



# St. John Chrysostom

Roman Catholic Church - Established 1841

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## Weekend Masses

### Saturday Vigil

5:00 pm  
7:00 pm Chinese

### 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

## Pastoral & Office Staff

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## 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](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

Postponed until further notice

## Visiting Ministry

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

## Volunteer Screening

[ScreeningSTJC@archtoronto.org](mailto:ScreeningSTJC@archtoronto.org)

## Catholic Women's League

President – Madeleine Burke

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Chaplain: Erica Gismondi

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# Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Mass Intentions

OCTOBER 1-8

**Saturday, October 1**

5:00 pm Mass ✘ Pro Populo

**Sunday, October 2**

8:30 am Mass } Pro  
10:00am Mass } Populo

12:00pm Mass (Spanish)

† Georgina Vilchez

† Basta Viviana Diaz

† Raúl Díaz

**Monday, October 3**

8:00 am Mass

† Michael Almeida

**Tuesday, October 4**

7:00 pm Mass

† Michael Almeida

† Maria Ines Luiz Leon

**Wednesday, October 5**

12:00 pm Mass

† Frank Miholic

† Susan Abrahams

**Thursday, October 6**

8:00 am Mass

† David Broughton

◆ Lourdes Halifax

**Friday, October 7**

7:00 pm First Friday Mass

† William Martin

† Ruth & Maxwell Broughton

**Saturday, October 8**

9:00 am Mass

† Joseph Greenwood

### SANCTUARY LAMP

Oct 3-8

For the Repose of  
the Soul of  
Lilian Chin-Taw

### LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK

Madeleine Anta

### THE RECENTLY DECEASED

Tyler Perrete-Swirla

Michael Almeida

Wendy Roncone

Joseph Shibley

William Martin

John Way

Deacon Bill Plaus



The stark contrast between the smallest of seeds and the immensity of a mountain range is a powerful one. In today's gospel reading, Jesus uses the concept of "the smallest of things" to illustrate the point that when it comes to faith, size does not matter. God is great. He will bring the impossible within reach. Watch Him move that mountain. All we need is a little faith.

### PARISH VITALITY & STEWARDSHIP



Do you feel that God is calling you to share your time and talent by volunteering in our parish? If so, come to our Parish Ministry Fair, learn about the opportunities available and have your questions answered. This weekend **Oct 1-2** after the all Masses. We hope to see you there.

### ST. JOHN'S CHOIR



All those interested in joining the St. John's choir are invited to attend our Choir rehearsals held **Saturdays** 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](mailto:garnham.dm@gmail.com).

### CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE



Next CWL general meeting is **October 18** after Mass. All ladies of the parish are welcome to attend. The Snowflake Bazaar is **November 19**. Donation of items for prizes is appreciated. More information to come.

### 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) 251-6793 [terrycmccann@gmail.com](mailto:terrycmccann@gmail.com).

### PARISH HEADCOUNT SURVEY



On the weekends of **October 15-16** and **October 22/23**, we will be conducting a head count survey for the Archdiocese. An accurate account of the number of people attending is very important.

### HOLY MASS IN CHINESE



St. John Chrysostom Parish has resumed celebrating the Holy Mass in Chinese each **Saturday** at **7pm**. We invite you to join us.

### CONSECRATION 10,000 PROJECT



**33-DAY ONLINE COURSE HOSTED BY THE HERALDS OF THE GOSPEL.** On 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:

[www.heralds.ca](http://www.heralds.ca)

phone: 1-800-674-3410

email: [heralds@heralds.ca](mailto:heralds@heralds.ca) and Register at: <https://bit.ly/ConsecrationHeralds10000>

### BENEVOLENT FUND COLLECTION



We remind everyone that next weekend, **October 8-9**, there is a collection for the **Benevolent Fund**. This is a parish effort to assist those in unusual yet legitimate occasional need.

### SPECIAL DONATION ENVELOPES



We remind everyone to please use the appropriate envelope for the campaign to which you would like to donate. The pink Visitor envelope is only used if you are visiting from another parish or if you forgot your envelope at home. Please do not use the ShareLife or St. Vincent de Paul envelopes for the regular collection. Thank you.

## CONFIRMATION 2023



Registration for the 2023 Confirmation Program begins **October 3, 2022**. If you wish your child to receive this sacrament, please email the parish office. You will be provided with a pre-registration form. Deadline is **5PM-October 31, 2022**

## Sacrament of Confirmation

Registration  
OPEN

Registration **CLOSES**  
**October 31, 2022 at 5pm**

### THE GIFT OF FAITH



It is often difficult in our own secular society to believe all of the increasingly counter-cultural teachings of the Church. This is why we too need to earnestly implore the Lord for more faith. Let us set aside time each day to pray to the Father the same words found in the Gospel today, "increase our Faith!"

### ALL SOULS DAY



All Souls envelopes are now available at the entrance of the church for those who wish to include them in the Mass Intention of All Souls Day. These envelopes can be dropped into the white collection box at the entrance of the church or into the rectory mailbox on or before All Souls Day, **Nov 2**. The names will be collected and displayed **during the month of November** at all Sunday Masses after communion. We ask that all names be clearly written on the envelope.

### ROSARY COAST TO COAST



This year, Rosary Coast to Coast will be held on **Sunday, October 9**. Pray the Chaplet of the Divine Mercy, the Holy Rosary and Consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. Gather the children of the world to pray together through the recitation of the Rosary, ideally in the presence of our Eucharistic Jesus in our churches. If not possible, pray at home with your families and prayer groups.

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION



Share one hour with our Lord. Adoration is one way you can make prayer and spending time with Jesus a greater priority in your life. Quiet your heart and your mind. Join us each Friday afternoon in the church for Eucharistic Adoration **1pm-6pm**. Rosary, Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Benediction **6pm-7pm**. Love Incarnate. Waiting for you.

## Season of Creation



During the Season of Creation, Christians worldwide are listening to the voice of Creation. We invite you to tune in to your senses and really listen.

Why the voice of Creation? These voices have been muted for far too long:

- ◆ The voices of Indigenous Peoples
- ◆ The voices of our suffering sisters and brothers
- ◆ The voices of all members of God's creation
- ◆ The voice of the Earth

The Heavens are telling the Glory of God...their voice is not heard; yet their voice goes out through all the Earth and their words to the end of the world. —Ps 19:1-4

Creation never stops proclaiming. But are we listening? Join our Global Family from **Sept. 1-Oct 4** and Listen to the voice of creation.

[www.seasonofcreation.org](http://www.seasonofcreation.org)  
#seasonofcreation

### VOCATIONS



"Increase our faith." Listen for the voice of God. Are you being called to be a priest, deacon or religious brother or sister? If God is calling you, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations Archdiocese of Toronto: **416-968-0997**

[vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org)

## October: Rosary Month



The practice of dedicating the entire month of October each year, to the Most Holy Rosary developed toward the end of the last century. This is primarily due to the fact that the liturgical feast of Our Lady of the Rosary is celebrated annually on **October 7**. It was instituted to honor the Blessed Virgin Mary in gratitude for the protection she gives the Church in answer to the praying of the Rosary by the faithful. Pope Leo XIII (papacy: 1878-1903) strongly promoted the devotion to the Blessed Mother by encouraging the constant use of the Rosary. Please pray the Rosary this month.

### OUR OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Collection received on  
**September 24-25**

**\$8,136.**

2022 Offertory Envelope  
user # **338, 384, 402 or 420**  
please contact  
the Parish Office.

*Thank you*

# St. John Chrysostom Ministries

## MUSIC

We have two primary roles. Cantors and choir members. Cantors lead the congregation by proclaiming the word of God through song. Choir members add to the congregation by singing hymns in unison or in parts. Now and then singing stuff on their own. Both roles rehearse once a week in the church to deepen your understanding in music and prayer, but extra practise may be needed! If you have a pleasant singing voice, you do not need to know how to read music, but it is definitely an asset. Contact information Joseph Follows stjc.mainoffice4@gmail.com

## CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

The Catholic Women's League of Canada is the united voice of all Catholic women. The Catholic Women's League calls its members to grow in faith and to witness to the love of God through ministry and service. In St. John's we have been active for over 100 years. Meetings are after the 7pm Mass on the third Tuesday of the month. Check out the bulletin and our Facebook page for more information. We invite you to attend a meeting and find out more about us. Contact: cwl@stjohnsnewmarket.ca

## ST. JOHN'S PRAYER GROUP

Come and see. All are welcome. The Prayer Group meetings are informal, balancing teaching, sharing, Scripture and prayer. The meetings are designed to help participants establish, re-establish or deepen their faith and to experience God's life and love in their relationship with the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. Meetings take place every Wednesday in St. John Chrysostom Parish Church from 7:30 pm to 9:00 pm. For further information please call Angela at 905-235-0667 or Kathleen at 905-853-5301.

## LEGION OF MARY

The Legion of Mary, is an Apostolic organization of Lay Catholics made up of Active members and Auxiliary (praying members). We meet once a week with a program of prayer and service with the Holy Spirit working through Mary Our Mother. The Legion of Mary was founded by Frank Duff in Ireland September 7, 1921 and now has over 3 million members around the world. We go out in pairs and are assigned 2 hours of work each week. Visitation projects, promote the Rosary and other spiritual needs of the Parish. Membership is open to any practising Catholics who would like to draw closer to Jesus and Mary are welcome to join. All you need is a willingness to Sacrifice some time and energy for the Greatest Reason in the world your Love of God.

## EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER OF HOLY COMMUNION

**Who:** A Catholic lay person who assists in the distribution of Holy Communion during mass in a reverent and holy manner. Ministers should show the greatest reverence for the Most Holy Eucharist by their demeanor, their attire and the manner in which they handle the consecrated bread or wine. **Frequency:** On a rotating schedule for Saturday and Sunday liturgies. The more ministers there are the less frequent your rotation. **Training:** training will be provided as to procedure and the Archdiocese offers more in-depth training if wanted. Contact: Sue Lubowitz jslubowitz@gmail.com

## SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul is a lay Catholic organization whose mission it is to serve Christ in the poor with love, respect, justice and joy, and to help shape a more just and compassionate society. Volunteers with the Society endeavour to treat each person who comes to us with deep respect, recognizing everyone's God given dignity. Our local conference provides food assistance with fresh vegetables, fruit and groceries. We also offer a Christmas program, and assistance with special needs. To find out more, phone (905) 898-4264 and leave a message.

## MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY

Minister of Hospitality is used broadly to include men and women who serve in the liturgical ministries of Usher or Greeter. Their role is crucial because it is so visible in the Church. Their attitude, conduct and even their appearance directly affects, either positively or negatively, the experience of the faithful at Mass. Ministers of Hospitality seat latecomers; collect the offerings of the people; direct the communion procession in an orderly way; assist those with special needs (especially in emergencies such as evacuations); are aware of locations of emergency supplies, defibrillator, and exits. If interested, please contact the Parish Office at 905-898-4137.

## COUNTING MINISTRY

Are you comfortable with numbers? Can we show you the money? Counting the weekly collections requires someone comfortable with handling numbers and money. The commitment would be approximately 3 hours once every 5 weeks and you would be part of a team of 3 fellow parishioners and training will be provided. If interested in sharing your talents please contact Pauline at 905-895-9226.

# St. John Chrysostom Ministries

## MINISTRY OF THE WORD

As part of the Ministry of the Word, you take an active part of the liturgy by proclaiming the Word of God to your fellow parishioners. Being part of the Ministry of the Word not only provides a service to the parish, but also deepens your own understanding and connection to the Word. The time commitment for this Ministry is minimal. On average, lectors are asked to read at one mass per month. Joining the Ministry of the Word means joining a welcoming, collaborative, and supportive group.

Contact: [lectors.stjc@gmail.com](mailto:lectors.stjc@gmail.com)

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Founded on the principles of charity, unity and fraternity, the Knights of Columbus was established in 1882 by Father Michael J. McGivney, assistant pastor of St. Mary's Church in New Haven, Conn., and a group of parishioners. Today, the Council out of St. John's is dedicated to helping our local community and parish. Through money raised we donated the monitor in the Parish, the fridge in the hall and the BBQ. The Knights meet once a month and spend an hour meeting to discuss upcoming charity events and socializing as brothers of the church. Interested in joining, check out our Facebook page.

## CHILDREN'S LITURGY

We are looking for people who can help with the children's liturgy. Duties include speaking and guiding children on the liturgy of the word or assisting in doing so. Two volunteers are mandatory at all times with the children. Ideally with enough volunteers one Sunday a month or less will be required. If interested, please contact the Parish Office at 905-898-4137.

## COMMUNITY BREAD

Community Bread serves an average of 100 meals every Monday night. Each team of 10-12 volunteers prepares and serves a hot dinner to community members who may be food insecure or need some social contact. Our current five teams rotate weekly and on their scheduled night will volunteer between the hours of 1:30 pm and 6:30 pm. depending on their personal schedules. Team members truly appreciate the social benefits when working with their friends and sometimes family members too, but more importantly, they know they are making a difference.

## SLIDE ADVANCERS

This new ministry serves not just the parishioners attending mass in person, but also those watching the mass from home. By providing an opportunity for all parishioners to easily follow along with and participate in the hymns and prayers, you enhance the experience of the mass for your fellow parishioners.

The time commitment is dependent upon the number of members within this ministry (currently 2-3 masses per month), but does not require any time commitments outside of mass (i.e., no preparation work required). Contact: [emilyana\\_filardo@rogers.com](mailto:emilyana_filardo@rogers.com)

## VISITING MINISTRY

### Visiting Ministry at Southlake Hospital

This ministry serves the community by bringing the Holy Eucharist to Roman Catholic patients who are in Southlake hospital. When people are in the hospital feelings of anxiety can run high, patients are scared and feel alone. Bringing Communion offers patients a sense of peace, they realize they are not alone and that God is with them. Volunteers visit the hospital on Wednesdays and Sundays up to 2.5hrs per shift. You can volunteer for one shift a week or as little as once month. Volunteers visit in pairs.

### Home Visits

In pairs, we visit the homebound usually once a week or as requested. We read the day's gospel, give communion and pray the appropriate prayers. Afterwards a short social visit is often welcomed.

Depending on the number of people to visit this could take one to two hours per week.

### Long Term Care Homes

We visit these facilities once a week to distribute communion from room to room and at some places we also pray a rosary in a group. Once a month we celebrate a communion service or a mass when a priest is available. We also have music volunteers to add to the celebration. The time commitment for these visits is one to two hours a week.

### Retirement Homes

We visit two places each week to distribute communion after the residents view the Daily TV mass or in the chapel. If there are requests to see individuals we go to their suites. This is under an hour commitment



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