



Masses For The Week

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2

5:00 pm Juan & Mario Doronio R.I.P.
- Cora Doronio

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3

9:00 am The People of the Parish
11:00 am Deceased Members of St. John the Evangelist CWL R.I.P. - Proctor Family

MONDAY, DECEMBER 4

9:00 am Stanislaw Iskierski R.I.P.
- Wife & Family

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5

7:00 pm Vocations

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6

9:00 am Margaret Symington R.I.P.
- Kristina Stekar

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7

7:00 pm Pasquele & Rosa Carabetta R.I.P.
- Family
Ellen Proctor R.I.P.
- Brad & Cathy Swanek
Domingos & Virginia R.I.P. - Family
All Souls in Purgatory - Josie Panin

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8

9:00 am Giuseppe Primier R.I.P. - Primier Family

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9

9:00 am Unannounced
5:00 pm Paul Nghia Mai R.I.P & Maria Oanh Nguyen R.I.P.
- Vo-Nguyen Family

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10

9:00 am Vilma Pupolin - Rose Wells
11:00 am The People of the Parish

Sacrament of Reconciliation



Don't Miss

In order for children to make their First Holy Communion in 2018, they must receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Therefore, children who have already registered and preparing for First Holy Communion must attend and receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions) on Saturday, December 9th at 11:00 a.m.



return by Sunday, December 10th.

Toys will be distributed on Saturday, December 16th to needy families within the parish community through the Weston Food Bank and the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul.



Sick: That the Lord our God will lift the burdens of those who suffer from illnesses of mind and body, especially Michelina Ciociola & Dianne MacFarlane.

Deceased: That they may see the Saviour face to face.

Pope's December Universal Intention: *For the Elderly* - That the elderly, sustained by families and Christian communities, may apply their wisdom and experience to spreading the faith and forming the new generations.

Please note that names will stay on the sick list for 30 days unless notified otherwise.



Weekly (Nov 26).....	\$3,299.60
Society of St. Vincent de Paul.....	\$6,466.00
Expenses (Nov 20 - Nov 26).....	\$1,406.04
Building Fund Expenses.....	\$36.87

Thank you for your contribution.

Please make Christmas special for a child by donating a new, unwrapped toy for a child between the ages of newborn to 16. Please pick a tag from the tree and place the label on your unwrapped gift and

Day of Confessions

To return to the Lord with integrity, we benefit greatly from celebrating the Sacrament of Reconciliation. This year, we will provide the opportunity for all. From December 10 to 16, 2017, each parish in the Archdiocese of Toronto will be holding a *Day of Confessions*. Preparation for and the celebration of Confession allows us to set aside disruptive ways, to be renewed in heart and spirit, to be reconciled with our God who abounds with gracious, gentle tenderness.

In our parish, the *Day of Confessions* will be held on Thursday, December 14th. The schedule for the day is as follows:

9:00 a.m. Mass (no 7:00 p.m. Mass)

Confessions will be heard at the following times:

9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

(7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. visiting priests)

Visit archtoronto.org/confession for more dates and times at parishes in your area.

Pre-Authorized Giving Plan

Through the Archdiocese of Toronto, St. John the Evangelist has established a *Pre-Authorized Giving Plan* to assist you in your support of the work of St. John the Evangelist Parish through your regular parish offerings (**this does not include special collections**). Advantages for the donor is the convenience of your offering being received automatically every month (to be withdrawn from your account on the 20th day of each month) and your continual support of your parish when you are away.

Pre-Authorized Giving Plan forms can be found at the counter in the church foyer. Just fill out the form and attach a cheque from your account marked "void." Once completed, put the form and void cheque in a sealed envelope, place it in the collection basket or hand it to the staff at the counter in the church foyer.

Advent Holy Hour with Taize Music

A wonderful way to Prepare the way of the Lord in our hearts. In the busy time of Advent, please join us at St. John the Evangelist Parish for a Holy Hour featuring Taize chants, Prayers and quiet time.

Sunday, December 10, 2017
from 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

This weekend, at all the Masses, the newly appointed set of Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion will receive their mandate. After submitting their names to the Chancellor of Spiritual Affairs, we have received the authorization to install them to a three year term.

According to the norms of law, they are authorized to carry out this role at "St. John the Evangelist Parish, Weston, whenever the number of the faithful seeking Holy Communion is so great that the celebration of Mass would be excessively protracted, and only when sufficient Ordinary Ministers (priests or deacons) are not available," from the Rescript dated November 13, 2017.



Thank you to all those who donated so generously to last week's annual collection for the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul. This year's parish collection brought in \$6,466.00. This money is used to help people in need within our parish boundaries. Donations can always be made to the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul by placing your donation in the donation boxes at the doors of the church.

CHRISTMAS FRUIT CAKES

The Knights of Columbus will be selling Christmas fruit cakes on the weekend of December 9/10 in the church foyer. **Cost:** \$18.00 small; \$25.00 large. All proceeds will go to Campaign Life Coalition.