

PENITENTIAL DISCIPLINE OF THE CHURCH: These precepts apply: “Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of fast and abstinence.” “Fridays are days of abstinence, but Catholics may substitute special acts of charity or piety on this day.” The obligation stemming from these disciplines is a very serious one. The obligation to do penance comes from the Divine Law itself. However, special penitential days (Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, and all Fridays) are set aside so that Christians can join in a common observance of penance. The Law of abstinence is binding on everyone over the age of fourteen. Thus, on all Fridays we must abstain from meat, or substitute this with a significant act of piety or charity. The Law of fasting (Ash Wednesday and Good Friday) is binding on everyone over eighteen and under sixty. On these two days, in addition to abstaining from meat, we must eat only one full meal, two light meals, and no snacks.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

John Adu, Ken Arthur, Jaime Awa, Sylvia Baco, Don Baker, Aldo Bevacqua, Bill & Kay Blair, Raymond Blais, Andrew Blount, Tomas Bourassa, Robert Breen, Julie Brown, June Buchan, Wendy Buchan, Joe & Megan Buenacruz, Kristi Burgon, Cynthia Caraan, Jules Carrier, Helen Cartier, Michael Carney, Joe & Albina Cavaliere, Leonida Chaplin, Jenny Cheng, Robert & Theresa Cheng, Elysha Chernosky, Hershey Chow, Maria Correia, Jose Correia, Pedro Paulo Freitas Costa, Robert Costa, James Cresswell, Catherine Crocock, Justin Darrah, David Dawson, Rita De Croos, Luigino De Paoli, Jeanie Deagle, Maddalena Demichina, Martino Demichina, David Dixon, Sylvia Dixon, Filipe Duarte, Barbara Duralia, Frank Duralia, Christine Ermita, Anna Fabbro, Arend Fernandez, Claude & Hélène Fournier, Maria Margarida Freitas, Lydia Gareau, Lloyd & Bernice Gerson, Robert Gierico, Victoria Gillespie, William & Doris Girard, Amy Goco, Linda Gorrie, Chung Eun & Jung Soo Han, Anthony Hee, Domingo & Violeta Hernandez, Dawn Horrocks, Kathy Horrocks, Noelle Horrocks, Quinlan Huff, Bogumil Iwan, Travis Jack, Bronwyn Jones, Herta Kemnitz, Caterina Kennedy, Susan Kent, Josephine Kerr, Kevin Kerr, Lisa Kerr, Daniel Kozak, Kimberly Lam, Leslie Larden, Danna Larsen, Fr. Joseph Thoai Le, Paul Levy, Chuk Ming Lo, Erin Mackay, Lia Macri, Phyllis Marchand, Fr. Dunstan Massey OSB, Jamie McCloskey, Tom McCloskey, Bruce McLean, Julie McNeil, Peggy MacDonald, Anne Marie MacFarlane, Shirley Mhur, Marion Milton, Peggy Mrazek, Kwong-Lung Mui, Rosemary Nicholson, Jim O’Brien, Eileen O’Riordan, Anthony Patrick, Terry Phillips, Naomi Piñeda, Luciano Pistrin, Bernadeth Recinto, Eduardo Reyes, Insoon Roh, Ron Rosvold, Manfred Schunck, Winnie Sirec, Fred Sirec, Stephen Smith, Walter Sporer, Stacey Stalhem, Janet Stead, Ted Stewart, Theresa Stobbs, Ian Stockdale, Gen Sykes, Sigi Ullrich, Barbara Waller, Christina Wee, Patrick Welsh, Anne Whittey, Jack Wilcock, Isabel Wodtke, Cindy Woo, Heather Wright, Aida Yopez, Henry Zilkowsky, Lloyd Zimmerman, and all the sick of whom we do not know. Mary, Health of the Sick, pray for us.

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THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT, APRIL 3, 2022

Sunday Mass: Saturday (anticipated) 7:00 p.m.
Sunday – 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 12 noon, 5:00 p.m.

Weekday Mass: Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday – 7:15 a.m.
Tuesday – 7:30 p.m.
School Fridays – 9:00 a.m.
Saturday and Holidays – 9:00 a.m.

Confessions: Saturdays: 8:30 – 8:55 a.m. and following the 9:00 Mass;
4:00 - 4:30 p.m. and following the evening Mass.

Baptisms: By appointment. Held on Sundays at 1:15 p.m.

Marriage: Please contact Monsignor Rossi at least 4 months in advance.

Parish School: Principal: Mrs. Caterina Kennedy
Secretary: Mrs. Jodi De Julius Phone: (604) 526-9768



“Neither do I condemn you. Go your way and from now on do not sin again.”

WEEK AT A GLANCE

April 4 Monday

7:00 a.m. Lauds
7:15 a.m. Mass

April 5 Tuesday

7:10 p.m. Rosary for the Sick
7:30 p.m. Mass
8:00 p.m. Ladies Auxiliary Meeting

April 6 Wednesday

7:00 a.m. Lauds
7:15 a.m. Mass
7:00 p.m. CCD

April 7 Thursday

7:00 a.m. Lauds
7:15 a.m. Mass
7:00 p.m. Choir Practice

April 8 Friday

9:00 a.m. School Mass
7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross
7:30 p.m. Mass

April 9 Saturday

9:00 a.m. Mass
9:30 a.m. Rosary for Vocations

THIRD SCRUTINY

At the 10:00 Mass this Sunday, we have the Third Scrutiny of our catechumens. Please keep them in your prayers as they continue their preparation for Baptism at Easter.

LENTEN DEVOTIONS

This afternoon at 4:00, please join in our Lenten Devotions: Vespers followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Everyone is welcome.

SHARE LENT

The second collection this weekend is for Share Lent, whereby we may offer the fruit of our Lenten sacrifices to the *Canadian Catholic Organization for Development and Peace* to financially support development and aid projects in the Global South. Hence, our Parish Development collection is deferred to the second Sunday in April.

LADIES AUXILIARY MEETING

There will be a meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary on Tuesday evening, April 5th, immediately following the Mass. All ladies of the parish are welcome to attend.

REST IN PEACE

Prayers are requested for the repose of the soul of Maureen Foley's brother-in-law, Maurice Booth, who died on March 28th in the UK; and for Isabella Burtini's sister, Filomena Garritano, who died in Italy this past week.

PENITENTIAL SERVICES

FOR LENT

The schedule of Lenten Penitential Services in our Deanery is available in the vestibule of the church. Our own penitential service here at Saint Michael's will be next Sunday, April 10th, at 7 p.m. with ten priests available to hear confessions. On the schedule you will also find additional confession times offered at Saint Michael's, the schedule of altar servers' practices and the Easter liturgies. Please take a copy home with you for future reference.

AUCTION DATE CHANGE

Saint Michael's Auction will be live on April 19th and close on April 30th. The auction will be completely on-line this year, through the 32auctions.com website. If you don't already have an account with 32auctions.com, create one soon so that you'll be ready when the Auction goes live on the 19th. Please check out the Saint Michael's Auction Facebook page in the coming days as they post a sneak-peek of some of the fantastic items being offered for auction this year.

www.facebook.com/stmichaelsauction/



PARISH DIRECTORY

Parish Office:

Tuesday – Saturday: 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Catechism:

September - May: Wednesday evening at 7:00
Contact: Claudia DeSimone (604) 522-2186
claudia.desimone@stmichaelschool.ca

Adult Catechism:

September - May: Thursday evening at 7:00
in the Parish Centre.

Choir:

September - June: Thursday evening at 7:00
Contact: Tyler Mitchell (604) 671-7453

Knights of Columbus:

2nd Tuesday of the month, after evening Mass.
Contact: John Cabana (604) 294-4222, or
Enrico Garrone (604) 540-8760
Website: <http://www.kofc9246.org/>

Ladies Auxiliary:

1st Tuesday of the month, beginning with
Rosary in the church at 7:10 p.m.
Contact: Rosalyn Ogilvie (604) 420-6279

Youth Group:

1st Sunday of the month, 7:00 p.m. in the gym
3rd Saturday of the month, 7:00 p.m. Mass and
social. Contact: Ryan
email: st.mikes_youthgroup@hotmail.com