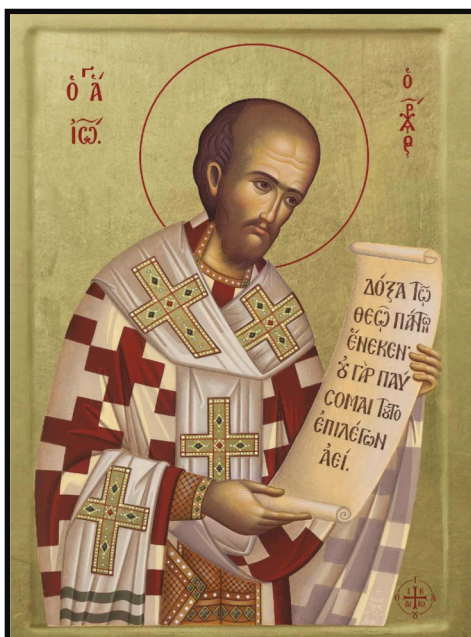




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Weekend Masses

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

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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 god-parents.

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 – Josephine Catalano MacPherson

josephinemacpherson1@gmail.com

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

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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

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Twenty-Ninth Sunday of Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS

OCTOBER 18-25

Saturday, October 18

5:00 pm

Pro Populo

Sunday, October 19

29th Sunday of Ordinary Time

8:30 am Mass

10:00 am Mass *Pro Populo*

12:00 pm Mass

1:30 pm Mass *Spanish*

†Oscar & Angelica Valery

†Gunter & Marta Neuntzmann

†Maria Elizia Sifontes

6:30 pm Mass *Chinese*

Monday, October 20

8:00 AM MASS

†Blanche Cartwright

†Lucia Thi Chin Do

Tuesday, October 21

7:00 PM MASS

†Epifania Fernandez

†Teresa Favot

Wednesday, October 22

12:00 PM MASS

†João & Michael de Almeida

♦Joanne Ennamorato

Thursday, October 23

8:00 AM MASS

†Francesco Leo

†Catherine LeBlanc

Friday, October 24

8:00 AM MASS

Saturday, October 25

9:00 AM MASS

†Deacon John Schwarzbauer

†Souls in Purgatory

SANCTUARY LAMP

October 20-24

*The Sanctuary Lamp burns for the Repose of the Soul of **Francesco Leo**, father of Frank Cardinal Leo*



In many places of worship a lamp signifies our constant prayer. The Sanctuary Lamp will burn for your intentions. Please call the Parish Office

LET US PRAY

**FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL
AND FOR THOSE WHO ARE
RECENTLY DECEASED**

Eternal Life grant unto them oh Lord, and let Your perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.



God knows what we need before we ask—but Jesus teaches us that prayer is still essential. Prayer is our expression of trust in God. It opens our hearts to His will and strengthens our relationship with Him. And God always answers our prayers. Sometimes, He says **“Yes,”** when our request aligns with His divine will, which always seeks our salvation. Other times, the answer is **“No,”** not because the request is bad, but because in His infinite wisdom, He knows it could harm our soul. Most often, however, God answers **“Wait.”** He knows the perfect time to grant us what we seek. In the waiting, we grow—in faith, patience, and trust in His providence and love. Pray. Trust in His timing.



JOIN US FOR COFFEE

Our Eucharistic Ministers warmly invite you to join us in the stain-glass room, after the **10:00 am** Mass on **Sunday, October 19th**, for coffee, treats and fellowship! That's this weekend! Come enjoy a relaxed atmosphere, connect with fellow parishioners and make new friends. Everyone is Welcome and we look forward to seeing you there!



CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

The CWL is now collecting donations for our Christmas Bazaar. Please bring your contributions for the Basket Raffle, White Elephant, Book Sale, or Craft Table (no clothing please) to the bin located at the Parish Office. Alternatively, arrange for a pick up by emailing:

stjohnchrysostomcwl@gmail.com.

Baked goods can be dropped off **Friday, November 14th** (between 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.). Remember, the Bazaar will be held on **Saturday, November 15th** and we'd love to see you there! Thank you for your generous support!



CHRISTMAS PROGRAMS

The volunteers of the Giving Tree and the Society of St. Vincent de Paul Christmas Program are hard at work preparing for this year's campaign. With planning well underway, we are committed to reaching even more individuals and families in need. The Christmas Program launches next weekend at St. John's. Stay tuned for the many ways you can get involved and help make this year's campaign our most successful yet.



ALL SOULS DAY

All Souls envelopes are now available at the entrance 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 2nd**. 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.



ALL SAINTS DAY

A WALK WITH THE STAINED GLASS WINDOW SAINTS

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1 AT 2:00 PM

Have you ever wondered about the saints who grace the stained glass windows at the back of our church? Who are they? How did they come to be there? What stories do they tell? Join the Catholic Women's League for an enlightening walk and presentation as we explore the history of these beautiful windows and discover how our faith reminds us that the saints are our constant companions on life's journey. All parishioners are warmly invited to attend. Come and be inspired by the beauty, faith and stories that shine through our church's sacred windows.

All are Welcome!



**RENEW
TORONTO**

Renew Toronto Nov 21 - 23, 2025

“You also are my witnesses, because you have been with me.”—JOHN 15:27

Join us for RENEW Toronto on Christ the King weekend, **November 21-23!** This annual conference brings together young adults (18-39) to grow in faith and community. With sessions for students, professionals, couples, families, men and women, there's something for everyone. <https://tinyurl.com/yreez3kp> to register.

CONFIRMATIONS 2026

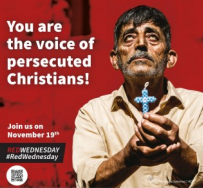


Registration for the **2025-2026** Sacrament of Confirmation Program is now **OPEN**. Parents may register their Grade 7 or older child using the link or QR Code in this announcement. Registration **Deadline** is **Friday, October 31, 2025 midnight**.

Registration Form: <https://tinyurl.com/56h42mj4>

Or Contact us at 905-898-4137 or email us:

parish.office@stjohnsnewmarket.ca



RED WEDNESDAY MASS

NOVEMBER 19

5:30 PM—7:30 PM

On November 19, 2025, Red Wednesday will be marked across Canada and around the world. In Toronto, a Mass will be celebrated at **5:30 p.m.** at **St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica** by Most Reverend John A. Boissonneau, Auxiliary Bishop of Toronto. Red Wednesday shines a light on the persecution of Christians and calls everyone to defend the human right to religious freedom. Parishes, schools, and communities can participate by praying, wearing red, hosting events, lighting churches and buildings, sharing online, and fundraising to strengthen ACN's support for those who suffer. Every action, large or small, sends hope. More information:

www.acn-canada.org/rw/

AID TO THE CHURCH IN NEED



COME & SEE

DISCERNMENT WEEKEND RETREAT
OCTOBER 31-NOVEMBER 2
ST. AUGUSTINE'S SEMINARY

To register: vocationstoronto.ca/comeandsee

This retreat offers a way for men (+18 years or older) to cultivate a deeper prayer life and relationship with Jesus Christ; leading to a better discernment of God's possible call to priesthood.



YOUTH CHOIR

We are excited to announce a new opportunity for young people to participate in the music ministry at St. John's parish! If you are between the ages of 10 and 20 and enjoy singing or playing an instrument, you are invited to join the new St. John's youth choir at the **12pm Mass**! Rehearsals will take place on **Sunday mornings at 11:15 am**. For more information please reach out to Joseph Follows or Nancy Davie at:

stjc.mainoffice4@gmail.com

All are Welcome to Join!



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. Our next First Friday Mass will be celebrated on **November 7th at 7pm**. *(Morning Mass is cancelled)*

VOCATIONS



God will answer the prayers of those who cry out. Pray for men and women to respond to the call to service as priests, deacons, religious brothers and sisters. If God is calling you, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at: **416-968-0997** or

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. 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. We will lead each weekend Mass with the recitation of the Rosary during the month of October.

Read Message from His Grace, Archbishop Francis Leo:
<https://tinyurl.com/u9hyjydw>

OUR KNEELERS: A FRIENDLY REMINDER

Please handle the kneelers with care during Mass. Dropping or forcefully closing them creates unnecessary noise and can cause damage to the kneeler brackets. These brackets are costly to replace—each one ranges from **\$25-\$30**, plus labour. And repairs are funded through the **parish maintenance fund** that you so generously support. Thank you for helping us care for our church and worship space.

PARISH HEADCOUNT SURVEY

On the weekends of **October 18/19** and **October 25/26**, we will be conducting a head count survey at each Mass for the Archdiocese of Toronto.

OUR OFFERTORY COLLECTION

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