

St. Anne's Roman Catholic Church

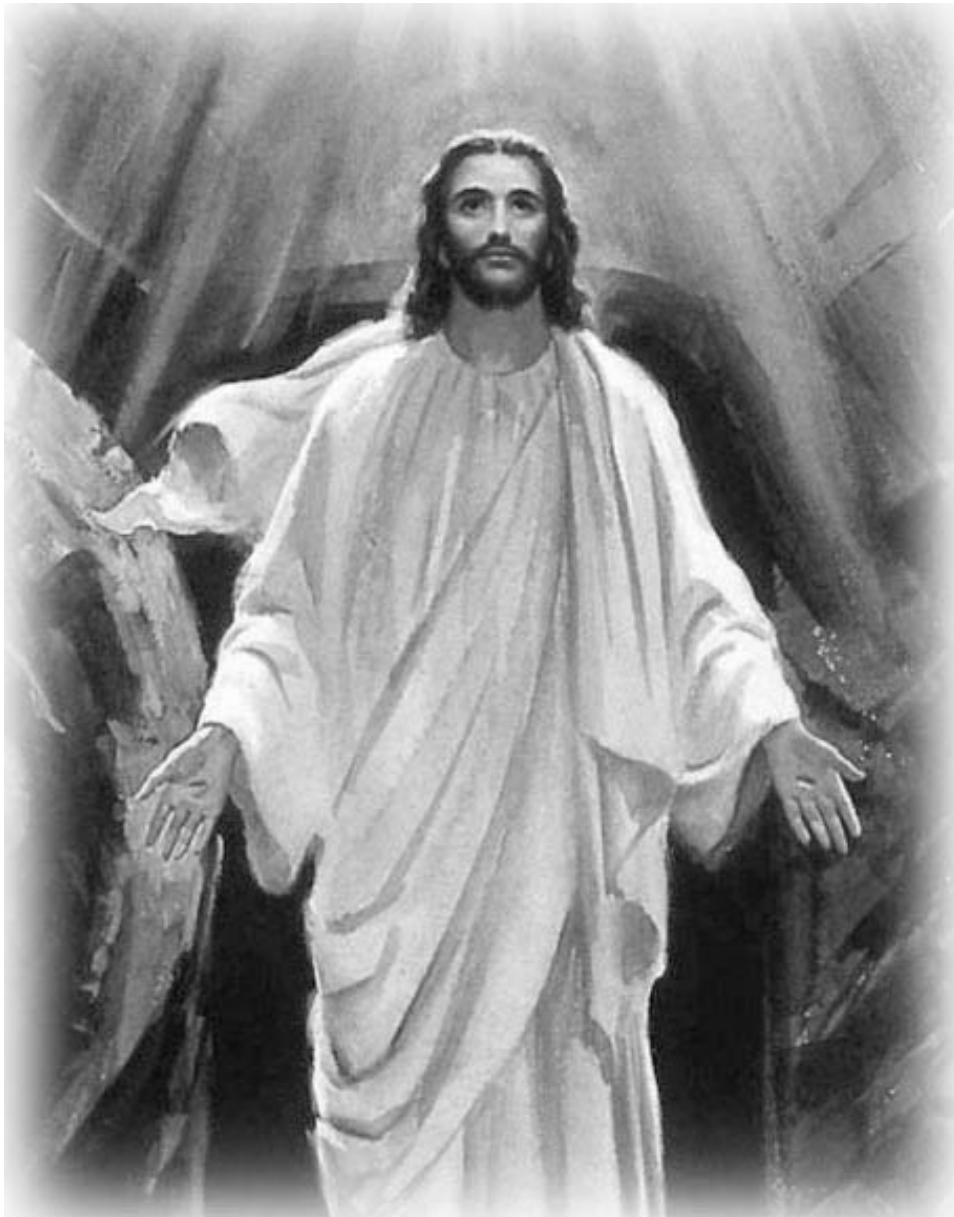
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Rejoice!
For the Lord is truly risen!

April 5, 2026 Easter Sunday, Resurrection of the Lord

Sunday, April 5 *Mass Intentions*

08:00 AM - St. Anne's Community

- † Louisa, Stephen & Doris Siu
- † Isabel Botelo
- † Viriato Vidal

10:00 AM - † Antonio Raposo, parents & siblings

- † George Dolak
- † Annamma Joy
- † **12:00 PM** - † Antonio Corsino
- † Mary, Ignatius Cherian & Aaron Joseph
- † Maria Odete Arruda

Monday, April 6

09:15 AM - Birthday Blessings - Rosario Charry

- † Annamma Joy
- † Grace Oliveira
- † P.C Chacko
- Health & success in life for Alexis Fernando

Tuesday, April 7

09:15 AM - † Jose Pereira

- † Annamma Joy
- † Terry Bailey
- † Maria D'souza
- † Holy souls in purgatory
- † Maria D'souza
- † Judite Medeiros
- † Grace Oliveira
- Happy married life for Niroshan Peiris

Wednesday, April 8

09:15 AM - † Annamma Joy

- Healthy life for Niranjela

Thursday, April 9

09:15 AM - † Annamma Joy

Friday, April 10

09:15 AM - † Rosina Carmine, Nicola Spadafora & family

- † Josph Correea
- † Annamma Joy

07:00 PM - † Enzo Lavigna

Saturday, April 11

09:15 AM Comfort & peace for Leela Anthony

- † Annamma Joy

05:00 PM - † Manuel C Demelo

- † Albino & Licinia Marcelino & Nazare DaRocha

SANCTUARY LAMP NO. 1

† Jose Pereira

SANCTUARY LAMP NO. 2

† Jose Pereira

SACRED HEART LAMP

Special Intentions

DIVINE MERCY LAMP

† Jose Pereira

ST. ANNE LAMP

Special Intentions



Lamp Intentions

OFFERTORY LAMPS are available to burn for your intention for one week for \$10.00 per lamp. They burn from Sunday to Saturday. Please call the parish office to book your lamps.

Gospel: John 20.1-18++ – The Resurrection of Jesus

The Paradox of the Cross The beautiful truth of our faith is that God was able to bring about the greatest good of the resurrection through the seemingly utter defeat of the crucifixion. The famous Portuguese proverb says that "God writes straight with crooked lines." As stewards, let us not be discouraged when we face crosses and trials but instead trust that God will transform these difficulties into many little Easter mornings.

Dear beloved family in Christ,

This is my third Easter with you, and my heart is filled with gratitude to God for the journey we have shared together.

Each year, I am reminded of the blessing it is to grow in faith, love, and unity as one church family.

This Easter, we gather with hearts full of gratitude and hope as we celebrate the victory of life over death, light over darkness, and hope over despair. The resurrection of Jesus is not just a moment in history-it is a living promise that speaks into our everyday lives.

No matter what burdens you may be carrying, Easter reminds us that nothing is beyond God's power to restore..

As we reflect on this sacred season, may your faith be strengthened, your hope renewed, and your heart filled with peace. May the risen Christ bless you

and your family with abundant grace, unshakable faith, and everlasting joy.

Happy Easter 2026!

Yours in Christ

Fr. Suresh Xavier, Pastor



Feast of Divine Mercy, Sunday April 12, 2026

Divine Mercy Novena

Good Friday - Apr 3, 12 pm

Holy Saturday - Apr 4, 3 pm

Easter Sunday - Apr 5 after 12 pm mass

Divine Mercy Sunday, April 12, 2026

2:45 pm Sung Chaplet and 3:00 pm Mass

Thank You! With sincere thanks to all who contributed flowers. Your kindness brought beauty and joy to our church as we celebrated Easter.



May Christ's peace reign in every heart and bring healing to our world.



THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY
Offertory Collection

Sunday Offertory

\$8,694.00

The **Knights of Columbus** are bringing a **relic** of their founder, **Fr. Michael J. McGivney**, to St. Anne's Parish. The relic will be exposed for veneration on **April 11 and 12** during the masses. A parish priest, Fr. McGivney founded the Knights of Columbus in 1882 in New Haven, CT, to help men financially support their families at a time when workplace fatalities were common. His legacy lives on as the Knights of Columbus continue to address the needs of today. Over the past 150 years, Fr. McGivney has influenced the lives of more than two million Catholic men. It is our great hope that he will one day be canonized. Beatified in 2020, he needs one more approved miracle for sainthood. We invite all faithful Catholics to venerate his relic at one of the tour sites. Each of us could use transformation in our lives. Blessed McGivney, pray for us!

ShareLife is More than a Collection



Your gift has the power to change Lives. This year, our ShareLife goal is **\$65,000**. If you are able, please consider offering a gift. Your generosity becomes a source of comfort and hope, helping Catholic agencies care for those who are struggling with food insecurity, emotional challenges, and daily hardships. Together with your generosity we can ensure no one in our family is alone or left behind.

Holy Communion for home bound parishioners. If you are unable to attend mass due to sickness or being bedridden please call the parish office and we will arrange for a Lay Pastoral Visitor to bring you Holy Communion.



PRAYERS ARE NEEDED
FOR THE SICK

Andrea Isaacs Scarlette & all parishioners of St. Anne's who are sick

FOR THE DECEASED

† Sandra Barkin

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FOOD DRIVE FOR STE LOUISE OUTREACH The

Knights of Columbus are having a food drive for Ste Louise Outreach. Parishioners are asked to

non-perishable food items to the church on the weekends of March 21st/22nd/ 28th and 29th. Thank you for helping the needy during this Lenten season. For questions or more details, please contact Roy Scarlett 416-875-5624.



Join us for a sweet cause! Come together as a community and make our **Church Feast** extra special! Stop by our **Bake Sale Fundraiser** and enjoy delicious baked goodies while supporting a meaningful cause. Your support makes a difference! **Apr 11 & 12 after all masses.**

Special Prayer Service for the Sick & Suffering for cancer patients/ Survivors and the terminally ill - Divine Retreat Centre Toronto 69 William Street Toronto, ON M9N 2G6 on **April 18 for a 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.** Prayer service led by Fr. Roni George, VC. For more information <https://divineretreatcentretoronto.org/#/home/events>

ACTS Canada **2026 SPRING RETREATS**

Women's Retreat: April 16 -19, 2026

Men's Retreat: May 21 - 24, 2026

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