



St. John Chrysostom

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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

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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:

sjcses.blogspot.com

Community Bread

For information, to volunteer or to donate, contact

communitybread@stjohnsnewmarket.ca

Catholic Schools

Canadian Martyrs 905-895-8530

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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

Fourth Sunday of Easter

MASS INTENTIONS

April 20-27

Saturday, APRIL 20

5:00pm Mass *Pro Populo*

Sunday, April 21

4th Sunday of Easter

8:30 am Mass

10:00 am Mass

12:00 pm Mass

Pro Populo

1:30 pm Mass (Spanish)

† Veronica Cerda Milla

6:30 pm Mass (Chinese)

Monday, APRIL 22

8:00 am Mass

† Joao y Michael de Almeida

† Rev. Clarence Ervin Watrin

Tuesday, APRIL 23

7:00 pm Mass

† Martin Kavanagh

† Maureen Mulhall

Wednesday, APRIL 24

12:00 pm Mass

† Giovanni Novielli

† Mary Murphy

Thursday, April 25

8:00 am Mass

† Bob Dove

◆ Lourdes Halifax & Family

Friday, April 26

8:00 am Mass

† Barry Davidson

◆ CWL Members Past & Present

Saturday, April 27

9:00 am Mass

† Zef & Prel Prendi

◆ Mary Rose McConville

SANCTUARY LAMP

April 15-20

*For the Repose of the
Souls of Donato, Antonio
& Maria DeFranco*

*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

Anthony Roman

Vera Valentina Humphrey

Marilu Alarcon Ramos

AND THE RECENTLY DECEASED

Agnes Ziegelbauer

Maureen Gallacher

He is Risen!



He walks ahead and guides us. When we stray, he pursues us. Jesus loves us. He laid down His life on the cross to give us eternal life, and we will never perish. We are safe in His sheepfold. No one will snatch us out of His hand because we belong to the Good Shepherd. We belong to God the Father and we are His forever. Follow His voice and stay close to Him. Anyone else, is a stranger.



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FATHER SCOTT BIRCHALL

Fr. Scott Birchall, who grew up at St. John's, is a priest in the Archdiocese of Toronto and a professor at St. Augustine's Seminary. After working as an urban planner, Fr. Scott entered the seminary and was ordained a priest in 2014. He currently serves as the Director of Discipleship Formation at Serra House, as well as Director of Pastoral Formation and Director of Field Placement at St. Augustine's Seminary. In addition to his responsibilities at St. Augustine's, Fr. Birchall provides ongoing weekend support to parishes within the Archdiocese of Toronto. We are proud to mention that Fr. Birchall, attended St. Mary Immaculate CES in Richmond Hill and Notre Dame CES before graduating from Sacred Heart CHS in Newmarket.



CEMETERY CLEAN-UP

The annual spring cleanup of St. John's Cemetery will once again take place on **Saturday, May 11 from 9 am to noon** followed by a BBQ at St. John's Hall. Some tools will be provided but we need as many volunteers as possible with rakes and shovels. You don't need experience, and the more people we have the more fun it will be. This is an excellent opportunity for students to earn community service hours. Please consider joining us.



**WORLD DAY OF PRAYER
FOR VOCATIONS
APRIL 21, 2024**

World Day of Prayer for vocations is observed today **Sunday, April 21, 2024**. Also known as "Good Shepherd Sunday." The purpose of this day is to publicly fulfill the Lord's instruction to, "Pray the Lord of the harvest to send laborers into His harvest," (Mt 9:38 Lk 10:2). Please pray that young men and women hear and respond generously to the Lord's call to the priesthood, diaconate, religious life, societies of apostolic life or secular institutes.

MESSAGE FROM POPE FRANCIS



**FIVE MEN PREPARE FOR ORDINATION TO
THE PRIESTHOOD ON MAY 11, 2024**

On Saturday, May 11, 2024 at 10 a.m., the Most Reverend Francis Leo, Metropolitan Archbishop of Toronto will ordain five deacons with the Sacrament of Holy Orders, ordaining them as priests of the Archdiocese of Toronto. The Mass of Ordination will take place at [St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica](#) in downtown Toronto and will also be available online via [livestream](#). We invite the Catholic community to pray for these men in their final weeks of preparation prior to their ordination. Let us also continue to pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life.



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

April 26th is the Feast Day of the CWL patroness, Our Lady of Good Counsel. Join the CWL for Mass at **8am**. Breakfast follows at the

Buttery. For more information, contact

stjohnchrysostomCWL@gmail.com

All women of the parish are welcome!





2024 CONFIRMATION CLASSES CONTINUE!

Parents: Your child's next lesson is on **Wednesday, April 24th at 5:00pm downstairs in the Parish Hall**

If you chose **Thursday Classes**: Your child's next lesson is **Thursday, April 25th at 5:00pm downstairs in the Parish Hall**



2024 FIRST COMMUNION CLASSES CONTINUE!

Parents: Your child's next lesson is **Wednesday, May 1st at 5:00pm in the Parish Hall**. Or if you chose **Thursday Classes**: Your child's next lesson is **Thursday, May 2nd at 5:00pm in the Parish Hall**



SHEEP AND SHEPHERDS

As stewards, we are called to imitate Jesus in all ways, including His role as the Good Shepherd. The most important step in effectively shepherding others is to first become a holy sheep in Jesus' flock. God also calls many people to more closely shepherd His people in the priesthood and through our prayers, we can help young men answer the call.



AN EASTER MESSAGE FROM ARCHBISHOP FRANCIS LEO

Visit the website:

www.archtoronto.org/en/outreach/news/archdiocesan/an-easter-message-from-archbishop-leo/ **WATCH THE EASTER MESSAGE**

"I have come so that they may have life in abundance."
John 10:10



Word of Good News for Youth And Adults

Starting on Monday April 22, 2024

Mondays and Thursdays at 7:30 PM

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BLUE MASS 2024

Saturday, May 04 at 10:00 am
St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica
65 Bond St., Toronto



St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica will be celebrating a Blue Mass to thank, recognize and remember the sacrifices our Emergency Personnel and First Responders have made on our behalf. Members of the Police, Fire and Paramedic Services and their families are invited to the Blue Mass which will be celebrated by the Most Reverend Bishop Robert Kasun, CSB and priests. On Saturday, May 4th at 10:00 am we are all welcome to attend this special Mass at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica in Toronto.



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** for Eucharistic Adoration, Rosary, Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Benediction. The next **First Friday Mass** will be on **May 3rd at 7pm. (No Morning Mass)**
All are welcome



VOCATIONS

What could convince someone to turn to God? The story that God became human? The story that Jesus cured the sick? The story that Jesus forgave sin? The story that Jesus rose from the dead? Or, perhaps, the story of the witness of your own life! If you have the continuing inclination that God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, Call Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations Archdiocese of Toronto at:

416-968-0997/email: vocations@archtoronto.org

Our Offertory Collection

April 13-14, 2024



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2024 Offertory Envelope users # **429 & 459** please contact the Parish Office



REFLECTING ON ARCHBISHOP LEO'S PASTORAL LETTER ON SEEKING THE KINGDOM OF GOD A NEW PERSPECTIVE ON LIFE

Christ's Kingdom, though not of this world, exists in this world, in the Church. Belonging to him by virtue of faith and our Baptism, we are constituted as a "chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for His own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of Him who called you out of darkness into His marvelous light." — Archbishop Francis Leo
SEEKING THE KINGDOM OF GOD ABOVE AND BEYOND ALL THINGS

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GALATIANS 6:10

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