

# 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

## Office Hours:

Monday through Friday 9:00 am to 4:30 pm

Office closed Monday through Friday 12 pm - 1 pm

## Pastoral & Office Staff

### Pastor

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## 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](mailto: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](mailto:ScreeningSTJC@archtoronto.org)

## Catholic Women's League

President—Josephine Catalano MacPherson

[josephinemacpherson1@gmail.com](mailto:josephinemacpherson1@gmail.com)

## Knights of Columbus

Grand Knight—Vince Scarfone

FB: <https://www.facebook.com/KoC6643>

Website: [knights@stjohnsnewmarket.ca](mailto: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](http://sjcses.blogspot.com)

## Community Bread

For information, to volunteer or to donate, contact

[communitybread@stjohnsnewmarket.ca](mailto:communitybread@stjohnsnewmarket.ca)

## Catholic Schools

Canadian Martyrs 905-895-8530

Notre Dame 905-895-5001

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

# Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

## MASS INTENTIONS

**FEBRUARY 22-MARCH 1**

**Saturday, February 22**

5:00 pm *Pro Populo*

**Sunday, February 23**

*Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time*

8:30 am Mass } *Pro Populo*

10:00 am Mass }

12:00 pm Mass }

1:30 pm Mass (Spanish)

† Jose Vicente Romero Hernandez

† Elva Faviola Salgado de Mosquera

† Orlando Catala

6:30 pm (Chinese)

**Monday, February 24**

8:00 am Mass

† Christina Bensley

† Samuel Magahy

**Tuesday, February 25**

7:00 pm Mass

◆ Anne, Brian & Paul Allen

**Wednesday, February 26**

12:00 pm Mass

† Giuseppe D'Agrosa

◆ Leo Lopez

**Thursday, February 27**

8:00 am Mass

◆ Lourdes Halifax & Family

**Friday, February 28**

8:00 am Mass

† Maxwell, Ruth & David Broughton

**Saturday, March 1**

9:00 am Mass

† Ethel Pinto

† Souls in Purgatory

## SANCTUARY LAMP

**Feb 24-28**

For the Intentions of the Community of St. John Chrysostom Parish  
*In many places of worship a lamp signifies our constant prayer.*

## LET US PRAY

### FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL

Peyton Bausch  
Anne Allen  
Brian Allen  
Ho Foke Tong

### FOR THOSE WHO ARE RECENTLY DECEASED

Ann Gyurmancki  
John Sammut  
Alex Pappalardi  
Myrtle B. Garcia

## SUNDAY MISSALS

### NOW AVAILABLE!

The 2024-2025 Sunday Missal is now available at the Parish Office. Pick up your copy. Cost \$7 Cash.

By showing kindness and mercy, we mirror God's unconditional love. We show that love is not limited by circumstances or feelings, but is a choice that brings transformation to our hearts and the world around us. It isn't easy. Sometimes its hard to even like our own family or coworkers. How then, can we be expected to love our enemies? We can pray. No, don't pray for bad things to happen to our enemies; pray for God's blessings to flow into their lives. It's challenging, but prayer is powerful. It can heal the unforgiveness in our hearts. And praying for the good of our enemies will help dissolve anger and hatred over time.



## A DAY WITH MARY

**May 31, 2025**

Save the date: On **Saturday, May 31**, the Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, join us for "A Day with Mary" at Villanova College in King City. This archdiocesan event will bring together participants from across the region for Mass, the Rosary, a keynote address for adults, and children's catechesis. Enjoy music, fellowship, and deepen your devotion to Our Lady alongside Cardinal Archbishop and many others who honor the Blessed Mother. More details will be provided soon. Mary, Mother of the Church, pray for us.



**"COME TO ME  
...AND I WILL  
GIVE YOU REST"** Mt11:28

Come and discover God's love for you!

**Word of Good News  
for Youth And Adults**

Join us every **Monday** and **Thursday** at **7:30 PM**,  
at St. John Chrysostom Church  
On-site Babysitting Available



We invite you to bring in your dry palms and place them in the designated bin at the entrance of the church. These will be burned and used for ashes this year at our **Ash Wednesday Masses**.

## ASH WEDNESDAY

**March 5, 2025**

**MASSES AND ASHES**

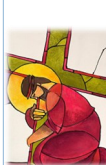
**12:00 pm English**

**6:00 pm English**

**8:00 pm Spanish**



## STATIONS OF THE CROSS



Join us every **Friday during Lent** at **7pm** after Adoration, Benediction, the Rosary and the Chaplet of Divine Mercy. **First Fridays** at **7:30pm**.

*Everyone is welcome.*

## MAINTENANCE FUND

Next weekend, **March 1-2**, we will have a collection for the Maintenance Fund. Your generosity helps us maintain our Church property. Thank you for your support.



**Feast of St. Joseph  
The Mass for the Solemnity  
of St. Joseph, Spouse of the  
Blessed Virgin Mary**

will be celebrated at

**St. John Chrysostom Church on  
Wednesday, March 19, 2025 at 12:00 pm**  
*Everyone is Welcome*

**NOVENA TO ST. JOSEPH STARTS MARCH 11, 2025**

# CONFIRMATION 2025

## CLASSES CONTINUE!



Parents: If you chose **Wednesday Classes**: Your Child's next lesson is **Wednesday, March 26th at 6:00 pm in the parish hall**. If you chose **Thursday Classes**: Your Child's next lesson is **Thursday, March 27th at 6:00pm in the parish hall**.

# 2025 FIRST COMMUNION

## CLASSES CONTINUE!



Parents: If you chose **Wednesday Classes**: Your Child's next lesson is **on Wednesday, March 19th at 6:00pm in the Parish Hall**. If you chose **Thursday classes**: Your Child's next lesson is on **Thursday, March 20th at 6:00pm in the Parish Hall**.



## LIFT JESUS HIGHER RALLY

**Saturday, March 29, 2025**

The annual Lift Jesus Higher Rally is coming up and we are pleased to announce that we will be celebrating the 33rd year of coming together in praise and worship on **Saturday, March 29th 2025** at The Metro Convention Centre-North Building, Toronto. The theme this year, "Power From on High" encourages us to remember and focus on the source of our strength. Time: **9:00am-5:30pm**/Adult Rally \$39/ Youth Rally \$25/for tickets and information, visit: [www.LJHR.ca](http://www.LJHR.ca)



## COME & SEE WEEKEND DISCERNMENT RETREAT

**Friday, March 14, 2025 06:30 am-Sunday, March 16, 2025 02:00 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, **March 14, (6:30 p.m.) until Sunday, March 16, (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. For more information, contact the Office of Vocations via email. Registrations must be done online at

[www.vocationstoronto.ca/comesee](http://www.vocationstoronto.ca/comesee)

CONTACT: [Office of Vocations](mailto:officeofvocations@archtoronto.org)

EMAIL: [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org)

## EASTER FLOWERS



We welcome your donations toward the cost of flowers this Easter. Your generosity will be used to decorate the sanctuary.

## Towards the Jubilee

Cardinal Francis Leo invites us all to prepare ourselves through prayer. Episodes 1 to 9 are now available. Full Year of Prayer Playlist can be found on <https://bit.ly/YearOfPrayerSeries> and for more information on the Year of Prayer, visit the website

<https://www.archtoronto.org/prayer>



## JUBILEE PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY

**September 7 to 19, 2025**

Only 35 seats left!

Lead by Fr. Carlos, and organized by International Heritage Tours, pilgrims will visit Rome and the Holy Doors, San Giovanni Rotondo, Assisi, Padua, Milan and other places. It's an opportunity of a lifetime. For more information/ Register, pick up a brochure at the back of the church or visit our website at: [Pilgrimage](http://Pilgrimage)



## JUBILEE OF YOUTH

Join Fr. Paul Magyar and the Office of Catholic Youth (OCY) team for a pilgrimage of a life time. Young Adults (19-39) [HTTPS://OCYTORONTO.ORG/YOUNG-ADULTS/JUBILEE-OF-YOUTH-2025](https://ocytoronto.org/young-adults/jubilee-of-youth-2025)

## PRAYING FOR OUR ENEMIES



One of Jesus' radical messages that can help us work towards holiness is the call to love our enemies. We must first realize that it is a long process to truly love them but it begins with small acts of prayer. Let us begin to pray for the good of our enemies and slowly rid ourselves of feelings of anger or hatred.

*St. John Chrysostom,  
pray for us*



## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

*Lent is almost here, a season of prayer, almsgiving and fasting where we pour out all that we are before Jesus in preparation for Easter. Perhaps you've felt alone in the desert for far too long, disquieted and restless with nothing left to give. If you have been feeling empty, come, soak in the mystery of God's overwhelming love for you. Join us every Friday from 4pm-7pm for Eucharistic Adoration, Rosary, Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Benediction. Our next First Friday Mass will be celebrated on:*

**March 7th at 7pm**

**All are Welcome**

*(Morning Mass is cancelled)*



## VOCATIONS

The Lord Calls us to do God's Will. Pray that you may know God's Will in your life; especially, if you have the inclination that you are being called to the ordained or consecrated life. If God is calling you, to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations Archdiocese of Toronto at:

**416-968-0997** or email at: [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org)

## OUR OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Collection received on

**Feb 15-16, 2025**

**\$7,168.**

Please contact the Parish Office if you are using Envelope #'s 35 & 353

*Thank you*



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# Total Consecration to Jesus through Mary

**February 20<sup>th</sup>** - Start of the 33 Day Preparation for the  
**Total Consecration to Jesus through Mary**

**March 25<sup>th</sup>** - **Feast of the Annunciation of the Lord**  
**7:00 PM-Holy Mass with Consecration**



You are invited to make the Total Consecration to Jesus Christ Through Mary: According to St. Louis De Montfort. The 33 days of preparation for the consecration will guide you in a beautiful way of Marian Spirituality, in the footsteps of her Son, Jesus. The preparation will end on the **Feast of the Annunciation of the Lord** and will make the **Consecration** at the **7:00 pm Holy Mass on March 25, 2025**. For those of you who have made the act of Total Consecration in the past, it is a good idea to renew it annually. St. Louis believed that Consecration is a gift to God. During the **33 days of preparation**, we consecrate our time much like we do for school, sports and our work. In setting time aside for a sacred purpose and it requires effort which is a significant gift because we make space in our busy lives for God.

Mary calls us to pilgrimage into the depths of our heart so that we come to know the truth of ourselves and into knowing who we are. Our Lady calls us to consecration to get to know her and draw closer to her son, Jesus. The act of consecration is more than a prayer or an act of a moment. It is a lifestyle, an attitude, it is a disposition of the heart to live with the understanding that all we have is from God and this life we live is all for God.

**Preparation starts February 20<sup>th</sup>**. People will pray the preparation on their own, one day at a time as outlined in the book (as well as the app). The preparation ends with the **Consecration on the Feast of the Annunciation of the Lord on March 25<sup>th</sup>**. You can obtain the book or App by:

**Purchasing a paperback book** from the Parish Office for \$15 (cash).

Title: Preparation for Total Consecration to Jesus Christ Through Mary: According to St. Louis De Montfort. (author: Fr Hugh Gillespie)

**On your computer** using the link below to a site that has the 33 day preparation. Go to the "Preparation" page <https://totalconsecration.newevangelizers.com/schedule/>

**iPhone/iPad users** - Download the free App: **My Consecration**.

**Please Note:** **In order to make the consecration you are required to do the preparation.**