



St. John Chrysostom

Roman Catholic Church - Established 1841

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Weekend Masses

Saturday Vigil

5:00 pm

Sunday

9:00 am &

12:00 pm (Spanish)

live streamed only

Weekday Masses

Monday 9:00 am

Tuesday 7:00 pm

Wednesday 12 noon

Thursday 9:00 am

Friday 9:00 am

live streamed only

Communion Service

live streamed only

Saturday: 9:00 am

Exposition

Monday & Wednesday

3pm-7pm

Friday: 1pm-7pm

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Office Hours:

Phone & email only

Monday through Friday 9:00 am to 5:00 pm.

Saturday 9:00 am to 4:00 pm.

Temporarily closed for all in-person visits

Most of the activities listed below have been put on hold or have been adapted to observe COVID-19 regulations. Please contact the parish office if the contact information below does not provide you with the communication you need.

Thank you for your patience.

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 the parish office a minimum of three months before the desired date of Baptism.

First Reconciliation,

First Eucharist, Confirmation

& Christian Initiation-RCIA

Adults wishing to become Catholic, please contact the parish office and ask to speak to the Pastor.

Marriage

Contact the parish office at least one year in advance of the desired date.

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

Postponed until further notice.

Visiting Ministry

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

Volunteer Screening

screening.stjc@gmail.com

Catholic Women's League

President – Madeleine Burke

cwl@stjohnsnewmarket.ca

Knights of Columbus

Grand Knight – Vince Scarfone

facebook.com/kofc6643

knights@stjohnsnewmarket.ca

St. Vincent de Paul

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

Blog: sjcses.blogspot.com

Community Bread

For information, to volunteer or to donate, contact

communitybread@stjohnsnewmarket.ca

Catholic Schools

Canadian Martyrs 905-895-8530

Notre Dame 905-895-5001

St. John Chrysostom 905-895-7411

St. Nicholas 905-895-3777

St. Paul 905-895-4122

Sacred Heart H.S. 905-895-3340

Chaplain: Erica Gismondi

Trustee: Theresa McNicol 905-898-2210

Ascension of the Lord

Mass Intentions

Saturday, May 15

5:00 pm Mass

Sunday, May 16

9:00 am Mass

12:00 pm (Spanish)

Monday, May 17

9:00 am Mass

† Francesco & Domenica
Scaramozzino

◆ Adelina Desamito

Tuesday, May 18

7:00 pm Mass

† Mala Jayawardena

† Giocamina & Aldo
Cuzzolino

Wednesday, May 19

12:00 pm Mass

† Flaminia Minicucci

◆ Escolastica Furtado

Thursday, May 20

9:00 am Mass

† Gunter & Marta
Nuetzmann

◆ Lourdes Halifax

Friday, May 21

9:00 am Mass

† Anna Gogia

† Bill McDonald

SANCTUARY LAMP

MAY 17-22

The Sanctuary Lamp burns
for the Repose of the Soul of
Anna Gogia

WE ASK FOR YOUR PRAYERS

For the Sick:

Ernesto Luna

Vincente Aguila

Jose Alberto Salazar

Jennifer Fantasia

For the Deceased:

Elizabeth Stephen

Victoria Ennamorato

Magna Cerda

*Requests for prayers can be
submitted to the parish office.*



This weekend, the readings describe the ascension of the Lord Jesus into his heavenly glory after he had promised to send the Holy Spirit as the source of heavenly power for his disciples and commanded them to bear witness to him through their lives and preaching throughout the world. But the ascended Jesus is still with us because of His promise, "I am with you always; yes, to the end of time." He is with us at all times and in all places, releasing a new energy upon the earth, the energy of the Holy Spirit.

PROVINCIAL LOCKDOWN CONTINUES



Until at least **June 2, 2021**, as part of the extended stay-at-home order, the following restrictions will be remain in place:

- Parishes must restrict attendance inside the church to 10 people, including priests.
- Public Masses must be temporarily cancelled.
- Churches, wherever possible are encouraged to remain open for private prayer.
- Weddings, funerals, baptisms and reconciliation are restricted to 10 persons, including priest, cantor, etc.
- First Holy Communion and Confirmation are postponed at this time.
- The office will be closed to the public but staff will continue working remotely.
- Elderly parishioners, those with compromised immune systems or other health conditions are strongly encouraged to remain at home and the dispensation from the Sunday Eucharist remains.
- Parishioners are encouraged to view online/livestream/televised Masses. For a full list of Masses available contact:

www.archtoronto.org

PRAY THE ROSARY

During the month of **May**, at **St. John's** the Deacons and their wives will pray the rosary 30 minutes before the **5pm** and **9am** masses on the weekend. Parishioners are invited to join us livestream.



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE



The Catholic Women's League of the Archdiocese of Toronto celebrated its 100th Anniversary on **May 15**. The first Convention was held in 1921. Once Covid 19 restrictions allow, we will celebrate together. We thank all the women of our parish who continue to participate and support our organization and our parish community. Thank you.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Our state council has created an online 50/50 draw to help us raise money for those who rely on the Knights of Columbus for financial assistance. If you can, please copy and paste the link below into your browser and help us to continue to help those in need. Thank you for your generosity.



<https://bit.ly/32Gy5fa>

INDIA'S COVID-19 OUTBREAK

India is reeling from a devastating COVID-19 outbreak. The Archdiocese of Toronto is sending donations through Development and Peace to Caritas Internationalis. Those wishing to help may do so:



- Online through www.archtoronto.org
- By phone through the Development Office 416-934-3411
- Through the parish, making cheques payable to:
St. John Chrysostom Parish
India's COVID-19 Outbreak
Disaster Relief

To learn more about Caritas' work in India, copy and paste the link into your browser.

<http://bit.ly/CaritasIndiaRelief>

Humanitarian Relief Envelopes are available at the entrance of the church for your donations. Thank you for your continued support and generosity.

"U R GIFTED TO GIVE!"



Every Saturday in **May** at **12pm** join Fr. Matt McCarthy and discover your gifts and how to use them for God's greater glory. **May 15:** Woundedness Is No Obstacle to Giving. **May 22:** Listening to the Spirit.

Submit questions or for Information:

www.ph500toronto.com

Facebook:

www.facebook.com/500yocTO

YouTube:

<http://bit.ly/GiftedToGive>

NEW BEGINNINGS

Online Support 4 week Programs. Bereavement Separated & Divorced
Contact: Arcangelo Limanni,



MRE (416) 921-1163 ext. 2225 or email:

alimanni@cfstoronto.com

CATHOLIC FAMILY SERVICES

Online counselling services available for individuals, couples or families. Leave a message with your name, email and phone number and a staff person will contact you. Call: 416-921-1163 or email at: info@cfstoronto.com



SHARELIFE SPEAKER SERIES



Increased struggles with mental health, anxiety and depression during the pandemic? Children, youth and adults are invited to a 23 minute presentation followed by a Q&A period hosted by mental health expert Elizabeth Pierce. **May 27-7pm-8pm.** Register at: <http://bit.ly/sharelifementalhealth>

RECLAIMING LOVE 2021

Author Jason Evert speaking 'the truth in love', shows us how the recognition of what our biology reveals helps us to understand who God created us to be and accompany others on their life's journey. **May 20, 7-8:30pm.** Contact:



416-934-3400 ext-569 or email:

aparente@archtoronto.org

MARRIAGE PREP COURSES



Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre, call or email for details on their **2021** course programs. Contact: 905-278-5229 or email:

office@qoa.ca

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

The parish office will remain closed until **June 2** as per COVID 19 lockdown restrictions. Visitors can continue to drop all envelopes into the mailbox at the rectory door located at the rear of the church or into the white collection box inside the church if visiting for Private Prayer. We will continue responding to incoming calls and emails Monday through Friday **9am to 5pm** & Saturdays **9am to 4pm.** Thank you for your patience.



MASS INTENTIONS

Private Mass Intentions are now available Monday through Friday at all weekday Masses. Please call the parish office if you would like to book a Mass Intention.



RECTORY MAIL BOX

Weekly donation envelopes can still be dropped off in the mail box at the entrance of the Rectory located at the rear of the church. Copies of the bulletin are available every weekend, in the church, or outside the Rectory door throughout the week and the following weekends.




Blessed Virgin Mary

THE MEMORARE

Remember,
O most gracious
Virgin Mary, that never
was it known, that anyone
who fled to thy protection,
implored thy help
or sought thy intercession,
was left unaided.
Inspired by this confidence,
I fly unto thee,
O Virgin of virgins,
my Mother.
To thee I come,
before thee I stand,
sinful and sorrowful.
O Mother of the
Word Incarnate,
despise not my petition,
but in thy mercy
hear and answer me.
Amen.



VOCATIONS

 Before the Ascension, Jesus tells His Apostles not to leave Jerusalem - to wait - to pray for the Holy Spirit to show them God's will for their future. Where is the Holy Spirit leading you? If you feel that you are being led to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call: Fr. Matt McCarthy:

416-968-0997

vocations@archtoronto.org

St. John Chrysostom
Pray for us

THE TEN PRINCIPAL VIRTUES OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN



St. Louis De Montfort taught that knowledge of Mary was key to the spiritual life. We learn from the Miracle at Cana, Our Lady knows our needs before we do, this is why we entrust ourselves to her. Our Lady is full of Grace, not for herself, but for us. She knows what is best for us and is always aligned with God's Will. However, often it is our sin that gets in the way. St Louis guides us to follow Our Lady and she will guide us away from sin. We follow the Blessed Virgin thru imitation of her virtues: her profound humility, her lively faith, her blind obedience, her continual mental prayer, her mortification in all things, her surpassing purity, her ardent charity, her heroic patience, her angelic sweetness, and her divine wisdom. In this way we can unite ourselves to Jesus through Mary.

PRAYER TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

Come, Holy Spirit,
come by means
of the powerful
intercession of the
Immaculate Heart of Mary,
your most beloved spouse.
(Repeat 3 times)



PRIVATE PRAYER

Private Prayer and Eucharistic Adoration: Mondays & Wednesdays **3pm to 7pm** and Fridays **1pm to 7pm**. Registration is mandatory and limited to 10 parishioners per hour.

PRAY THE ROSARY

Every Sunday in **May** at **7:30pm** join Pope Francis' invitation to dedicate the month of May to praying the rosary for an end to the COVID-19 pandemic. Visit:

<http://bit.ly/CCRCTorontoFacebook>

<http://bit.ly/CCRCTorontoYouTube>

www.ccrctoronto.com



CCRC'S ROSARY SUNDAYS

Every Sunday in **May** at **7:30pm** join Pope Francis' invitation to dedicate the month of May to praying the rosary for an end to the COVID-19 pandemic. Visit:

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www.ccrctoronto.com

ROSARY MARATHON

Join St. Anthony of Padua Parish to pray the scriptural rosary every Saturday in **May**. visit:

<https://stanthonyofpaduabr.archtoronto.org>

CONNECT WITH MOTHER MARY

Parents and children, every Saturday at **7pm**, join Kids Connect special program honouring Jesus' mother by connecting her with kids throughout the month of May via the Catholic Charismatic Renewal Council of the Archdiocese of Toronto; visit:

childrenministryccrc@gmail.com



COMMUNION SERVICES

Parishioners are invited to register online through Eventbrite, or call the parish office to register for a Communion Service, *in the church*, on either a Saturday or Sunday. This is not an invitation to attend a regular scheduled weekend Mass, but rather an invitation to attend a Communion Service ONLY. You must be willing to adhere to the following rules.



- Register online or by calling the parish office.
- Maximum of 9 people per Communion Service.
- Seating will not be available
- Washrooms will not be available.
- Only people on the Registration list will be allowed entry.
- Walk-ins' will not be allowed.

Saturday May 15, 22, 29

3:00pm, 3:15pm, 3:30pm,
3:45pm, 4:00pm, 6:15pm,
6:30pm, 6:45pm.

Sunday May 16, 23, 30

10:15am, 10:30am, 10:45am,
11:00am, 11:15am, 1:15pm,
1:30pm, 1:45pm.

SUPPORT YOUR PARISH

We want to thank all the parishioners of St. John's for their ongoing support during this period of great uncertainty. It has been wonderful to see so many of you join us for Private Pray, Eucharistic Adoration and the Communion Services. We are especially grateful to the volunteers who have helped ensure our church is a safe place to gather; they have done incredible work! Our primary concern is the health and well-being of our parishioners. However, once again these difficult circumstances show just how important the offertory is to the life of our parish. The reality is that our parish relies on the sacrificial giving of our parishioners to operate. There are several ways that parishioners can continue to support the parish. Mail your regular weekly offertory contribution to the parish office or contribute through pre-authorized giving. PAG forms are available on our parish website and at the entrance of the church. If you have any questions please contact the parish accounting office. Thank you for your continued support and generosity.



STEWARDSHIP SUMMARY BEING AUTHENTIC STEWARDS

Before His ascension, Jesus tells His apostles, and us, to go into the world and spread the Gospel. To be authentic stewards we can't hang up our faith on the door as if it were a jacket we took off when we walked into the office. Rather, we should realize that living as a disciple of Christ at all times and showcasing the joy of being a Catholic is perhaps the greatest good we can do in evangelizing our neighbour.



OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

Offertory envelopes for 2021 are available at the entrance of the church or call the Parish Office to arrange to pick up a box.

MYSTERIOUS PERSONS

If you use Envelope # 46, 195 or 242 contact the parish office for missing information.

OUR OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Collection received on

May 8-9

Offertory

\$ 7,142.

MAINTENANCE FUND

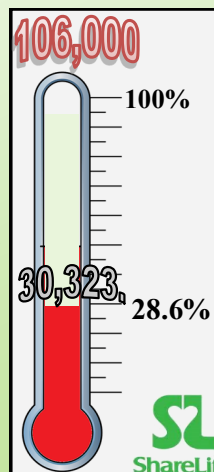
We remind everyone that this weekend, **May 15-16** we have our collection to help maintain our church property.



LIVING THE GOSPEL BY SHARING OUR BLESSINGS LIVING THE GOSPEL LOCALLY AND AROUND THE WORLD

"You; the clergy, religious and lay faithful of the Archdiocese haven't forgotten the needs of your neighbours. "Thank you to our pastors and parish staff who have continued to educate the faithful about the work of ShareLife agencies." Cardinal Thomas Collins. Our Goal this year is **\$106,000**. St. John's has reached **28.6%** of that Goal with a total of **\$30,323.00** collected.

Thank you ! For supporting ShareLife!



Report on the work of the Newmarket Society of St. Vincent de Paul for the year 2020.

1 May 2020

Dear Fellow Parishioners.

First of all, thank you for your continued financial support. Combined, the people of Newmarket donated \$125,857 toward the work of our society in 2020 - almost all of that money coming from the parishioners of the two Newmarket parishes of St John Chrysostom and St Elizabeth Seton. This was an amazingly generous response in the circumstances. So, how did we use the \$119,889 that we spent of your donations?

Our Conference offers four main ways of helping the families and individuals in need who come to us:

1. **Good Food Box:** A monthly package of fresh vegetables and fruit valued at \$15 from the York Region Food Network; larger families in need may receive this twice per month. In 2020 we sponsored 748 of these Good Food Boxes - \$11,220.
2. **Grocery Food Cards (Food Basics/Metro):** Families and individuals in need also need to buy other groceries not available in the Good Food Box and may request food cards from our Society for this purpose *once every 3 months* - \$20 per family member plus \$20 for the household. *Is this enough? Of course not, but it is all our budget will allow at present.* In 2020 we distributed food cards to a total value of \$39,100 to 228 different families and individuals in need. However, if we are to increase the frequency of grocery aid from every 3 months to every 2 months, we would need to budget an extra \$19,550 - an increase of 50%.
3. **Christmas Programs:** This last year, pandemic constraints forced us to abandon the traditional way of selecting stars from the Giving Tree and bringing gifts. Nevertheless, your financial gifts this past Christmas enabled us to provide Christmas cheer for approx. 280 individuals who are seniors, shut-ins or families in shelters. In addition, your contributions to our Christmas Program for families with children enabled 136 of our families in need to buy food and gifts for 195 adults and 307 children. We reported separately on this already in January of this year. The total value of these two programs was \$53,181.
4. **Special Needs:** They say that most families in Canada are just one, two or three pay cheques away from being homeless. Sometimes a family finds themselves in a crunch and needs a leg up or a helping hand to keep their home (for example) or to have a decent bed for a senior with a health condition. We have a budget of \$500 per month to help one or two such families at a time.

Last year it is estimated that your Vincentians, all volunteers who see their work as a ministry to the Body of Christ, spent over 4,000 hours ensuring that your donations went to the people who needed assistance, especially food assistance – for the low cost of only 2% on administration.

If being a Vincentian sounds like something you would be interested in finding out more about, please call our food assistance line and leave a message: (905)898-4264. Someone will get back to you within a few days. We are especially in need of men and married couples.

To support us financially, you can DONATE (once-off or monthly) by credit card by going to our web site:
<https://sjcsees.blogspot.com/p/donate.html>

Shalom
Terry McCann
President
St John Chrysostom/St Elizabeth Seton Conference



"I was hungry..." Society of St Vincent de Paul, St John Chrysostom/St Elizabeth Seton Conference

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