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MASSES

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Tuesday - Friday 12:05 noon

Saturday 10:00 am

Sunday Masses:

Saturday Vigil 5:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am

11:30 am

Holy Hour:

Friday 11:00 am

Confessions:

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Sundays 8:30 - 8:55 am &

11 - 11:25 am

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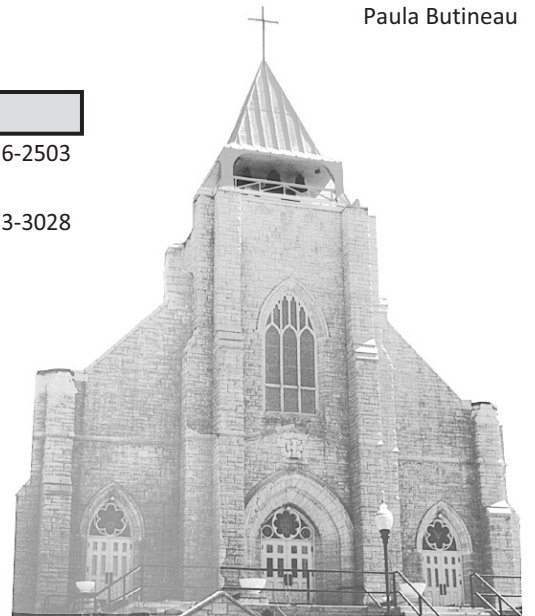
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**Mass Intentions
for the week**

Tuesday, Mar. 18th

**Saint Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop
And Doctor of the Church**

12:05pm + Joseph Zaprinski & Irene
Requested by Francis Ezman

Wednesday, Mar. 19th

Saint Joseph, Spouse of The Blessed Virgin Mary

12:05pm + Elmer Lavigne
Requested by Bill Lavigne

Thursday, Mar. 20th

12 :05pm + William Small
Requested by Dolores & Charles Maguire

Friday, Mar. 21st

11:00 am Holy Hour

12:05pm + Danuto Powazka
Requested by Michael Stevens

7:00pm Stations of the Cross

Saturday, Mar. 22nd

10:00 am + Simone Flaim
Requested by John Moscon & family

The Third Sunday Of Lent

Saturday, Mar. 22nd

5:00 pm For the Intentions of Dolores & Charles Maguire
Requested by Dolores & Charles Maguire

Sunday, Mar. 23rd

9:00 am Mass for the People
11:30 am + Esther McCallum
Requested by the McCallum family

**Pope's Prayer Intention for March
For families in crisis**

Let us pray that broken families might discover the cure for their wounds through forgiveness, rediscovering each other's gifts, even in their differences.

That We May See

Our Lord called these three Apostles apart at a significant time in his ministry. Already, he had predicted his Passion to them twice, yet it is clear from St. Luke's Gospel—and clearer from Mark's (9:30-32)—that they did not understand what he was talking about. He knew the immense blow it would be to their way of seeing things. They were still arguing about ranking order among themselves while Jesus was opening his heart to them and sharing with his friends that he was going to suffer. Perhaps they still imagined a political savior, a terrestrial king, and an all-too-earthly Kingdom of God. Their faith was real, but it was weak, and Jesus wanted to prepare them, to teach them to see things with God's eyes rather than their own.

Perhaps in our prayer times this week, we can let rise up in our heart that particular person for whom we need more light to see with God's eyes. We can speak to Our Lord about this as we sit apart on our "mountaintop" in prayer.

Appearing together with Jesus were Moses, representing the fulfillment of the Old Testament law, and Elijah, fulfillment of the prophecies. For Peter and the Apostles, their presence would have pointed to the true identity and mission of Jesus and the revelation of God's plan—though they would need time and the guidance of the Holy Spirit to fully grasp it.

Perhaps this vision strengthened their experience of God's fidelity. God, who revealed himself to Abraham, who gave his law to Moses, and who promised that another Elijah would come to reveal his presence among men, had been fulfilled in Jesus before them. And everything was affirmed when they heard, "This is my chosen Son; listen to him." As we repeat these words over and over in prayer, may our faith be strengthened, together with theirs.

*Grace and peace,
Father R C R A*

Sharing Our Gifts

Parish Givings Report for Sunday

Offertory \$3,895.51

**Amount includes PAG & Donate Now*

Lenten Faith Formation Series

With Fr. Wayne Bolton, S.J.

The Passion Narrative According to St Luke

Saturday March 22nd

This is the gospel we will hear on Palm Sunday we will note a few Luken features not found in the passion narratives according to Matthew mark or John.

Sessions will start following the 10:00 AM Mass. There will be a light lunch following each presentation.

2025 Altar Server

Congratulations to Aaron Rosario, Andrew Heffernan and Arthur Hope, the recipients of the 2025 St. Margaret's Altar Server Award. These young altar servers have shown consistent dedication and devotion to their role as St. Margaret altar servers.

Congratulations to EVED-ADONAI Award

Winner

Congratulations to Abhi Navartnam for being awarded the EVED ADONAI AWARD ("servant of God"- Hebrew). Abhi has contributed to many aspects of parish life: as an altar server, reader, AV support and most recently, directed and produced *Journey to Bethlehem*.

In 2019, the St. Margaret's Youth Award Fund was established in honour of Father Jim McLenaghan, to recognize outstanding contributions of a young member of Saint Margaret's Parish to the Church community. The EVED ADONAI AWARD, which is supported by this fund, has never been bestowed on one of our young parishioners until this year. Donations to the St. Margaret's Youth Award Fund from the congregation are encouraged to help us support and foster active involvement of the young people of our parish.

Lenten Retreat – Apr. 5, 2025

Queen Of Apostles Renewal Centre invites adults to their **2025 Lenten Retreat** on Saturday April 5th, 2025.

Where: 1617 Blythe Road, Mississauga

Cost: \$50.00 (*includes refreshments and a hot lunch.*)

Registration is at 8:30am

Retreat runs from 9:00am to 3:00pm.

A mass will be celebrated during the day.

Please email: office@qoa.ca or call (905)278-5229

**The Lord is my light and my salvation;
Whom shall I fear?**

**The Lord is stronghold of my life;
Of whom shall I be afraid?**

-Psalm 27

An Evening of Jubilation and Praise **St. Michael's Choir School Concert**

As part of our 2025 Year of Jubilee Year celebrations, St. Margaret's will have the honour of hosting the St. Michael's Choir School for a concert on Friday, May 30th, 2025.

Early Bird tickets are now on sale for \$40 each.

Prices go up April 1st. Get yours today!

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PRAYER REQUESTS

Please remember the following people in your prayers: Lauraine Marshall, Gary Edwards, Gladys Robitaille, Michael Galaski, Barb Ledoucer, John Charlebois, Grant Robitaille, Geraldine Diamago, Ralph Ladouceur, Carol Jackson, Carmen Desroches, David Morton, Dan Camp, Elaine Chiasson, Lisa Wright, Judy Martin, Michael Pontze, Bob Dorion, Carol Quesnelle, Alex Latondress, Malachy Maguire, Nick Tardif, Lynda Stanek, Mary Fletcher, Sherry Archer, Abigail Brown, Romelda Morson, Nicole Marchildon, Stephen Roach, Lilah Bates, Shelley Smith, Peter Pattenaude, Betty Laurin, John Gunther

Please pray for our recently deceased relatives and friends: Barbara Brennen, Anita Lamoreux, Albert Dorion, Frank Whitkens, Barrett Smith

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