

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH

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DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA

November 09, 2025

MASSES FOR NOVEMBER 11TH - NOVEMBER 16TH

Enalish Rosary: Saturday 4:10 p.m. / Sunday 9:10 a.m. / Polish Rosary: Sunday 10:30 a.m.

Tuesday, Nov. 11 th	8:30 a.m.	_	Mass of Thanksgiving, requested by Francine
Wednesday, Nov. 12 th	8:30 a.m.	+	Deceased members of the Creighton/Widdis families, requested by Marie Morrissey
Thursday, Nov. 13 th	8:30 a.m.	+	Veronica Dwyer, requested by her family
Friday, Nov. 14 th	8:30 a.m.	+	Gertrude & Albert Lynch, requested by their grandchildren
Saturday, Nov. 15 th	4:30 p.m.	_	Enzo Curcio, requested by a parishioner
Sunday, Nov. 16 th	9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	+	Maria & Henryk Dulban, requested by the Tryba family (followed by the Communion Breakfast in the parish hall) NO MASS

⁺ Mass for the Deceased / - Mass for the Living

PLEASE PRAY FOR: Andrew Morrison, Bonnie Morley, Brian Eberle, Cathy Lochner, Dan Selby, Dave Worr, Donna Ellis, Evelyn Crook, Francine Leger-Gillard, Gerard & Wanda Byrne, Jason Ayotte, Jo Morrison, Joanna Carlberg, John Dawson, Julianna & Mary Hauer, Kathy Hiltz, Keith Mathieson, Lauren Carey, Linda vanTol, M.J.B., Marian Dlugosz, Marie Green, Marilyn MacKeigan, Michael Dawson, Mike Sullivan, Neave Alderson, Pat D., Paul Rigby, Paul Scott, Peter McCarthy, Renie (Zeyen) Place, Rose Marie Vitarelli, Sawyer Growden, Shelly Appleton, Tim Ayotte, Zita Lightfoot and those who have no one to pray for them. MAY GOD BLESS YOU AND KEEP YOU CLOSE TO HIS HEART.



COMMUNION BREAKFAST: In recognition of the **World Day of the Poor**, the Knights of Columbus will be holding a Communion Breakfast **next Sunday, November 16**th following the 9:30 a.m. Mass, and donating the proceeds to the Saint Vincent de Paul Society. There is no charge, rather, a freewill collection.

See you there! (There will be no Polish Mass that day.)
World Day of the Poor Message from the Holy Father

SPECIAL COLLECTION: There will be a special collection this weekend, **November 8/9** for the *Home Mission Appeal*.

2026 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES: Soon we will be organizing envelopes for next year's offertory. If anyone would like to switch to the *Diocesan Pre-authorized Offering Plan (POP)*, please see the office to complete the forms. Also, if you are currently on pre-authorized payments for your offertory, this may be the time to consider an increase. The office can email you a Change form. Remember that these are monthly deductions, so for example, a \$20 deduction is only a contribution to the parish of \$5 a week.

2026 RELIGIOUS CALENDARS & MISSALS: The 2026 religious calendars and the 2026-2027 Missals are now available at the church entrances and the parish office. Same pricing as last year.

YOU ARE WELCOME TO THE SCHOOL MASSES: Did you know that parishioners, grandparents, godparents, and family members, are welcome to celebrate Mass at church with our school community? Please come anytime. They would love to see you there. —Ruth Ann (613-884-6007) catechist, rosary team. <u>SCHOOL MASS SCHEDULES</u>





PARENTING TIP OF THE MONTH

One of the most important components of positive mental health is a sense of belonging. Family is the first place we feel this sense and the stronger the ties the more secure we feel. Belonging comes when we play and work together and yes, pray together. These shared experiences help us bond and set the foundation for family traditions that unite us in common understandings and joys. So clean, cook

and tidy together, play games, go for walks, build forts and houses from boxes and pray before meals, bed and at Mass on Sunday. This foundation of who we are and where we come from will contribute to healthy and happy children and families.

SANTA CLAUS PARADE, LAKEFIELD: The churches of Lakefield are featuring a beautiful Nativity scene on a float for their Santa Claus parade on Sunday, **November 16th**, starting at 1:00 p.m. If adults and children would like to participate, meet behind the Legion at 12:30 p.m. (See the poster on our bulletin board for more information.)

COME AND SEE AT ST. PETER'S SEMINARY: St. Peter's Seminary in London, ON, will be hosting a *Come and See Weekend* on **November 21**st to 23rd. The retreat is open to men who are over 18 years old. The retreat begins Friday evening at 7:00 p.m. and finishes on Sunday at 1:00 p.m. Space is limited, so register as soon as possible! Those who register are also being asked to inform Fr. Stephen DeCarlo at FrStephenDecarlo@peterboroughdiocese.org. REGISTER HERE

COMMUNITY CAROLS: Sunday, **December 7**th, 2:30 p.m. at the Salvation Army, 219 Simcoe Street at 2:30 p.m. (See the poster on our bulletin board for a list of the participating singers/choirs.)

La Verna Programs

NOVEMBER 2025

November 4 & 6, 2025 Meditatio 7.00pm - 8.00pm

November 8, 2025 Friar-side Chat Queen of Peace Fraternity

Sacred Heart Parish, Madoc ON 11am - 1pm

November 11, 2025 SFO Formation 7.00pm - 9:00pm #17 (closed mtg)

November 12, 2025 Discovering Franciscan Spirituality #12 (Zoom 7-9pm)

November 15, 2025 Canticle of the Creatures Retreat

St Bonaventure Parish, Toronto ON (9am - 4pm)

November 18 & 20, 2025 Meditatio 7.00 - 8.00pm

November 22, 2025 Lay Franciscan Discernment 1.00pm - 3.00pm

November 25, 2025 SFO Formation 7.00pm - 9.00pm #18 (closed mtg)

DECEMBER 2025

December 2, 2025 SFO Formation #19 7.00pm – 9:00pm (closed mtg)

December 3 & 4, 2025 Franciscan Advent #1 & 2 7.00pm- 8.30pm

December 6, 2025 Canticle of the Creatures Retreat

St Mary's Parish, Blenheim ON (9am - 4pm)

December 9, 2025 Meditatio 7.00pm - 8.00pm

December 10 & 11, 2025 Franciscan Advent #3 & 4 7.00pm - 8.30pm

December 13, 2025 Mt Alverno Fraternity Orangeville 11.00am - 1.00pm

December 14, 2025 St Felix Fraternity Toronto 1.00pm—4.00pm

December 16, 2025 SFO Formation #20 7.00pm - 9.00pm (closed mtg)

December 18, 2025 Meditatio 7.00pm - 8.00pm

December 23, 2025 Lay/Secular Franciscan Christmas Social 7p - 9p

December 30, 2025 Meditatio 7.00p, - 8.00pm



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CHRISTMAS & NEW YEARS CLOSINGS

December 25 - 29, 2005 January 1 - 4, 2026