

# 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, January 11<sup>th</sup>**

8:00am Intentions of Beth Cook & Diana Scahill

5:00pm † Antonio Galvao

**Sunday, January 12<sup>th</sup>**

9am Special intentions

11am † Jiri Brezina, Jesoda Perreira

Intentions of Angela Jones

Intentions of Rica Lapinski

For our Parish Community

6:15pm Special intentions

**Monday, January 13<sup>th</sup>**

8:00am Intentions of Maureen McAvoy

**Wednesday, January 15<sup>th</sup>**

8:00am † Lucia DeSousa and deceased members  
of the Ramos family

**Thursday, January 16<sup>th</sup>**

8:00am Parish General Intentions

**Friday, January 17<sup>th</sup>**

12:10pm † Saveria Lea

**Saturday, January 18<sup>th</sup>**

8:00am Intentions of Rev. Paul Magyar

5:00pm Special intentions

**Sunday, January 19<sup>th</sup>**

9am † Patricia Duffy & Catherine McAuley

11am † Gerry Garritano, Jiri Brezina

Tony Castaldo, Mary Kollar

Mr. Gijza Seles and the living and

deceased members of the

Aloroy & Ison families

For our Parish Community

6:15pm Special intentions



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**2020 DONATION ENVELOPES**

It is very important to inform the office of your new envelope number. Please do so by completing the 'gray' envelope at the front of the box.

**Adult Faith Formation**

***Psalms: The School of Prayer***

**Thursdays, January 16 to March 26**

**10am-12noon OR 7pm-9pm**

At the heart of the Bible are the Psalms, inspired by the Holy Spirit, sung by Israel, prayed by Christ and by all of us at every Mass we attend. Come learn how to establish a deeply personal dialogue with God through the Psalms.

*Psalms: The School of Prayer* is an 11-week Bible study that will explore how the words of the Psalms captivate the imagination and draw us into a deeply personal encounter with God. Each week we will view an engaging video presentation from Dr. Tim Gray followed by a time of lively group discussion and fellowship. No charge to attend. The optional but highly recommended study guide is \$40.

**Registration forms are available on the bookcases and may be placed in an envelope marked AFF and placed with payment in the collection plate.**

CONTACT: Beth Cook PHONE: 905-925-9871 :

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<https://stgertrudesos.archtoronto.org/News-Events>

**PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

**For the months of January & February 2020 the parish office is only open during the morning hours of 9am-12noon.**

**PAG DONORS** –By taking a box of envelopes you ensure you have the monthly Capital Fund and Building Maintenance envelopes as well as the Archdiocesan collection envelopes used throughout the year. This also assists the office in verifying we have the correct contact information for you. To increase your current monthly donation in 2020, please email Teresa in the parish office at [stgertrudeschurch@gmail.com](mailto:stgertrudeschurch@gmail.com)

### **REGISTER FOR PAG**

Anyone wishing to join the PAG (pre-authorized giving) donation method beginning for 2020 can pick up forms on the bookcases and submit to the office. You will require a VOID CHEQUE to begin. Bank withdrawals occur on the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month.

### **Parent Information Night**

Monsignor John Pereyima Catholic Secondary School will be hosting a Parent Information Night for all grade 6 and grade 8 students and their parents on Wednesday, January 15, 2020 at 7p.m. Join us for a short presentation followed by a variety of activities throughout the school. It is also an opportunity to meet teachers, tour the school and find out more of what Pereyima has to offer. "

### **Register for Grade 1 French Immersion**

You are invited to enrol your child in a French Immersion program at schools across the Durham Catholic District School Board. Online registration is from **December 9, 2019 to January 17, 2020**. Students entering Grade 1 in September 2020 are eligible to register. Visit [dcdsb.ca](http://dcdsb.ca) and click on the French Immersion banner to register. Opening Doors to Opportunities!

### **Kindergarten Registration**

You are invited to register your child for Kindergarten at a Durham Catholic schools across the region. Your child must be turning 4 years of age by December 31, 2020 in order to enrol. Online registration begins **January 13-17, 2020**. Visit [dcdsb.ca](http://dcdsb.ca) to register. For questions, email [admissions@dcdsb.ca](mailto:admissions@dcdsb.ca).



### **Society of St Vincent de Paul Open Invitation**

All parishioners who assisted in our Christmas Hamper Program in any way are invited to our Annual Potluck Supper to be held On **Monday, January 20<sup>th</sup> in the Church Hall starting at 6p.m.**

It is an opportunity to get together with fellow Volunteers to share good food and conversation. A short summary of the program and its outcomes will also be presented. Please call Emerise Bourgeois at 905 723 3630 if you plan to attend. We look forward to seeing you there.



### **KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS BREAKFAST January 26<sup>th</sup> 9:30am to 11am.**

Please join the Knights for a Parish Breakfast. Anyone planning to attend the 11am Mass is invited to come early for Breakfast first.

### **CWL GENERAL MEETING**

*Monday, January 13<sup>th</sup> beginning with Rosary at 6:30pm in the parish hall.*

### **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS GENERAL MEETING**

*Tuesday, January 14<sup>th</sup>, at 7pm in the parish hall.*

### **MINISTRY WITH MATURING ADULTS 50 +**

St Bernadette's Parish, 21 Bayly Street, Ajax  
Guest Speaker: Fr Keith Wallace

Topic: Loneliness – a biblical personal response.  
Loneliness in Life , Loneliness in the Faith  
Loneliness from God

No need to register.

Tuesday January 21 @ 10:00 – 12:00 luncheon

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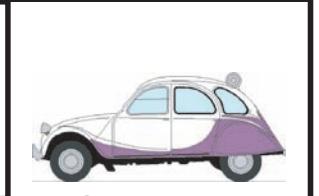
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