



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 4:30 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

During the 10am Sunday Mass

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 – Emily-Ana Filardo

stjohnchrysostomCWL@gmail.com

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

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Sacred Heart H.S. 905-895-3340

Chaplain: Erica Gismondi

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Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

MASS INTENTIONS

APRIL 1-8

Saturday, April 1

5:00 pm

7:00 pm Chinese

} *Pro Populo*

Sunday, April 2

Palm Sunday

8:30 am Mass

10:00am Mass

12:00pm Mass

1:30pm Mass (Sp)

} *Pro Populo*

Monday, April 3

8:00 am Mass

† Rev. Gerald Anthony

† Professor Sam Haddad

Tuesday, April 4

7:00 pm Mass

† Aldo & Giacomina Cuzzolino

♦ Meg & Jeff Gomez

Wednesday, April 5

12:00 pm Mass

† Jameel Antonio

† Irene Norton

Holy Thursday, April 6

MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

7:30 pm-Mass Bilingual

Friday, April 7

GOOD FRIDAY

Stations of the Cross

11:30am-Spanish

MASS OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

12:00pm-Spanish

MASS OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

3:00pm-English

6:00pm-English

Stations of the Cross-English

7:30 pm-English

Holy Saturday, April 8

EASTER VIGIL

April 8, 2023

8:00 pm-Bilingual

SANCTUARY LAMP

April 3-8

For the Repose of the Souls of Donato, Antonio and Maria De Franco

In many places of worship a lamp signifies our constant prayer. Contact the Parish Office if you wish to make an offering for your intentions.

St. John Chrysostom, pray for us



"Hosanna in the highest! Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord." We know well the story of Jesus' triumphant entrance into Jerusalem. While we proclaim these words with heartfelt sincerity, today, we must consider how we use our words and actions to crucify church and political leaders, others who are not like us, and even ourselves. Today, let us ask for the grace to enter into Holy Week with the desire to more intimately understand Jesus' humanity and his journey to the cross.



OFFICE CLOSED

The parish office will be closed on **Good Friday** and **Easter Monday**. Mass on Easter Monday will be at **8am** as scheduled.

CANCELLATION REMINDERS

Holy Thursday, **April 6** and Good Friday, **April 7**, the **8:00am** morning Masses are cancelled. Holy Saturday, **April 8** the **9am** and **5pm** Masses are cancelled.

VISITING MINISTRY

After a long delay, we are eager to meet and share our experiences. All visiting ministers are encouraged to attend our Annual General Meeting. Our guest speaker is Deacon Robert Kinghorn who will talk about his ministry to the forgotten, the poor, the homeless and the lonely of Toronto. We encourage anyone who would be interested in this ministry to join us in the Parish Hall on **Wednesday, April 19 7pm-9pm**. All are welcome. Refreshments will follow.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY HANDYPERSON

Do you enjoy doing small wood-working projects or repairs? Have a few hours to spare occasionally? Your Parish often has small projects we could use your skills on. Please let the office know you can volunteer your talents!



**LET US PRAY
FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL**
Edward Wigglesworth
Seeta Kodumal
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THE RECENTLY DECEASED
Irene Norton
Sr. Eileen Donovan, OP



Holy Week

HOLY THURSDAY

MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

April 6, 2023 (no morning mass)

7:30 pm-Bilingual

GOOD FRIDAY

OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

April 7, 2023 (no morning mass)

Stations of the Cross

11:30am-Spanish

12:00 pm Service- Spanish

3:00 pm Service-English

6:00 pm Service-English

7:30 pm Stations of the Cross

HOLY SATURDAY

(no morning mass)

EASTER VIGIL

April 8, 2023

8:00 pm-Bilingual

EASTER SUNDAY

THE RESURRECTION

OF THE LORD

April 9, 2023

8:30 am, 10:00 am, 12:00 pm

1:30 pm Spanish

EASTER FLOWERS

If you missed the Easter Flower collection and still wish to contribute, please make use of the envelopes available to you at the entrance of the church. Donations will be accepted any time during this season of Easter. Thank you for your generosity!





2023 CONFIRMATION CLASSES

Your Next Lesson Resumes in April:

Parents: If you chose **Wednesday Classes:** Your child's class is

Wednesday, April 5th at **4:30pm** OR **6:00pm**

Parents: If you chose **Thursday Classes:**

Your child's class is **Thursday, April 6th** at **6:00 pm**. *The 7pm class is moved to 6pm.*



THROUGH THE EYES OF A DONKEY

The donkey on which Christ rode into Jerusalem could've seen all the palms and praises being sung around him and been tempted to believe that he was the one they celebrated. However, we as onlookers can clearly see that the crowds are not praising the donkey, but the one sitting upon the donkey, Jesus Christ. This Palm Sunday let us learn from this image and ask ourselves, do we fully direct all of the praise, glory and honour of our actions to Jesus?



DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

APRIL 16, 2023

In the Diary of St. Faustina, Jesus asked that the Feast of Divine Mercy, known as Divine Mercy Sunday, be preceded by a Novena to The Feast Divine Mercy. A Novena is nine days of prayer in preparation. Our Lord told St. Faustina, **"I desire that during these nine days you bring souls to the fountain of My mercy, that they may draw ... strength and refreshment and whatever grace they need in the hardships of life, and especially at the hour of death"** (*Diary*, 1209). This year, **Divine Mercy Sunday is April 16**. The **Novena begins on Good Friday, April 7**. To access the Chaplet of the Divine Mercy Novena online, visit: <https://bit.ly/40ICRF1>

DIVINE MERCY NOVENA



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PONTIFICAL COLLECTION FOR THE HOLY LAND ON GOOD FRIDAY

The Good Friday Collection is requested by the Holy See to help maintain the Church's holy places in the Holy Land, so important to the faith of Christians everywhere, and also to support the faithful who struggle to survive under political and economic oppression and persecution. This Pontifical Collection will be taken during the Good Friday celebration on April 7, 2023. Those who are unable to attend the service, or who prefer to contribute online, may do so by Interac e-transfer or CanadaHelps by visiting:

www.commissariat.ca/supporting-us



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. Join us *every Friday* from **4pm-7pm**. The next Eucharistic Adoration, Rosary, Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Benediction will resume on **April 14**. The next **First Friday Mass** will be on **May 5** at **7pm** (*Morning Mass is cancelled*).

VOCATIONS



"Blessed is the one who comes in the Name of the Lord!"

Are you being called to proclaim Jesus as a priest, deacon, brother or sister? If God is calling you, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations Archdiocese of Toronto at:
416-968-0997
or email at:
vocations@archtoronto.org

OUR OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Collection received on
March 25-26, 2023

\$8,393.

2023 Offertory Envelope user # **364**, please contact the Parish Office

Thank You



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WELCOMING JESUS INTO OUR HEARTS BY SHARING OUR BLESSINGS

Today is Palm Sunday. In our Lenten observance, we have been called to welcome Jesus into our hearts. Let us follow His example of sacrifice by sharing with those who need our help the most. One way we can do so is by giving generously to ShareLife. Thank you for your support and for living the Gospel by providing for those in need.

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