

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

March 7, 2021



ST. MARY STAR OF THE SEA ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

This week, Father Michael Simoes will privately celebrate Masses for the following intentions:



SUNDAY, March 7, 2021 ([Livestream Mass at 10:00 am](#))

Exodus 20:1-17 | Ps 19:8-11 | 1Corinthians 1:2-25 | John 2:13-25

†Alan del Puerto Jr., Special intention of Krislyn Fernandes and For the People of the Parish

MONDAY, MARCH 8, 2021

2 Kings 5:1-15 | Psalms 42:2-3; 43:3-4 | Luke 4:24-30

†Lynn & Frank Carroll

TUESDAY, MARCH 9, 2021

Daniel 3:25, 34-43 | Psalms 25:4-9 | Matthew 18:21-35

Special intention of Carmela Vassallo

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 10, 2021

Deut. 4:1, 5-9 | Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20 | Matthew 5:17-19

†Celestino Perrotta and †Lynn & Frank Carroll

THURSDAY, MARCH 11, 2021

Jeremiah 7:23-28 | Psalms 95:1-2, 6-9 | Luke 11:14-23

†Souls in Purgatory

FRIDAY, MARCH 12, 2021

Hosea 14:2-10 | Ps 81:6-11, 14, 17 | Mark 12:28-34

†Colin D'Souza

SATURDAY, MARCH 13, 2021

Hosea 6:1-6 | Psalms 51:3-4, 18-21 | Luke 18:9-14

†Lynn & Frank Carroll

Jesus Cleanses the Temple



~ John 2:13-25

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4. You can contribute to the offertory via on-line banking. Email campaign@archtoronto.org

LINKS TO FAITH

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[Forgiveness isn't something you feel: It's something you do – America Magazine](#)

“Forgiveness, of course, runs all through Scripture. It is, in a way, the whole point of the story of the Bible. The revelation we find in the sacred words is the story of an all-loving God forgiving a sinful humanity and reconciling them to himself (and one another). God is, in short, in the forgiveness business.”

SSVP FEBRUARY REPORT



Our members made 32 "visits" and distributed \$2436.68 in grocery store gift cards and bus tickets.

We also ordered a mattress for a Neighbour in Need.

Thank you for your ongoing support. May you have a blessed Lent.

VIRTUAL COME AND SEE WEEKEND

On Friday, March 26 (5:00 pm – 9:00pm) until Saturday, March 27 (10:00 am – 5:00 pm), the Office of Vocations will be hosting the first virtual Come & See Weekend for single Catholic men, ages of 17+ and older. On-line registration is required at <https://www.vocationstoronto.ca/comesee>.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL HELP LINE

For Assistance call: **647-628-2058**

Leave your name, phone number and a brief message and someone will get back to you at the earliest.

PRAYER TO ST. JOSEPH

To you, O blessed Joseph, do we come in our afflictions, and having implored the help of your most holy Spouse, we confidently invoke your patronage also.

Through that charity which bound you to the Immaculate Virgin Mother of God and through the paternal love with which you embraced the Child Jesus, we humbly beg you graciously to regard the inheritance which Jesus Christ has purchased by his Blood, and with your power and strength to aid us in our necessities.

O most watchful guardian of the Holy Family, defend the chosen children of Jesus Christ; O most loving father, ward off from us every contagion of error and corrupting influence; O our most mighty protector, be kind to us and from heaven assist us in our struggle with the power of darkness.

As once you rescued the Child Jesus from deadly peril, so now protect God's Holy Church from the snares of the enemy and from all adversity; shield, too, each one of us by your constant protection, so that, supported by your example and your aid, we may be able to live piously, to die in holiness, and to obtain eternal happiness in heaven.

Amen.

Due to the current lockdown in the Region of Peel, the parish office will remain closed to the public. However, Father Michael Simoes and the Parish Staff are here for you. Please call 905-278-2058 or email us at stmarystaroftheseami@archtoronto.org and we will get back to you at the earliest. Stay Safe!

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