## Quinta Domenica di Pasqua (C) • 18 maggio 2025

SANTE MESSE DELLA SETTIMANA HOLY MASSES OF THE WEEK

MARTEDÌ / TUESDAY, MAY 20 9:00 AM S. MESSA †Per la famiglia Pozza

MERCOLEDÌ / WEDNESDAY, MAY 21 9AM S. MESSA

GIOVEDÌ / THURSDAY, MAY 22 9AM S. MESSA

†Nicola, Rosalia, Francesco e Giuseppe Furlano

VENERDÌ / FRIDAY, MAY 23 9AM S. MESSA

SABATO / SATURDAY, MAY 24 5PM VIGIL MASS For all parishioners

DOMENICA / SUNDAY, MAY 25 9AM S. MESSA

†Gianluigi Bertolone

\*Amanda e Albina Bertolone

\*Gisella e Nadia Lijoi

†Rosa Annecchiarico

†Valter Villa

### 11am Holy Mass

†Francesco Augurusa

†Giuliano Ongaro

†Antonio and Nicola Lattanzio

†Alberigo and Angela De Santis

†Eugenio and Ida Dodaro

### We welcome into our Faith Community Penelope Mirella Plaque



who received the sacrament of Baptism in our Church. May God bless her!

### OFFICE CLOSURE

Monday, May 19, Victoria Day, the church and parish office will remain closed. \*\*\*

## CHIUSURA DELL'UFFICIO PARROCCHIALE

Lunedì 19 maggio, Victoria Day, la Chiesa e l'ufficio parrocchiale saranno chiusi.

# SAVE THE DATE! St. Fidelis Golden Age Club Pilgrimage

Join us for a same-day pilgrimage to the **Martyrs' Shrine on Thursday, July 10, 2025**, as part of the Jubilee of Hope.

- Mass at the Shrine at 12 p.m.
- Guided tour of Sainte-Marie Among the Hurons
- Bus departs St. Fidelis at 9:30 a.m.
- Picnic lunch

Cost: \$75 (members) | \$80 (non-members) **Reserve your seat:** Call Elena at **(416) 244-8547** 



GOSPEL REFLECTION
In this Gospel passage, Jesus speaks just after
Judas has left the room.

The betrayal is already in motion, the Cross is drawing near—and yet, in this dark moment, Jesus speaks about glory and love.

He gives His disciples a new commandment: "Love one another.

As I have loved you, so you also should love one another."

This is not a general call to kindness. It is a call to a love that is costly, sacrificial, and faithful—just like His. The love Jesus speaks of is not limited to those who are easy to love. He washed the feet of Judas. He forgave Peter. He embraced the cross for all. This is the love He asks us to imitate. In a divided and wounded world, Jesus is telling us that the most powerful witness we can offer is not argument or achievement—it is love. A love that stays. A love that serves.

A love that reflects the heart of Christ.

RIFLESSIONE SUL VANGELO

In questo brano del Vangelo, Gesù parla subito dopo che Giuda ha lasciato la stanza. Il tradimento è già in atto, la Croce è vicina—eppure, in questo momento oscuro, Gesù parla di gloria e di amore. Dà ai suoi discepoli un comandamento nuovo:

"Amatevi gli uni gli altri. Come io ho amato voi, così amatevi anche voi gli uni gli altri." Non è un invito generico alla gentilezza. È una chiamata ad un amore che costa, che si dona, che è fedele—proprio come il Suo. L'amore di cui parla Gesù non è riservato a chi è facile da amare. Ha lavato i piedi di Giuda. Ha perdonato Pietro. Ha abbracciato la croce per tutti. Questo è l'amore che ci chiede di imitare. In un mondo diviso e ferito, Gesù ci dice che la testimonianza più forte che possiamo offrire non sono le parole o i risultati—ma l'amore. Un amore che riflette il cuore di Cristo.

A Day With Mary – Registration Closes May 19

Members of the Catholic family from all corners of the archdiocese are being invited to participate in Mass, pray the Rosary and grow deeper in our devotion to Our Lady through a keynote address by Dr. Josephine Lombardi for the adults, powerful witnessings and children's catechesis for the kids. There will be music, food and fellowship and we hope that you will consider joining His Eminence Frank Cardinal Leo and so many others who love the Blessed Mother. The event is free to attend but registration is required. Visit www.archtoronto.org/mary for more info and to register. Registration closes May 19.

Una Giornata con Maria – Iscrizioni entro il 19 maggio
I membri della famiglia cattolica da ogni angolo dell'arcidiocesi sono
invitati a partecipare a una giornata speciale con la Santa Messa, la
preghiera del Rosario e una più profonda devozione alla Madonna, grazie
alla conferenza principale della Dott.ssa Josephine Lombardi per gli
adulti, testimonianze forti e catechesi per i bambini. Ci saranno musica,
cibo e momenti di fraternità. Speriamo che possiate unirvi a
Sua Eminenza il Cardinale Frank Leo e a tanti altri devoti della Beata
Vergine Maria. La partecipazione all'evento è gratuita, ma è necessaria
l'iscrizione. Visitate il sito www.archtoronto.org/mary

per maggiori informazioni e per iscrivervi. Le iscrizioni chiudono il 19 maggio.

Offertory for the weekend of May 10 and 11: \$3,143.35

May God bless you for your weekly gift.

## FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER - (C) • MAY 18, 2025



#### 14 THINGS FACTS TO KNOW ABOUT POPE LEO XIV

- 1. Robert Francis Prevost was born on Sept. 14, 1955, in Chicago to Louis Marius Prevost, of French and Italian descent, and Mildred Martínez, of Spanish descent. He has two brothers, Louis Martín and John Joseph.
- 2. His father was a World War II Navy veteran and school superintendent; his mother was a librarian who was very involved in parish life.
- 3. The new pope speaks multiple languages, including English, Spanish, Italian, French, and Portuguese.
- 4. He earned a bachelor of science degree in mathematics from Villanova University in 1977 before pursuing his religious vocation.
- 5. He completed his secondary studies at the minor seminary of the Augustinians in 1973 in Michigan. In 1977, he became a member of the Order of St. Augustine and took his solemn vows in 1981.
- 6. He completed a master of divinity degree at Catholic Theological Union in Chicago and earned a licentiate and doctorate in canon law from the Pontifical College of St. Thomas Aquinas in Rome. He went on to teach canon law in seminaries during his time in Peru.
- 7. He was ordained a priest on June 19, 1982, by Archbishop Jean Jadot in Rome.
- 8. He served extensively in Peru from 1985 to 1998, working as a parish pastor, seminary teacher, and diocesan official. He was also part of the leadership of Caritas Peru, the Church's charitable organization.
- 9. After being elected the head of the Augustinian Province of Chicago, he returned to the U.S. in 1999. He was elected prior general of the Augustinians in 2001 and then reelected in 2007, serving as head of the order until 2013.
- Pope Francis appointed him apostolic administrator and then bishop of the Diocese of Chiclayo, Peru, in 2014 and 2015 respectively, and received episcopal consecration on Dec. 12, 2014, at St. Mary's Cathedral in Chiclayo.
- 11. He was made a cardinal by Pope Francis on Sept. 30, 2023.
- 12. While serving the Church in Peru, Francis made him a member of the Dicastery for the Clergy in 2019 and then a member of the Dicastery for Bishops in 2020. In 2023, Francis made him prefect of the Dicastery for Bishops.
- 13. His episcopal motto which is a bishop's personal motto is "In illo uno unum," which means "In the one Christ we are one," reflecting his commitment to unity.
- 14. Prior to becoming pope, he had an active X account the first to have his own social media account before becoming pope.

THE POPE'S PASTORAL WORKS COLLECTION - MAY 25
Next weekend there will be a second collection for the Pope's
Pastoral Works. These funds are passed onto the Holy Father
so the Church can provide an immediate humanitarian response
in countries stricken by war, famine and natural disasters.

## COLLETTA PER LE OPERE PASTORALI DEL PAPA – 25 MAGGIO

Il prossimo fine settimana ci sarà una seconda colletta per le Opere Pastorali del Papa. Questi fondi vengono destinati al Santo Padre affinché la Chiesa possa offrire una risposta umanitaria immediata nei Paesi colpiti da guerre, carestie e disastri naturali.



A TIME TO CELEBRATE! We are delighted to invite you to our Gala Luncheon in celebration of our Parish's 50th Anniversary, taking place on October 26, 2025, at Premier Banquet

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Hall. Tickets will be available for purchase after every Mass. Payment can be made by cheque or

cash. To enhance your experience, tables will be set for groups of 10. If possible, we encourage you to arrange your table with those with whom you'd like to sit. However, single tickets are also available for purchase. Ticket prices are: Adults: \$125 and Children (ages 5 to 12): \$40. We look forward to celebrating this special milestone with you!

È IL TEMPO PER FESTEGGIARE! Siamo lieti di invitarvi al Pranzo di Gala per celebrare il 50° anniversario della nostra Parrocchia, che si terrà il 26 ottobre 2025 presso il Premier Banquet Hall. I biglietti saranno disponibili per l'acquisto a partire dalla prossima settimana dopo ogni Messa. Il pagamento può essere effettuato in contanti o con assegno. Per migliorare la vostra esperienza, i tavoli saranno predisposti per gruppi di 10 persone. Se possibile, vi invitiamo a organizzare il vostro tavolo con le persone con cui desiderate sedervi. Tuttavia, è possibile acquistare anche biglietti singoli. Prezzi dei biglietti: Adulti: \$125, Bambini (5–12 anni): \$40. Non vediamo l'ora di celebrare questo importante traguardo con voi!

### SUPPORT ST. FIDELIS SUMMER CAMP: DONATE TO MAKE SUMMER UNFORGETTABLE!

Help us make this summer unforgettable for our campers!

We are collecting gently used items that can be put to great use at our camp, including art and crafts supplies, sports equipment, baking tools, kids' toys, games, books, and more. Your donations will help our counselors create fun and engaging activities for the children all summer long.

If you have items to contribute or questions about what to donate, please email **stfideliscampto@gmail.com**.

Your generosity helps create a summer filled with fun, learning, and unforgettable memories for our campers. Thank you for being part of this wonderful mission!

