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Weekend Masses Saturday Vigil

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 – Josephine Catalano MacPherson josephinemacpherson1@gmail.com

Knights of Columbus

Grand Knight – Vince Scarfone FB: https://www.facebook.com/KoC6643 Website: 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 Martyrs905-895-8530Notre Dame905-895-5001St. John Chrysostom905-895-7411St. Nicholas905-895-3777St. Paul905-895-4122Sacred Heart H.S.905-895-3340

Chaplain: Erica Gismondi

Trustee: Theresa McNicol 905-898-2210

Thirtieth Sunday of Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS

OCTOBER 25-NOVEMBER 1 Saturday, October 25

5:00 pm Pro Pop Sunday, October 26 30th Sunday of Ordinary Time

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

1:30 pm Mass Spanish 6:30 pm Mass Chinese

Monday, October 27 8:00 AM MASS

"Elena Gondos

🕇 Andrew Foti Tuesday, October 28 7:00 PM MASS

Maria Colalillo

*Adrian Holloway Wednesday, October 29

12:00 PM MASS

*Joseph & Violet Pereira **♦** Carol McDermont

Thursday, October 30 8:00 AM MASS

*Carmine & Michela Colalillo *Carmine & Addolorata Colalillo

Friday, October 31 8:00 AM MASS

*Gabiel Narvadez

Michela Colalillo

Saturday, November 1 9:00 AM MASS ALL SAINTS DAY **PRO POPULO**

SANCTUARY LAMP



October 27-31

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.

St. John Chrysostom, prav for us

We, too, can fall into the trap of pride—thinking highly of ourselves while quietly (or not so quietly) judging those around us. In the parable, the Pharisee doesn't come before God in humility. Instead, he highlights his own achievements, going beyond what the Law requires and proudly listing his virtues. Rather than confessing his sins, he compares himself to the tax collector and elevates his own status in the process. But Jesus reminds us: true self-awareness doesn't come from comparing ourselves to others—it comes from comparing ourselves to God's holiness (cf. Matthew 5:48). When we do that, we realize how deeply we depend on His mercy. Let's guard against allowing righteousness to turn into self-righteousness. The only righteousness that truly counts is the one that comes through Christ. It is a gift, not a badge of honor—and it always begins with humility. Mind you, tax collectors aren't on the top of my list either.

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 names of your dearly departed. your generous support!

ARCHDIOCESE OF TORONTO **CEMETERY MASS**

All Souls' Day Mass Saturday November 8, 2025 at 2:00 PM

All Souls' Day is a day of prayer and remembrance for the faithful departed. Through prayer, intercessions, alms and visits to cemeteries, people commemorate their loved ones that have passed.

All Masses will be held indoors at the following locations:

ASSUMPTION CATHOLIC CEMETERY & FUNERAL HOME

Our Lady of Fatima Mausoleum CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC CEMETERY

Reception Centre HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC CEMETERY & FUNERAL HOME

Holy Family Mausoleum **OUEEN OF HEAVEN CATHOLIC CEMETERY**

St. Anthony's Mausoleum RESURRECTION CATHOLIC CEMETERY

Our Lady of the Assumption Mausoleum

ALL SOULS DAY

All Souls envelopes are now All Souls Day 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



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. Please join us.

Renew Toronto Nov 21 - 23. 2025

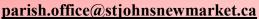
PENEW "You also are my witnesses, because you have been with me."—JOHN 15:27

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.



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 OR 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:









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



To register: vocationstoronto.ca/comesee 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.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CHRISTMAS CARDS

The Knights of Columbus will be selling their beautiful Christmas cards at the end of each Mass next weekend (Nov 1-2). These cards are a wonderful way to share the joy of the season with loved ones while supporting our Knights. We invite you to stop by their table at the entrance of the church.



Don't forget to set your clocks back 1 hour before you go to

bed on Saturday, November 1st.

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.

EUCHARISTIC **ADORATION**

∌hare 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)

POCATIONS

WANTED: Humble sinners who know the forgiveness of God. These make good servants of the Gospel. They can be priests, deacons, brothers or sisters. If God is calling you, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations.

Archdiocese of Toronto at: 416-968-0997 or

vocations@archtoronto.org

Parish HEADCOUNT SURVEY

On the weekend of October 25/26, we will be conducting a head count survey at each Mass for the Archdiocese of Toronto.

OUR OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Collection received on Oct 18-19 \$9,684.

Please contact the Parish Office if you are using envelope #'s 35 & 394



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