan Roberto Costa**  
to the Priesthood of Jesus Christ.

**Please pray for them and for an increase in vocations.**

**Pre-Authorized Giving in our parish**

You can plan your giving to St. Gregory's in advance for the whole year and you can continue to support your parish when you are away on holiday by signing up for Pre-Authorized Giving (P.A.G.) as many have done to date. For more information on this please pick up a leaflet at the back of the church.

THANK YOU

**The Pope's Pastoral Works**

May 25/26, 2019

A disastrous flood or earthquake strikes a nation at the other end of the world. Immediately many countries rush in food, medicine, blankets, money, and trained people. Prominent among such aid is the financial help offered by the Holy Father to people in need. The annual Pope's Pastoral Works collection makes these funds available for distribution. In the name of Catholics everywhere, he displays Christ's love and compassion for those who suffer.

**May 25/26 we will be having a second collection for the Pastoral Works of the Holy Father.**



Society of St. Vincent de Paul

**BUNDLE UP WEEK-END**

The truck will be in the Church parking lot, **Saturday, June 15<sup>th</sup> & Sunday, June 16<sup>th</sup>.**

The Society is accepting the following items: Baby clothes, children's wear, accessories, boots, shoes, bedding, drapes, ladies wear and men's clothing. Please no furniture, appliances, pots & pans or light fixtures.



Have you prayed the Rosary today? Every time you pray the Rosary you place a SPIRITUAL rose at the feet of our Lady. What a beautiful gift for MOM and a meditative way to get to know Her and her Son better.

**Happy Mother's Day.**



St. Gregory's Easter Ceili Dance - A Celebration of Resurrection and Life  
**There is no cost to come to the Ceili.**

Parishioners are encouraged to bring hygiene products: soap, toothpaste, shampoo, toothbrushes, laundry detergent, and deodorant.

**May 25<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm.**

RSVP the office by May 17<sup>th</sup>.



**Volunteer Appreciation Evening**

Come join us, volunteers and family, **Saturday, June 15, 2019 at 6:30pm** to celebrate all the hard work that you have contributed to our Parish.

Please RSVP the office by May 25<sup>th</sup> at 416 2394831.



**ShareLife Collections for 2019**

**3<sup>rd</sup> Collection – June 2<sup>nd</sup>**

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