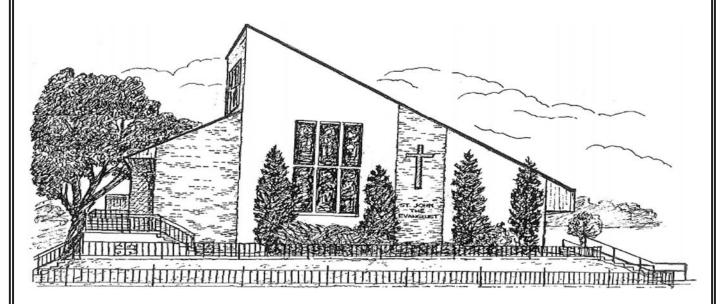
# St. John the Evangelist Roman Catholic Church



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#### **Parish Staff**

Rev. A. Maderak, Pastor Rev. Mr. Oswald D'Paiva, Deacon Sheila Mills, Secretary

#### **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, FEBRUARY 8**

5:00 pm Albert Lyons R.I.P. - Clara Creglia

#### **SUNDAY. FEBRUARY 9**

9:00 am The People of the Parish

11:00 am Vincent Proctor R.I.P. - Donna

#### **MONDAY. FEBRUARY 10**

9:00 am Maria Do & Joseph Tri Tran R.I.P.

- Ngo Family

#### **TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11**

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

- Patricia MacFarlane & Family

#### **WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12**

9:00 am For the Intentions of Brigida, Cecilia & Angelyka Pauline Corpus - Family

#### **THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13**

7:00 pm Vicente Lood R.I.P. - Inojales Family

#### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14

9:00 am Sura Shamoon - Nancy Swanek

#### **SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15**

9:00 am Unannounced

5:00 pm Roberto Honrado Sr. R.I.P.

- Honrado Family

#### **SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16**

9:00 am Joseph Tri Bao Ngo R.I.P.

- Ngo Family

11:00 am The People of the Parish



For the sick, especially Katherine Geras and Maria De Fatima Alves.

For our deceased family members and those of our parish who have died in faith.

**Pope's February Universal Intention:** *Listen to the Migrants' Cries -* We pray that the cries of our migrant brothers and sisters, victims of criminal trafficking, may be heard and considered.

## Tax Receipts for 2019

Income tax receipts for donations received and deposited in 2019 have been mailed. Boxes of offertory envelopes for 2020 are available for new envelope users (please see staff at the counter in the church foyer). Please write name to be used for the tax receipt and your full address on the first few envelopes that you use.

Please destroy any envelopes you may have from previous years. Since donations are posted by envelope number this will ensure that you receive the proper credit from your current envelope number for your income tax receipt.

Using 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.

**Please note:** The Family of Faith campaign will be issuing 2019 tax receipts for Family of Faith donations by the end of February 2020.

# World Day of the Sick Tuesday, February 11

The ministry of Jesus to the sick is central to the life of the Church. Tuesday, February 11 (Memorial of Our Lady of Lourdes) highlights the healing ministry of the church. It reminds us that service to the sick and suffering cannot be neglected. It recognizes the great efforts of doctors, nurses, health care institutions and pastoral care givers to restore health to those afflicted with illness and disease.

# **M** Offering **M**

Weekly Offering (Feb 2)	\$2,670.45
Building Fund Offering	\$1,814.50
Expenses (Jan 27 - Feb 2)	\$6,200.95

Thank you for your contribution.

# Celebrate Your Marriage with a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend!

Celebrate your love and take a fresh look at your marriage! Spend a very special weekend together. A Weekend of discovery...a lifetime of love!

Worldwide Marriage Encounter is a weekend getaway that helps married couples rediscover themselves as individuals and as a couple. The Weekend format helps couples communicate openly and honestly without group sharing, therapy or marriage counselling.

**Upcoming Weekend:** April 24-26, 2020 - Four Points Sheraton (Argentia Road), Mississauga, ON

For more information and application, please go to www.wwme.org or contact Gerard & Marge McCauley at gerard.marge@rogers.com or phone 905-792-1925.

## **Catholic Women's League**



The Catholic Women's League of St. John the Evangelist Parish will be holding its next meeting in the parish hall on Thursday, February 13, 2020 at 7:30 p.m. (after the 7:00 p.m. Mass).

# 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.

## **Marriage Sunday**

Cardinal Collins has designated the weekend of February 9/10, 2020 as Marriage Sunday in the Archdiocese of Toronto. The event provides an opportunity to honour husband and wife while saluting the faithfulness, sacrifice and joy that comes with the marriage covenant. To those preparing for marriage, newlyweds and those that have been companions on the journey for decades, we offer our prayers and best wishes in a special way this weekend.

Let us celebrate the tremendous contributions of married couples who continue to strengthen our faith community. Let us also pray and extend loving support to those who have lost a spouse or are struggling from a broken relationship. For more information and resources on marriage, visit: www.archtoronto.org/marriage.

# A Prayer for Married Couples

Father of life and love,

You created us in your image - woman and man. We rejoice and thank you for the gift of each other. Sustain us in our love

and lead us to a deeper understanding of your love.

Jesus, we come before you, seeking your guidance and direction in our relationship.
In marriage you call and challenge us to a permanent, exclusive and sacred friendship. Be our strength and support, therefore, as we continue this journey together.

Holy Spirit, help us to strive towards a lasting, honest commitment united in love. Give us your strength to carry each other in times of darkness, your joy in times of happiness, and your gift of awe in the uniqueness and sacredness of each other. May our love be a reflection and a sign of your love in the world.

Amen.

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