



St. John Chrysostom

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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
1:30 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

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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

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

Catholic Women's League

President – Madeleine Burke

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Knights of Columbus

Grand Knight – Vince Scarfone

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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

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions

NOVEMBER 12-19

Saturday, November 12

5:00 pm Mass ✘ Pro Populo

7:00 pm Mass (Chinese)

Sunday, November 13

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

1:30pm Mass (Spanish)

† Victor Hugo Alvarado

Monday, November 14

8:00 am Mass

Tuesday, November 15

7:00 pm Mass

† Catholic Women's League

† John Way

Wednesday, November 16

12:00 pm Mass

† Past Legion Members

† Francesco Stilo

Thursday, November 17

8:00 am Mass

† Ernest Luna

◆ Lourdes Halifax

Friday, November 18

8:00 am Mass

Saturday, November 19

9:00 am Mass

† Gerry Hearty

† Deceased Members of the
Colalillo Family

SANCTUARY LAMP

Nov 14-Nov 19

For the Holy Souls
in Purgatory

LET US PRAY FOR

THE SICK

John Sammut

THE RECENTLY DECEASED

Madeleine Anta

Saviour Agius

Donato de Franco

Mary Ann Slattery

Tyler Perret-Swirla

Michael Almeida

William Martin

John Way



In today's Gospel, Jesus is reminding us: we don't belong to this world. We shouldn't dwell too much on worldly things. They will all pass away. Focus instead on the only things that ultimately really matter: love, compassion, forgiveness, understanding.

These things are eternal. These make a difference. They are the only things we take with us into the next life. Yes, we *will* experience hardship and suffering--earthquakes, famines, plagues, sickness, wars, cruelty, injustice. But Jesus promised us everlasting life in heaven. Let us live in confidence that no matter what happens, we'll always remain secure in God's warmth and love. In the meantime, don't lose faith and don't be afraid (Josh.1:9).

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE



Our Annual **Snowflake Bazaar** will be held **November 19** from **9am-2pm**. Donation of items will only be accepted on **Friday Nov.18**. **White elephant** sale items **9am to 1pm** - upper level of the hall, other items in the hall downstairs **9am-6pm**. Baking can also be brought the morning of the bazaar. You may bring items to the meeting **November 15**. Christmas Dinner tickets are **\$35** each and will be available. For more information contact:

madeleineburke16@gmail.com

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



The Knights Breakfasts are coming back! Please join us on **December 4** for a pancake breakfast in support of St. Vincent de Paul. Tickets are only \$10 each (children under 12 are free) and will be sold before and after each mass. We are excited to be back in action and we hope to see you on **December 4**.

SHEPHERD'S TRUST COLLECTION



This weekend, **Nov. 12-13**, there will be a collection for the Shepherd's Trust. It's mission is to help ensure that elderly and disabled priests are provided with sufficient financial resources to lead a dignified life after many years of ministry. Your generous gift will help our priests to maintain a modest but active and independent lifestyle. Please give generously. Let us care for those who care for us.

CHRISTMAS TREE PROGRAM



The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is accepting donations for their Christmas Program. Donations can be made using the special blue envelopes available at the back of the church and dropped into the collection box during the week. Donations can also be made online at: <https://sjcses.blogspot.com/p/christmas-program.html>. To best serve our families, please make your donations by **November 27**. Also, the Christmas Giving Tree will be set up by Saturday, **November 19**. Please take a couple of stars and return these gifts unwrapped by **December 5**. Please Note: wrapped gifts all have to be unwrapped. So wrapping, though thoughtful, actually makes more work for those organizing the gift distribution. Gift bags are fine but so are ordinary bags. Please ensure that the star is attached to the gift to ensure your gift makes its way to the appropriate recipient. Thank you for your generosity.

DEVELOPMENT & PEACE

Pope Francis in *Laudato Si*, (49), exhorts us that to hear "the cry of the earth", is also to hear "the cry of the poor". After each Mass this weekend, parishioners will be invited to respond to Pope Francis' words by signing a petition. The signed petitions will be given to the local Federal M.P., to be presented in the House of Commons.





Confirmation Classes

Start this Week:


Parents: If you chose **Wednesday Classes:**
Your child's first class is this **Wednesday, November 16**
at **4:30pm OR 6:00pm**

Parents, if you chose **Thursday Classes:**
Your child's first class is this **Thursday, November 17** at **7pm**


MASS TIME CHANGES

We have resumed the celebration of the **12pm** Mass in **English** each Sunday. Please join us. The **Spanish** Mass has also moved to **1:30pm**. Everyone is welcome to celebrate with us.


WORLD DAY OF THE POOR

 As the Mass readings point toward Christ's Second Coming and the end of our earthly life, we should ask ourselves if we are appropriately using our gifts to serve Christ in the poor and our neighbour. One great gift we can share is that of our time. Cardinal Collins says that, "we can use our time in this life to be selfish, or to be generous to others. The blessed used their time here to care for those in need."


SUNDAY MISSALS NOW AVAILABLE

 The 2022-2023 Sunday Missal is now available at the Parish Office. Pick up your copy. Cost **\$7 English** or **\$14 Spanish**.


CONGRATULATIONS

 **Carlos Torres**, the seminarian who did his internship with us last year, will be ordained to the diaconate, on **Sunday, November 27, 2022, at 11:30 am**, at **Blessed Sacrament Parish**, in Toronto. All are invited to attend.


EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

 Share one hour with our Lord. 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**. **First Friday Mass December 2** at **7pm**. Love Incarnate. Waiting for you.

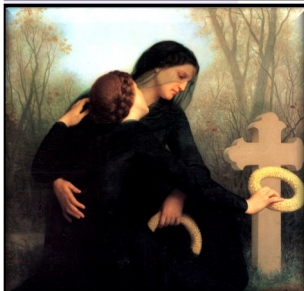
SPECIAL DONATION ENVELOPES

 We remind everyone that the Pink Visitor envelope is only used if you are visiting from another parish or if you forgot your envelope at home. Thank you.

VOCATIONS

 "By your endurance you will gain your souls." Be patient with yourself and with God as you await the sign of your call. . If God is calling you, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations Archdiocese of Toronto at **416-968-0997** or email: vocations@archtoronto.org

November is the Month Dedicated to All Souls in Purgatory



The month of November is dedicated to All Souls in Purgatory. The Church commemorates all her faithful who have departed from this

life, but have not yet attained the joys of heaven. St. Paul warns us that we must

not be ignorant concerning the dead, nor sorrowful, "even as others who have no hope ... For the Lord Himself shall come down from heaven ... and the dead who are in Christ shall rise". The Church has always taught us to pray for those who have gone into eternity. You are invited to privately pray the **Novena** "A Month with our Friends the Souls in Purgatory". Pick up your booklet from the Parish Office. A \$5 donation is appreciated.

You Can Be a Hero for Those in Need



***NEW:** Your year-end gift will double in value! From now until the end of 2022, your contribution to our parish's ShareLife campaign will be matched by an anonymous donor up to a total of \$1 million.*

When you give to ShareLife, you help people with developmental disabilities and their family members through an agency called Mary Centre. Here's how your contribution makes a difference in the lives of those served by this remarkable Catholic agency: "Thank you to all who donate to ShareLife. With each donation we receive, we are able to attain our goals of assisting people in their efforts in building a good life, and also providing a safe place for people with a developmental disability to stay so, that their families, caregivers and themselves can get some needed respite."

Our goal this year is **\$111,000.00**. To date we have achieved **\$98,089.90 (88.4%)**.

Please website, give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish or at sharelife.org/donate.

Thank you for your Generosity

OUR OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Collection received on November 5-6

\$8,705.

2022 Offertory Envelope user # **338** please contact the Parish Office.

Thank You

DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE CAMPAIGN: NOV. 12TH/13TH 2022

Pope Francis in *Laudato Si*, (49), exhorts us that to hear “the cry of the earth”, is also to hear “the cry of the poor”.

Parishioners of St. John Chrysostom Parish are invited to respond to Pope Francis’ words by signing a petition after Mass on November 12 and November 13.

We, the undersigned citizens and residents of Canada call upon the House of Commons to adopt human rights and environmental due diligence legislation that would:

- Require companies to prevent adverse human rights impacts and environmental damage throughout their global operations and supply chains;
- Require companies do their due diligence, including by carefully assessing how they may be contributing to human rights abuse or environmental damage abroad and by providing access to remedy when harms occur;
- Result in meaningful consequences for companies that fail to carry out and report on adequate due diligence; and
- Establish a legal right for people who have been harmed to seek justice in Canadian courts.

The signed petitions will be given to the local Federal M.P., to be presented in the House of Commons.

Many thanks from Development and Peace.



**Development
and Peace**

CARITAS CANADA



2022 Giving Tree and SSVP Christmas Program *St. John Chrysostom / St. Elizabeth Seton*

Dear Parishioners,

For over twenty years the parishioners of St. John Chrysostom and St. Elizabeth Seton churches have given generously to both the Giving Tree and the Society of St. Vincent de Paul Christmas Program. Not even the challenges of the pandemic negatively impacted the donations. We all most faithfully live the Gospel by helping our brothers and sisters in need. Last year alone we assisted over 1,000 less fortunate people in our community. This included the seniors in local care homes, individuals living with physical and/or other challenges, residents of local shelters and the numerous families we regularly assist. Your generosity also allowed your Society of St. Vincent de Paul to sustain these families with food vouchers and fresh food baskets throughout the year.

We are happy to announce that both programs will be running as they did before the pandemic. For the Christmas Program that serves our Society of St. Vincent de Paul families, your donation will continue to go towards the purchase of grocery gift cards for parents and gift cards from a local store so that parents can purchase a gift for their children.

For the Giving Tree Program, we will resume having the Giving Tree at the back of both churches decorated with stars for gifts for those in long-term care facilities, and seniors and other home-bound people living in our community. Although backed and supported by your Society of St Vincent de Paul, this program is primarily the organizational initiative of the two parishes in Newmarket, working together with the Society of St Vincent de Paul.

As much as ever, your gift or monetary donation will make a difference in the lives of those often left out at this special time of year. No amount is too small or too large. Donations can be made on or before **November 27** using the attached envelope and mailed or dropped off at your respective parish.

You can also make **online donations** with a credit card on the Society of St. Vincent de Paul blog page at <https://sjcses.blogspot.com/p/christmas-program.html> or on the parish web sites.

We thank you for your continued support and prayers.

Giving Tree Program and Christmas Program Coordinators
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