

# St. John the Evangelist Roman Catholic Church



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## **Parish Staff**

Rev. A. Maderak, Pastor

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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:**

Wednesday and Friday 9:00 a.m.

Tuesday and 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: [www.vocationstoronto.ca](http://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, OCTOBER 28**

5:00 pm Domenico & Maria Suppa R.I.P.  
- The Children

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29**

9:00 am The People of the Parish  
11:00 am Teofilo Arenas Sr. R.I.P. - Onayan Family

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31**

7:00 pm Ada Tomini R.I.P. - Creglia Family

**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1 All Saints Day**

9:00 am In Honour of All Saints

**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2 All Souls Day**

7:00 pm Names on All Souls Envelopes and  
Book of Remembrance

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3**

9:00 am Dominic Pham & Family R.I.P.  
- Maria Pham

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4**

5:00 pm Names on All Souls Envelopes and  
Book of Remembrance

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5**

9:00 am For the Repose of the Souls of those  
buried at St. John the Evangelist  
Cemetery  
11:00 am The People of the Parish

**Sick:** That the sick may be strengthened by the love and support of family, friends and neighbours, especially Anne Fitzsimmons, Rosalia Gallippi, Julie Napoleone, Matthew Parris and Rose Wells.



**Deceased:** For all who have died, that they experience the closeness of Christ in all His compassion.

**Pope's Prayer Intention:** "In this month of October dedicated, in addition to the missions, to praying the Rosary, let us not tire of asking through Mary's intercession for the gift of peace in the many countries throughout the world marked by war and conflicts." - *Pope Francis*



**In Loving Remembrance**

We may ask the question, "Why pray for the dead?" The Church teaches us that for those who are

already in heaven we are not praying for them but we are rather asking them to intercede, for us and others, before the throne of God. We are also thanking God for their lives, examples and many graces that have come upon the world through their intercession. For those who have not yet reached heaven, but are in purgatory, we are assisting them in their struggle of purification. This is a great help to them and we will only know in the next world how much it meant to them. Before her death St. Monica said to her son St. Augustine, "Bury my body wherever you will;...One thing only I ask you, that you remember me at the altar of the Lord wherever you may be."

During the month of November, beginning with The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls' Day), a Book of Remembrance containing the names of deceased relatives and friends will be placed near the statue of Our Lady during the month of November. You are invited to write in the names of your recently deceased relatives or friends. The November Masses listed below will be offered for the names in our Book of Remembrance and also for the names identified on the All Souls envelopes. All Souls envelopes may be dropped in the offertory baskets at Sunday Mass. Envelopes for All Souls can be found in the foyer or in your box of Sunday Offering envelopes.

Thursday	November 2	7:00 p.m.
Saturday	November 4	5:00 p.m.
Wednesday	November 8	9:00 a.m.
Friday	November 10	9:00 a.m.
Saturday	November 11	5:00 p.m.
Sunday	November 12	11:00 a.m.
Tuesday	November 14	7:00 p.m.
Sunday	November 19	9:00 a.m.
Wednesday	November 22	9:00 a.m.
Friday	November 24	9:00 a.m.
Saturday	November 25	5:00 p.m.
Sunday	November 26	11:00 a.m.
Tuesday	November 28	7:00 p.m.

**All Souls' Day Mass  
Saturday, November 4, 2023**

Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services - Archdiocese of Toronto wishes to invite all families to participate in the All Souls' Day Mass on Saturday, November 4 at 2:00 p.m. For locations and more information, please visit:  
<https://www.catholic-cemeteries.ca/news/all-souls-day-mass-nov-4/>

**2023 - 2024 Sunday Missals**



The last weekend to use the current Sunday Missal is November 25/26. If you would like to purchase a 2023-2024 Sunday Missal for yourself, the parish is selling them for \$5.00 each.

Please see staff at the counter in the church foyer and please have the exact amount as no change will be available.



**PARISH  
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Weekly (Oct 22) . . . . .	\$2,722.15
World Mission Sunday . . . . .	\$2,225.05
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Thank you for your contribution.

*Thank You!*

A special thank you to the now disbanded Catholic Women's League of St. John the Evangelist Parish who voted to donate the remaining funds in the CWL account to St. John the Evangelist Parish as per the Parish National Manual of Policy and Procedure of the Catholic Women's League of Canada.

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**STRIVING FOR HOLINESS -  
Saints Talk 2023 (Parish Hall)**



**Tuesday, November 7, 2023 at 7:45 p.m.  
(7:00 p.m. Mass)**

Lay Pastoral associate, Tara Nadal, will once again be presenting a talk on the Saints during this month dedicated to the faithful departed. Come learn about little known saints and the call to sainthood for each one of us. If you're thinking, "Me? A saint?", then come listen to the stories of the lives of some of these saints and learn that regardless of who you are or what you have done, you can become a saint too!

**Fundraising Dinner Dance Gala  
"A Celestial Night"**

You are cordially invited to attend a night of music, fine dining and dancing. Radio Maria Canada is having its' Annual Gala Dinner on Friday, November 17, with His Grace Francis Leo as guest of honour, at Salon 3,4 (former Riviera), 2800 Hwy. 7, Woodbridge, ON. For tickets call 416-245-7115 or to order online visit:

[https://rmcanada.civi-go.net/civicrm/event/register?reset=1&id=3&cid=18882&cs=4e3d61ff4064e4ccabda63631f589a38\\_1697031366\\_168](https://rmcanada.civi-go.net/civicrm/event/register?reset=1&id=3&cid=18882&cs=4e3d61ff4064e4ccabda63631f589a38_1697031366_168).

Cost: \$120. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. Dinner is served at 7:00 p.m.



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