

# St. Clare's Parish

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PASTOR:

**Rev. Jomon George, M.Ss.Cc.**

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## OFFICE HOURS:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday  
10:00 am - 12:30 pm; 1:00 – 5:00 pm  
Thursdays – 1:30 – 5:00 pm

## DAILY MASSES:

Monday to Friday – 9:00 am  
(Bilingual: Italian/English)

## SUNDAY MASSES:

Saturday 5:00 pm in English  
Sunday 10:00 am in Italian  
Sunday 12:00 Noon in English

## CONFESSION:

Monday to Friday 9:45 to 10:15 am  
Saturday 4:00 to 4:45 pm  
or by appointment

## ADORATION:

### Holy Hour & Confessions

Every Friday from 9:30 am – 10:30 am

## PRIVATE MEMORIAL MASSES:

Mondays & Wednesdays at 7:00 pm, upon request



## UFFICIO:

lunedì, martedì, mercoledì e venerdì  
10:00 am - 12:30 pm; 1:00 – 5:00 pm  
giovedì 1:30 – 5:00 pm

## MESSE QUOTIDIANE:

Da lunedì al venerdì alle 9:00 am  
(Italiano/Inglese)

## MESSE DOMENICALI

sabato 5:00 pm in Inglese  
domenica 10:00 am in Italiano  
domenica 12:00 pm in Inglese

## CONFESSIONI:

lunedì - venerdì 9:45 - 10:15 am  
Sabato 4:00 – 4:45 pm o per  
appuntamento

## ADORAZIONE:

### Ora Santa e Confessioni

Ogni venerdì dalle 9:30 alle 10:30 di mattina

## MESSE COMMEMORATIVE PRIVATE:

Lunedì e Mercoledì alle 19:00, su richiesta

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**BAPTISMS:** Visit our website, fill in the Baptismal Registration form, and forward it to the parish office.

**MARRIAGE:** Couples are required to contact the office at least one year in advance.

## SACRAMENTS FOR THE SICK & ELDERLY:

Please notify the parish office. A priest will gladly help you.

## SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL – Heather Kieran

Please contact the parish.

**NEOCATECHUMENAL WAY:** Please contact the parish office for more information.

**CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS (RCIA):** Anyone interested in becoming a Catholic, or in need of completing the Sacraments, please call the office.

**LEGION OF MARY:** Held on Sundays 10:00am in the Meeting Room

## SACRAMENTI PER GLI AMMALATI E GLI ANZIANI:

Per cortesia, chiamate l'ufficio. Un sacerdote porterà volentieri i sacramenti e pregheremo per voi.

## OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR:

Teresa Elliott

## OFFICE ASSISTANTS:

Mary Dalessandro & Susan Petrie

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Michael Monteleone

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## SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

### 6<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER

*Laying Down our Lives* As stewards, we are called to befriend Christ and lay down our lives for Him for there is “no greater love than this.” Since it’s unlikely that we’ll be called to martyrdom, we are instead called to lay down our lives by sacrificing our own wills and own comforts for the sake of the Kingdom. Let us strive to accomplish this through a renewed commitment to stewardship.

### SUNDAY WEEKLY COLLECTION



Our regular offertory collection, for last week was \$ **2,304.45**. Thank you and may the LORD repay you for your kindness!

### SHARELIFE

**ShareLife** Share the love with our beloved seniors through ShareLife. Last year, ShareLife supporters like you offered quality care and companionship to over 2,800 vulnerable seniors. “The largest thank you to all ShareLife donors for your continued generosity! With your support, our centre is able to provide assistance to seniors in need through our community programs.” – Jaymie Daunt, LA Centre for Active Seniors. The third ShareLife Sunday of the year is June 2. We ask you to share your blessings through the parish or at [sharelife.org/donate](http://sharelife.org/donate). Thank you for living the Gospel!

### MONTHLY MEMORIAL MASS

Our next Memorial Mass takes place on **Friday, May 31 at 7:00 p.m.** This beautiful Mass with candles and music will be dedicated to any of your loved ones who have passed away and may have celebrated a special occasion such as a birthday or anniversary, etc... If you would like to offer this Mass in memory of a dear friend or family member, we invite you to call the office to register. A suggested offering is \$50. Thank you!

### WE ARE IN NEED OF YOUR HELP



We are in need of your help in the following ministries: **Altar Server for Funerals, Lectors, and Ministers of Communion.** If you are interested, please speak to the pastor after mass or contact the parish office.

### RCIA: RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS



Are you thinking about becoming Roman Catholic? Are you baptized but have not yet received the sacraments of Eucharist, Reconciliation, or Confirmation? You may be interested in joining our RCIA Program. The RCIA program is for adults (and children 7 years or older) who are:

- *Unbaptized and wishing to become Catholic;*
- *Baptized Roman Catholics wishing to receive the sacraments of Eucharist, Reconciliation, and Confirmation;*
- *Baptized in another Christian tradition wishing to be in full communion with the Catholic Church.*

For more information, send us an email at [stclaresto@archtoronto.org](mailto:stclaresto@archtoronto.org).

### LEGIONS OF MARY & THE ROSARY

Beginning this weekend, May 5<sup>th</sup>, the Legions of Mary will be doing the **Holy Rosary at 11:30 am (before the 12-noon mass) and every Sunday for the month of May.** All are welcome to join!

### OTTAWA TULIP FESTIVAL

The Legions of Mary have organized a bus to the **OTTAWA TULIPS FESTIVAL** next **Saturday, May 11, 2024.** Pick-up time is 6:00 am at St. Clare church. Fee is \$75.00 per person. Round trip. Bring your lunch. We will be there at the festival area to see all kinds of different Tulips and take pictures, then we will be sightseeing for 30 minutes at Parliament House just outside. The bus has 55 seats. Departure time will be 4 pm from Ottawa back to Toronto. Please contact Angie Lugo at 647-588-4201 for more details.



Mass Intentions

**SATURDAY, May 4**

5:00 – † Maria & Luigi Corona

**SUNDAY, May 5**

10:00 – † Raffaele Maiolo, Carmine Raviele, Brunina Scoleri, Attilio Gelfuso, Maria Iorio, Andrea, Rosina, Angelina & Pasquale Palermo, Giovanni & Vincenzo Canavo, Caterina Arona, Gabriele Lopreato, Onofrio & Giuseppe Greco, Raffaella Frasca, Domenico Russo

12:00 – For all the living & deceased members of St. Clare

**MONDAY, May 6**

9:00 – † Caterina & Antonio Cortese

**TUESDAY, May 7**

9:00 – † Lucia Scinocca-Macri, Rita Marrazzo

**WEDNESDAY, May 8**

9:00 – (Living) Vince Carnovale

**THURSDAY, May 9**

9:00 – † Antonietta & Alfonso Cortese

**FRIDAY, May 10**

9:00 – † Giuseppe Franze & Famiglia

**SATURDAY, May 11**

5:00 – For all the living & deceased members of St. Clare

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**FESTIVAL DEI TULIPANI DI OTTAWA**

Le Legioni di Maria hanno organizzato un autobus per il **FESTIVAL DEI TULIPANI DI OTTAWA il prossimo sabato, 11 maggio 2024**. L'orario di ritiro è alle 6:00 presso la chiesa di Santa Chiara. La tariffa è di \$ 75,00 a persona. Andata e ritorno. Porta il tuo pranzo. Saremo lì nell'area del festival per vedere tutti i tipi di tulipani diversi e scattare foto, poi visiteremo per 30 minuti il Parlamento appena fuori. L'autobus ha 55 posti. L'orario di partenza sarà alle 16:00 da Ottawa per tornare a Toronto. Si prega di contattare Angie Lugo al numero 647-588-4201 per maggiori dettagli.

**MESSA COMMEMORATIVA**

La nostra prossima Messa Commemorativa avrà luogo **venerdì, 31 maggio alle 19:00**. Se desideri offrire questa Messa in ricordo di un caro amico o familiare, ti invitiamo a venire in ufficio e a lasciare il tuo nome insieme a quello della persona amata. L'offerta suggerita è di \$50. Grazie!

**COLLEZIONE SETTIMANALE DOMENICA**



La nostra collezione regolare, per l'offertorio della scorsa settimana, è stata **\$ 2,304.45** dollari. Grazie per il vostro costante supporto e generosità! Possa il Signore ripagarti della tua bontà!

**CANDELA DEL SACRO CUORE**

Se qualcuno volesse offrire un'intenzione per la candela del Sacro Cuore, può chiamare l'ufficio per includerla nel bollettino della settimana o per ulteriori informazioni. La candela sarà accesa per le vostre intenzioni da sabato a venerdì.

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