



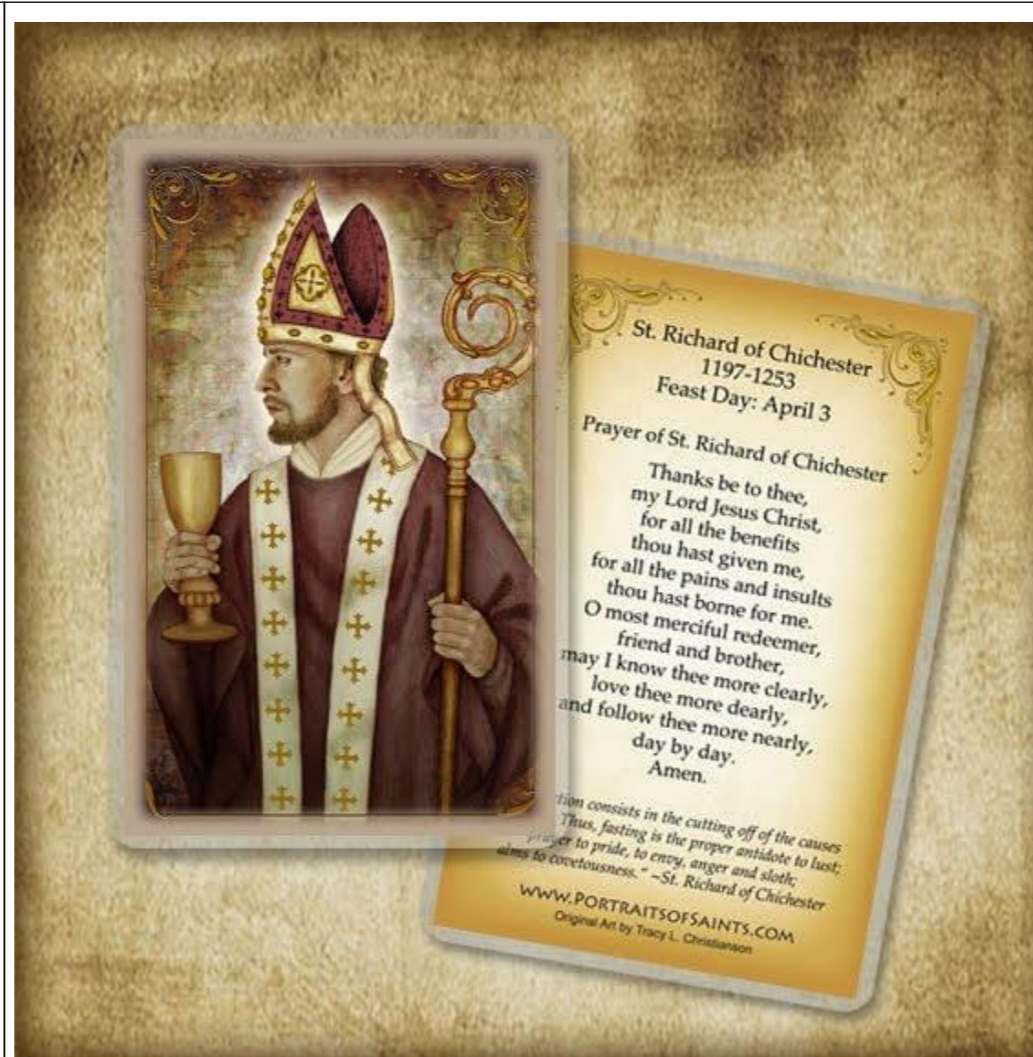
**Reflection:**

We continue to be awestruck by the way GOD works. Nothing happens without GOD's allowing it. There is no such thing as luck. We are not lucky to have life. It is providential – GOD continuing to provide for us. GOD can even make the worst possible situations turn into blessings. What could be worse than the death of the Son of GOD on a cross? Yet, from the tomb in which the crucified Jesus was laid, new life has come. Jesus is alive in His glorified body. He has conquered not only sin and death; He has made it possible for us to share a renewed relationship with the GOD Who has created us. And this new relationship is eternal.

Let us continue to rejoice and celebrate our renewed relationship with the GOD Who is the relationship of **Abba**-Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

**Jesus is the Way, the Truth, and the Life.  
Jesus is alive. We are saved. Alleluia!**

**May you continue to celebrate the Shalom of the Risen Lord in your life and may that empower you to be a faithful witness of the relationship GOD has re-established with all of humanity through the death and resurrection of the Lord Jesus.**



**On Sunday, April 7<sup>th</sup>, we will be celebrating a special mass to commemorate the feast day of our patron saint St. Richard of Chichester.**

**The children enrolled in the Faith Education program were asked to participate in a drawing contest. They submitted a picture of their church: St Richard's. These pictures will be on display in the church hall after mass.**

**All are welcomed to join in the church hall for coffee and cake and to witness which child will be awarded the best drawing.**

**Hope to see you there!**

**Mass Intentions from April 3 - 5, 2024**

Wed. Apr 3 /10:00 a.m. Francesco Nardi, Francesco Andreacchi & Giovanni -  
- Elisabetta Nardi

Thu. Apr 4/10:00 a.m. Yvette Sarena - Eli Levy & family

Fri . Apr 5/10:00 a.m. Living & Deceased members of the Baird, Shanahan,  
Scott, Ryan, Malone, Faherty, McGarry & Kostner families - Teresa Baird



**AS WE CONTINUE CELEBRATING ST. RICHARDS 60TH ANNIVERSARY...**

**Parish Survey**

In this sixtieth year of celebrating our community as a family at St. Richard, we have launched a Parish Survey to get to know the thoughts and opinion of our parishioners regarding our services and feelings as a community. Your valuable input in this survey will enable us to renew and orient ourselves to serve you better.

The survey is online on our website, (<http://www.strichards.ca>) and link on our Facebook page. Everyone in a family can submit individually. The QR code for the survey is given below:



**WE REQUEST YOU SUBMIT ONLY ONE PER PERSON.**

Extra copies are available at the entrance of the church. Please complete the survey and drop it in the dedicated Survey Box. **TOTAL CONFIDENTIALITY IS ASSURED.**

The survey launched on Passion Sunday, March 24, 2024 and will be closed on April 28, 2024.

**Thank you for participating in this important survey to serve you better. God bless you.**

