



JESUITS SPEAK

Prayer is conversation. If we can talk, we can pray. The essential activity of prayer naturally springs from our humanity. It is a matter of conversing with a good friend.

David L. Fleming, SJ



Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network



MARCH

For disarmament and peace

Let us pray that nations move toward effective disarmament, particularly nuclear disarmament, and that world leaders choose the path of dialogue and diplomacy instead of violence.

THE WAY OF THE CROSS



Come and pray the Way of the Cross, in the church, at 7:00 p.m. every Fridays during Lent. Join your fellow parishioners as we meditate on Christ's redemptive suffering and deepen our participation in the Paschal Mystery.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE



OUR LADY OF LOURDES IS OFFERING THE MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE OVER 2 SATURDAYS: **MARCH 7 and 14, 2026 FROM 9AM - 4PM.** FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO REGISTER, PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE AT 416-924-6257.



2025 TAX RECEIPTS ARE AVAILABLE TO PICK UP FROM THE WELCOME DESK IN BERNADETTE HALL AFTER MASS AND PARISH OFFICE DURING THE WEEK.

CAR RAFFLE UPDATE

2025-2026	Week 13	2024-2025
5770	Tickets Distributed	6510
\$14,790	Money Collected	\$18,300

ANNUAL JESUIT PROVINCIAL'S DINNER

The Annual Jesuit Provincial's Dinner will be held on Wednesday, April 29, 2026, at The Bellevue Manor at 8083 Jane St. in Vaughan. There will be a bus available to go to the dinner. For more information and tickets, please call the Office of Advancement on 416-481-9154.

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Every first Friday of the Month**

Spend time with the Lord and Our Lady in quiet prayer **March 6, 2026** between 8:30am and 5pm

Benediction begins at 5pm followed by Mass of the Sacred Heart at 5:15pm.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation every first Friday of the month is from 11am till noon and 4pm till 5pm prior to the respective Masses.



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VOCATION PRAYER

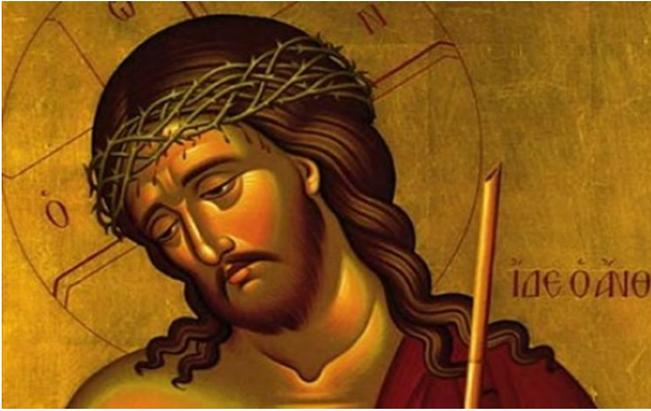
Heavenly Father, St. Paul Miki shed his blood out of love for you and for his brethren in Japan.

Through his intercession, grant us the same steadfast love, so that our lives give credible witness to you, and others may follow the same footsteps.

We ask this through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

PARISH UPCOMING EVENTS

- March 7 & 14* – Marriage Preparation course
- March 14* – Lenten Retreat – Fr. Alan Fogarty, SJ
- March 21* – Lenten Retreat – Fr. Earl Smith, SJ
- March 16* – Communal Penance Service
- May 2* – Car Raffle
- May 16* – Diaconate Ordination
- May 29* – Crowning of Mary
- June 6* – Parish Bazaar
- June 20* – Parish Picnic
- July 31* - Solemnity of St. Ignatius Loyola
- September 12-13* – Parish Ministry Fair



Our Lady of Lourdes Holy Week 2026

STATIONS OF THE CROSS
(FRIDAY MARCH 6, 13, 20, 27) – 7pm

PALM SUNDAY— Sunday, March 29
 Saturday 5:15pm; Sunday: 8am, 9:45am, 11:30am,
 1:30pm, 5pm (English/Tamil), 7pm

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Confession Times:

Communal Penance Service

Monday, March 16 at 7pm

Several Priests will be available to hear individual confessions.

Monday, March 30: 11am-noon; 4-5pm

Wednesday, April 1: 11am-noon; 4-5pm

HOLY THURSDAY— Thursday, April 2

Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:30pm
(Adoration until 12:00am)

GOOD FRIDAY— Friday, April 3

Tamil Way of the Cross 9am

Family/Children's Service 11:00am

The Lord's Passion 3:00pm and 6:00pm

HOLY SATURDAY— Saturday, April 4

Solemn Easter Vigil 8:00 pm

(Followed by Easter Bread Party)

EASTER SUNDAY— Sunday, April 5

8am, 9:45am, 11:30am, 1:30pm,
 5pm English/Tamil) & 7pm

ALTAR OF REPOSE

Good Friday 9am – 3pm & 5pm - 7pm

Holy Saturday 9am – 8pm

Located upstairs in the Library.

PARISH LENTEN RETREATS

Our Lenten Journey of Listening in the Spirit

The Synodal Process:

Our Way Forward as Church

March 14, 2026, at 3pm in the Church

Followed by 5:15pm Mass

Facilitator: Fr. Alan Fogarty, SJ

Jesus: Poor Man for God's Poor

March 21, 2026, at 2pm in the Library

followed by 5:15pm Mass

Facilitator: Fr. Earl Smith, SJ

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER 2026

The Catholic Women's League is inviting everyone to join the World Day of Prayer on Saturday, March 7, 2026, at Rosedale Presbyterian Church, 129 Mount Pleasant Road, Toronto. *(The Church is located in the corner of Mt. Pleasant Road and South Drive)*

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, March 2

12:10pm Healing Mass for Manal [Titing]

5:15pm Alina Kaminska's Birthday [Friend]

Tuesday, March 3

8:00am Arthur Beamon + [Sr. Hazel]

12:10pm Paul Bondy's Birthday [Paul Bondy]

Wednesday, March 4

12:10pm Mario & Francisca Gonzales + [Violy]

5:15pm Kaz J.'s Birthday [Friend]

Thursday, March 5

8:00am Charlene Ogle + [Sr. Hazel]

12:10pm Ilene Alberts + {Angela Langmead}

Friday, March 6

12:10pm Berenice Campayne + [Sr. Hazel]

5:15pm Gertruda Slegchel + [Carina Slegchel]

Saturday, March 7

8:00am Francisco Tan + [Liesel]

12:10pm Romeo & Teresita Porca + [Estela Verdadero]

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED:

John Robert Brady, Lydia Alejo Banaag

Ernesto Comilang, Aurelio De Guzman