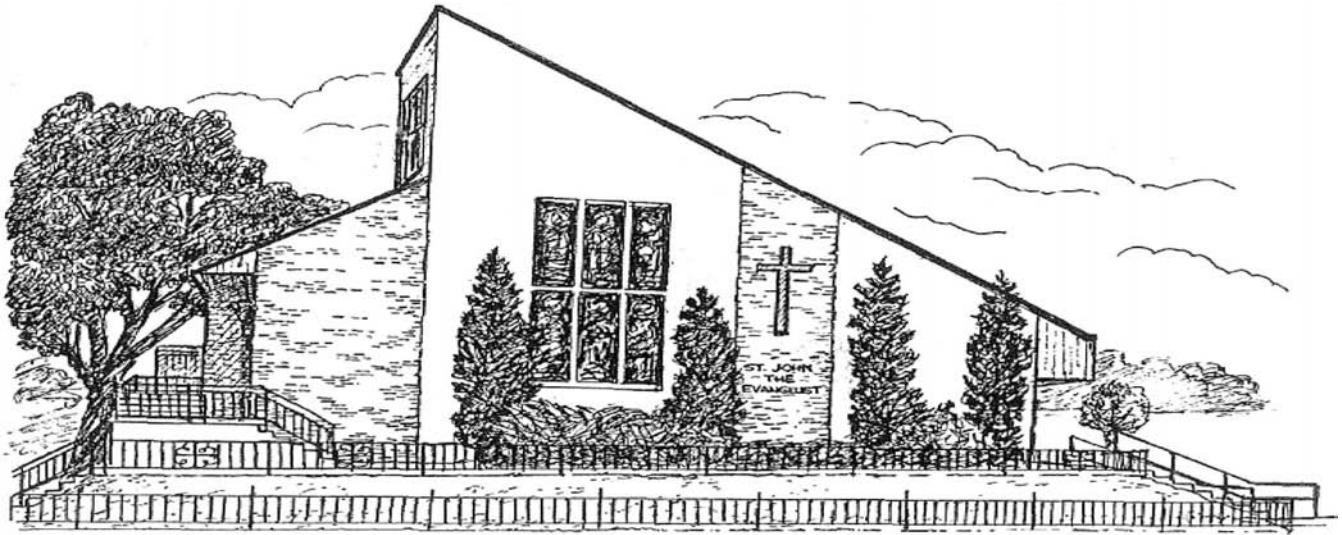


# St. John the Evangelist Roman Catholic Church



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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:***

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, FEBRUARY 8

5:00 pm Luigi, Francesco & Nilla Giannini R.I.P.  
- Sara Giannini

## SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9

9:00 am The People of the Parish  
11:00 am Ellen & Vincent Proctor R.I.P.  
- Kevin & Martin Proctor

## TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11

7:00 pm In Thanksgiving  
- Mildred Vandaiyar & Family

## WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12

9:00 am Gina Conte R.I.P. - Eunice Zuccaro

## THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13

7:00 pm Peter Neysmith R.I.P. - Ann Neysmith

## FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14


9:00 am Lina Mitterni R.I.P. - Eunice Zuccaro

## SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15

5:00 pm Armando Sdraulig R.I.P. - Ngo Family

## SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16

9:00 am Anton MacFarlane R.I.P. &  
Anna & Anton Aseervatham R.I.P.  
- Ngo Family  
11:00 am The People of the Parish

**Sick:** That all who are sick may find healing and the comfort of their family, friends, and fellow Christians. 

**Deceased:** That those who have died may be welcomed into the joys of eternal life, especially Sebastiano Montoni and Ciro Polsinelli.

**Pope's February Prayer Intention:** *For vocations to the priesthood and religious life* - Let us pray that the ecclesial community might welcome the desires and doubts of those young people who feel a call to serve Christ's mission in the priesthood and religious life.

**Please note:** Names will stay on the sick list for 30 days, unless notified otherwise.

## Celebration of Marriage Mass with Bishop Ivan Camilleri this Sunday afternoon at 2:30 p.m.

As part of Marriage Sunday 2025 celebrations, Bishop Ivan Camilleri will preside at a special Mass to honour married couples, with special recognition for those celebrating 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th and 60+ wedding anniversaries in 2025. The Mass will take place at 2:30 p.m. this Sunday, Feb. 9, 2025 at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica (65 Bond St., Toronto). All married couples will have an opportunity to renew their marriage commitment during the Mass.

All are welcome to attend. Those who are unable to attend at the Cathedral are invited to join the celebration via livestream Mass: (<https://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live/>). Registration and other important information can be found at <https://www.archtoronto.org/marriage>.

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Building Fund. . . . .	\$1,787.75
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FEBRUARY 9, 2025

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## Knights of Columbus Humber Valley Council 3945

**Dinner & Dance Italian Night** at Transfiguration of Our Lord Parish, 45 Ludstone Dr. on Saturday, February 22, 2025 at 7:00 p.m. Cost: \$40 / Cash Bar. **Menu:** Appetizer, Lasagna, Breaded Chicken Cutlets, Vegetables, Dessert and Coffee/Tea.

For tickets please contact Grand Knight Romey via email at [romeysimon@hotmail.com](mailto:romeysimon@hotmail.com) or by phone at 416-473-5908 or get tickets from Transfiguration of Our Lord parish office.

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## 2024 Parish Tax Receipts

Parish tax receipts for 2024 are being processed, and assuming Canada Post is on time, you will receive them in the mail on or before Monday, February 10, 2025.

**Please note:** if you donated online using credit card (Donate Now), you will receive a separate tax receipt from the Archdiocese of Toronto.

## Dominican Friars Youth Interfaith Video Contest 2025

**Theme:** Faith as a Pathway from Division to Unity

High school students (aged 13 to 19 years) in the Catholic School Boards within the Archdiocese of Toronto are encouraged to create a three-minute video that captures this year's theme. Please adhere to the guidelines provided on our website (<https://www.archtoronto.org/en/offices-and-ministries/pastoral-ministries/office-for-interreligious-dialogue/home/dominican-friars-youth-interfaith-video-contest/>) and submit your entries via the submission form at <https://bit.ly/DFVCSubmission>. For further information, please contact us at [interreligious@archtoronto.org](mailto:interreligious@archtoronto.org) or call 416-934-3400 ext. 527.

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## How to Lent

A new series from the Augustine Institute that aims to equip Catholics with the tools to understand and practice the pillars of Lent: prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. Guided by Solenne Santiago and with the help of priests and religious, this series will challenge our preconceived notions about Lent, laying out a roadmap for entering the season with a purpose.

Watch the trailer today on FORMED (<https://watch.formed.org/how-to-lent/>)! The series will be officially released on February 12. Sign up to receive these prior to Lent at <https://daily.formed.org/lent>. If you do not already have a free FORMED account, you can create your free account on your computer or your mobile device by following the steps below:

- On your search engine type in **stjohntheevangelistwe.formed.org**
- In the box under "Find Your Parish or Organization" type in *St. John the Evangelist, Toronto, Ontario* or the postal code *M9N 2B4*. A list of Churches will populate. Select *St. John the Evangelist Parish 49 George St Toronto ON*, then click on **NEXT**.
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