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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

Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 16th

5:00pm Vigil Mass
Pro-Populo

Sunday, June 17th

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

Monday, June 18th

8:00 am Mass

Tuesday, June 19th

7:00 pm Mass
† Rosie Reyes

Wednesday, June 20th

8:00 am Mass

Thursday, June 21st

8:00 am Mass

Friday, June 22nd

8:00 am Mass

Saturday, June 23rd

9:00 am Mass
† Mark Stephen
† Sophie Barretto

Sanctuary Camp

June 17- June 23, 2018

FOR ALL SOULS IN
PURGATORY

We ask for your prayers

For the sick:



Barbara Lechner,
Anne, Brian & Vince
Allen, Elva Corcoran,
Mary Meade, Alfredo
& Amanda Gabat, Michael Casey,
Clementina Fiore, Ted &
Kurt Profyt.

For the deceased: Mary Fenech, Theresa Collins, Jose Meneses, Bonifacio Bertumen, Rita McCann, Aldo Cuzzolino, Antonio DeGuzman, Bob Norman Forhan.

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. Our coordinator will be in touch with you to provided further information.*




For those of us struggling to make our way through life toward the fullness of the reign of God, perspective is everything. Stories from the past, and faith and hope in the future, help us to live in the present. It has always been this way for God's people. Like them, "we walk by faith, and not by sight." Though we cannot see the future, it is enough. We continue to plant our seeds, make our plans, and move forward toward the harvest. (by Joan DeMerchant)

CWL News

The Catholic Women's League invites all women of the parish to an evening of reflection on **June 19** following the 7 pm Mass. The reflection is: "*Lessons Learned From Grandma's Rocker*" Christine Way Skinner is the presenter. Come and join us for this special evening.



Knights of Columbus

 The Knights are collecting pop can tabs to help raise money for student bursaries. Please save your tabs from any and all cans, bring them to the church and put them in the tab bucket. Every tab counts. Interested in joining the Knights? Call Jim at 416-254-1365 or visit our Face-book page for more information, news and updates on upcoming events www.facebook.com/KofC6643.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul

If you are looking for a meaningful form of service, your parish conference of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul is seeking a Treasurer. Please leave a message for Louisa at 905-898-4264 extension 2 for further details.



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 flexi-

ble. Our goal is to have a few volunteers that can also be flexible with time and be able to commit for 3-10 hours a week. Contact Fr. Efren at: ealvarezpe-layo@gmail.com.

Registration

First Communion/Reconciliation and Confirmation.

For the past few weeks we have been meeting with families to begin the registration process for the Sacraments of First Reconciliation, First Eucharist and Confirmation. If you missed the Orientation meetings, please call the office as soon as possible to ensure that your son or daughter is registered for next year's celebrations. Call (905-898-4137 ex 205) or email Christine Way Skinner at stjohnscatechist@gmail.com if you have any questions. The office can provide you with registration forms.

Please note: The registration and preparation process for sacramental preparation in the parish is being changed. It is very important that you learn about these changes so that you are aware of expectations and schedules.

Save Summer Jobs

Thousands of charitable organizations are being denied funding through the Canada Summer Jobs program. The federal government has introduced a litmus test. To qualify for funding, organizations must agree with the Liberal Government on issues such as abor-



Living the Gospel by helping isolated seniors. In partnership with Catholic Family Service agencies and six parishes in Peel Region and Simcoe County, ShareLife is funding a pilot project that connects trained volunteers with isolated and lonely seniors. Volunteers cultivate relationships by conducting home visits, making phone calls, and linking seniors with community resources. Through your generosity, ShareLife is connecting these seniors with the support they need. Please make a sacrificial gift to ShareLife through your parish or sharelife.org

Our goal: \$93,000

Total raised: \$65,426.12

tion and gender expression. This has impacted more than 150 jobs and more than \$1 million in funding in the Archdiocese of Toronto alone. Across Canada 1,500 groups had their applications rejected this year vs. 126 in 2017. Cardinal Collins invites you to write to your federal Member of Parliament to respectfully express your concerns. To send a message to your MP, visit www.savesummerjobs.ca. It is a process that will take less than 3 minutes. You can also donate at the same site to support those organizations impacted by the new application guidelines.

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 inside 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.

Summer Months Changes

As we know, the short summer is too precious for most of us and we try our very best to enjoy it as much as possible. We spend time with family, travel and enjoy the beauty of nature. This is the reason why we pause at St. John's

and most of our activities and meetings are cancelled so that all our volunteers and staff get a chance to enjoy the Summer like everyone else. Therefore, beginning **Wednesday, June 20th** our regular 12:10 pm Wednesday Mass will be celebrated at **8:00 am**. This will allow us to have mass at the coolest time of the day. We will return to our normal schedule on **Wednesday, September 12th**. Also, our parish office will have the following changes effective **Monday June 18th**:

Monday and Friday:
9:00am-5:00pm
(closed 12pm-1pm)

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday
9:00am to 9:00pm
(closed 12pm-1pm & 5pm-6pm)

We will return to our regular schedule **Monday, September 10th, 2018**.

Post-Secondary Campus Ministry

Attention high school graduates: Are you moving on to post-secondary education in the fall? Check out Campus Ministry! Connect to campus ministry by visiting www.chaplaincyconnect.ca and find your Catholic home on campus. For information about campus ministries in our archdiocese, please view the poster at <http://bit.ly/PostSecondaryCampusMinistry>.

Thank you for helping us to help others

Our parish recently received a card of "Thanks" from the Newmarket Food Pantry. Your generosity and commitment to helping those in need is very much appreciated.

Prayer for Fathers



God our Father, through the intercession of St. Joseph, foster father of Your Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ, we give you thanks and praise for all fathers in the world.

We pray for them so that they may find courage and perseverance to balance work, family and faith, joy and sacrifice.

We remember fathers, grandfathers, and great grandfathers who are no longer with us but who live in our memory. Keep them always in your love. Amen

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Pray for Vocations

Today's readings remind us that great things often have small beginnings. If you feel the inclination to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon Call us at:



416-968-0997

or visit us at

www.vocationstoronto.ca

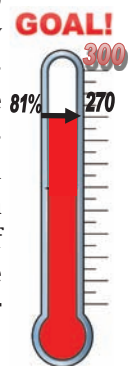
The Sunday Mass

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.



Sing Praises to the Lord!

If you would still like to contribute to our Glory and Praise Hymnal project, please contact the parish office. 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.



Last Week's Collection

In order to meet the operating expenses of the parish, we need a Weekly Average collection of:

\$14,181.00

Total collected last weekend:

\$9,828.00

(Capital Campaign funds are used to maintain our property)

Weekly Offertory	\$6,183
Pre-Authorized Giving	\$2,493
Credit Card	\$1,152
Total	\$9,828

Capital Campaign	\$438
Pre-Authorized Giving	\$226
Credit Card	\$208
Total	\$872

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