



# St. John Chrysostom

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## Sunday Masses

**Saturday** 5:00 pm  
(Chinese) 7:00 pm

**Sunday** 8:30 am  
10:00 am  
12:00 pm  
(Spanish) 5:00 pm

## Weekday Masses

Monday 8:00 am  
Tuesday 7:00 pm  
Wednesday 12:10 pm  
Thursday 8:00 am  
Friday 8:00 am  
Saturday 9:00 am

## First Friday Mass

7:00 pm  
(no morning mass)

## Healing Mass

3rd Friday of the month  
7:00 pm  
(no morning mass)

**Office Hours:** Monday—Friday: 9 am to 5 pm (closed 12 pm—1 pm)  
Monday and Wednesday: 6 pm to 9 pm

## Pastoral Team

### Pastor

Rev. Efrén Alvarez Pelayo  
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### Associate Pastor

Rev. Norberto Eyule  
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### Deacon

Gary Johnson  
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### Lay Pastoral Associate

Christine Way Skinner  
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## Office Staff

### Main Office

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Leo Lopez—caretaker

### St. John's Cemetery

Don Smart  
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## Welcome New Parishioners

New parishioners are asked to register in the parish office where you can also learn how you can share your time, talent and treasure in the parish.

## Baptism

Contact us a minimum of three months before the desired date of Baptism to sign up to attend an information session.

## Christian Initiation

Adults wishing to become Catholic, please contact Deacon Gary Johnson. For Baptism of children over 7 years of age contact Christine Way Skinner.

## First Reconciliation,

## Eucharist & Confirmation

Contact Christine Way Skinner.

## Reconciliation

Every Saturday after 9 am Mass, on First Fridays during Adoration or by appointment.

## Marriage

Contact the parish office at least one year before the desired date.  
[weddings@stjohnsnewmarket.ca](mailto:weddings@stjohnsnewmarket.ca)

## Anointing of the Sick

For home visits, call the parish office. From the hospital, ask for a priest directly at the nursing station.

## Children's Liturgy of the Word

Available at the 5pm mass on Saturday and at the 10am mass on Sunday.

## Visiting Ministry

To arrange for a visit and/or to receive Holy Communion to someone at home, contact the parish office.

## Theology on Tap

Young adults ages 20-35 meet to discuss faith & justice in a safe space. For more information email us at [theologyontap@stjohnsnewmarket.ca](mailto:theologyontap@stjohnsnewmarket.ca)

## Catholic Women's League

President—Gwen Hearty  
[cwl@stjohnsnewmarket.ca](mailto:cwl@stjohnsnewmarket.ca)

## Knights of Columbus

Grand Knight-Dean Yeats  
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[knights@stjohnsnewmarket.ca](mailto:knights@stjohnsnewmarket.ca)

## St. Vincent de Paul

To volunteer, make a donation or if you require assistance call 905-898-4264.

## Community Bread

For information, to volunteer or to donate, contact [communitybread@stjohnsnewmarket.ca](mailto:communitybread@stjohnsnewmarket.ca)

## Catholic Schools

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Chaplain: Erica Gismondi	
Trustee: Theresa McNicol 905-898-2210	

**Mass Intentions**

**Saturday, Aug 3**

5:00 pm Mass  
7:00 pm Mass (Chinese)

**Sunday, Aug 4**

8:30 am Mass  
10:00 am Mass  
12:00 pm Mass  
5:00 pm Mass (Spanish)

† Nestor Amador Alvarado  
♦ 72 cumpleaños de Nelson González Prado

**Tuesday, Aug 6**

7:00 pm Mass  
† Lynda Allard  
† Giacomo Santia

**Wednesday, Aug 7**

12:00 pm Mass  
† Michael Casey

**Thursday, Aug 8**

8:00 am Mass  
† Fanita Rodriguez

**Friday, Aug 9**

7:00 pm Mass  
† Corrado Malandrino  
† Paolo Malandrino

**Saturday, Aug 10**

9:00 am Mass  
† Josie Toporoski  
† Lorenzo Bondi

**Sanctuary Lamp**

August 5-10  
Pro-Populo

Pro Populo



This week, Christ warns us about the dangers of hoarding. Our lives, are, indeed, not about ourselves but about what we do to further God's Reign. Paradoxically, the more we focus on acquiring not just things but also accolades, prestige and such, the less happy we find ourselves. True wealth comes in service, in loving relationships and in gratefully cherishing the gifts God gives us.

**Parish Office Closed**



The parish office will be closed on Monday, **August 5**. In the event of an emergency, please use extension 306. We wish everyone a safe long weekend.

**Mission Co-op**

This weekend we welcome Fr. Andrew Cunha from the Diocese of Lucknow, North India. Seeing the urgent need to educate children with special needs, the diocese has opened 3 schools; they are for the Mentally Challenged, the Visually Impaired and the Hearing & Speech Impaired. It is for these children that we need most help. It is a joy to see them bloom and flourish, however, without your assistance they would be forced to lead miserable and unhappy lives. Your help goes a long way. The Catholic Diocese of Lucknow is ever grateful for your kindness and generous support.



**Knights of Columbus**



For information, our contact address is on the bulletin cover page. We are still collecting pop can tabs in the bucket at the church entrance.

**Mass of the Faithful Departed**

The annual Mass for the Faithful Departed will be held on **Tues-**



**day, August 13 at 7pm** at St. John's Cemetery. In case of inclement weather, the mass will be moved to the church. Please refer to the schedule below for masses at other cemeteries in the Archdiocese held at **7 pm on Wednesday, August 14, 2019:**

**Assumption, Mississauga**  
Most Rev. John A. Boissonneau  
**Holy Cross, Thornhill**

His Eminence Thomas Cardinal Collins  
**Mount Hope, Toronto**  
Rev. Msgr. Robert Nusca

**Queen of Heaven, Woodbridge**  
Most Rev. Robert Kasun, CSB  
**Resurrection, Whitby**  
Rev. Msgr. Vid Vasic

**St. Mary's, Barrie**  
Most Rev. Wayne Kirkpatrick  
**Christ the King, Markham**  
Most Rev. Vincent Nguyen

**Society of St. Vincent de Paul**  
visit our blog at [sjcses.blogspot.com](http://sjcses.blogspot.com)

**Chalice**

**August 17-18** we welcome Deacon Michael Hayes who will speak about

**Let us Pray For THE SICK:**

Noah Delle Cese,  
Alan Botham

**FOR THE DECEASED:**

Luis Kodumal, Victoria Simpson, Jaime España

**Office Summer Schedule**

Monday and Wednesday  
**9:00am-9:00pm**  
(Closed 12pm-1pm & 5pm-6pm)  
Tuesday and Thursday  
**9:00am-5:00pm**  
(Closed 12:00pm-1:00pm)  
Friday and Saturday  
**9:00am-12:00pm**



Through the wonderful generosity of our parishioners, we have been able to achieve our parish goal for 2019. Father Efen, the ShareLife committee and the parish staff would like to extend a heartfelt thanks to our generous parishioners who made this happen. Your generosity will go a long way in providing hope to all of our brothers and sisters in York Region. God Bless you and thank you again for living the Gospel by supporting ShareLife! As of July 12 we are at **107%** of our Goal with a total of **\$95,542** collected. **Congratulations St. John's.**

107%



Chalice: a Canadian Catholic Sponsorship program. He will explain how you can help a destitute child at one of 56 mission sites in 15 developing countries. For more information visit [www.chalice.ca](http://www.chalice.ca)

### Annual Evangelization Event

In honor of Our Lady of Kibeho & St. Josephine Bakhita at Canadian Martyr's Shrine, Midland ON. **Saturday, August 17; 9:30 am—4 pm.** Eucharistic Celebration with Bishop Wayne Kirkpatrick. Information and registration: [contact@ourladyandstbakhita.com](mailto:contact@ourladyandstbakhita.com)

### Backpack Program



The CWL is collecting backpacks and school supplies for donation to the Newmarket Food Pantry. New items only such as backpacks, binders, pens and pencil cases. Young children need crayons and high school students need scientific calculators and math sets. Drop off items inside the Stain Glass Room up to and including the first weekend of September.

### Annual Parish Ministry Conference

This year's theme, Christ, the Sure Foundation: Catholicism in the 21st Century, will explore how parish ministry in the Archdiocese of Toronto can respond to a world that has diverted so far from the spiritual, moral and social foundation given to us by Jesus Christ. **Saturday, Oct. 19** at the Hilton Mississauga/Meadowvale. Visit <https://www.archtoronto.org/foundation> or contact Christine Way Skinner.

### First Reconciliation/ First Eucharist & Confirmation



If your son or daughter wishes to celebrate these sacraments in the coming year, and you missed the orientation sessions, please call or email Christine Way Skinner as soon as possible.

### Parish Website News

If you would like to receive the parish bulletin weekly on-line, visit our parish website and sign up. Please refer to the cover page for website address.



## Mass Intentions

(Next week)

### Saturday, Aug 10

5:00 pm Mass  
7:00 pm Mass (Chinese)

### Sunday, Aug 11

8:30 am Mass  
10:00 am Mass  
12:00 pm Mass  
5:00 pm Mass (Spanish)

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### Tuesday, Aug 13

7:00 pm **Cemetery Mass**

*This mass is at St. John's Cemetery. If it rains, the mass will be held at St. John's Parish.*

### Wednesday, Aug 14

12:00 pm Mass  
Stephen & Thesia Prasad: 50th Wedding Anniversary

### Thursday, August 15

8:00 am Mass

### Friday, August 16

7:00 pm Mass

### Saturday, August 17

9:00 am Mass

## Sanctuary Lamp

August 12-17

Available

## Something Changing This Way Comes

As of **June 26**, our parish now has only one priest. The reality of fewer priests, which is already being experienced in many parts of the world, is now being seen in our Archdiocese. **This will mean necessary changes to some aspects of parish life.** We can meet this change as an obstacle or as an opportunity to grow. Please help by being patient, understanding and "not sweating the small stuff." To ensure that Fr. Efen is available for funerals, weddings, school and nursing home masses, there will be immediate changes to the daily mass schedule including the omission of one daily mass, to allow for one necessary day off. Watch this weekly bulletin as we continue to communicate with you our plans for managing this change.

The following are changes that will be in effect starting July 1:

- ◆ There will be **no masses** on Mondays, including holidays.
- ◆ The mass of anointing will be offered approximately every 3 months and they will be announced a few weeks in advance.
- ◆ All Friday masses will all be at 7pm and **confessions will be offered after mass every Friday.** Confessions will **no longer be heard** on Saturday mornings.

### Weekday Mass Schedule

Tuesday & Friday 7:00pm  
Wednesday 12:00pm  
**(no longer at 12:10pm)**  
Thursday 8:00am  
Saturday 9:00am

## Our Offertory Collection

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

**\$13,200.**


Collection received on  
July 27-28

**Weekly Offertory**  
**\$ 9,261.**

## Moving?

Please remember when you move to let us know so that we can update our files. Also, if you are new to our parish, please register with us and let your old parish know that you have moved so that they too can update their records.





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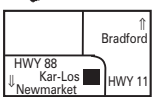
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