

**St. John the Evangelist  
Roman Catholic Church**

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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.



**Mass Intentions**

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 21**

5:00 pm Maria Dominicoz R.I.P.  
- Patricia MacFarlane & Family

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 22**

9:00 am The People of the Parish  
11:00 am Antonio Creglia R.I.P. - Bruna Creglia

**MONDAY, JANUARY 23**

9:00 am Victor Orbeso - Eloisa Valverde

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 24**

7:00 pm Giacomo, Cono & Maria Lo Giacco R.I.P.  
- Lo Giacco Family

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 25**

9:00 am Joseph Dempsey R.I.P. - Pat Thornton

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 26**

7:00 pm Serafino Guido R.I.P. - Guido Family

**FRIDAY, JANUARY 27**

9:00 am Sabrina Dunn R.I.P. &  
David Huckins R.I.P. - R. Sullivan

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 28**

9:00 am Unannounced  
5:00 pm Giovanni & Giuseppina Tognieri R.I.P.  
- Santi Family

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 29**

9:00 am Intentions of Martin - Ngo Family  
11:00 am The People of the Parish



St. John the Evangelist Parish school is now accepting new students. We are temporarily relocated close to the community, until our new school is built (the target date is September 2018). Until then, busing is provided, and the trip is only 5 - 10 minutes in length.

To register, please call the school at 416-393-5244 or go to <https://SOAR.TCDSB.ORG>

**IMPORTANT** - Junior Kindergarten students must have a birth year of 2013 forward. Our classes this year are full, so register now to ensure the appropriate placement for your child(ren) in September 2017.



Catechesis classes for those children who have already registered for First Holy Communion will resume on Sunday, January 29 at 10:00 a.m. in the church hall (after the 9:00 a.m. Mass or before the 11:00 a.m. Mass).

**WORLD DAY FOR CONSECRATED LIFE**

On Thursday, February 2, the Church celebrates the World Day for Consecrated Life.

In the Archdiocese of Toronto we are blessed to have living and serving among us more than 900 religious men and women of 100 different religious congregations. This World Day for Consecrated Life is a wonderful opportunity for us to thank God for the gifts of these religious sisters, brothers and priests and to pray for God's blessing upon them in their efforts to faithfully live the evangelical counsels of poverty, chastity and obedience.

Bishop Wayne Kirkpatrick will preside at a special Mass on Sunday, January 29 at 3:00 p.m. at St. Paul's Basilica, Toronto in celebration of the vocation and witness of these special men and women religious who are such a vital and important part of the life and ministry of the Church in our Archdiocese. All are welcome to attend.

**NEW BEGINNINGS**

New Beginnings offers an opportunity for people who have suffered the loss of a loved one through death, separation or divorce to come together in a safe, non-judgmental and faith centered environment. Support is available by contacting Catholic Family Services in Toronto at 416-921-1163 or North York at 416-222-0048.

St. John the Evangelist New Beginnings' Program is celebrating the fifth anniversary of serving a group of women in our parish.

Please feel free to reach out to CFS using the numbers above if you are a man or woman seeking support.

**TAIZE PRAYER INVITATION**

The Presentation Brothers & The Franciscan Friars of the Atonement invite you to a *TAIZE PRAYER SESSION*.

Venue: The Friary - 15 Laxton Avenue (M6K 1K8) in Parkdale (Queen & Lansdowne)

January 25th @ 6:30 p.m.  
February 22nd @ 6:30 p.m.  
March 29th @ 6:30 p.m.

**"So you had not the strength to keep awake with me for one hour"? LK. 26:40**

Light refreshments will be served. You are invited to bring a non-perishable item for the Missionaries of Charity. Telephone: 416-537-0327. Limited parking available.

**FAMILY OF FAITH CAMPAIGN**

**Is your information up-to-date?** Please help the Family of Faith campaign maintain its records by letting them know of any changes to your information, including your e-mail address. Please contact the Donations Processing Centre at [campaign@archtoronto.org](mailto:campaign@archtoronto.org) or 416-934-3400 ext. 555.

**Where to send payments:** Thank you for your commitment to our parish's Family of Faith campaign. Parishioners making payments on their Family of Faith Campaign pledge are asked to not place their payments in the collection basket. Payments should be sent directly to the campaign at: Donations Processing Centre, Family of Faith Campaign, 1155 Yonge Street, Toronto.

**ITALIAN NIGHT DINNER DANCE**

The Humber Valley Council once again will be hosting the Italian Night Dinner Dance. If you are interested in attending, please contact Joe Pipitone at 416-358-0856. **Cost:** \$30.00 per person

Saturday, January 28, 2017 at 7:00 p.m.  
Transfiguration of Our Lord (parish hall)  
45 Ludstone Drive, Etobicoke



Catechesis sessions for candidates who have already registered for Confirmation will resume on Sunday, January 29 at 2:30 p.m. or Tuesday, January 31 at 7:30 p.m. in the church hall. You must attend either the Sunday or Tuesday session group which you have been assigned to.

**WEEK OF PRAYER  
FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY 2017  
ECUMENICAL PRAYER SERVICE**



Join us in an ecumenical prayer service, led by His Eminence Cardinal Thomas Collins, Chaldean Catholic Bishop Emanuel Shaleta, Coptic Orthodox Bishop Anba Mina, Anglican Suffragan Bishop Peter Fenty, and accompanied by other city-wide religious leaders on:

Sunday, January 29, 2017 at 3:00 p.m.  
St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica  
65 Bond Street  
(north-east corner of Bond and Shuter Streets)

Paid parking is available, refreshments to follow.

For further information, please contact the Office of Ecumenical and Interfaith Affairs at 416-934-3400 ext. 344 or ext. 527 or [vkwok@archtoronto.org](mailto:vkwok@archtoronto.org).

**For the Sick:** That those who are ill may find in their weakness a new understanding of the redemptive power of Christ, especially Janine Bujold, Bruna Creglia, James Earle, Josephine Glynn, Rose Helmy, Michael Kabin and Francesca Tallerico.



**For the Deceased:** For those who have lived by the light of faith: that the darkness of death may give way to the brightness of eternal life, especially Bro. Emmanuel Sciberras, FSC.

**Pope's January Evangelization Intention:** *Christian Unity* - That all Christians may be faithful to the Lord's teaching by striving with prayer and fraternal charity to restore ecclesial communion and by collaborating to meet the challenges facing humanity.

The parish office will be closed on Friday, January 27. If there is an emergency, please call the office and leave a message. Your call will be returned as soon as possible.

Sunday Offertory (Jan. 15).....\$3,635.75

Cheques written since the beginning of the year to January 18.....\$9,235.33

*Thank you for your contribution.*

