

St. John the Evangelist Roman Catholic Church



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Parish Staff

Rev. A. Maderak, Pastor

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Office Hours

Monday, Wednesday to Friday 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Closed on Tuesdays

Mass Schedule

Sunday Masses:

Saturday Vigil 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

Weekday Masses:

Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday 9:00 a.m.

Tuesday, Thursday 7:00 p.m.

Parish School

St. John the Evangelist Catholic School

23 George Street, York (Weston), ON M9N 2B4

Tel: 416-393-5244 Fax: 416-393-5032

New to the Parish

If you are new to St. John the Evangelist please introduce yourself to the priest after Mass. Be sure to complete a registration form.

Sacrament of Baptism

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

Sacrament of Marriage

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

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays from 4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. or by appointment by calling the parish office.

Priesthood or Religious Life

For information on Priesthood or Religious Life, please contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

Vocation website: www.vocationstoronto.ca

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

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



Masses For The Week

SATURDAY, JANUARY 25

5:00 pm Paul Von Zuben R.I.P. - Stekar Family

SUNDAY, JANUARY 26

9:00 am The People of the Parish

11:00 am Vincent & Ellen Proctor R.I.P.

- Patricia MacFarlane & Family

MONDAY, JANUARY 27

9:00 am John Baptist Ung Ngo R.I.P.

- Ngo Family

TUESDAY, JANUARY 28

7:00 pm Anton Aseervatham R.I.P.

- Patricia MacFarlane & Family

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29

9:00 am Giovanni & Assunta Cardelli R.I.P.

- Anne Marie & Grandchildren

THURSDAY, JANUARY 30

7:00 pm Available

FRIDAY, JANUARY 31

9:00 am In Thanksgiving - Nancy Arkorful

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1

9:00 am Available

5:00 pm Serafino Guido R.I.P. - Guido Family

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 2

9:00 am Lazara Valmana R.I.P.

- Family & Friends

11:00 am The People of the Parish

Scam Email Purportedly from a Parishioner

A couple of weeks ago, St. John the Evangelist Parish and some of our parishioners received an email purportedly from another parishioner asking for monetary assistance. Unfortunately, this parishioner was a target of an email scam similar to a scam alert we first published in our July 15, 2018 bulletin as below:

“Scam Alert: Priest request for gift card

The Archdiocese of Toronto would like to alert parishioners about an email scam previously reported by several other dioceses that has now appeared in our own diocese with reports of at least one parishioner who lost \$300 to a fraudster pretending to be the pastor of a parish. Several other dioceses had reported an email scam where Catholics have been hit by scammers sending requests, purportedly from their parish priests, for iTunes gift cards. A false email from a priest is sent asking for the electronic gift cards to be sent to another address so that they may be given to someone in need.”

Please exercise caution when checking email messages. Think before you click or open attachments. Verify email requests for money or gift cards by phoning the sender on a known phone number (not the phone number in the suspect message).



Please pray for the sick, especially Katherine Geras and Maria De Fatima Alves.

For the dead: that the darkness of death may give way to the brightness of eternal life.

Pope’s January Evangelization Intention:
Promotion of World Peace - We pray that Christians, followers of other religions, and all people of goodwill may promote peace and justice in the world.

World Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life

The Church will celebrate the World Day for Consecrated Life on Sunday, February 2, 2020, for all those who have made commitments to the consecrated life. May they continue to be inspired by Jesus Christ and respond generously to God’s gift of their vocation. All are welcome to come to a special Mass on Sunday, February 2 at 3 p.m. at St. Paul’s Basilica, Toronto, to celebrate with and pray for these consecrated men and women who are such a vital and important part of the life and ministry of the Church in our archdiocese.

Why Use Offertory Envelopes



Using weekly offertory envelopes allows us to know that you are a practicing member of St. John the Evangelist Parish. It is important that we have a way of knowing you when you request baptism, marriage or letters of reference.

Would you consider using envelopes in 2020? You help your parish with regular giving while benefitting from income tax savings as you will receive an annual income tax receipt for all your donations. As long as you paid income tax, using envelopes can be beneficial. Depending on the amount of income tax you paid and the amount you have contributed to charities, you may be eligible for up to 40% combined Federal and Provincial tax credit of the amount you gave to charities. Further information can be found at Canada Revenue Agency, www.cra-arc.gc.c.

If you would like to begin using envelopes, please see staff at the counter in the church foyer. Please write the name to be used for your tax receipt and full address on the first few envelopes that you use.

Why Use 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.

St. John the Evangelist School Registration

St. John the Evangelist parish school registration is now accepting new students for September 2020. Parents are invited to register online at <http://soar.tcdsb.org>.

IMPORTANT - Junior Kindergarten students must have a birth year of 2016 forward. Register now to ensure the appropriate placement for your child(ren) in September 2020.

Dynamic Women of Faith Event

Location: Le Tre Port Banquet Hall
1075 Queensway East, Mississauga

Calling ALL Girls

A Special Evening for Mothers & their High School & University Daughters

Friday, March 27 - 7:00 p.m. to 10:00pm

Speakers & Topics:

Adeodata Czink - *What Makes a Lady a Lady?*
Dr. Sandra Sagrati - *Get Uncomfortable: Less Stress & Anxiety*

Dorothy Pilarski - *The Power of Prayer*

Book signing with award winning author Colleen Carroll Campbell.

Early bird special \$25 (before February 14th)
Register at www.dynamicwomenfaith.com



Weekly Offering (Jan 19) \$2,836.50
Expenses (Jan 13 - Jan 19) \$7,347.81

Thank you for your contribution.

There will be a second collection next weekend, February 1 / 2, for the Building Fund.

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