

# 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

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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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**ST. GERTRUDE OUR PATRONESS**

## MASS INTENTIONS

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

5:00pm † Severino Pulla

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

9am † Colleen Jenish

11am † Roger Serge, John & Mary Serge  
Antonio & Basila Pulla  
Kathleen Planeta, Daniele Pedretti  
Ed & Jean Kunkel & Scott Gibson  
And For Our Parish Community

6:15pm † Marion Delaney

**Monday, April 29<sup>th</sup>**

8:00am Special intentions

**No Daily Masses this week.**

**Saturday, May 4<sup>th</sup>**

8:00am NO MASS

5:00pm † Bernard Corrigan

**Sunday, May 5<sup>th</sup>**

9am † Severino Pulla

11am † Loretta Morrison, Severino Pulla  
Steve Jarvie  
And For Our Parish Community

6:15pm † David Guimond & Dawn Sackett



**Knights of Columbus  
Parish Breakfast  
Sunday, May 5<sup>th</sup>  
9:30-11:00am  
Please come down to the  
hall and enjoy meeting  
other parishioners.**

### **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

*This week the office will be open  
Monday – Thursday from 9am-12noon.  
Closed Friday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>*



## **Mighty Big Thanks!**

*Easter at St. Gertrude's is truly a joyous family celebration. It takes many volunteers to ensure Holy Week and Easter are joyful and meaningful celebrations. Thank you to Fr. Paul, the parish staff and all volunteers involved: Youth ministry, Children's liturgy, Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Altar Servers, Ushers, RCIA teams, musicians, our maintenance staff, decorators and especially, you our parishioners who came out in faith to share and celebrate!*

*Thank you also to the Parish groups who took a turn leading the Stations of the Cross during Lent.*



**An Easter Prayer**  
**Heavenly Father and Creator of all,**  
**We no longer look for Jesus**  
**Among the dead,**  
**For He is alive and**  
**Has become the Lord of life.**  
**From the waters of death**  
**You raise us with Him;**  
**Renew your gift of life within us.**  
**Help us to grow as Your people**  
**That we may know You completely**  
**And come to share in Your glory.**  
**Free us from seeking after the passing**  
**Things in life, that we may set our hearts**  
**On the kingdom of heaven.**  
**Watch over us, Lord,**  
**And make us worthy of Your love.**  
**Amen**





**Jesus,  
I Trust In You!**

**DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY**

**April 28<sup>th</sup> at 2:30pm**

**Celebrant: Rev. Joseph Machaj**

*Benediction, Chaplet and*

*Veneration of the relic of St. Faustina*

*We invite all of you to the "Hour of Mercy" to honor  
Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament and to pray the  
Chaplet of Divine Mercy.*

*Could you spare one extra hour? Please join us.*

**A Divine Mercy Prayer**

*Most Merciful Jesus,  
Whose very nature it is  
To have compassion on us  
And to forgive us,  
Do not look upon our sins  
But upon our trust which  
We place in Your Infinite goodness.  
Receive us all into the abode of  
Your Most Compassionate Heart,  
And never let us escape from it.  
We beg this of You by Your love  
Which unites You to the  
Father and the Holy Spirit  
Amen*

**Archdiocesan Day of Prayer for Vocations**

Cardinal Collins has designated Friday, May 3, 2019 as the Archdiocesan Day of Prayer for Vocations. We have three prayer intentions on this day: for the right discernment of vocations still unfolding; for endurance in committed vocations; and for an increase of priestly and religious vocations. Please take a moment to pray for vocations on Friday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>.



**SPRING CONCERT**

**St. Gertrude's Parish Hall**

**Friday, May 24<sup>th</sup> 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 for tickets  
or to participate.*

*Tickets: Adults \$12.00, Children 10 & under \$5.00  
Family Pass \$20.00*

**Fr. Paul has written a book titled  
GREAT GRANDFATHER,  
Making the World a Better Place**

*To purchase the book at a cost of \$10.00 please visit  
the parish office.*

**St. Vincent de Paul Collection Cans  
for those in need should now be returned.**



**St. Gertrude's 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Tournament**

Have FUN with us on **Friday, June 14<sup>th</sup>**. We are currently planning our Tournament and once again offering a Dinner Only option as well. Thank you to Harmony Creek Golf Centre for hosting us again this year.

Early bird registration is now available after Mass. Registration forms are also available at the parish office. Get your four-some together or let us pair you up with other players. Come join the fun!

**St. Gertrude's Knights of Columbus bottle drive  
Sat. Apr 27 & Sun. Apr 28**

Before & After 5pm Saturday Mass AND  
9am & 11am Masses on Sunday

A car & trailer will be in the parking lot for donations of liquor, beer, wine & cooler bottles & cans. If a pickup is required, please call Ron Avery at 905-723-0854 after April 28th.

**DCDSB's 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Picnic**

In honour of the Durham Catholic District School Board's 50th anniversary, we invite past and present students, families, staff, retirees, and partners to attend a **Family Picnic and Outdoor Mass on Sunday, June 2 at Lakeview Park Oshawa.**

The fun-filled day begins at 11:00 a.m. with an Outdoor Mass, followed by games, activities, performances by students and staff, a tearoom and vendors/displays from 12:00 to 3:00 p.m.

For planning purposes, guests are asked to RSVP at <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/dcddb-50th-anniversary-picnic-registration-59170484512>

We look forward to seeing you as we celebrate 50 years of Catholic Education.



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