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# St. John Chrysostom Roman Catholic Church - Established 1841

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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: sicses.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

# **MASS INTENTIONS**

AUGUST 24-31 Saturday, August 24

5:00 pm **Pro Populo** Sunday, August 25

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

Pro Populo

1:30 pm Mass (Spanish)

◆ Dolly y Carlos Usme 6:30 pm (Chinese)

> Monday, August 26 8:00 am Mass

◆ Brendan Dunham ◆ Istvan Szakaczki

Tuesday, August 27 7:00 pm Mass † Esther Brown

◆ Patricia & Jessica Shibley Wednesday, August 28

12:00 pm Mass

🕇 Marianne Hannan

† Oscar Ansaldo

Thursday, August 29

8:00 am Mass

\*Hean Marie Vetter

Paul Zulich

Friday, August 30 8:00 am Mass

♦ Lourdes Halifax & Family

♦ Sarah Kraft

Saturday, August 31

9:00 am Mass

† Manuel Zárate

† Rev. Andrew MacBeth

### SANCTUARY LAMP August 26-31

For the Children in our Community returning back to School

LET US PRAY
THE RECENTLY DECEASED
Stephen McInerney

# Labour Day Monday, September 2

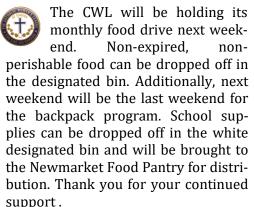
The Parish Office will be **CLOSED** on Monday, September 2nd in observance of Labour Day. The morning **Mass** however, will be celebrated as scheduled at **8:00** AM.



The temptation to flee our Christian duties is at times very real. But that is precisely when we need to draw closest to God. No matter what happens in our lives, how dark it gets, how confused we are or how hopeless it seems, do we walk away? or do we call to Jesus who never leaves us alone? The disciples faced a turning point in their lives when Jesus gives them a choice: either to stay and accept the gift of His whole self or to leave with those who

can't understand Him or who refuse to change. Can we trust in the Lord even while accepting that things do not always go as we want? As Christians, our journey is strengthened with the Holy Spirit, the scriptures, the witness of the saints, and the sacraments, especially the Eucharist. These strengthen, support, reassure, encourage and comfort us when we are in need. And, as a gift, we who eat the Bread from heaven and listen to the words of Christ, are given Life Eternal.

### CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE



### **FEAST OF ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM**



Please join us as we celebrate the Feast of our Patron Saint, St. John Chrysostom, our Patron Saint, on the weekend of **September 14 and 15**.

Let us Pray:

Remember O Lord all in your holy church who bring forth good fruit, are rich in good works and remember the poor. Grant your mercy and loving kindness to all.

St. John Chrysostom, pray for us.



The Season of Creation is an ecumenical initiative promoted by various groups, including the World Council of Churches, the Lutheran World Federation (LWF), the Anglican Communion and the 'Laudato Si' Movement. The Time of Creation lasts from September 1 to October 4, the feast of St. Francis of Assisi. The 2024 theme "Hope and Act with Creation" drew its inspiration from the Letter of St. Paul to the Romans (Rom 8:19-25). In his message, Pope Francis encourages "to live an incarnational faith, one that can enter into the suffering and hopefilled "flesh" of others: to join forces to help to rethink, "among other things, the question of human power, its meaning, and its limits; to extend harmony among humanity and to creation in the sense of responsibility for a humane and integral ecology, the path of salvation of our common home". To read the message of Pope Francis' full message, go to: https://tinyurl.com/4f45hvvp

### HOPE AND ACT WITH CREATION



# 40th ANNUAL ROSARY SUNDAY

A LIVING
PILGRIMAGE
Sunday, Sept. 8<sup>th</sup> 2024
MARTYRS' SHRINE
MIDLAND, ON

### Celebrant & Homilist BISHOP

JOHN BOISSONNEAU
12 NOON-Outdoor Mass

2:30 PM – Procession of a Living Cross with Blessed Mary to the Papal Altar for a Living

Rosary & Benediction



As we move toward the year of Jubilee, Archbishop Francis Leo invites us all to prepare ourselves through prayer with a series of videos highlighting the importance of prayer in our lives. Episodes 1 to 5 are now available. Full *Year of Prayer* Playlist:

https://bit.ly/YearOfPrayerSeries For more information on the Year of Prayer, visit: https://www.archtoronto.org/prayer

YEAR OF PRAYER VIDEO SERIES

# FIRST EUCHARIST 2025

Registration Begins Sept 3, 2024 and CLOSES Sept 30 at 4:30pm. We are excited to inform parents that the 2024 First Holy Communion Registration Program will begin **September 3**. Your email request to the parish office will

provide you with an online Pre-Registration Form. Registration will **close Sept 30** at **4:30pm**. **Starting Sept 3**, your request may be made by contacting us by email:

parish.office@stjohnsnewmarket.ca

# **CONFIRMATION 2025**

If you wish your son or daughter to celebrate the sacrament of Confirmation, Registration will begin in **October 2024**. We strongly suggest parents subscribe to the

parish bulletin to avoid missing the announcement. Registration dates will be sent to the catholic schools affiliated with St. John Chrysostom Parish. However, it is the responsibility of parents to email the parish with your request. To subscribe to the parish bulletin, go to: https://stjohnchrysostomne.archtoronto.org/en/

contact-us/sign-up/

SIGN UP

# PARISH MINISTRY FAIR & WELCOME BACK BBQ!

Sunday, September 15th

Are you looking for ways to give back to the parish community? Do you feel God calling you to share your faith, time and talent? Come to our Parish Ministry Fair on **Sunday**, **September 15th**. The Fair will showcase all our parish ministries and provide opportunities to see the various ways in which the parish and others need you! This is an event you don't want to miss! Stay tuned for more information in the following weeks.

### JESUS, I TRUST IN YOU

To follow Jesus is not an easy decision to take, and one that can only be done through the grace bestowed on us through Jesus. When the crowds dispersed in the Gospel, the Apostles did not leave but instead proclaimed Jesus as the Lord who has the words of eternal life, a proclamation that came from trust and knowledge of Jesus the person. As we make the decision to be stewards, let us get to know Christ more intimately, especially through the Word of God, which gives us life.

### EMAIL SCAM ALERT

**EMAIL** 

In recent weeks there has been a sharp increase in the amount of fake/scam emails being received by parishioners throughout the archdiocese. These emails – usually sent from Gmail accounts operated by scammers - appear to be from a priest and often request the purchase of gift cards or electronic payments. Please exercise caution should you receive an email like this and contact the parish via telephone to validate its authenticity.

# SECURITIES AS A CHARITABLE OPTION One of the most financially

sound ways to support the Archdiocese of Toronto is a gift of securities (stocks, bonds, mutual funds). When you donate stocks, mutual funds and other publicly traded securities to a registered charity, you pay no capital gains tax and receive a tax receipt for the full amount of the gift. It means a great tax break for you

gift. It means a great tax break for you and a significant support for your Parish and various archdiocesan charities such as ShareLife, St. Augustine's Seminary, The Shepherds' Trust and many others. To donate securities, follow this link: Archdiocese of Toronto-Gift of Securities (archtoronto.org) and download:

- ♦ How to Gift Securities Info Sheet
- ♦ Letter of Direction

For more information, contact our office at development@archtoronto.org.

### YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT

During the summer, when you are away, you can still help your parish by signing up for PreAuthorized Giving. PAG forms are available by scanning the OR code or by going to:

https://

stjohnchrysostomne.archtoronto.org/ siteassets/blocks/donations/donate-pagelinks/pre-authorized-giving-form-2023.pdf

Please download the form and, once filled, drop it off at the office or drop it in the white box, by the baptismal font. If you wish to donate via credit card, you can by scanning the QR code or through the secure link at: <a href="https://stjohnchrysostomne.archtoronto.org/en/contact-us/donations/">https://stjohnchrysostomne.archtoronto.org/en/contact-us/donations/</a>



# **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 September 6 at 7pm. All are welcome (Morning Mass is cancelled)



Charge

### **VOCATIONS**

Jesus has given us His Body to eat and His Blood to drink so as to nourish

us on our journey towards the Kingdom. May we be faithful to Him on our journey as married, single, ordained or consecrated persons. If God is calling you to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call 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 Aug 10-11, 2024 \$9,662. Aug 17-18, 2024 \$9,561.

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