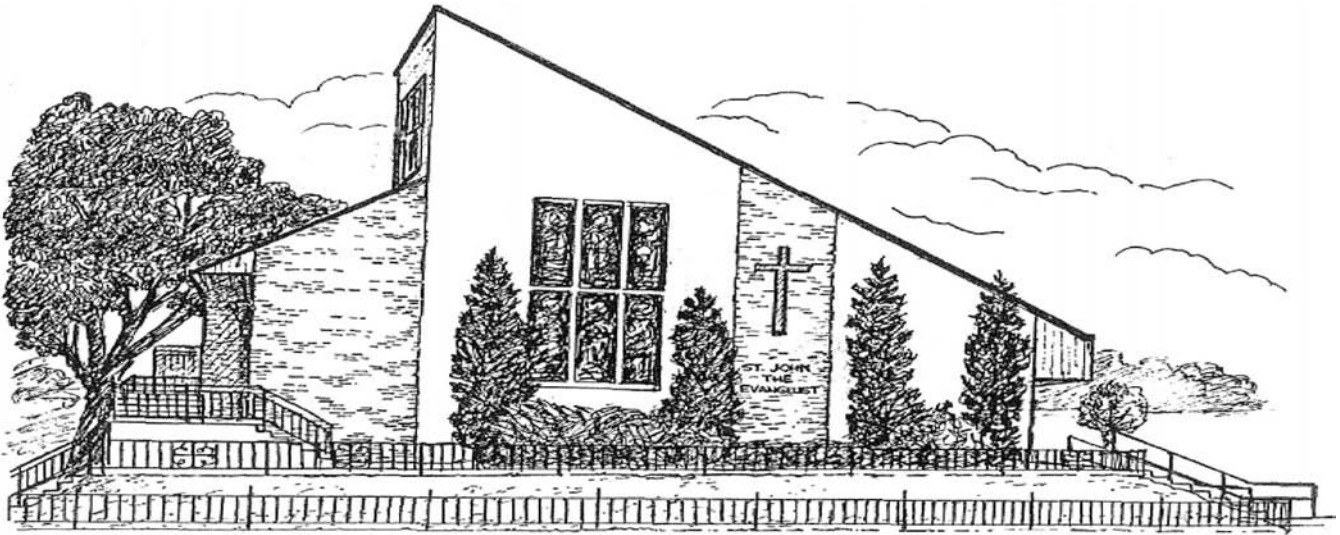


St. John the Evangelist Roman Catholic Church



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Parish Staff

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

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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, SEPTEMBER 6

5:00 pm Vincente Vu R.I.P. - Tran Family

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

9:00 am Mikiko Shimizu R.I.P.

- Minerva & Tadao Shimizu

11:00 am The People of the Parish

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

7:00 pm Lino Buhagiar R.I.P. - Sara Giannini

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

9:00 am Alexander Milhomens R.I.P.

- Maria Milhomens

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

7:00 pm Lino Buhagiar R.I.P. - Donna Fantauzzi

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

9:00 am Holy Souls in Purgatory - Clara Creglia

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

5:00 pm Maria Dang R.I.P. - Tran Family

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

9:00 am The People of the Parish

11:00 am Abe Family - Family



Pray

Sick: That the sick may be comforted, strengthened, and healed according to God's will, especially Deborah McLeod and Anna Ngo.

Deceased: That all the departed may enjoy eternal light, peace, and joy in the Kingdom of Heaven, especially Fr. James Adams, Fr. Phillip Ray Smith, C.P.P.S., Fr. Christie Joachim Pillai, OMI, Anna Dorbolo and Valentim Pereira.

Pope's September Prayer Intention: *For our relationship with all of creation* - Let us pray that, inspired by Saint Francis, we might experience our interdependence with all creatures who are loved by God and worthy of love and respect.

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

Special Collections Date Change *Needs of the Canadian Church moved to the weekend of September 20/21*

Mission Co-operative Collection - Every summer missionary speakers are welcomed into the archdiocese to speak about the mission they represent. Many speakers are priest representatives. Most come from outside the archdiocese, and even from out of the country. During the homily at all weekend Masses, the speaker introduces the mission he is representing and makes an appeal for financial support.



Dates for the visits are usually assigned mostly in July or August of every year. This year, the Mission Co-operative Collection date has been set for the weekend of September 27/28. Therefore, the **Needs of the Canadian Church special collection will be moved to the weekend of September 20/21** to accommodate the guest missionary speaker.

Please note: In your box set of Sunday Offering envelopes a Mission Co-operative Offering envelope was placed at the beginning of July with no set date. Please use this envelope for the Mission Co-operative Collection on the weekend of September 27/28.



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SUPPORT

Weekly Offering (Aug 17)	\$2,451.65
Canadian Missions	\$2,631.85
Expenses (Aug 11 - 17)	\$5,606.20

Weekly Offering (Aug 24)	\$2,978.05
Expenses (Aug 18 - 24)	No cheques written

Weekly Offering (Aug 31)	\$2,197.35
Expenses (Aug 25 - 31)	\$7,761.50

Thank you for your contribution.

Transitional Diaconate Ordinations - September 13, 2025

A significant milestone for four men currently studying for the priesthood will take place on Saturday, September 13, 2025, at 10:00 a.m. This marks the day that they will be ordained to the transitional diaconate, one of the high points in their years of priestly formation through St. Augustine's Seminary and the Redemptoris Mater Missionary Seminary in Toronto. The Most Rev. John A. Boissonneau, Auxiliary Bishop of the Archdiocese of Toronto, will preside at this year's transitional diaconate ordinations, which will take place at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica.

The transitional diaconate is an important stage in the Sacrament of Holy Orders for those men who are preparing for the priesthood. While all deacons are ordained for service to the Church, those in the transitional diaconate are on a path to becoming priests, with permanent deacons remaining in the diaconal order. The men currently in formation who will be ordained to the transitional diaconate are as follows: Matteo Bertozzi, Moonjun Alphonse Choi, Matthew Tulio and Victor Valdés.

All are welcome to attend the ordinations and we invite the Catholic community throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto to continue to pray for these men and all those who are currently in formation, that the Lord may guide and strengthen them along the journey.

Canonization Mass



This Sunday, September 7, the Church will canonize Blessed Carlo Acutis, the first Millennial saint and "Cyber Apostle of the Eucharist," alongside Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati, known as "The Man of the Beatitudes."

Join Catholics worldwide in celebrating the Canonization of Carlo Acutis and Giorgio Frassati! Watch the Canonization Mass on September 7, 2025, at 3:00 am ET or the replay at 6:00 pm ET on the EWTN App, at EWTN.com or the EWTN YouTube channel. Let their witness inspire us to use our gifts for Christ's Kingdom.



From the heart of the Church - Food Security Grants to fight hunger

As food insecurity worsens across the GTA, ShareLife, Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Toronto (CCAT), and two generous anonymous donors, have pledged a combined \$800,000 in Food Security Grants for 2025 building on previous commitments of \$500,000 in 2023 and \$750,000 in 2024. Please help fight hunger through <https://sharelife.org/donate/> or by giving at our parish using a ShareLife envelope. Thank you for your kind generosity!



Life Chain is a peaceful public witness to the sanctity of human life and the evil of abortion. Christians pray for its end and hold signs bearing truths such as "Abortion Kills Children" and "Abortion Hurts Women" at hundreds of locations from coast to coast. **Please set aside just one hour on Sunday, October 5, from 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.** to gather together at the intersection of Jane St. and Lawrence Avenue.

Everyone is welcome, regardless of age, background, or experience. This is a special opportunity to provide our neighbours with a much-needed message of love, hope, and mercy. Remember how Our Lord asked His apostles: "Could you not watch one hour with me?" (Mk 14:37)

Free Catholic Estate Planning Webinar Saturday, September 27, 2025 - 9:00 am

Learn how to avoid problems in your Will, in the Powers of Attorney, and through proper Estate Trustee selection; How to create your own legacy; About our Catholic traditions around cremation, burials and funerals.

To register please send an email to Development@ArchToronto.org and write "webinar September 27" in the title line and your name(s) in the body of the message.

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