

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: Rev. Michael Hughes

ADMINISTRATION: Teresa Walsh

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Office hours: Office hours by appointment only.

Please email for assistance

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Website: <https://stgertrudesos.archtoronto.org/>

SUNDAY MASS:

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 9 a.m., 11 a.m., 6:15 p.m.

WEEKDAY MASS:

Mon., Wed., Thurs., at 8:00 a.m.

Friday at 12:10 p.m.

First Friday each month 7:30 p.m.

Saturday at 8:30 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

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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905-576-6150

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ST. GERTRUDE OUR PATRONESS

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, October 29th

9:00am

5:00pm + Philip & Denis Calnam
– brothers of Mary Cole

Sunday, October 30th

9:00am + Margaret Stecko

11:00am + Tony Berardi, Salvatore Braccia
For Our Parish Community

6:15pm Special intentions (anonymous)

Monday, October 31st

8:00am Special intentions (anonymous)

Tuesday, November 1, All Saints Day

7:30pm

Wednesday, November 2, All Souls Day

8:00am, 12:10pm, 7:30pm

Thursday, November 3rd

8:00am + Severino Pulla
For the Holy Souls listed in our
Basket of Remembrance
Parish General intentions

Friday, November 4th

12:10pm + St. Clair Ellsworth

Saturday, November 5th

9:00am

5:00pm + Paul Dolan

Sunday, November 6th

9:00am + John Kraan

11:00am + St. Clair Ellsworth,
+ Gloria Araujo
For the Holy Souls listed in our
Basket of Remembrance

6:15pm For Our Parish Community

***All Souls Mass for the Faithful Departed
Nov. 2nd at 8am, 12:10pm, 7:30pm.***

All Souls Envelopes in Memory of the Faithful Departed may be placed in our Parish Sunday Collection or the Remembrance Basket on the Altar. Those you have asked to be prayed for will be included in the mass intentions at the multi-intentional masses on Thursday and Sunday during the month of November.

PRAYER FOR ALL SOULS

Almighty and Merciful God,
Your Son Jesus loved us so much
That He died and rose again,
To bring us new life.
We pray for our brothers and sisters,
Who have died.
Grant them Your forgiveness
And bring them to eternal life
In the company of all Your saints,
Amen

Office of Vocations

***Come & See - Weekend Retreat
November 18 to 20***

St. Augustine's Seminary

The Office of Vocations will be hosting a Come & See Weekend Retreat for men 18 years and older at St. Augustine's Seminary on Friday, November 18 (6:30 p.m.) until Sunday, November 20 (2 p.m.). This retreat offers a way for men to discern a possible call to priesthood at our seminary. Registration must be done online at www.vocationstoronto.ca/comeesee. For more information, please email: vocations@archtoronto.org.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL

THANK YOU for your generous monetary donations and food donations over Thanksgiving.

Our need is great, and we welcome donations each weekend, all year round. Please bring items to the front of the church. Envelopes are available for monetary donations. Thank you!!

BUNDLE SUNDAY

Our truck will be onsite the weekend of **Nov. 5/6** to collect your donations of gently used clean clothing. This is a great time to clean out your closet!!

NEW CONFESSION TIME

Saturday confessions now begin at 4:00pm

For The Faithful Departed of our Parish

Don Morrison

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen

FIRST FRIDAY MASS- NOV. 4TH @ 7:30pm

Day of Reflection and Prayer for the Bereaved

Manresa Jesuit Renewal Centre
2325 Liverpool Rd., Pickering,

Saturday, November 5, 9:30am - 5:00pm

"Where is God in my pain? How is God working in my grief?" Grieving a loved one can shake or give a new shape to our faith. At this gathering, you will have the opportunity to share your grief story in a community of faith and to reflect in a prayerful way on your experience, to draw renewed strength and hope to continue the journey.

Facilitated by: Sr. Claire Marchal and Mary Hyland
Suggested Offering: \$50 per person (includes lunch)
Please contact: Mary Hyland - 905-441-0957

MOVIE - Mother Teresa: No Greater Love

Twenty-five years have passed since the death of Mother Teresa of Calcutta, sparking a renewed interest in this spiritual giant of the 20th century. Filmed on 5 continents and featuring unprecedented access to both institutional archives and the apostolates of the Missionaries of Charity, this film reveals not just who Mother Teresa was, but how her singular vision to serve Christ in the poor continues to be realized through the Missionaries of Charity today. This is far more than a documentary. It is at once a soaring tribute to a spiritual icon, a powerful witness of authentic Christian charity, and a guidepost for all who seek hope in our turbulent times.

Landmark Theatre Whitby

75 Consumers Drive, Whitby, ON, L1N 9S2

Tel: 905-665-8942

November 2/3rd – Limited Tickets

Duration: 115 min

PRAY FOR PEACE – Received from a Canadian Priest -- Ivân, one of the Medjugorje seers received an urgent message from *Our Lady. She said that the war in Ukraine will become even more serious and will spread throughout the world. To stop it, ask everyone to respond quickly and start PRAYING INTENSELY now. *He said that PRIESTS should open the doors of their CHURCHES and invite their parishioners to pray, pray, pray... especially to PRAY THE ROSARY. Also every day at 6:30 p.m., wherever you are, join in praying 3 HAIL MARY to help "Our Lady intercede for Peace." ... PASS IT ON TO THE GREATEST NUMBER OF PEOPLE. FRIENDS, ACQUAINTANCES, FAMILY MEMBERS, ETC. THANK YOU

Horizons Of Hope

When confronted with a life-limiting diagnosis, we can find ourselves in an unfamiliar and even frightening situation. These moments are usually marked by having to make numerous practical decisions surrounding care and support for loved ones and ourselves. More often than not, such decisions require moral discernment through the lens of our faith. We believe in the dignity and sacredness of human life at all stages, from conception to natural death. At the same time, our faith does not demand that life is to be sustained at all costs. As Catholics, our faith in Jesus Christ has much to teach us about living and dying well. There will be a free of charge program starting **Thursday Nov. 3, 2022 at 7pm-9pm at St Gregory's Parish Hall/Auditorium and will run for 4 weeks.**

Register at <https://HOHStGO.eventbrite.ca> or call the office.



Sunday, November 6, 2022

The Knights of Columbus will host a pancake breakfast in the parish hall after the 9 am mass and before the 11 am mass.

After a lengthy two-year covid lockdown, get reacquainted with friends, meet new friends and get to know the Knights of Columbus.

The cost is \$5/per person. We hope to see you there!



Saturday, November 12th

9:00 am to 3:00 PM.

Our Bake Sale will consist of baked goods and a mini Bazaar. Vendor Tables will be available for \$25.00. We will be in the hall from 1-3pm on November 11th to receive baked goods if you are able to donate some baking to our fundraiser. We appreciate all cooks!!

Anyone interested in purchasing a table can call LINDA BUTLER. (905) 728-8511.

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