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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

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: 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

SEPTEMBER 14-21 Saturday, September 14 5:00 pm Pro Populo Sunday, September 15 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time 8:30 am Mass 10:00 am Mass **Populo** 12:00 pm Mass 1:30 pm Mass (Spanish) 6:30 pm (Chinese) Monday, September 16 8:00 am Mass r Rev. Bernard Cryer Tuesday, September 17 7:00 pm Mass ♣ Jorge Cerma Wednesday, September 18

Yednesday, September 18
12:00 pm Mass
Yangela & Vince Masci
Yaliwon Agnes Hwang
Thursday, September 19

8:00 am Mass Friday, September 20 8:00 am Mass

◆Lourdes Halifax & Family Saturday, September 21 9:00 am Mass

† João & Michael de Almeida † ZlatkoFerko

SANCTUARY LAMP September 16-21

For the Intentions of the Parish Community of St. John Chrysostom

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 AND FOR THOSE WHO ARE RECENTLY DECEASED

Stephen McInerney James Bourget Terisita Kodumal

St. John Chrysostom, Pray for us

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May almighty God rebuke him we humbly pray and may thou oh prince of the heavenly host, thrust into hell satan and all the evil spirists who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen St. Michael, pray for us



Sadly, we may be one of them. In a few short sentences, St. Mark is showing us that sometimes, we are the stumbling blocks holding people back from moving closer to the mercy and love of the Lord. St. Peter is showing us there is another hunger in our hearts—a hunger that Jesus is trying to save Peter from falling into—that of selfishness. Jesus reminds us that "whoever wants to become my follower, let him deny himself, take up the

cross and follow me." If we are serious about being Christians, we need to love as Jesus loves, care like Jesus cares and serve as Jesus serves. The saints knew this. Saint Mother Teresa left her family. St Therese of Lisieux gave up a comfortable life. St Francis of Assisi gave up his inheritance. St. Maximillian Kolbe sacrificed his life. When we follow Jesus, He gives us His spirit, His strength and the promise of Life Eternal.

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CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

After our summer hiatus, the CWL general meetings will

resume on **Tuesday, September 17**th after the **7pm** Mass. All women of the parish community are welcome to join us for an evening of faith and sisterhood. Come and hear what is in store for this fall/winter.



ST. JOHN'S CHOIR

All those interested in joining the St. John's choir are invited to attend rehearsals.

Rehearsals are held Saturdays from 3:30pm to 4:30pm in preparation for the Saturday 5pm mass. Interested participants please contact Joseph Follows at the parish office at stjc.mainoffice4 @gmail.com



CALLING ALL MOMS

If you are a mother of young children or you are expecting, or have recently had a

baby: join the Catholic Moms Group for a special workshop event on Saturday September 21st from 10:30am – 1:30pm at Holy Martyrs of Japan Parish in Bradford. Come and meet like-minded moms and build friendships. The cost is \$20 and includes: coffee/tea, snacks and lunch. E -transfer can be made to catholic-momsgrouphmj@gmail.com



TO HOPE AND ACT WITH CREATION

Season of Creation 2024

The annual event of the Season of Creation begins on September 1 (the World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation) and ends on October 4 (the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi, patron saint of ecology). This year's theme is "To hope and act with Creation" and the symbol is "The first fruits of hope," inspired by Romans 8:19- 25. An introductory video and resources to observe this season at home, church and school may be found at the following links: RESOURCES: https://drive.google.com/file/ d/12M3weSD4D2mvjCiI3Mxen3JQZ5Rrazz 3/view **VIDEO**: https://www.youtube.com/ watch?v=vLI5cT-56Yk

HOPE AND ACT WITH CREATION

HOLY HOUR EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

SEASON OF CREATION PRAYER

CARE OF CREATION ROSARY

NOVENA TO SAINT FRANCIS

Video

St. Francis of Assisi, pray for us



Towards the Jubilee

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 for the 2024-2025 First Holy Communion and First Reconciliation Program is now open. Parents may register their Grade 2 or older child using the link or QR Code in this announcement. Parents may also register through our website.

Registration Deadline is

Monday, September 30, 2024 at 4:30pm. Registration Form:



https://forms.office.com/r/dDdQ4hUuPi Or Contact us at 905-898-4137 or email us: 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

A LIVING FAITH

What good is it, my brothers and sisters, if you say you have faith but do not have works?" In our second reading from the Letter of James we are challenged to have a living faith, a faith that is backed up by action. Let us take some time to reflect on how we can live out our faith through stewardship. We should first realize that the most generous and loving thing we can do for someone is pray for them. Then, after entrusting everything to God, we can then play our part and concretely try to help through proper use of our time and talents.



NOVENA TO ARCHANGEL SAINT MICHAEL

FEAST DAY: SEPTEMBER 29 Once again, Archbishop Leo is

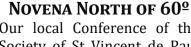
inviting the Catholic community throughout the archdiocese to join in offering a Novena to Saint Michael the Archangel, leading up to the Solemnity of Saint Michael on September 29, 2024. The Novena begins on September 20th and ends on September 28th. The Archangels Gabriel and Raphael are honoured on this day as well. Call upon their intercession, seek their mediation, and trust that they will accomplish the duties they are given. Through Michael, seek God's protection. Through Gabriel, seek God's revelation. And through Raphael, seek God's healing. They will not let you down.

LETTER FROM ARCHBISHOP LEO

NOVENA TO ST. MICHAEL

ARCHANGELS MICHAEL, GABRIEL, RAFAEL

Archangel Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, pray for us



Our local Conference of the Society of St Vincent de Paul extends sincere thanks and

appreciation for the extraordinary and generous response to our appeal, leading up to the National Indigenous Peoples Day on June 21st. Your combined donations of \$8.502, over June and July, will be a significant factor in achieving our goal to send food items. in bulk, to a designated arctic community in July 2025. Thank you!

The 3rd anniversary of National Truth and Reconciliation Day is September 30, 2024. This day honours the children who never returned home and Survivors of residential schools, as well as their families and communities. Our North of 60 Project was established as a mechanism for you and I to remember and give back to Indigenous families using a direct, narrow focus approach that benefits families much like those in our own community. Please use our Blue North of 60 Project envelope if you are able and choose to make a donation. Complete the information on the back of the envelope to receive an income tax receipt.

EMAIL

EMAIL SCAM ALERT

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.



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 October 4 at **7pm**. All are welcome.

(Morning Mass is cancelled)



VOCATIONS

"Who do people say that I am?" Who do you think Jesus is? The depth of our faith is rooted in our answer. Is God calling you to be a priest, religious, or deacon? If you think you are being called 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

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Novena to St. Michael the Archangel

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Heavenly and Almighty Father, God of mercy and compassion, we give you thanks and praise for all your kindness and blessings which you bestow upon us, your beloved children, and for the opportunities of spiritual renewal which you provide out of the abundance of your unfailing love and graciousness. As we honour the glorious Archangel St. Michael, whose zeal for your almighty power obtains for us your own loving protection, in the name of Christ our Saviour and Brother and through your Holy Spirit, guide our steps along the path of holiness of life, and guard our thoughts as we journey through this life to our heavenly homeland. Confident of the powerful intercession of our patron saint St. Michael, we now ask for this grace (say your intention).

Inspire in us the same humility and thirst for justice and holiness which animated your great servant and angelic messenger. May our lives give glory to you, our families bear witness to your love and our communities of faith be filled with the grace and joys of your Kingdom. Amen.

Our Father... Hail Mary... Glory Be...

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray,

and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Hosts, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls.

Amen.

St. Michael, filled with the wisdom of God, pray for us.

St. Michael, perfect adorer of the Incarnate Word, pray for us.

St. Michael, crowned with honour and glory, pray for us.

St. Michael, our help in all adversities, pray for us.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.



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