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Weekend Masses

Saturday Vigil 5:00 pm

Sunday

8:30 am 10:00 am

12:00 pm Spanish

Weekday Masses

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

Live-stream available

First Friday

Mass at 7:00 pm No morning Mass on First Friday

Reconciliation

Saturdays after 9am Mass or by appointment

Office Hours:

Monday through Friday 9:00 am to 5:00 pm Saturday 9:00 am to 12:00 pm

Office closed Monday through Friday 12 pm -1 pm for lunch

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. Parents/Guardians must be registered parishioners and are required to attend the in-person Baptism preparation class accompanied by godparents.

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

ScreeningSTJC@archtoronto.org

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 or 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

Mass Intentions

SEPTEMBER 3-10

Saturday, September 3

5:00 pm Mass

Sunday, September 4

8:30 am10:00am Mass 12:00pm Mass (Spanish)

† Rafael Villarroel Ruiz

Monday, September 5

8:00 am Mass

♦ Ginger Halifax

Tuesday, September 6 7:00 pm Mass

- † Rose Gerrard
- **†** Mark & Elizabeth Stephen

Wednesday, September 7

- 12:00 pm Mass
- † David Broughton
- + Sharron Cooke

Thursday, September 8 8:00 am Mass-Nativity of Mary

Friday, September 9

8:00 am Mass

† Patrick Thomas Byrne

Saturday, September 10 9:00 am Mass

♦ Lourdes Halifax

SANCTUARY LAMP



September 5-10 For the Repose of the Soul of Allan Williams

In many places of worship a lamp signifies our constant prayer. The sanctuary lamp is an opportunity to let it burn for a particular prayer or intention. Call us if you wish to make an offering for your intentions.

LET US PRAY FOR



THE SICK

Edward Follows John Sammut

THE RECENTLY DECEASED

William Martin John Way David Broughton Deacon Bill Plaus Sharron Cooke



If we're serious about being Christians, let's get our priorities straight. We need to reflect on what those are, and make a decision. If we decide we are Christians, put Jesus first. Our Christianity isn't just a label; it's a way of life. It's a relationship with Jesus, and we must put Him first. That's why Jesus says, "you cannot be My disciple unless you give up all your possessions." So, be prepared to let things go. Saint Mother Teresa left her family. St Therese of Lisieux gave up a comfortable life. St Katherine Drexel gave up a huge inheritance. Jesus Christ sacrificed his life. What are you prepared to let go? Put Jesus first. Everything else will fall into place.

OFFICE CLOSED



We remind everyone that the Parish Office will be closed Monday, September 5 for Labour Day.

Morning Mass will be celebrated at 8am as scheduled. Please Ioin us.

CATHOLIC WOMENS LEAGUE



The next general meeting is on September 20 after the 7pm Mass. The Mass intention will be for Maureen

Bunce deceased member of our council. Please join us. School supplies can be placed in the basket at the back of the church. Your donation will be distributed to the Newmarket Food Bank. We are still in need of members to help with the Welcome Back BBQ after the 10am Mass on September 18. Please contact Madeleine Burke.

WELCOME BACK BBQ



Our Knights of Columbus in collaboration with our Catholic Women's League are hosting a Welcome Back

BBQ Sunday, September 18 at 11am. Please mark your calendars and join us.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



Your local conference of SSVP is looking for a Volunteer Treasurer. Time commitment would be 2 - 3 hours per month. Training will be provided. For more information, please

contact Terry McCann (905) 251terrycmccann@gmail.com. 6793

St. John's Choir



All those interested in joining the St. John's choir are invited to audition. Choir rehearsals are held Satur-

days from 3pm to 4pm, in preparation for the **Sunday 10am** Mass. Volunteer screening will be required. Interested singers please contact Choir Director Craig Garnham at:

garnham.dm@gmail.com.

CONSECRATION 10.000 PROJECT



33-DAY ONLINE COURSE HOSTED BY THE HERALDS OF THE GOSPEL On September 8 and October 13, the Heralds of

the Gospel want to make a gift to Our Lady: 10,000 people doing the Consecration to Jesus through the Immaculate Heart of Mary following the method of St. Louis de Montfort via an online platform you can use at home, at your own pace. Join thousands on a most beautiful journey of 33 days through this free online course. For more information contact Heralds of the Gospel at : www.heralds.ca

phone: 1-800-674-3410 email: heralds@heralds.ca and Register at: https://bitly/ConsecrationHeralds10000

GIVING THE GIFT OF OURSELVES



As the new school year is beginning and many ministries in the parish are gear-

ing up for a new year, we should ask ourselves, how can we lend our time and gifts to serve others. Let's take today's Gospel message to heart.

Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary Thursday, September 8



Prayer for the Feast of the Birth of Mary

God Our Father, give Your chosen people Your help and strength. The birth of the Virgin Mary's son was the dawn of our salvation. May our celebration of Her nativity bring us closer to lasting peace and may the virtues that she modeled develop in our lives, to love You and our neighbors more perfectly. May her faith always guide us to you. We ask this-entrusting our prayers to the intercession of Mary, most holy-through Christ our Lord, Amen.

Mass will be celebrated at 8am on Thursday, September 8. Parishioners are invited to join us. Recitation of the Rosary will follow the Mass.



2023 First Holy Communion Registration Starts Tuesday, September 6, 2022

Deadline is September 30, 2022 at 5:00 pm

FIRST COMMUNION 2023



Registration Begins Sept 6 and Closes Sept 30 at 5pm. We are excited to inform all anxious parents that the 2023 First Holy Communion Registration Pro-

gram will begin September 6. Your email request to the parish office will provide you with an online Pre-Registration Form. Registration will Close Sept 30 at 5pm. Your request may be made Starting Sept 6, by contacting us at:

905-898-4137 or email:

parish.office@stjohnsnewmarket.ca

CONFIRMATION 2023



Registration for the 2023 Con**firmation** program will begin in **October 2022**. We strongly urge parents to subscribe to the parish bulletin so as not to miss the

announcement when Registration opens. Registration dates will be sent to the catholic schools affiliated with St. John's Church, however, it is the responsibility of the parents to be active and alert to avoid disappointment. To subscribe to the parish bulletin, click on the link below:

https://bit.ly/39DPuwc

VOCATIONS



Having a loose grasp on those things that rightly belong to God is required of every follower. The open hands you are left with will be filled by God and overflowing. Can you let go? If God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations Archdiocese of Toronto: 416-968-0997 / email: vocations @archtoronto.org

HOLY MASS IN CHINESE RESUMES



St. John Chrysostom Parish is excited to announce the return of the Holy Mass in Chinese each Saturday at 7pm starting September 10. We invite you to join us. All are Welcome.

Please Join Us

OUR OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Collection received on August 27-28

\$7,623.

2022 Offertory Envelope user # 338, 384 or 402 please contact the parish office.

Thank you

Season of Creation

Creator of All,

From your communion of love your Word went forth to create a symphony of life that sings your praise. By your Holy Wisdom you made the Earth to bring forth a diversity of creatures who praise you in their being. Day after day they pour forth speech; night after night they reveal knowledge. You called human beings to till and keep your garden. You placed us into right relationships with each creature so that we could listen to their voices and learn how to safeguard the conditions for life. But we turn in on ourselves and away from our co-creatures. We close our ears to the counsel of our fellow creatures. We fail to listen to the cries of the poor and the needs of the most vulnerable. We silence the voices of those who hold the traditions that teach us to care for the Earth. We close our ears to your creative, reconciling and sustaining Word that calls to us through the Scriptures. We lament the loss of our fellow species and their habitats that will never speak again. We grieve the loss of human cultures, along with the lives and

livelihoods that have been displaced or perished. Creation cries out as forests crackle, and animals alike flee the fires of injustice that we have lit by our unwillingness to listen. In this Season of Creation, we pray that you would call to us, as from the burning bush, with the sustaining fire of your Spirit. Breathe upon us.

Open our ears and move our hearts. Turn us from our inward gaze. Teach us to contemplate vour creation and listen for the voice of each creature declaring your glory. For "faith comes from hearing." Give us hearts to listen for the good news of your promise to renew the face of the Earth. Enlighten us with the grace to follow the Way of Christ as we learn to walk lightly upon this holy ground. Fill us with the hope to quench the fires of injustice with the light of your healing love that sustains our common home. In the name of the One who came to proclaim good news to all creation, Jesus Christ. Amen.



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