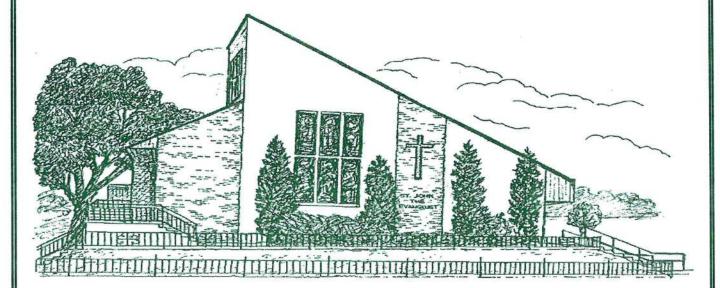
# St. John the Evangelist Roman Catholic Church



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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. Matthew McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997. Vocation website: <u>www.vocationstoronto.ca</u>

#### **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.



# SATURDAY, MARCH 19 Livestream 5:00 pm In Thanksgiving to St. Joseph - Vo-Nguyen Family SUNDAY, MARCH 20 Livestream (9:00 am only) 9:00 am Domenico Giorgio R.I.P. - Danny & Tina 11:00 am The People of the Parish **TUESDAY, MARCH 22** 7:00 pm Maria, Cono & Giacomo Lo Giacco R.I.P. - Sara Giannini WEDNESDAY, MARCH 23 9:00 am Errico Fantauzzi R.I.P. - Donna & Family THURSDAY, MARCH 24 7:00 pm John Baptist Ung Ngo R.I.P. - Ngo Family FRIDAY, MARCH 25 Livestream 9:00 am Lorenzo & Pasquale Giannini R.I.P. - Sara Giannini 7:30 pm For Peace in the World - Fr. Maderak SATURDAY, MARCH 26 Livestream 5:00 pm Patrick Pritchard R.I.P. - Minerva Pritchard & Family SUNDAY, MARCH 27 Livestream (9:00 am only) 9:00 am The People of the Parish 11:00 am Anna. Peduru & Anton Aseervatham R.I.P. & Anton MacFarlane R.I.P. - Patricia MacFarlane & Family

**Sick:** That those who are ill may be strengthened by the love of family and friends.



**Deceased:** That all who have died may be purified of sin and welcomed to the glory of heaven.

**Pope's March Prayer Intention:** For a Christian response to bioethical challenges - We pray for Christians facing new bioethical challenges; may they continue to defend the dignity of all human life with prayer and action.



# STATIONS OF THE CROSS

A great Lenten Spiritual Devotion, depicting Christ carrying the Cross to His Crucifixion in the final hours (or Passion) of Jesus before He died. During the Season of Lent, we will have Stations of the Cross on Friday evenings at 7:00 p.m., followed by Mass at 7:30 p.m. for those who wish to stay.

For those who cannot attend the Stations physically, we will be livestreaming the Stations of the Cross on our Facebook page. The live Stations will be streamed with the responses on the screen so that you may participate fully with the Stations in real time. Please go to our Facebook page 5 minutes before the Stations each Friday or link to our page <u>HERE</u> or visit:

https://www.facebook.com/St-John-the-Evangelist -Weston-101082665044541

We also will provide you with a copy of the same Stations of the Cross that we will be using, by Fr. J. McGoey. Please feel free to use it as you wish and to pray the Stations as often as you can this Lenten season. Please click <u>HERE</u> for a copy or visit: <u>https://stjohntheevangelistwe.archtoronto.org/site</u> <u>assets/media/files/stations-of-the-cross.pdf</u>.

# "Could you spend 1/2 Hour with Me?"



WHAT THE SAINTS SAY

St. Alphonsus says that all the Saints became Saints by devotion to the Passion; there was no Saint who had not a great love of the Passion; from the crucifix they learned the art of loving God.

- Way of the Cross by St. Alphonsus Liguori

# **First Saturday Devotions**

First Saturday of the month 8:30 a.m. to 10 a.m. Holy Rosary Parish 354 St. Clair Ave. W., Toronto

Do you want peace in your hearts and in the world? Help us honour the Virgin Mary's request for First Saturday Devotion to Her Immaculate Heart. Rosary with veneration of the relics of Sts. Jacinta and Francisco Marto, Mass and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament with Fatima prayers.

Livestream available at: <u>ttps://bit.ly/3AXyg6r</u>.

We hope to see you all there!

Contact: Holy Rosary Parish Phone: 416-923-8471 Email: office@holyrosary.ca Website: <u>www.holyrosary.ca</u>

# Virtual Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience

Friday, March 25 to Sunday, March 27

Where are you in your marriage journey? Every marriage could use a boost. Learn easy-to-use communication tools to help enhance your relationship.

Our proven program will guide you through practical and private exercises to refresh your wedding vows and to spark up your romance. Are you ready to rediscover each other?

Contact: Gerard & Marge at 905-792-1925 or email: gerard.marge@rogers.com

#### Website: wwwe.org

Video: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VvQUEZ35Ufg

Based on Catholic values, but married couples of all faiths are welcome.



ShareLife Sunday is March 27<sup>th</sup>. Our parish goal for 2022 is \$42,000.00.

## Your helping hand is the answer.

After two years of crisis, our communities need hope and healing. That hope can be found in you the "hands and feet of Christ" making possible the life-changing work of ShareLife agencies. Vulnerable people are turning to these agencies for support more than ever. And the problems are many, ranging from mental illness, to poverty, addiction and isolation.

The solution is in reach: your hands and ours, working together to live the Gospel. March 27 is ShareLife Sunday. Your support of ShareLife makes these programs possible, among many others. Thank you for living the Gospel by providing for those in need. Please give generously.

#### Thank you for supporting ShareLife!

# Healing after Abortion - Day of Prayer and Healing for Women

Saturday, April 2, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

The Sisters of Life are hosting a Day of Prayer and Healing for women seeking healing after abortion. The day is an opportunity to experience the loving mercy of God and the joy of healing in Christ, in a confidential and sacred space. It will include a witness of mercy, a Scripture reflection, personal prayer, opportunity for Sacramental Confession and the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. There is no fee for the day, lunch will be provided. Please contact The Sisters of Life (416-463-2722) for more information about the location or to register.

> Please visit: https://bit.ly/HopeAndHealingSOL

Weekly Offering (Mar 13) \$3,4	22.50
(Weekly offering includes \$1,200 from one d	onor)
Ukrainian Relief \$4,1	85.00
Expenses (Mar 7 - Mar 13) \$4,6	37.61

Thank you for your contribution.

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