

# 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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905-432-8470

Durham Catholic District School Board 905-576-6150, [www.dcdsb.ca](http://www.dcdsb.ca)



**ST. GERTRUDE OUR PATRONESS**

MASS INTENTIONS

**Saturday, October 20<sup>th</sup>**

8:00am † Francisco Dias

5:00pm † Maurice Tessier

**Sunday, October 21<sup>st</sup>**

9am † Joe Rembala

11am † All Souls,

Andrew Gomes, Marlene Perrow

Intentions of Vinkovic & Zupanic families

6:15pm Parish Community

**Monday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>**

8:00am † Daniel McAvoy

**Friday, October 26<sup>th</sup>**

12:10pm † Edwidge & Hina Pulverenti

**Saturday, October 27<sup>th</sup>**

8:00am † Matthew Craigen

5:00pm Intentions of Teresa Szabunia

**Sunday, October 28<sup>th</sup>**

9am † Jim Luciuk

11am † John Lopes, Daniele Pedretti

Ed & Jean Kunkel & Scott Gibson

Mike Novak & Mike Boznar

Joan Alma Bowles, Nicola Romano

6:15pm Parish Community

Please note: No mass on Wed. or Thurs. as Fr. Paul is attending the Priest Seminar



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**Please join us next weekend, Oct. 27/28 following the 5pm and 11am Masses for Soup in the parish hall. Cost: \$5.00 per serving. Litres of soup will also be available for purchase for take-out.**

**Proceeds to support our Youth Ministry.**

**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



**PREPARATION FOR MARRIAGE COURSE**

Weekend of January 11/12<sup>th</sup>, in our parish hall. 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. Vincent de Paul**

During the Month of October we are selling tickets for an Afghan Blanket after each weekend mass. Proceeds will be used to purchase food vouchers for our Neighbours in Need. Thank you for your support.

**Knights of Columbus**

Parish breakfast, Sunday November 4th, after the 9:00 am mass. Breakfast served from 9:30 -11:00am \$5. per person, \$15. per family Proceeds to Support Vocations.



**I hope your week is filled with Smiles and Sunshine!**

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**CHALICE COLLECTION**  
**Our final collection for 2018 will be on the weekend of October 27/28**

**For students in university and college, Campus Ministry is waiting for you.** Grow in your faith, experience fellowship and use your gifts to serve others. Visit <http://www.chaplaincyconnect.ca> and find your Catholic home on campus! For information about the eight campus ministries in the Archdiocese of Toronto, please view the poster: <http://bit.ly/CampusMinistriesArchTO>

**Come and See Weekend – Friday, November 2 (begins at 6:30 p.m.) to Sunday, November 4 (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](http://www.vocationstoronto.ca). Registrants 17 years old require parental consent.

For more information, please contact Fr. Paul or the Office of Vocations at: 416 968 0997; email:

[vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org)

### **ST. MICHAEL'S COLLEGE SCHOOL**

The Office of Admissions is now considering applications for September 2019. St. Michael's is the only independent Catholic school for boys grade 7-12. Open Houses will be held Thursday, Oct. 18<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday, Oct. 23<sup>rd</sup> from 7:30-9:30pm

1515 Bathurst St. (at St. Clair Ave. West)

The school offers a generous bursary programme providing financial aid to qualifying students.

### **Development & Peace**

68.5 million People in the world today have been forced to flee their home.

Share the Journey is a special international education campaign launched by Pope Francis. It is designed to help people of faith and goodwill come closer to our brothers and sisters all across the world who are forced to flee their home.

**Join us!**

**Oct. 27th, 9am-12:00pm**

**(Followed by soup lunch)**

**St. John the Evangelist Parish**

**903 Giffard St., Whitby**

Come spend the morning learning about what we can do as people of Faith here in Canada to Share the Journey

RSVP: Estela Rios, 905-430-7753 [emr0001@hotmail.com](mailto:emr0001@hotmail.com)

### **Durham Serra Priest Appreciation Dinner**

Friday November 16th at St. Joseph Worker.

Please contact Evelyn Hunter to reserve tickets for this event before Nov. 1<sup>st</sup>. at 905-436-5334 or

[tarislander@gmail.com](mailto:tarislander@gmail.com)

### ***The Celebration of the 28th Annual Mass of Memory***

**Historic Saint Paul's Basilica**

**83 Power Street, Toronto, Ontario**

**Sunday, October 28th, 2018 at 3:00 p.m.**

Sacred/Celtic Music Prelude by:

The Irish Choral Society of Canada at 2:30 p.m.

Reception to follow, downstairs in the Basilica Hall.

Proceeds from this celebration go to the Children's Breakfast Club Program of Saint Paul's Basilica.

We remember, in a special way, those who have passed away this year.

For information contact: Geraldine 416-573-1205

### **Canadian Bishops Issue Document on Protection of Minors and Vulnerable Adults**

On October 4, the bishops of Canada issued new national guidelines for the protection of minors in Canada.

Entitled *Protecting Minors from Sexual Abuse: A Call to the Catholic Faithful in Canada for Healing, Reconciliation, and Transformation*, this document first

and foremost, focuses on minors and vulnerable adults,

whom Canada's bishops wish to protect from sexual

violence. The document can be found at [www.cccb.ca](http://www.cccb.ca).

Since 1989, the Archdiocese of Toronto has had an

extensive safe environment policy in place, including a

procedure for allegations of abuse or misconduct. That

document can be found at

[https://www.archtoronto.org/about-us/safe-](https://www.archtoronto.org/about-us/safe-environment)

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Thank you to all who donated to the Thanksgiving Food Drive and Envelope Collection. Please note

that food can be donated at any time during the year.

Envelopes are left year-round at the church entrances for your monetary donations. We have a tremendous need in

our society for assistance and your generosity helps us to meet all our demands. Thanks for your continued

support.

### **HOSPITAL VISITATION**

Ministers of Communion are invited to join our Hospital Ministry. Training will be provided by Lakeridge Health

Oshawa. Please contact MaryAnn Ellsworth for more details 905-725-4932

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