

 Messe della Settimana Mass Intentions
Martedì - Tuesday, January 20 9:00 a.m - Santa Messa Mercoledì - Wednesday, January 21 9:00 a.m. - Santa Messa †Angela Tete Giovedì - Thursday, January 22 9:00 a.m. - Santa Messa 7.00 p.m. - Memorial Mass †Mike Ricci Venerdì- Friday, January 23 9:00 a.m. - Santa Messa †Per tutti i defunti Sabato - Saturday, January 24 5.00 p.m. - Holy mass †Pro Populo Domenica - Sunday, January 25 9:00 a.m. - Santa Messa †Gianni Rigutto †Mario Valvano †Per tutti defunti famiglia Chiara 11:00 a.m. - Holy Mass †Gianluigi Bertolone *Amanda Bertolone e Albina Bertolone †Michele Albanese
Dilexi te (“I have loved you”) On 9 October 2025, Pope Leo XIV released his first Apostolic Exhortation, <i>Dilexi te</i> (“I have loved you”), on the Church’s care for the poor. Drafted by Pope Francis before his death and now revised and issued by Pope Leo XIV, the Exhortation is in continuity with Pope Francis’ last encyclical, <i>Dilexit nos</i> (“He has loved us”), on the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Pope Leo emphasizes that “love for the Lord . . . is one with love for the poor” (n. 5).<i>May Dilexi te help the Church to serve the poor and help bring the poor to Christ.</i> The Apostolic Exhortation <i>Dilexi te</i> is now available on the Holy See’s website:English: https://www.vatican.va/content/leo-xiv/en/apost_exhortations/documents/20251004-dilexi-te.html
Sunday Offertory: January 11, 2026 : \$ 3,569.00 Thank you for your support!

Gospel Reflection: In today’s Gospel, John the Baptist points to Jesus and says, “Behold, the Lamb of God.” John does not focus on himself; instead, he directs everyone’s attention to Jesus. His role is to prepare the way and help others recognize who Jesus truly is. Jesus is called the Lamb of God because He comes to take away the sin of the world. He brings forgiveness, healing, and new life. When John sees the Spirit descend upon Jesus, he understands that Jesus is the one sent by God, the Son of God. This Gospel invites us to do what John did: to look at Jesus and to help others see Him too. In our daily lives, through our words and actions, we are called to point to Christ and witness to His love. When we recognize Jesus and follow Him, our lives are changed. Riflessione sul Vangelo: Nel Vangelo di oggi, Giovanni Battista indica Gesù e dice: «Ecco l’Agnello di Dio». Giovanni non mette al centro se stesso; invece, dirige l’attenzione di tutti verso Gesù. Il suo compito è preparare la strada e aiutare gli altri a riconoscere chi è veramente Gesù. Gesù è chiamato l’Agnello di Dio perché viene a togliere il peccato del mondo. Egli porta perdono, guarigione e vita nuova. Quando Giovanni vede lo Spirito scendere su Gesù, comprende che Gesù è colui che Dio ha mandato, il Figlio di Dio.Questo Vangelo ci invita a fare ciò che ha fatto Giovanni: guardare Gesù e aiutare anche gli altri a vederlo. Nella nostra vita quotidiana, con le nostre parole e le nostre azioni, siamo chiamati a indicare Cristo e a testimoniare il suo amore. Quando riconosciamo Gesù e lo seguiamo, la nostra vita cambia.



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Prayer for Ecumenical Sunday: God, rich in goodness, grant our communities and our Churches the strength to proclaim the message of reconciliation. Heal our hearts and help us spread Your peace. Where there is hatred, let me bring love; where there is injury, let me bring forgiveness; where there is discord, let me bring unity; where there is doubt, let me bring faith; where there is error, let me bring truth; where there is despair, let me bring hope; where there is sadness, let me bring joy; where there is darkness, let me bring light. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ, through the Holy Spirit. Amen. Preghiera per la Domenica Eucumenica: Dio ricco di bontà, dona alle nostre comunità e alle nostre Chiese la forza dell’annunzio della riconciliazione. Guarisci i nostri cuori ed aiutaci a diffondere la tua pace. Dove è odio, fa’ che io porti l’amore, dove è offesa, che io porti il perdono, dove è discordia, che io porti l’unione, dove è dubbio, che io porti la fede, dove è errore, che io porti la verità, dove è disperazione, che io porti la speranza, dove è tristezza, che io porti la gioia, dove sono le tenebre, che io porti la luce. Te lo chiediamo nel nome di Gesù Cristo, per mezzo dello Spirito Santo. Amen.
We’re on Instagram! We now have an Instagram page for St. Fidelis Parish. You can find us at @st.fideliscatholicchurch. We will be posting Mass schedules and other important parish events on this page. Please stay connected and follow us!
TAX RECEIPTS: Thank you for your support in 2025! Parish Tax Receipts are being processed and will be mailed by February 28. Contributions made in 2025 to the Archdiocese for Share-Life or Donate Now via credit card will receive tax receipts directly from the Archdiocese. Thank you again for your generosity in supporting your spiritual home. RICEVUTE FISCALI: Vi ringraziamo per il vostro supporto nel 2025! Le ricevute fiscali parrocchiali sono in fase di elaborazione e verranno spedito entro il 28 febbraio. Le donazioni effettuate nel 2025 all'Arcidiocesi per ShareLife o Donate Now tramite carta di credito riceveranno le ricevute fiscali direttamente dall'Arcidiocesi. Grazie ancora per la vostra generosità nel supportare la vostra casa spirituale.

Upcoming First Holy Communion Class: Saturday, January 24th at 10.00 am A Day With Mary Mark your calendars: The Archdiocese of Toronto will be celebrating a “Day With Mary” on Saturday, May 30, 2026. This family-friendly day will consist of Holy Mass with His Eminence Frank Cardinal Leo, praying of the Rosary, Confessions, a keynote address for adults and children’s catechesis for the little ones. There will be music, fellowship and more. More info to follow.
LET OUR LADY BLESS YOUR HOME  The Apostolate of the Shrine of the Immaculate Heart of Mary will be presented in our parish this weekend by the Heralds of the Gospel. It aims to promote the recitation of the Rosary in Reparation to Our Lady for the offenses She receives from mankind, for the conversion of sinners, and for the Triumph of the Immaculate Heart of Mary to come as soon as possible. This Apostolate started with a blessing of St. John Paul II in the year 2001 and is now spread to over 70 countries. Groups of 30 families are organized in the parish, and each family is assigned one specific day of the month to host the Shrine (icon).
Come & See – Discernment Weekend Retreat February 27 – March 1, 2026 at St. Augustine’s Seminary The Office of Vocations will be hosting a Come & See Weekend Discernment Retreat for men 18 years and older, at St. Augustine’s Seminary on <i>Friday, February 27 (6:30 p.m.) until Sunday, March 1 (2 p.m.)</i>. This Retreat offers a way for men to discern a possible call to priesthood at our seminary. Registration must be done online at www.vocationstoronto.ca/comesee For more information, please email vocations@archtoronto.org.