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

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ST. GERTRUDE OUR PATRONESS

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, February 29th

8:00am † Richard Griffin

5:00pm † Mary Brennan

Sunday, March 1st

9am † Severino Pulla

11am † Jiri Brezina, Josef Cizek

Frank Lallemand

For our Parish Community

6:15pm Special Intentions

Monday, March 2nd

8:00am † Mary Brennan

Wednesday, March 4th

8:00am † Betty Taylor

Thursday, March 5th

8:00am Parish General Intentions

Friday, March 6th

12:10pm NO MASS

Saturday, March 7th

8:00am NO MASS

5:00pm † Ronald Irwin

Sunday, March 8th

9am † Antonio Galvao

11am † Jozef Cizek, Jamie Patriquin

For our Parish Community

6:15pm † Angela Jones

Monday, March 9th

8:00am NO MASS





Please join us for Stations of the Cross Each Friday during Lent at 7:00pm

St. Vincent de Paul LENTEN CANS

are available for pick-up at the back entrance of the parish and must be returned by Holy Thursday.

CAPITAL DEBT

Our balance owing now sits at \$100,000.00 There are still windows available for dedication and don't forget to get a leaf on the tree at the front church entrance. The cost for the leaf is still currently \$400.00

Each year we are offered the opportunity to support many causes through the Diocese. PLEASE review your 2020 donation budget and consider directing funds to our debt this year, greatly benefiting the parish loan situation.



ICE/SNOW MAINTENANCE COSTS
As winter weather continues, please
be generous to our monthly
maintenance collection
(blue envelope). Our salting bills are
high these winter months.

COLLECTION REMINDERS

The Parish has individual bank accounts for the Capital Loan and the Maintenance fund. Please do not include these donations on the same cheque as your Sunday collection which is deposited in the main operating account. Please write a separate cheque and place in the appropriate gold or blue envelope. Thanks for your help in this banking matter.

Income Tax Receipts

Thank you to those who took time to pick up your parish income tax receipt. All receipts not picked up have now been mailed.

CELEBRATING BAPTISM IN OUR PARISH

To arrange for Baptism, please call or email the parish office leaving your phone. Fr. Paul will then contact you and arrange an office meeting to complete the registration procedures.

ATTENTION: Parents, if your child is in grade one and not yet baptized, or baptized in another faith, please call the office as soon as possible. We can then arrange for the baptism or profession of faith to be celebrated ahead of the child enrolling in grade 2 sacramental preparation programs next fall for First Reconciliation and First Communion. We appreciate your attention to this.

Envelope Numbers Unidentified 4, 452, 457, 500, 520, 533, 587, 593 Please write your name and address on the next envelope you submit. Thank you.

Come and See Weekend – Friday, March 13 (begins at 7:00 p.m.) to Sunday, March 15 (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

<u>www.vocationstoronto.ca</u>. Registrants 17 years old require parental consent.

For more information, please contact (the Parish Priest) or the Office of Vocations at: 416 968 0997; email: vocations@archtoronto.org

Your St. Gertrude's St. Vincent de Paul Society is looking for volunteer help to continue serving our Neighbors in Need within our parish. If you are interested in providing 2 or 3 hours per month, please call, text Mike Crosby 905-243-7643





Start saving your yard sale items. You will have a chance to rent a parking spot and join our trunk sale on Sat. June. 6th. (raindate June 13th) You sell your items and keep your cash.

Please note: Vendors are most welcome to rent a spot and showcase their businesses as well. A parking spot will cost \$30.00 All proceeds will go towards the capital debt. Please call the office for more information.

Catholic Women's League General Meeting Monday, March 2^{nd} 6:30pm beginning with rosary in the parish hall. All ladies of the parish are invited to attend.

Knights of Columbus General Meeting Tuesday, March 10th at 7pm



We are in need of more Eucharistic Ministers at all masses. If this is something you may be interested in volunteering for, please contact the parish office.



Remember next weekend to set your clocks!

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