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:

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	905-723-1991
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Durham Catholic District School Board 905-576-6150, www.dcdsb.ca



ST. GERTRUDE OUR PATRONESS

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, February 16th

8:00am † Connie Dube

5:00pm † Catarina Ferriera & Gloria Calado

Sunday, February 17th

9am † Joseph Labriola

11am † Angelina Russo, Kathleen Planeta

6:15pm Our Parish Community

Monday, February 18th

8:00am † Doug, Catherine, Lori & Connie Thompson

Wednesday, February 20th

8:00am † Frank Lallemand

Thursday, February 21st

8:00am † Eric Pereira

Special intentions

Parish General intentions

Friday, February 22nd

12:10pm † Francisco Dias

Saturday, February 23rd

8:00am † Joan Larkin

5:00pm † Gerald & Laura Quinn

Sunday, February 24th

9am † John Arthurs & Marion Delaney

11am † Tina DeBrito, Beatrice Felix

Maria Gracinda, Comceicao Sousa Matthew Lapa, Marion Delaney And for Our Parish Community

6:15pm † John Bouzan





Happy Family Day Parish office is closed Monday Feb. 18th

Income Tax Receipts

Now available for pickup at the back of the church.

SPIRITUAL BOUQUET IN CELEBRATION OF THE NEW VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD IN THE ARCHDIOCESE OF TORONTO

"Here I am Lord, I come to do your will." Psalm 40

Our Ordinandi need our prayers and support for the work they are preparing themselves to do as priests in our Catholic Church.

Our prayers and support are made to them in the form of a Spiritual Bouquet presented to the Ordinandi at the annual Ordinandi Dinner.

Our Spiritual Bouquet for the Ordinandi Class of 2019 will comprise of offerings of Masses, Rosaries, and other forms of prayers

These offerings are not paid offerings but prayers and devotions done freely and lovingly.

There is no time limit, and you can offer as many as you wish.

You may start anytime. No name or address is required.

This Spiritual Bouquet is open to all:

Forms are available at side entrances to the Church and bookcase at back of Church

DEADLINE SUBMISSION IS THURSDAY FEBRUARY 21ST, 2019

BUNDLE SUNDAY

Your donation of gently used clothing and linens will be given or sold to benefit those in need. Support the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul Bundle Up program the weekend of **Feb. 23-24**. The truck will be in our parking lot to accept your donations either before or after each Mass.

For more information on the items they do/do not accept please visit www.ssvptoronto.ca

<u>ICE/SNOW MAINTENANCE COSTS</u>

As winter weather continues, please be generous to our monthly maintenance collection (blue envelope).

Attention all potential Grade 12 graduates of Msgr. Paul Dwyer Catholic High School:

If you are interested in applying for a scholarship from either the Knights of Columbus or the Catholic Women's League, kindly address a letter of no more than one page to the Grand Knight or the CWL President and submit it to the Parish office. In this letter, please state

- your future goals including whether you are planning to attend college or university,
- your report card average,
- details of your involvement in your parish (sacraments, church attendance, capacity and duration of any contributions)

Letters are due no later than March 15, 2019

ONE MORE YEAR OF OUR LOAN INTEREST FREE PERIOD

We had been granted 2019 as interest free for our outstanding Capital campaign loan. All donations are applied directly to the loan balance. We now have one more year to take advantage of this opportunity.

Each year we are offered the opportunity to support many causes. PLEASE consider directing funds to <u>our debt</u> this year, greatly benefiting the parish loan situation.



FAMILY PASTA
DINNER & SHOW
Sat. February 23rd
Time: 6:00pm
Hosted by Our Youth Ministry

Bring your family for a fun evening and enjoy Chicken Alfredo or Meatballs in Tomato sauce on Penne Pasta. Caesar Salad, fresh rolls & Antipasto. Lemon Vanilla Cake, tea & coffee. Gluten free and vegan options must be requested at time of purchasing ticket please.

Local youth will showcase their talents.

Cash bar of wine & beer.

Child \$10, Adult \$20 Family \$60



CHALICE COLLECTION following all Masses Feb. 23/24th



The Rosary Apostolate in the Schools is seeking volunteers who have great devotion to the Mother of God and who are willing to visit our elementary schools to pray the Rosary with the children once a month for a total of 8

days in the year. Training and screening will be provided. If you are interested, please contact: Amber Gormley tel: 289 240 9495

41st Annual Concelebrated Mass in Honour of Saint Patrick Sunday, February 24 – 3:30 to 6 p.m.

St. Cecilia's Church
161 Annette St., Toronto
Principal celebrant and homilist will be His
Eminence Thomas Cardinal Collins, Archbishop of
Toronto. Eithne Heffernan will be the guest Irish
harpist. Ceremonial co-ordinator will be Hugo
Straney. A reception will follow the Mass in the
church hall, with refreshments and Irish
entertainment provided by Michael Kelly and Irish
dancers from the Johnson School of Dance.

CONTACT: St. Cecilia's parish office 416-769-8163 **EMAIL:** stceciliatoronto@gmail.com

Lenten Day of Recollection for Men Saturday, March 9 – 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Immaculate Conception Parish 1710 Scugog St., Port Perry

St. Padre Pio and the Restoration of the Sacred. We begin the day with holy Mass. Two recollection conferences will be given. Lunch will be served at noon and the day will end with benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. \$20 registration fee for lunch and refreshments. Please register by March 4. Sponsored by the Port Perry Knights of Columbus Council 8951.

CONTACT: The Parish Office 905-985-7071 **EMAIL:** kofc8951@gmail.com



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