

† Masses this week at St. Michael's

March 31-April 7, 2024

"I have risen, and I am with you still."



The Resurrection of the Lord Year B

Saturday, March 30 7:00 pm Missa Pro Popula

Sunday, March 31 9:00 am † Paul Conway

-Dad & Family

11:00 am † Fr. Allan Hood *-Susan & Bob Clement*

Mass Intention:

Monday, April 1 12:05 pm † Ken Reid

Tuesday, April 2 12:05 pm Special Intentions for Fr. Gerardus Hauwert

Wed., April 3 12:05 pm † Rosario & Emily Frigon

Thurs., April 4 12:05 pm † Trevor Johnson

Friday, April 5 10:00 am Mass at Golden Plough Lodge
12:05 pm † John Mazark

Saturday, April 6 *First Saturday Mass & Devotion*

10:00 am † Lisa Timbes

Requested By:

-Kathy & Family

-Barbara Meers

-Mariette & Olivette Frigon

-The Family

-Jaynie & Mike

-Mom & Dad (Maria & Keith Parsons)

Easter Blessings

Easter is the fulfillment of God's love to His children stated in the Gospel of John 3:16, "For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life". Jesus brought eternal life through His death on the cross. According to Gospel of John 15:13, "No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends." Thus, Christ resurrection confirms the unconditional love of God for our salvation. In union with Mother Mary, we sing with family and friends that the Lord has done great things for us (Luke 1:46-48). He has brought salvation to us. For those whose loved ones have been called from this world, we should rejoice because the resurrection of Christ has conquered death. They are not dead but alive in communion with the Saints. They become alive when we carry on their good deeds. For God's love and forgiveness seen in the Easter glory require celebration. Therefore, let us be the disciples of Easter. Let us go and share the Easter joy and hope to all people. Let us heal the broken hearted, care for the sick, help the poor and forgive one another. May the blessings of our Lord Jesus Christ always be with us for He is with us till the end of time.



Yours in Christ, Fr. Emmanuel & Fr. MacAnthony

Also, at this time, we would like to say **THANK YOU** to all who assist us; not only during Holy Week, but throughout the year in making our celebrations meaningful! Special thanks to our Coordinators for their commitment in scheduling our volunteers: the Organist/Choir, Altar Servers, Lectors, Ministry of Hospitality, Eucharistic Ministers!

Also thank you to our Sanctuary Decorator and to those 'extra' cleaners for the Altar/Church/Chapel. And to you, the parishioners; for your participation and support, it is appreciated.



An Easter Prayer: Christ the Lord is risen, And, as all the world rejoices, Singing of His glory, with such joyful hearts and voices; May you find that Easter brings you, Peace and faith and hope anew! And may these blessings fill your heart, with joy the whole year through.

Wishing you and your family a BLESSED EASTER. St. Michael's CWL

What a lovely 'Soup & Bun' event that the CWL put on-March 19! There were a variety of soups...all homemade by them, along with desserts and refreshments served. It was a full Parish Centre!

Thank you CWLadies!



The Knights of Columbus are hosting their **Roast Beef Dinner on Sunday, April 7** at the Columbus Community Centre between 4:30 and 6:30 P.M. - Buffet Style, Adults: \$25 / Children between 5 and 12: \$10.00. A family/community affair.

Why not tag this supper after you've attended their Divine Mercy Service which is at 3:00 pm at the Church!

Second Sunday of Easter Saturday, April 6 5:00 pm Missa Pro Popula

Sunday, April 7, 9:00 am † Frank Hlaptic -Elizabeth & Family 11:00 am † Deceased Members of Leguard Family -The Family



Knights of Columbus Fundraiser: Breakfast Buffet: Sunday, April 14 -- 9:00 am to 11:30 am at Columbus Community Centre...Adults \$17—Children (5—12) \$5. It's all included ...quiche, eggs, pancakes, toast, hashbrowns, baked beans, bacon, sausage, fresh fruit, muffins, yogurt, tea/coffee, juice, chocolate milk. Take-out containers available. **EVERYONE WELCOME**

Ministry of Hospitality: If you see yourself helping with this ministry, serving the Church at Sunday Mass, especially the 9 & 11 am times, please reach out to Cheryl, Coordinator, for more information...905-372-2422 or email 54cclausen@gmail.com

Reminder...office closed until April 4.