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MASS TIMES

Guardian Angels

Weekdays 12:10pm
Saturday 9am
Saturday Vigil 5pm
Sunday 9 & 11am



St. Andrews
Sunday 9:30am



Sacred Heart
Sunday 8am

St. Francis

Sunday 9:30am

St. Columbkille
Saturday Vigil 7pm
Sunday 11am

LENT CONFESSION TIMES

Mon. Wed. & Fri. 11 - 11:50am
Saturday 8:30-8:50am & 4-4:50pm

ROSARY

Monday - Friday 11:40am
Saturday after the 9am Mass

DIVINE MERCY

Mon. - Fri. after daily Mass
Saturday 8:40am

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Monday to Friday 8am - 8pm
Spend an hour with our Lord

BAPTISM

Please call the office
for details about preparation

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Call the office for visits
to the hospital or home

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

Please introduce yourself
to our staff and take a moment
to register at the office

MARRIAGE

Please contact the office
at least one year in advance
of your marriage date

RELIGIOUS ARTICLES ROOM

After Sat. 5pm & Sun. Masses
Please contact Becky 705-327-9609
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PARISH TEAM

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**Saturday, March 9**

5:00 p.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Rufino Soares
7:00 p.m. St. Columbkille Mass: + Colleen Dow

Sunday, March 10, Fourth Sunday of Lent

8:00 a.m. Sacred Heart Mass: People of the Parish
9:00 a.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Mike Cillis
9:30 a.m. St. Andrew's Mass: CWL Intentions
9:30 a.m. St. Francis of Assisi Mass: + Joseph Yang
11:00 a.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Zachary Smith
11:00 a.m. St. Columbkille Mass: + Maria Prochilo

Monday, March 11

12:10 p.m. Guardian Angels Mass:
+ Living and Deceased CWL Members

Tuesday, March 12

12:10 p.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Joe Zita

Wednesday, March 13

9:00 a.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Joshua McParland
5:30 p.m. Day of Confession

Thursday, March 14

12:10 p.m. Guardian Angels Mass:
+ All Souls in Purgatory

Friday, March 15

12:10 p.m. Guardian Angels Mass:
Intentions of Eleanor Powers

Saturday, March 16

9:00 a.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + John McDermott
5:00 p.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Terry Campbell
7:00 p.m. St. Columbkille Mass:
+ Raymond and Ruth, Basil Corrigan

Sunday, March 17, Fifth Sunday of Lent**First ShareLife Collection**

8:00 a.m. Sacred Heart Mass: + Tadeusz Jakubowski
9:00 a.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Mike Cillis
9:30 a.m. St. Andrew's Mass: + Ted Conway
9:30 a.m. St. Francis of Assisi Mass: + Mary Bauland
11:00 a.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Nasimento and Mary Pereira and Deceased Family members
11:00 a.m. St. Columbkille Mass: + Jim Butler

Vocation Seed - Fourth Sunday of Lent

St. Paul reminds us that we are "created in Christ Jesus for good works". If you think God's plan for you could be to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call **Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.**

Email: vocations@archtoronto.org

Website: www.vocationstoronto.ca



It was an excellent experience for Guardian Angels to showcase its Parish Ministries, Committees, and some Catholic Organizations that are active in our parish, for the parishioners. A big thank you to everyone who worked tirelessly to make the Ministry Fair Weekend a big success; to all who prepared the display boards, who were there at different tables to share your ministry experience with our parishioners who attended the fair. Let us live the spirit of our stewardship of sharing our time and talents by serving the Lord through our active participation.

**Guardian Angels Parish**

Monday, Wednesday and Friday
11:00 a.m. to 11:50 a.m.
Saturday, 8:30 a.m. to 8:50 a.m.
and 4:00 p.m. to 4:50 p.m.

Wednesday, March 13, No morning Confession

Wednesday, March 13, 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Friday, March 22, 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

St. Columbkille Parish

Saturday at 6:30 p.m.

St. Andrew's Parish

Sunday at 9:00 a.m.

Let us make use of this opportunity to prepare ourselves in this season of Lent.

Stations of the Cross

You are invited to join us to pray the Stations of the Cross with the parish family: at:

Guardian Angels Church

Friday at 7:00 p.m.

St. Andrew's Church

Sunday at 9:10 a.m.

St. Columbkille Church Saturday at 6:30 p.m. and

Sunday at 10:30 a.m.





Have you been attending Mass with your spouse, a friend, or family member and would like to learn more about joining the faith and sharing in the full sacramental life of the Church? Please contact the Parish Office if you are interested in joining. The RCIA process will begin in September for new inquirers, call 705-326-2849 Ext. 212 or email: guardianangelsOR@archtoronto.org

TENEBRAE
 A SERVICE OF DARKNESS & LIGHT, READINGS & SACRED MUSIC
 A PERFECT PRELUDE TO THE PASCHAL TRIDUUM

WEDNESDAY MARCH 27TH - 8PM
 Guardian Angels Catholic Church
 115 West Street North - Orillia
 Reception to follow

What: Tenebrae is a liturgical service of sung readings and Psalms that features distinctive symbolic elements of Christ's passion and death.

Why Tenebrae?: Tenebrae means "shadows" or "darkness" in Latin. The service shows the darkness that comes over the earth upon Christ's death. One of the chants of the service draws from Scripture that *tenebrae factae sunt* — "darkness fell" at the death of Christ (Matthew 27:45-46).

Elements: Candles are gradually extinguished, and a loud noise, called a "strepitus" at the service's conclusion symbolizes the chaos following Christ's death.

According to Tradition: Historically, it was a portion of the Liturgy of the Hours prayers of Matins and Lauds for Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of Holy Week. Now, it is often an adaptation or shortened form of those prayers typically offered on Wednesday of Holy Week.

Holy Week Connection: Tenebrae is designed to serve as a powerful, reflective experience for the faithful ahead of the Easter Triduum. The representation of the darkness of sin and death serve to call the faithful to embrace the light of Christ, who has conquered death.



It is still not too late to join our Lenten journey with Fr. Gaitley as he tells us the way to God's merciful love through our dear St. Therese. Join us for videos and discussions Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. or Thursday at 10:30 a.m. for the rest of Lent!

Guardian Angels Catholic Women's League: will host their General Meeting on Monday, March 11th beginning with Mass at 12:10 p.m. followed by our Meeting at 1:00 p.m. in the parish hall. Ladies, please bring your own mug. New members are always welcome.



The CWL and the Knight of Columbus invite you to their ST. PATRICK'S DAY dinner to be held in Guardian Angels Hall following the evening Mass on March 16, 2024.

The evening begins with a Social at 6:00 pm and a Traditional Irish Dinner at 7:00 pm

Tickets are \$30 for adults and \$15.00 for Children aged 6-12. A takeout option is also available at 6:15 PM.

Tickets are on sale after Masses, or by calling Sean Burns at (705) 323-2001 or Sue Bailey at (705) 327-5119.



ShareLife

Inspired by God's love:
Support ShareLife's mission!

The First ShareLife Sunday is March 17.

Today, as we contemplate God's boundless generosity, may we, too, be moved by this same spirit of generosity. May this inspire all of us to be kind, compassionate, and move us to share our blessings with our brothers and sisters in need.

Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at <https://sharelife.org/donate/>

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