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Weekend Masses Saturday Vigil 5:00 pm Sunday 8:30 am 10:00 am 12:00 pm 1:30 pm Spanish 6:30 pm Chinese

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 4:30 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 vou 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 905-895-5001 Notre Dame St. John Chrysostom 905-895-7411 St. Nicholas 905-895-3777 St. Paul 905-895-4122 905-895-3340 Sacred Heart H.S. Chaplain: Erica Gismondi Trustee: Theresa McNicol 905-898-2210

Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS

OCTOBER 7-14 Saturday, October 7 5:00 pm **Pro Populo** Sunday, October 8 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time 8:30 am Mass Pro 10:00 am Mass Populo 12:00 pm Mass 1:30 pm Mass (Spanish) + Georgino Vilchez 6:30 pm (Chinese) Monday, October 9 8:00 am Mass Eleanor McEachern **Tuesday, October 10** 7:00 pm Mass + AnnMarie Lau Wednesday, October 11 12:00 pm Mass + Addie Lamson + Victor LePage **Thursday**, October 12 8:00 am Mass • Agnes Hwang Friday, October 13 8:00 am Mass Saturday, October 14 9:00 am Mass + Shane D'Souza ♦ Cecilia George **SANCTUARY LAMP** October 9-14 For the Pereira Family and in Thanksgiving for all the Volunteers, past and present, of Community Bread In many places of worship a lamp signifies our constant prayer. The sanctuary lamp will burn for your particular prayer or intention. Contact the Parish Office if you wish to make an offering for your intentions. LET US PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL Silvana Ciulla Liborio Celenza Elio Canessa **Connie Diaz Doreen & Edward Wigglesworth** THE RECENTLY DECEASED Manuel & Salvacion Dellomes **Crispina** Demavivas

St. John Chrysostom, pray for us

Like the vineyard, our beautiful world, created by God is equipped with all the wonderful fruits mankind could need. Collectively, we are the caretakers of His planet and God expects a harvest of good fruit from us all. So many of us however, have let Him down producing little or no fruit. We have plundered the earth's resources and used God's gifts for selfish purposes, giving nothing in return. Worse still, some people are actually producing bad fruit. Consider all the cruelty, corruption, violence and pollution in our world today. So, what is good fruit? St Paul tells us. It's the fruits of the Spirit: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control (Gal.5:22-23a). These are the fruits God expects from His people.

SSVP'S CHRISTMAS AND GIVING TREE PROGRAMS

As gardeners bring in their harvest and prepare their gardens for the winter and

as the leaves start to fall, we are reminded that autumn is here and winter won't be long off. As everyone gets ready for winter, the volunteers of the Giving Tree and St. Vincent de Paul Society Christmas Program are also preparing for Christmas. Stay tuned for more details in upcoming weeks.

World Mission Sunday October 22, 2023

The universal collection for World Mission Day is unique: its fruits are distributed worldwide, according to the needs of the poorest dioceses. This allows the survival of the poorest dioceses. The universal collection provides each bishop the means and freedom of action for the formation of catechists, solidarity, priestly vocations and consecrated life, education, health care, etc. and represents a tool of justice and fraternity between all the dioceses. And aids in supporting the permanent effort of the Universal Church to proclaim the Gospel to all nations. Sunday, October 22 is World Mission Sunday. Please give generously.



CATHOLIC CEMETERIES All Souls' Day Mass November 4 at 2:00 pm

Assumption Cemetery Christ the King Cemetery Holy Cross Cemetery Queen of Heaven Cemetery Resurrection Cemetery

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NORTH OF 60 PROJECT

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As a means of giving back to Indigenous peoples, survivors of residential schools and children who never re-

turned home, the Society of St Vincent de Paul, St John Chrysostom/St Elizabeth Seton conference will again be shipping a sea container of food items to Sanirajak, Nunavut in July 2024. Any financial assistance you can provide will be greatly appreciated. Special Blue donation envelopes will be displayed at the back of the church.

ALL SOULS DAY

All Souls envelopes are now available at the en-All Souls Day trance of the church for those who wish to include them in the Mass Intentions 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 Book of Life will also be available in the church for the month of October if you wish to add the names of your dearly departed.

MASS OF ALL SOULS



Join us for the Mass of All Souls on **Thursday**, **November 2nd**, at **8:00 AM**

and **6:00 PM**. All are welcome.

PARISH HEADCOUNT SURVEY



On the weekends of October 14-15 and October 21/22, we will be con-

ducting a head count survey at each Mass for the Archdiocese of Toronto.

CONFIRMATION 2024

Registration for the 2024 Confirmation Program **CLOSES on October 31** at **4:30pm**. If you would like your child to participate in the 2024 Confirmation program, please email the parish office at:

parish.office@stjohnsnewmarket.ca

All parents are asked to attend the Orientation meeting scheduled on **Thursday, November 9th** at **6:00 pm**. The meeting will be held in the church. Your questions and concerns will be addressed. Please join us.



COME & SEE DISCERNMENT WEEKEND RETREAT Friday, November 17 at 6:30 PM Sunday, November 19 at 2:00 PM St. Augustine's Seminary

The Office of Vocations is hosting a Come & See Weekend Discernment Retreat for single Catholic men 18 years and older, at St. Augustine's Seminary on **Friday, November 17 (6:30 p.m.) until Sunday, November 19 (2 p.m.)** to cultivate a deeper prayer life and relationship with Jesus Christ; leading to a better discernment of God's call for their lives. There will be time for prayer, reflection and information on the process of becoming one of Christ's disciples as a Catholic priest.

REGISTRATION:

www.vocationstoronto.ca/comesee

CONTACT: vocations@archtoronto.org



SHARELIFE: COMBATING HUNGER THROUGH YOUR COMPASSION

Many of our brothers and sisters grapple with the daily challenge of putting food on the table. In response to their urgent need, Share-Life has launched the Food Security Grants - dedicating over half a million dollars to combat hunger. Your compassionate support of our parish's ShareLife Campaign will make possible this bold action. We have currently raised \$73,950.90 towards our suggested goal of \$113,000. Please support our fight against hunger at sharelife.org/donate or by giving at the parish with a ShareLife envelope. Thank you for heeding the Lord's call to feed the hungry in our community and beyond.

EUCHARISTIC 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** for Eucharistic Adoration, Rosary, Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Benediction. The next **First Friday Mass** will be on **November 3** at **7pm**. All are welcome. (Morning Mass is cancelled)



VOCATIONS "Listen for the voice of God. Are you being

called to be a priest, deacon or religious? 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 Sept 30-Oct 1, 2023 \$9,600.

2023 Offertory Envelope user # **468**, please contact the Parish Office

Thank You for Your Generosity

October is 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.



THANKSGIVING DAY Monday, October 9, 2023

The Parish Office will be CLOSED for Thanksgiving Day on Monday, **October 9th**. The morning Mass will be celebrated as scheduled at 8am. Please join us.

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