

St. John the Evangelist Roman Catholic Church



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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:

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

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, JUNE 15

5:00 pm Luigi & Francesco Giannini R.I.P. &
Cono Lo Giacco R.I.P. - Sara Giannini

SUNDAY, JUNE 16

9:00 am The People of the Parish
11:00 am Armando Sdraulig R.I.P.
- Mondano Family

TUESDAY, JUNE 18

7:00 pm Giuseppe Zuccaro R.I.P.
- Eunice Zuccaro

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19

9:00 am Carlo Presta R.I.P. - Presta Family

THURSDAY, JUNE 20

9:00 am Pantaleone D'Alfonso R.I.P.
- Brun Family

FRIDAY, JUNE 21

9:00 am Johann & Kim Anna Nguyen R.I.P.
- Nguyen Thi Phuong

SATURDAY, JUNE 22

5:00 pm Cecilia Nicholas R.I.P.
- Patricia MacFarlane & Family

SUNDAY, JUNE 23

9:00 am John Baptist Xung R.I.P. &
Maria Noi R.I.P. - Ngo Family
11:00 am The People of the Parish



Sick: That God in His mercy will draw them close to Him and raise them up.

Deceased: That those who have died may have eternal rest.

Pope's June Prayer Intention: *For migrants fleeing their homes - We pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys full of danger and violence, find welcome and new opportunities in the countries that receive them.*

DON'T FORGET!

Cemetery Rededication - June 30th

His Grace, Archbishop Francis Leo will be celebrating the **11:00 a.m. Mass on Sunday, June 30, 2024** and rededicating the cemetery immediately after Mass. This will be followed by a reception in the Church Hall to celebrate the completion of the project and the fact that our parishioners buried in the cemetery will finally be put to rest in the dignity that is deserved by all who are created in the image and likeness of God.

July Day of Prayer and Healing

Saturday, July 27, 2024 - 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Healing After Abortion: Do you know someone who is carrying the grief of a past abortion? There is always hope. The pain and sorrow of abortion does not need to endure for a lifetime. A "Day of Prayer and Healing" offers the opportunity to experience the love and mercy of God and to respond to His invitation to begin the journey of healing the wound of abortion. This day includes a testimony, times of prayer, lunch, the opportunity for Confession and Mass.

For more details, locations and confidential registration, or just to talk to a Sister, please call the Sisters of Life at 416-463-2722 or by email at toronto@sistersoflife.org.

Father's Day

This weekend is Father's Day. We wish all fathers of our Parish a very happy day and the blessing of God our heavenly father.

Weekly Offering (Jun 9)	\$3,374.75
Marygrove Camp	\$1,828.65
Expenses (Jun 3 - Jun 9)	\$3,140.23

Thank you for your contribution.

JUNE 16, 2024

Desire of the Everlasting Hills

Hope In Isolation. Courage In Turmoil. Grace In The Last Place You Expect.

Three intimate and candid portraits of Catholics who try to navigate the waters of self-understanding, faith, and homosexuality.

Courage International's documentary featuring three individuals who live chastity as part of the Good News receives the 2015 John Paul II Inter-Faith Film Festival Reel Rose award for the People's Festival Award.

"We are pleased and grateful to receive this recognition for Courage's work in the film *Desire of the Everlasting Hills*, a documentary that draws much needed attention to an underserved and unheard population of persons who experience same sex attraction and trust that what the Church teaches is true and leads to fulfillment."

Father Paul Check, Courage International Executive Director

Please click here to watch the [Desire of the Everlasting Hills](https://everlastinghills.org) movie (<https://everlastinghills.org>). This movie is available in 8 other languages (go to VIEW tab to choose alternate languages).

**"LOOK AT THE FACE OF THE OTHER.... DISCOVER THAT HE HAS A SOUL,
A HISTORY, AND A LIFE, THAT HE IS A PERSON,
AND THAT GOD LOVES THIS PERSON."**

BENEDICT XVI

Courage International

Do you or does a loved one experience same-sex attraction? Courage & EnCourage provide spiritual support and pastoral guidance in full accordance with authentic Catholic teaching on homosexuality and chastity. For more information on our meetings and events, see contact info below:

Courage:

Spiritual support for adults who experience same-sex attraction and who desire to develop a life of interior chastity in union with Christ. **Contact:** Fr. Michael Simoes at 905-278-2058, ext. 802 or email: couragetoronto@yahoo.ca

EnCourage:

Spiritual support for family and friends of those who experience same-sex attraction; faithful to Church teaching on chastity. **Contact:** Fr. Eric Rodrigues at 416-928-5094 or email: encouragetoronto@yahoo.com

Year of Prayer

On January 21, 2024, Pope Francis inaugurated a Year of Prayer ahead of the 2025 Jubilee, calling on the faithful "to pray more fervently to prepare ourselves to live properly this grace-filled event and to experience the power of hope in God."

The Archdiocese of Toronto has a dedicated website with numerous resources including video reflections, prayers and other information to help us enter into a more intentional period of prayer and reflection during this special year. These resources can be accessed by visiting:

<https://www.archtoronto.org/prayer>



For the summer months the bulletin will be published every other week on the following dates: July 14th, July 28th, August 11th and August 25th. Starting September 8th the bulletin will be published weekly.

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