

St. Gertrude's Parish

OUR MISSION STATEMENT:

St. Gertrude's Parish is a believing community committed to manifesting Christ's love through celebrating the sacraments, sharing Gospel values, serving one another and all who hunger for Jesus.

PASTOR: Reverend Paul Magyar

HOSPITAL CHAPLAIN: Reverend Jean-Marie Beaublanc

ADMINISTRATION: Teresa Walsh

YOUTH MINISTER: Renee Lynn Maloney

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Closed daily from 12-1 p.m.

Fridays 9:00 a.m.-12 noon

Parish Office: stgertrudeschurch@gmail.com

Website: <https://stgertrudesos.archtoronto.org/>

Youth Minister: st.gertrudes.ym@gmail.com

SUNDAY MASS:

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 9 a.m., 11 a.m. (Children's Liturgy), 6:15 p.m.

WEEKDAY MASS:

Monday to Saturday 8:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Celebrated during our 5pm, 9am or 11am Weekend Masses

Please call the parish office to arrange.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturday 4:15 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.

Sunday 5:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:

12 months advanced notice required

Preparation course is a prerequisite

PARISH SCHOOLS:

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ST. GERTRUDE OUR PATRONESS

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, February 24th

8:00am Intentions of Lorraine Justus

5:00pm † John Bouzan

Sunday, February 25th

9am † Francisco Dias

11am † Gerry Vander Sanden, Tina DeBrito,
Intentions of Ryan Dick

6:15pm Our Parish Community

Monday, February 26th

8:00am † Catherine McAvoy

Tuesday, February 27th

8:00am Intentions of Fred Wallis

Wednesday, February 28th

8:00am Intentions of Anna Lapinska

Thursday, March 1st

8:00am Parish General Intentions
† Paul Smith, Catherine McAvoy
Intentions of the Schmidt Family

Friday, March 2nd

12:10pm † Catherine McAvoy

Saturday, March 3rd

8:00am Special intentions

5:00pm Special intentions

Sunday, March 4th

9am † Abilio Feliciano

11am Intentions of John Gale & Family
Intentions of Raymond Roy

6:15pm Our Parish Community

Please join us for Stations of the Cross
Each Friday during Lent at 7:00pm

LENT

**Catholic Women's League
Spring Bake Sale and Yard Sale**

Saturday March 10th 10am-3pm
and following 5pm Mass
Sunday March 11th following
9am & 11am Masses.

DROP OFF TIMES FOR DONATIONS: Thursday
March 8th from 3-7pm or Friday, March 9th from
10-4pm directly to the parish hall please.
No clothing please.

LEGION OF MARY

You are invited to attend the **ACIES (the consecration, both individual and collectively, to Our Lady)** on Sunday March 25th beginning with Mass at 2:00pm At Saint Peter-in-Chains Cathedral, Peterborough Refreshments at the Knights of Columbus Hall directly across from the Cathedral following Mass RSVP to Marion at 905-725-0131 or Marie at 289-996-7654 by Monday March 21st. Let them know if you are in need of a ride or able to offer one to others.

ICE/SNOW MAINTENANCE COSTS

As winter weather continues, please be generous to our monthly maintenance collection (blue envelope). Our snow/salting bills have been extremely high this winter.



Sign-Up Sundays! February 24/25 & March 3/4.

Cardinal Collins and bishops across Ontario are asking for an email address from every Catholic family in their community, with a goal of 100,000 email addresses. This information will be used locally by Cardinal Collins and trusted faith partners to communicate periodically (approximately 6-8 times each year) on issues of particular importance for the Catholic community. The first campaign of 2018 is the Call for Conscience, inviting our elected Members of Provincial Parliament (MPPs) and those seeking office this June to increase funding/access to palliative care, to protect health care workers wishing to abstain from any involvement in euthanasia/assisted suicide and to protect faith-based facilities from participation in euthanasia/assisted suicide. Please visit <http://bit.ly/SignUpSundayRegistration> to register yourself for this initiative.

Come and See Weekend – Friday, March 23 (begins at 6:30 p.m.) to Sunday, March 25 (ends at 1:30 p.m.), at St. Augustine's

Seminary: Inviting single Catholic men 17 years and older, to cultivate a deeper prayer life and relationship with Jesus Christ; leading to a better discernment of God's call for their lives. Time for prayer, reflection and information on the process of becoming one of Christ's disciples as a Catholic priest. Register online at

www.vocationstoronto.ca. Registrants 17 years old require parental consent.

For more information, please contact (the Parish Priest) or the Office of Vocations at: 416 968 0997; email: vocations@archtoronto.org

Chalice

Thank you to all those who purchased gifts from the Chalice Christmas Gift Catalogue. Over 12,000 gifts were purchased throughout Canada realizing a 14.1% increase over the previous year. Thanks to all those gifts, more children will be healthier and able to receive an education. More families will become self-reliant and have more hope for a brighter future. Our parish saw a 50% increase in the number of gifts that were purchased - awesome!!

Chalice also has a year-round "Special Occasions" Gift Catalogue so you can purchase gifts for celebrations and special events. They will be available at the Church entrances in the next few weeks.

Once again thank you for your ongoing support of our 5 sponsored children and for the special gifts purchased through the Christmas Gift Catalogue.

New Beginnings - Beating the Winter Blues! Learn how Grief and Gratitude prepare us for renewal and rebirth.

*St. Leo the Great Parish, Brooklin,
March 12th 7-9pm*

Light refreshments will be served.

For Registration call 416-921-1163 or email alimanni@cfstoronto.com

YOUTH MINISTRY
HERE'S WHAT'S HAPPENING

Fr. Paul will be leading a group of Youth on the 'Creation Bus Tour Pilgrimage' during the summer of 2019.

We invite all parishioners and highschool students who would like more information on this tour to meet in the rectory basement for an

Information Session on either

February 27th or March 1st each at 7pm



SPRING CONCERT

**St. Gertrude's Parish Hall
Friday, April 27th at 7:00pm**

We have some lively entertainment, including singers and dancers from both the parish and the community. This is a wonderful family event. Contact Mel Buddel 905-576-8556
Ticket information to follow.

Re: Renew Toronto

Rev. Frank Portelli, Director

Renew Toronto is a conference for all young adults, aged 19-39. It is an opportunity to grow in faith alongside like-minded people in a similar stage of life. This conference will offer unique opportunities for students, young adult professionals, young couples and families, men and women. Renew Toronto will take place at the Isabel Bader Theatre in Toronto on October 13, 2018.

Unite with one another to collectively RENEW our hearts, RENEW our call and RENEW our community. Featured speakers include Dr. Edward Sri and Katie Prejean, with music led by Sarah Kroger.

Registration will open on March 1. Cost to attend is \$50 (early bird price for those who register on or before April 30); \$70 (regular price for those who register between May 1 and September 30); and there is an optional Friday night social for an additional \$30. Space is limited.

WEBSITE: <http://ocytoronto.org/renewto> EMAIL: youngadult@ocytoronto.org PHONE: 416-599-7676

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