

MOSAIC INTERFAITH

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St. Theodore of Canterbury Anglican Church

111 Cactus Avenue, Toronto, M2R 2V1

Welcomes MOSAIC INTERFAITH

to attend

The Great Easter Vigil

Saturday, April 3, 2010

Beginning at 6 PM

The Easter celebration is the most important part of the Christian year despite the fact that Christmas is the one most known outside of the faith. However, in the early Church, Easter was considered the queen of all Christian feasts, the high point of the liturgical year and still is to those practicing the Christian faith.

The Easter Vigil is part of what is called the Paschal Triduum, the Holy Triduum or Easter Triduum. The word Triduum comes from the Latin word meaning "three days." It begins the evening of Maundy Thursday and ends on the evening of Easter Sunday. The Triduum celebrates the heart of the Christian faith, salvation, and redemption: the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ. Thus, the Triduum commemorates the Institution of the Eucharist, the passion, crucifixion, death of the Lord, his descent to the dead, and finally his glorious resurrection on Easter Sunday morning.. The Great Easter Vigil is the high point of the Triduum.

MOSAIC visitors will have the opportunity to watch this special service and find out more about it's history and importance to Christians.

We hope you will be able to join us.

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Please RSVP by Monday, March 29 to your congregational MOSAIC representative or to MOSAIC's co – chairs

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