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## MASS INTENTION

SATURDAY (June 7)  
5:00 PM +Antonio Da Silva

SUNDAY (June 8)  
7:30 AM Open  
9:00 AM Open  
11:00 AM +Alberto & Emerita Tadeo, +Peter Cam Hoang, +Thanksgiving of Edwin Rovelo, Special intention of Rama Hall & Family  
12:30 PM Thanksgiving of Joy Lopez, Thanksgiving of Jun & Erly Tablada, +Shelwin Wara Savethana, +Peter Seneviratne, +Ben & Helen Tolentino, +Remedios Romano

MONDAY (June 9)  
7:00 PM Open

TUESDAY (June 10)  
7:30 AM Open

WEDNESDAY (June 11)  
7:00 PM Open

THURSDAY (June 12)  
7:30 AM +Lucy & John Teixeira

FRIDAY (June 13)  
7:00 PM +jacintha Fernandez, Thanksgiving to St. Anthony, Thanksgiving of Quinsay & Orfano Families

SATURDAY (June 14)  
9:00 AM Open

5:00 PM Thanksgiving of Ronan D'Souza, +John D'Souza, =Milagros and Juanito Umali, +Evelyn & Ruel Macalaguim, +Fiel Raymundo

You can arrange to have your Mass intention through the Parish Desk.



There are moments in our lives when as if we are hearing it for the first time that fills our hearts with hope, life, and peace. It has always been there but somehow we are hearing it in a new way. That seems to be the gift of Pentecost.

It happens when we fall in love and the presence of the one we love signifies union and oneness. It is the day when we do not only hear the birds chirping, but we hear a new song. It is the time when we do not just feel the wind, but also its gentle caress. It is when we discover our calling and assures us that this is indeed the right place and the right time. It is when we hear the soft voice in the midst of anxiety, grief, or sorrow. It is when compassion, encouragement, welcome, and acceptance take the upper hand and we feel we truly belong. These and much more is Pentecost - moments when know God is real.

Pentecost is an everyday experience whether we realize it or not. It does not always occur like a strong wind, tongues of fire, and speaking in tongues. But God is among us, within us, pushing us from our hesitations, empowering us to fulfill his commands, and equipping us to do God's work in the world.

Pentecost is here when we start growing in the virtues of love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, gentleness, and self-control. It is when we embark on the journey of becoming evermore like Christ.

## SUNDAY OFFERING

Offertory	\$ 4,093.35
Building Fund	\$ 2,779.00
Liturgical Fund	\$ 40.30
Mass Stipend	\$ 335.00
Candle Offering	\$ 141.55
Flower	\$ 85.00
ShareLife	\$ 440.00
Youth Ministry	\$ 20.00
Funeral	\$ 300.00
Papal Charities	\$ 105.00
Total	\$ 8,785.00

## SHARELIFE

You are the light of hope this ShareLife Sunday

On the third ShareLife Sunday of the year, you can extend God's compassion and solidarity to our brothers and sisters. Together with your support, let us illuminate His light in the darkest of places, providing strength to those enduring unimaginable hardships. Because of you, people who feel the weight of the world on their shoulders can experience some relief. Like young mother Sarah, and her 4-week-old baby, who fled a life-threatening situation. She went from being alone, homeless and afraid, to supported, secure and safe through programs at Catholic Family Services of Durham.

THE LEGION OF MARY  
INVITES ALL PARISHIONERS  
TO JOIN THEM IN HONORING THE  
BLESSED MOTHER WITH SCRIPTURAL  
ROSARY AND FLOWER OFFERING ON  
FRIDAY, JUNE 13, 2025 STARTING AT 6 PM  
IN THE CHURCH.

The month of June is the Month of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

take time to renew your consecration to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. If you haven't already consecrated yourself, your family and household to the most Sacred Heart, please consider doing so. In addition, I recommend you take up Pope Francis' Encyclical, Dilexit Nos, which is dedicated to this wonderful devotion and spirituality

## CORPUS CHRISTI

## Mass &amp; Procession

All are welcome to join Frank Cardinal Leo, Metropolitan Archbishop of Toronto, for a Corpus Christi Mass & Procession at Saint Michael's Cathedral Basilica (65 Bond St.) on Sunday, June 22, 2025 following the Noon Mass. A procession (45 minutes) will take place in the vicinity surrounding the cathedral followed by Solemn Benediction and some time for fellowship. Join us as "Pilgrims of Hope" during this special Year of Jubilee

## FOR OUR PARISH CELEBRATION

June 22

We will do the procession following the 9 AM Sunday Mass. The procession from the Church will conclude with Solemn Benediction. What a fitting way for our parish community and for me as your pastor to conclude my tenure among you with the Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ. It was for this purpose that we have been called to form community together in 2008 and it will also be as you receive your new pastor. So please, join me in honouring the most precious gift that the Lord has given - His abiding presence in our midst today.

My dear parishioners,

We are truly grateful for your ongoing financial support of our parish community. As I approach the conclusion of my time as your pastor, I am pleased to share our Financial Report for 2024, which has been meticulously reviewed and prepared by our Parish Financial Committee for your consideration, as submitted to the Archdiocese. This document serves as a summary. If you would like to delve deeper into the detailed receipts and expenditures, please feel free to reach out to Clifford at the parish desk; we are more than happy to provide the complete report. While our parish finances present ongoing challenges, particularly with monthly mortgage and maintenance costs, we continue to fulfill our responsibilities. I encourage you to consider being even more generous with your contributions. May God's blessings shower upon you and our community.


Fr. Mark Villanueva

RECEIPTS		PAYMENTS	
Church Receipts	443,320.88	Church Payments	436,320.44
Bequests and Legacies		Hall Expenses	353.40
Other Donations	12,430.96	Rectory Expenses	45,217.60
Rental and Interest Revenue	5,132.05	Assessment Payments	42,711.00
Parish Program Receipts	6,650.00	Parish Program Payments	9,040.70
Sundry Receipts	319,657.07	Sundry Payments	53,469.06
Special Diocesan Collections	32,852.05	Special Diocesan Collection Payments	32,852.05
New Loan	250,000.00	Principal Loan Repayments	446,988.00
Property Sold		Interest Payments on Loans	4,012.00
Investments Redeemed		Property Additions	19,571.49
		Furnishings and Equipment	10,240.30
		New Invests Purchased + Interest earned	5,028.61
		Rectory Repairs and Maintenance	
TOTAL RECEIPTS	1,069,980.01	TOTAL PAYMENTS	1,105,840.65
Cash balance at the beginning of the period	107,561.47	Cash balance at the end of the period	71,736.83
TOTAL	1,177,541.48	TOTAL	1,177,541.48



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