

St. John the Evangelist Roman Catholic Church



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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, NOVEMBER 23

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

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24

9:00 am Names on All Souls Envelopes and Book of Remembrance

11:00 am The People of the Parish

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 26

7:00 pm Joseph Tran & Maria Linh R.I.P.
- Ngo Family

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27

9:00 am Names on All Souls Envelopes and Book of Remembrance

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 28

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

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 29

9:00 am Deceased Members of the Giannini Family R.I.P. - Sara Giannini

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30

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

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 1

9:00 am The People of the Parish
11:00 am Maria Nhiem Thi Tran R.I.P.
- Patricia MacFarlane



The November Masses listed below will be offered for the Repose of the Souls of those listed on All Souls envelopes and in our Book of Remembrance.

Saturday	November 23	5:00 p.m.
Sunday	November 24	9:00 a.m.
Wednesday	November 27	9:00 a.m.
Thursday	November 28	7:00 p.m.
Saturday	November 30	5:00 p.m.

HORIZONS OF HOPE

Most recent approaches to compassionate palliative and end of life care.

The final session (**Supporting and Integrating within the Wider Community**) is **this Sunday, November 24, from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.** in the parish hall. Please bring your family and friends.

For more information, please visit our website:
<https://stjohntheevangelistwe.archtoronto.org/>

Even if you have missed the previous sessions, you can still join us.

Sick: That the sick, and those in any kind of distress, may find comfort in the Cross of Christ, especially James Burch.



Deceased: That those who have died may gratefully join their King who has triumphed over death.

Pope's November Prayer Intention: *For anyone who has lost a child* - We pray that all parents who mourn the loss of a son or daughter find support in their community and receive peace and consolation from the Holy Spirit.

World Day of Youth - November 24

Please click on the link below to read the full message from Archbishop Leo for World Youth Day, which takes place this Sunday, November 24th, the Solemnity of Christ the King.

The message also includes an invitation for youth to join Mass with His Grace to mark the occasion at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica on November 24th at 2:00 p.m.

<https://www.archtoronto.org/en/outreach/news/archdiocesan/world-youth-day-message-from-archbishop-leo/>

The Catechetical Corner - Learn More About Your Faith



This Tuesday, November 26, at 7:45 p.m. in the parish hall. Topic - *The Final Things*.

Upcoming topics are:

- December 3 Advent and the Incarnation
- December 10 Mary - part 1

For more information and to sign up for this program, either call or email the parish at stjohntheevangelistwe@archtoronto.org or click on the link to sign up on either our parish [Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/people/St-John-the-Evangelist-Weston/100064770248173/) (<https://www.facebook.com/people/St-John-the-Evangelist-Weston/100064770248173/>) or on our Parish website. (<https://stjohntheevangelistwe.archtoronto.org/e>)

GLORIA! St. Michael's Choir School Christmas Concert at Massey Hall Saturday, December 14 at 7:00 p.m.

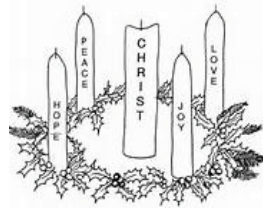
A magical blend of secular and sacred choral repertoire to usher in this Christmas season. A Toronto holiday tradition, this is the Choir School's 59th annual Christmas concert, packed with exceptional works including Vivaldi's Gloria, Carol of the Bells and The Star Carol. With close to 300 voices, five choirs consisting of students and alumni taking the stage, this year's programme is sure to be one of the best yet! Tickets are now available at <https://masseyhall.mhrth.com/tickets/st-michaels-christmas-concert/>. Please use Promo Code: STARLIGHT. For more information, please call 416-397-6367.

Weekly Offering (Nov 17)	\$2,520.55
The Shepherds' Trust	\$4,104.50
Expenses (Nov 11 - Nov 17)	\$4,413.46

Thank you for your contribution.

There will be a second collection next weekend, Nov. 30/Dec. 1, for the Building Fund.

Advent Eucharistic Holy Hour Sunday, December 8, 2024 at 2:30 p.m.



The time before Christmas can often become a busy and bustling time as we rush around baking, shopping, wrapping presents and running around visiting friends and family. Take some time in front of the Blessed Sacrament with periods of silence and reflective music to prepare your heart for the coming of the Child Jesus at Christmas.

Friars Student Writing Contest 2025 (Nov. 11, 2024 – Jan. 13, 2025)

Theme: *“Do you believe this?”* (John 11:26)

High school students aged 13 to 19 from the Catholic School Boards in the Archdiocese of Toronto are invited to participate in this annual event, which honours the global Week of Prayer for Christian Unity taking place from January 18 to 25.

Write a five-hundred-word essay that explores the 2025 theme. Great prizes await the top three submissions.

Students are encouraged to explore the resources at <https://bit.ly/3zOVHly> to gain insight into the meaning and purpose of the theme. They should also refer to the focus question available on the poster at <https://bit.ly/3XCGGgo>. Entries are to be submitted at:

<https://www.catholicregister.org/writingaward>.

Email ecumenical@archtoronto.org or call 416-934-3400 ext. 527 with any questions, or for more information.



The **2024-2025 Sunday Missals** can be purchased at the counter in the church foyer for \$5.00 each. Please have the exact change.

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