



St. John Chrysostom Parish

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SUNDAY Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:00 PM
Sunday: 8:30 AM
10:00 AM
12:00 PM

WEEKDAY Mass Schedule

Mon: 8:00 AM
Tues: 7:00 PM
Wed: 12:10 PM
Thurs: 8:00 AM
Fri: 8:00 AM
Sat: 9:00 AM

Confessions

Saturday: 9:30 AM
and by appointment

Marriage & Baptism

by appointment

Pentecost Sunday

Mass Intentions

Saturday, May 19th

5:00pm Vigil Mass
Pro-Populo

Sunday, May 20th

8:30 am Mass
10:00 am Mass } Pro-Populo
12:00 pm Mass }

Monday, May 21st

9:00 am Mass
† Shannon Cunningham

Tuesday, May 22nd

7:00 pm Mass
♦ For the health of Agusta Barros

Wednesday, May 23rd

12:10 pm Mass
† Frances Smith

Thursday, May 24th

8:00 am Mass
† Tom Jones

Friday, May 25th

8:00 am Mass

Saturday, May 26th

9:00 am Mass

Sanctuary Lamp

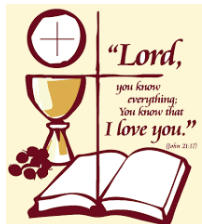
May 20- May 26, 2018

For the health of
Mario Furfari



This powerful feast tells us about the early church, but it is also a call for us as a community and as individuals. The images of fire, wind, breath, a cacophony of voices are meant to evoke a collective "fire in the belly" that motivates us to do what we are called to do. Today we are assured that the Spirit is with us, as it was with them on that first enlivening Pentecost. (by Joan DeMerchant)

50th Anniversary of Priesthood



This year, Fr. Bob celebrates his 50th anniversary as a priest - almost half of which was spent here at St. John's Parish. Truly a "golden" opportunity to celebrate

his service to the Church and the gift of priesthood in general. We are grateful to him for preaching the Word to us with creative and engaging homilies, for celebrating the Eucharist and providing for the sacramental life of the people, and for developing programmes to serve the most vulnerable members of our society. We will celebrate this milestone at the 5 pm mass on Saturday, June 2nd. Please join us to congratulate Fr. Bob and to thank him for his years of service.

Rob Tunney's Ordination

The parish of St. John Chrysostom rejoices in the up coming Ordination to the Diaconate of Mr. Robert Tunney on Saturday, **May 26, 2018** at St. Michael's Cathedral. Our parish is also honoured to welcome Rob to celebrate his Mass of Thanksgiving on **Sunday May 27 12:00 Mass**. We invite everyone to join us if you can. Following the Mass, a social will be held in our parish hall hosted by the CWL and the Knights of Columbus.



CWL New

We invite you to an Evening of Reflection with Christine Way Skinner on June 19. Mark your calendars to make sure you attend this special evening!



Knights of Columbus



Interested in joining the Knights? Call Jim at 416-254-1365 or visit our Facebook www.facebook.com/KofC6643 for more information. Remember to follow us on Facebook for news/updates on upcoming events.

Bicycles for Migrant Workers

Do you have a bicycle in good condition that you are no longer use? please consider donating it to the migrant workers in the Holland Marsh area. Please contact Gord at 905-775-5473 or email him at brunati.kinahan@gmail.com. He will arrange to have the bicycle picked up and delivered.



The Harmony Choral

The Harmony Choral is holding their Annual HIV/AIDS Benefit Concert for Children that live in the Cape Town Area of South Africa. The Concert is at 7:30pm on **Saturday May 26, 2018** at St. Andrews Presbyterian Church 484 Water St. Newmarket. The St. Andrews Junior-Youth Choir are featured guests. Admission is \$15 at the door. CMWS from Robin Bromley.

We ask for your prayers

For the sick:



Caitlin Grace McDonald, Rita Trance, Rosemary Richard, Madeleine Anta, Barbara Lechner,

Maria Mora, Anne, Brian & Vince Allen, Elva Corcoran, Mary Meade, Alfredo & Amanda Gabat, Michael Casey, Clementina Fiore

For the deceased:

Angelina Pedretti, Allison Morrison, Mary Fenech, Theresa Collins, Jose Meneses, Peter Ieraci, Bonifacio Bertumen, Felicia Colangelo, Rita McCann, Aldo Cuzzolino, Felicia Colangelo

Requests can be directed to our parish office by phone or via email.

May 21  *Victoria Day*

Office will be closed
morning mass will be at
9:00am

Living the Gospel

Administered by St. Elizabeth Health Care, the Shared Services Initiative is supporting other ShareLife-funded agencies in the areas of human resources, financial services and information technology. Participating agencies report they are able to improve the quality, competency and accuracy of their work. Through this initiative, ShareLife-funded agencies are ensuring the maximum amount received is directed to the front-line service they provide. Next Sunday, **May 27**, is ShareLife Sunday. Please give generously.



Food Drive

Please remember to bring non-perishable food items to mass next Sunday. Items can be left at the back of the church and will be donated to the Newmarket Food Pantry. At this time, there is a particular need for baby food & formula, sardines, tuna, and toiletries.



Call for Conscience 2018

Cardinal Thomas Collins, Archbishop of Toronto, recently issued a call to action in advance of the June 7 provincial election to promote palliative care, conscience rights and the protection of faith-based facilities. His Eminence has asked Catholics to visit canadiansforconscience.ca/ontario to send a letter directly to all candidates in their riding for the June 7 election. A pre-written letter is provided which people can amend as they choose. If you did not receive Cardinal Collins' emailed letter and you would like to receive them in the future, please visit bit.ly/archtosignup Thank you for advocating on these important issues!

**Mission Trip in Yellowknife
July 16-23**

The office of Catholic Youth & Diocese of Mackenzie-Fort Smith are offering a week-long mission trip to aid our Canadian neighbors to the North. Ages 19-39 are invited. Learn about our missions in Canada & Indigenous culture. Enter fully into the missionary experience, simple accommodations

will be arranged. Contact: Sarah Rodrigues 416-599-7676 ext. 226 or sarah@ocytoronto.org

ShareLife Golf Tournament

The 23rd Annual ShareLife Corporate Golf Tournament will be held on **Monday, June 4** at Markland Wood Golf Club in Etobicoke, with shotgun start at 12:30pm. Fee is \$425.00 per golfer or \$1,700.00 per foursome. Proceeds will benefit ShareLife-funded social service agencies. For information please call Maria at 416-934-3400 ext. 526.

Collection Counters Needed

We are grateful to those who expressed interest in this service. **We are still in need of 4 more volunteers. Contact the office if you are interested.**

Did You Know?

There is a prayer box located at the front of the church by the vigil candles. If you would like us to pray for someone or something, you are welcome to place your petitions in the box and we will ensure that someone prays for your intention.

Also, **Living with Christ App** Novalis has recently updated the Living With Christ app for smart phones. This is a valuable resource for Catholics and well worth downloading. It is free and provides users with the daily readings, quotes, and prayers for many occasions.

Pray for Vocations

The confused and fear-filled apostles were totally changed by the outpouring of the Holy Spirit as they became powerful and dynamic proclaimers of their faith in Jesus Christ. In today's Church God calls priests, religious and deacons to serve Him and to serve others especially by the inspiration of the Holy Spirit. If you have the continuing inclination that God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon call us at: 416-968-0997 or visit us at www.vocationstoronto.ca



The Sunday Mass

The Sunday Mass airs every Sunday at 8:30 a.m. on CTV (Toronto), and is posted online every weekend on the Archdiocese of Toronto's YouTube channel. This vital ministry helps those who cannot attend Sunday Mass at their local parish due to illness or limited ability.

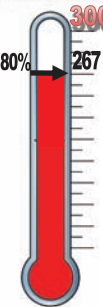


Volunteer Opportunity

St. John's office is inviting anyone who may want to volunteer for a few hours a week for minor office tasks. This role will include training and it will be flexible. Our goal is to have a few volunteers that can also be flexible with time and able to commit for 3-10 hours a week. Please fill out the form below or email Fr. Efen at: ealvarezpelayo@gmail.com

Sing Praises to the Lord!

GOAL!



Congratulations! With your generosity we have paid for almost 80% of our new Glory and Praise hymnals. We have placed the hymnal dedication bookplates in these hymnals and put them in the pews. Each time you open one of the dedicated hymnals, please offer a prayer for that which is mentioned in the dedication. It is a wonderful way to support one another and give thanks to God. If you would still like to contribute to this project, please contact the office or watch for people at the back of the church to accept your donation. For a donation of \$30, we will provide you with a bookplate in memory of someone or in gratitude for someone or a favour received.

I am interested in assisting in the Parish office

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Registered parishioner: YES NO

Already screened: YES NO

If yes, which ministry(s) _____

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