

# 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

**ADMINISTRATION:** Teresa Walsh

**YOUTH MINISTER:** Renee Lynn Maloney

### PARISH OFFICE:

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Fridays 9:00 a.m.-12 noon

Parish Office: [stgertrudeschurch@gmail.com](mailto:stgertrudeschurch@gmail.com)

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

Youth Minister: [st.gertrudes.ym@gmail.com](mailto: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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Durham Catholic District School Board 905-576-6150, [www.dcdsb.ca](http://www.dcdsb.ca)



**ST. GERTRUDE OUR PATRONESS**

MASS INTENTIONS

*Saturday, September 29<sup>th</sup>*

8:00am † Nancy Roy

5:00pm † Laura Quinn

*Sunday, September 30<sup>th</sup>*

9am † Paul McGrath

11am † Nancy Roy, Neil Brown, Daniel McAvoy  
Daniele Pedretti, Marica Granic

6:15pm Parish Community

*Monday, October 1<sup>st</sup>*

8:00am † Suleina Romano

*Wednesday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>*

8:00am † Marlene Manshak

*Thursday, October 4<sup>th</sup>*

8:00am Parish General Intentions  
Intentions of Francis McAlpine  
† Joan Bowles

*Friday, October 5<sup>th</sup>*

12:10pm † Catherine McAvoy

*Saturday, October 6<sup>th</sup>*

8:00am Intentions of Maureen McAvoy  
5:00pm † Rodrigo Juliao & Tina DeBrito

*Sunday, October 7<sup>th</sup>*

9am † Suleina Romano

11am † Neil Brown  
Parish Community

6:15pm † Frank Zima

**CONFIRMATION PARENT MEETING**

*Students in Grade 7 will be receiving the sacrament of Confirmation next spring. Parents are asked to please attend an information session on Wednesday, **October 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7pm** in the church for an overview of the preparation process and registration.*

**Quo Vadis Vocational Program**

*Fr. Paul will begin teaching this program on Sat. October 6<sup>th</sup> following the 5pm Mass. The program is offered on the first Saturday of each month following the 5pm mass. Any men interested in attending are asked to speak to Fr. Paul for further details.*

**VOLUNTEER LUNCH**

**Theme: Country & Western**  
All volunteers are invited to a social lunch on Saturday, October 20<sup>th</sup> from 12-2pm. Our theme is Country Western, so have some fun and dress for the event. Please let your ministry coordinator know by Oct. 7<sup>th</sup> whether you will be attending, as this will greatly assist the office with planning and preparations. **Ministry leaders**, please submit the numbers to the office for those members that contact you. Thanks!



**CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE BAZAAR  
BAKE SALE & VENDOR BOOTHS**  
**Saturday, November 24<sup>th</sup> 9-3pm**

Calling all Cooks! Donations of baked goods are greatly appreciated. Vendor tables are available to rent (\$25.00) for anyone wishing to showcase their business or sell items. Donations for the table of chance are most welcome. Please contact Linda Butler with any questions at 905-728-8511

**Streamed Mass by Thomas Cardinal Collins  
Parish Hall of St. Joseph the Worker Parish  
1100 Mary Street North – Oshawa,  
October 1, 2018 – 7:00 pm**

Thomas Cardinal Collins, Apostolate of Serra International, led the Mass, on June 29, 2018, during the Serra International Convention, held in Nashville, Tn. The Homily is focused on the disciples of Peter and Paul. Refreshments will be available. **Presented by: The Serra Club of Durham Region**

ST. VINCENT de PAUL



**Thanksgiving  
Food Drive**

Please bring items to the front of the church. Our need is great, and we welcome donations each weekend, all year round. Envelopes are available for monetary donations. Thank you!!

### **M&M Fundraising Sponsorship**

We received a donation in the amount of \$106.55. Thank you to those who mention you are from St. Gertrude's when you shop at the King St. E. and Townline location. This is the only location we are registered at to receive donations back. Please shop at this location when possible and ask them to apply your purchase to St. Gertrude's Parish.

### **PREPARATION FOR MARRIAGE COURSE**

We are now accepting applications for our course to be held on the weekend of January 11/12<sup>th</sup>, Friday evening 6-9pm and all day Saturday, 9am-6pm. Cost to attend is \$200.00 per couple, due with registration. Please call or email the office to register.

St. John the Evangelist, Whitby  
Marriage Preparation Program

Tuesday Evenings,  
from October 23 - November 27, 2018  
7pm to 9pm, in the St. Joseph's Room  
Cost: \$150 per couple  
To register, contact Vicki at the parish office  
(905) 668-3676

### **Life in the Spirit Seminar**

Are you looking for a deeper more personal relationship with God? Do you want to experience God's Love, Peace and Joy in these troubling times? Then the Life in the Spirit Seminar is for you.

Come and experience the Joy of the Lord.

**October 9 - November 27 Tuesdays at 8pm at  
St. Gregory's Church Hall.** No Cost.

For more information contact Anne Young  
905- 723-6106 or email [anneyoung1999@yahoo.ca](mailto:anneyoung1999@yahoo.ca) or  
Marg Vetzal 905 666-0108

### **PARISH LIBRARY**

Our Library has re-opened and the times are posted. We feature a wide array of classic and newer books for children and adults. Also available is an assortment of DVD's for young and old alike, stressing religious and family values. Please take time to visit us, we look forward to serving you.

**LIFE CHAIN SUNDAY, Sept. 30<sup>th</sup>** – Please stand or bring a chair and join us from 2-3pm at the corner of King & Harmony to support the Unborn Child



**"...for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink"  
Matt 25:35**

Monsignor John Pereyema Catholic Secondary School serves some of the poorest youth in our city. As such they find it part of their ministry to provide food items to a number of individuals and families on an emergency basis. In addition, some students arrive at school without lunch. They have established a "**Pantry**" to help meet such needs. Assistance is required to help restock the "**Pantry**" and they would appreciate your help. Please help Monsignor John Pereyema CSS to provide food for those in need within the school community. The following items are most needed: Microwavable Kraft Dinner, Cup-a-Soup, Granola Bars, Juice boxes, Pasta, Pasta Sauce, Peanut Butter, Boxes of Kraft Dinner and hygiene supplies. Gift cards are also appreciated. Donations will be accepted at Monsignor John Pereyema CSS Main Office or at any of the local Catholic Parishes. God Bless you for your generosity.

### **Celebrate Your Marriage with a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend!**

Marriage Encounter is a weekend getaway that helps married couples rediscover themselves as individuals and as a couple. The Weekend format helps couples communicate openly and honestly without group sharing, therapy or marriage counselling.

Upcoming Weekend: October 19-21, 2018

For more information and application, please go to

[www.wwme.org](http://www.wwme.org) or contact:

Gerard & Marge McCauley at [gerard.marge@rogers.com](mailto:gerard.marge@rogers.com)  
or (905) 792-1925.

### **Adult Faith Formation Course**

**ACTS – The Spread of the Kingdom**

Part 1 - Thursdays, October 11 to November 22

10 a.m. or 7 p.m.

No charge to attend. The Student Study Set is \$40

Registration available after masses, on our website or by contacting:

Beth Cook: 905-925-9871 [bethcook905@outlook.com](mailto:bethcook905@outlook.com)

Diana Scahill: 905-723-0794 [dscahill9@gmail.com](mailto:dscahill9@gmail.com)

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### **CWL GENERAL MEETING**

Monday, October 1<sup>st</sup> 7pm, Rosary at 6:30pm

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