

**St. John the Evangelist
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MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday Masses: Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.
Monday, Wednesday, Friday & Saturday: 9:00 a.m.
Tuesday, Thursday: 7:00 p.m.

Baptism: Please call the office to arrange to discuss your child's Baptism.

Confession: Each Saturday at 4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Marriage: The parish congratulates all newly engaged couples and reminds them that, by Archdiocesan Policy, they are required to contact the parish at least one year in advance of the proposed marriage.

Sick: That the sick may be consoled by the Holy Spirit and strengthened by the love and presence of others, especially Luke, Patrick, Shelly & Rosa Maria Santos.



Deceased: That our deceased brothers and sisters will inherit eternal life, especially Ellen Proctor and Daphne Dale.

Pope's May Evangelization Intention: *Christians in Africa* - That Christians in Africa, in imitation of the Merciful Jesus, may give prophetic witness to reconciliation, justice, and peace.

**Project Rachel
Private and Confidential**

Do not be far off and alone any longer. Come near. We can help. Call 416-629-8264 or e-mail ProjectRachel@stmarysrefuge.org. A weekend retreat for women whose hearts have been broken by abortion: June 2-4, 2017.

Offering

Weekly (May 14).....\$2,825.25
Building Fund.....\$2,802.40
Expenses (May 12- 18).....\$3,500.96

Thank you for your contribution.



MASSES OF THE WEEK

SATURDAY, MAY 20
5:00 pm Maria Em Tran R.I.P. - Vo-Nguyen Family

SUNDAY, MAY 21
9:00 am Giovannina, Ernesto&Enzo Cardillo R.I.P. - Guido Family
11:00 am The People of the Parish

MONDAY, MAY 22
9:00 am Assunta Cardelli R.I.P. - Anne Marie & Grandchildren

TUESDAY, MAY 23
7:00 pm Norma R.I.P. - Mildred Vandaiyar

WEDNESDAY, MAY 24
9:00 am Klara Kordas R.I.P. - Ivy Iskierski
11:00 am Funeral Mass - Ellen Proctor R.I.P.

THURSDAY, MAY 25
7:00 pm Samy Vandaiyar R.I.P. - Mildred & Children
Ellen Proctor R.I.P. - St. John's C.W.L.

FRIDAY, MAY 26
9:00 am Klara Kordas R.I.P. - Julia Monid

SATURDAY, MAY 27
9:00 am Unannounced
5:00 pm Enzo Timordidio R.I.P. - Family

SUNDAY, MAY 28
9:00 am The People of the Parish
11:00 am Alessandro Baccinar R.I.P. - Baccinar Family

Congratulations

We offer our congratulations to the children of St. John the Evangelist School and our parish community who received their First Holy Communion during the Easter Season.

A special thank you to Susan Costanzo and Dora Zigrossi for the parish preparation of these children for the Sacrament of Reconciliation and First Holy Communion. Thank you also to the parents for assisting in the preparation for these Sacraments.

Please note: First Holy Communion certificates will be available for pick-up starting this weekend at the church counter, before or after Sunday Mass.

VICTORIA DAY

The parish office will be closed on Monday, May 22, for the statutory holiday, Victoria Day. Have a safe and blessed long weekend.

POPE'S PASTORAL WORKS

This weekend there will be a special collection for the Pope's Pastoral Works. Envelopes for this collection can be found in your box of offertory envelopes or in the foyer. Each year Canadian Catholics are asked to give generously to this papal collection which is passed on to the Holy Father for his use among those stricken by natural disasters such as earthquakes or floods. In the name of Catholics everywhere he displays Christ's love and compassion for those who suffer.

Canadian Food for Children

Our Mission: The MISSION is to help the suffering and starving children of the world by raising funds to purchase food for the hungry in developing or disaster stricken countries. We issue tax receipts for cash donations and "gifts in kind" tax receipts for donated materials. We are a NON-DENOMINATIONAL 100% VOLUNTEER ORGANIZATION (no one in our organization is paid for their work). 100% of donations received are used to purchase food and support shipping to children in need.

Next weekend, at all Sunday Masses, we will have a guest speaker on behalf of the Canadian Food for Children. Canadian Food for Children is a ShareLife supported agency.

TOGETHER WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE.



Weston Historical Society

The Weston Historical Society will be holding its General Meeting on Wednesday, June 7, 2017 at The Village of Humber Heights Retirement Home, 2245 Lawrence Avenue West, at 7:30 p.m. Guest speaker will be Doug Taylor. His topic will be "Movie Theatres of Toronto – memories of lost movie theatres."

We do hope that you will be able to attend; friends and family are all welcome! Refreshments will be served after the meeting!

We are pleased to announce the meeting is wheelchair accessible.

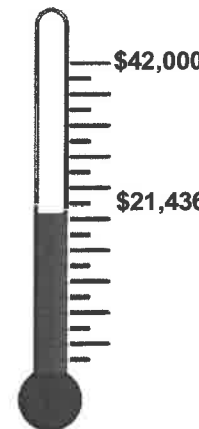


**Eucharistic Adoration
Spend an Hour with Jesus**

Eucharistic Adoration takes place every Friday after the 9:00 a.m. Mass and concludes with Benediction at 10:30 a.m.



Living the Gospel by caring for the elderly....



"Words cannot convey our gratitude to Elizabeth and to the Society of Sharing for giving our mother a new meaning to her life. Before the friendly visit program started, our mother was very depressed and unmotivated. However, her life changed when Elizabeth started to visit her. Elizabeth is a very kind, energetic and enthusiastic volunteer and her hobby is artwork. She decided to share her talent with our mother and has been giving her art lessons in acrylic painting. The intellectual stimulation has been tremendous and, as a result, has enhanced her health and her quality of life as she relaxes and focuses on her art projects. Thank you again, for all your support." **Last year ShareLife-supported agencies provided outreach programs that met the needs of over 2,200 seniors.**

**Next ShareLife Sunday is June 4, 2017
Please give generously.**

Would you like to follow your faith but don't know a reliable, scientific family planning method? **FertilityCare Toronto** can help you. www.fertilitycare.ca



**CHURCH BULLETIN
ADVERTISING**

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our new church bulletin. The advertisements, which will make our bulletin possible, will begin June 18.

Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Please call Liturgical Publications at 905-624-4422.



The Lord said, "I will not leave you orphaned." Pray for an increase of vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, and consecrated life. If God is calling you, **contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.**

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