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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 vou 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 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

Pentecost Sunday

MASS INTENTIONS

May 18-25 Saturday, May 18 5:00pm Mass Pro Populo Sunday, May 19 Pentecost Sunday Pro Populo 8:30 am Mass 10:00 am Mass 12:00 pm Mass 1:30 pm Mass (Spanish) 6:30 pm Mass (Chinese)

Monday, MAY 20 8:00 am Mass • Michael Doyle • Beth Palma

Tuesday, May 21 7:00 pm Mass Janis Longe-Alexander ♦ Catholic Women's League

Wednesday, May 22 12:00 pm Mass • Ioão & Michael de Almeida Iosé Raposo Furtado

Thursday, May 23 8:00 am Mass Ernesto Luna Lourdes Haliax & Family

Friday, May 24 8:00 am Mass • Janis Longe-Alexander Paul McMillan

Saturday, May 25 9:00 am Mass **H** Janis Longe-Alexander ♦ Paul McMillan

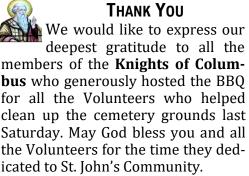


LET US PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL Anthony Roman Vera Valentina Humphrey Marilu Alarcon Ramos

AND THE RECENTLY DECEASED **Agnes** Ziegelbauer Maureen Gallacher



Pentecost isn't gentle or mild. The Holy Spirit is powerful. Life-changing. Energetic. Through our Baptism and *Confirmation, each one of us has been filled and anoint*ed with the exact Holy Spirit as the patriarchs, the prophets, the martyrs and the apostles. And so, we too are called, as Pope Francis asks each of us, to "go out again and again, without hesitation, without fear and proclaim this joy which is for all people..." and become transformed into energetic and outspoken witnesses to *Jesus. Because God is here among us. Right now— and* as close as our next breath.



LIVING IN A SPIRIT OF UNITY On this feast day of Pentecost let us reflect on the words of St. Cyril of Alexandria who

says that those who've received the Holy Spirit are "in a sense blended together with one another and with God." We are firstly connected to one another and so as stewards we should strive to create a charitable and hospitable community for all of our parishioners. Secondly, we are all connected with God, so we should strive to forgive those who've hurt us in order to foster a divine community free of all anger and resentment.

VISITING MINISTRY ANNUAL MEETING

meeting will be held on Wednesday, hers and find out! May 22 at 7pm in the parish hall. Corina Victoria Day Our guest speaker is Sumaway from Catholic Family Ser-

vices of Toronto. All visiting ministry members and anyone interested are Office will re-open on Tuesday, welcome to join us.

A SPECIAL THANK YOU

A special thank you to all the volunteers who graciously donated their time to the children and families of our parish in the celebration of their Confirmation. Loving father, in Jesus' name, pour your love upon our volunteers and bless them, their families and their homes. They are doers of the Word serving with humility, joy and peace in their hearts. We ask that you protect them as they continue their journey with us.



GOOD NEWS FOR YOUTH AND ADULTS

Ioin us in the Church each Monday and Thursday at 7:30 pm for the Word of Good News. "I have come that they may have life in abundance."

—John 10:10

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE The next CWL general meeting

will be held on Tuesday, May **21**st after the **7pm** mass. Join us for an evening of fun and fellowship. All women of the parish are invited. Curious about what the CWL is all about? The Visiting Ministry Annual general Come out and meet some of the mem-



VICTORIA DAY

Monday, May 20, 2024 The Parish Office will be CLOSED in observance of Victoria Day. The May 21st. Have a safe a restful day.



Visi ation Ministry

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. The series will focus on the seven petitions of the

Lord's Praver. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kZAizZ86GjE





2024 CONFIRMATION

Congratulations to all the Confirmandi of St. John's! May the Spirit of God who came to you in this sacrament, continue to strengthen you throughout your

Christian life. Let us also pray and thank Most Reverent Bishop Boissonneau who graciously inspired all of us as the celebrant of our Confirmation Masses.



SECURITIES AS A CHARITABLE GIFT

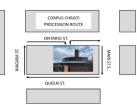
One of the most financially sound ways to support the Archdiocese of Toronto is with the gift of securities (stokes, bonds, mutual funds). When you donate stocks, mutual funds and other publicly traded securities to a registered charity, you pay no capital gains tax and receive a tax receipt for the full amount of the gift. It means a great tax break for you and a significant support to your Parish. To donate securities, follow this link: https://bit.ly/GiftsOfSecurities and for more information, contact our office at development@archtoronto.org. THS NO.

2024 FIRST COMMUNION

Congratulations! to all the children who completed the 2024 First Holy Communion Program here at St. John's! And Congratulations to the children who

will receive our Lord in the most Holy Eucharist for the first time on **June 1** and **June 2**.

Corpus Christi Mass & Procession On Sunday, June 2 at the end of the 10:00 am Mass, we are having a procession for Corpus Christi. All parish groups, ministry groups and First Communion Children are invited to join us. Here is the route:



*East on Ontario St. *South on Main St. *West on Queen St. *North on Niagara St. *East on Ontario St.

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 **June 7th** at **7pm**.

(Morning Mass is Cancelled) All are welcome

fear-filled

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apostles



MAY, THE MONTH DEDICATED TO MARY

St Louis De Montfort teaches that Our Lady is full of Grace, not for herself but for us. She knows what is best for us and is always aligned with God's Will. Often it is our sins that get in the way. We are encouraged to follow her, and she will guide us away from sin through a life of virtue.

VIRTUES OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Acts of love, pious affection for the Blessed Virgin, imitation of her virtues, especially her profound humility, her lively faith, her

blind obedience, her continual mental prayer, her mortification in all things, her surpassing purity, her ardent charity, her heroic patience, her angelic sweetness, and her divine wisdom: "there being," as St. Louis De Montfort says, "the ten principal virtues of the Blessed Virgin."

MARIAN ALTAR AT HOME

This old tradition of honouring Our Lady in our homes during the month of May has been passed down through the generations. You can create a space for your altar on a small table, on a windowsill or on a shelf in your home. Central to the altar is a statue or image of Our Lady, placed on a small blue or white cloth. May altars are traditionally adorned with flowers. Place a candle on your altar and light it as you take some time each day during the month of May, for quiet prayer and ask for Our Lady's intercession.

DURING THE MONTH OF MAY, WE WILL PRAY THE ROSARY 30 MINUTES BEFORE ALL WEEKEND MASSES. PLEASE JOIN US.



International Eucharistic Congress – September 8-15, 2024 Join the Archdiocese of Toronto Delegation!

Traditionally every four years, the Holy Father invites pilgrims from around the world to join in an International Eucharistic Congress. This year's event will take place in Quito, Ecuador from September 8-15, 2024. Limited spaces are available for pilgrims from the Archdiocese of Toronto to join with other Canadian delegates to travel to Ecuador. To learn more about the pilgrimage, visit www.archtoronto.org/iec Registration deadline is June 6.

Holy Spirit as they became powerful and dynamic pro-

claimers of their faith in Jesus Christ. In today's Church God calls priests, religious and deacons to serve Him and to serve others especially by the inspiration of the Holy Spirit. If you feel God may be calling you to this ministry, call Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations Archdiocese of Toronto at: **416-968-0997**/email: **vocations@archtoronto.org**



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