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

PARISH OFFICE:

690 King St. East Oshawa, Ontario L1H 1G5 TEL: 905-433-0828 FAX: 905-721-8479 Office hours: Mon- Thurs. 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. 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:

St. John XXIII Sir Albert Love St. John Bosco School St. Kateri Tekakwitha School Msgr. Paul Dwyer Secondary Msgr. John Pereyma Secondary Durham Catholic District School F 905-723-1991 905-728-3971 905-743-6223 905-571-1969 905-723-5255 905-432-8470

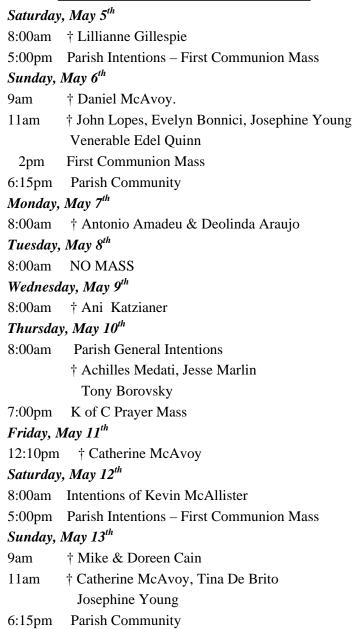


ST. GERTRUDE OUR PATRONESS

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St. Gertrude's 6th Annual Golf Tournament At Harmony Creek Golf Course

Have FUN with us on THURSDAY, JUNE 28TH for an afternoon of Golf followed by Dinner.

Earlybird Registration beginning <u>May 5/6</u>. Forms available following mass, at the parish office through the week or on the parish website.

EARLY BIRD rates:

Golf & dinner \$80/pp; Dinner only \$45/pp. Cart fees of \$35. are extra and must be ordered at time of registration. Payment due with registration; Cash or cheque payable to St. Gertrude's Parish. <u>After May 25th all fees increase by \$5.00</u>

<u>**PAYING DOWN THE CAPITAL LOAN</u> <u>DURING OUR INTEREST FREE PERIOD**</u> Current loan balance \$350,000.00

We need your help!! Please use the envelopes available on the entrance bookshelves or your <u>GOLD colored monthly envelope</u> in your box of parish envelopes to direct your donations for this purpose. Thank you to all who are generously helping us reduce this debt.



<u>St. Gertrude's Children's Choir</u> <u>Returning this Fall</u>

If you're in **<u>Grade 3 – 8</u>**, attend St. Gertrude's and love to sing....join us Tuesdays from 7:00 - 8:00 pm in the Choir loft for practice beginning

<u>September 11th</u> - first rehearsal.

Our choir will sing the last Sunday of each month at the 11:00 am Mass during the school year.

September 30th is our first Mass.

Your commitment to attending rehearsals and the Mass the last Sunday of every month is very important.

If you are interested, we would love to hear from you. Please contact Brian Miettinen at 905-728-8221 or Larry Moreino at 905-723-3641 With any questions.

CREATION PILGRIMAGE: Envelopes to support our Youth Ministry Pilgrimage in 2019 are available on the entrance bookcases. Your donation will greatly assist the parish with our portion of the financial obligations.



Mass Dates & Times <u>Saturday, May 12th, 5pm</u> St. Kateri Tekakwitha School

Please pray for our students who are preparing to receive their First Holy Communion at the above noted Masses.



PARISH MASS <u>Thursday, May 10th at 7:00</u> Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus Celebrant: Fr. Paul Magyar This mass will be offered for those suffering from cancer and other diseases. Prayers of healing will be prayed following mass.

Please join us.

CATHOLIC EDUCATION WEEK

May 7th-11th

The gatekeeper calls his own sheep by name and leads them out. When he has brought out all his own, he goes ahead of them, and the sheep follow him because they know his voice. Jn 10 <u>#DCDSBFaith</u>

<u>St. Mary of the People Parish</u> <u>Golf Tournament</u>

Saturday June 16, 2018. Registration at 7:00 A.M. Oshawa Airport Golf Club. \$85 per entrant. Includes golf, luncheon and prize. Golf only \$60.00 - Meal only \$25.00 This year's format will be played as a team scramble. Places are limited. To register call Roy Druce 905-410-4343, Steve Kralj 905-579-3008 Dave Cooper 905-571-2275 or St. Mary's Parish office 905-728-2212.

CWL GENERAL MEETING

Monday May 7th beginning with Rosary at 6:30pm

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS GENERAL MEETING

Tuesday, May 8th at 7pm

TORONTO ORDINATIONS to the PRIESTHOOD.



On Saturday, May 12th Cardinal Collins will have the pleasure of ordaining Rev. Mr. Raymond So and Rev. Mr. Alexander MacDonald into priesthood at St. Michael's Cathedral

Basilica beginning at 10am. All are invited to attend this grace-filled event. We ask that you keep them in your prayers, as well as all who are in various stages of discernment. May the Lord who has begun the good work in them bring it to fulfillment!



BUILDING MAINTENANCE FUND

The parish incurred unexpected costs during the April storms. We lost shingles on the Rectory roof that needed replacing and the ice storm required

additional parking lot maintenance. These costs amounted to \$2,500.00. Please be generous this month in your 'blue' envelope donation to help us cover these expenses. We thank you for your generosity.

Totus Tuus is coming to

St. John the Evangelist Parish July 8-13, 2018! Children and youth are invited to join us for Totus Tuus (Latin for "Totally Yours") FOR ONE WEEK THIS SUMMER. Totus Tuus is an Archdiocesan program presented by seminarians and university students who share the Gospel with young people through catechetical instruction, Mass, confession, songs and games. The elementary school program, for children entering grades 1-6, runs Monday - Friday from 9am to 2:30pm. The intermediate/high school program for grades 7-12 runs Sunday - Thursday from 7pm to 9pm. The cost for the elementary school (daytime) program is \$60 per child for the entire week, and the cost for the intermediate/high school (evening) program is \$30 per participant for the week.

If you have any questions, please contact Susan Douglas at the Parish Office at (905) 668-3676. More information about the Totus Tuus program is also available at <u>www.totustuustoronto.ca</u>.



