

ST. JUSTIN MARTYR PARISH



He is Risen

Mission Statement

"We are a growing, compassionate community of Catholic Christians, sharing our gifts and talents in service of others according to the teachings of Jesus Christ."

R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults): A program for adults interested in becoming a Catholic, contact Monsignor Vid Vlastic for an interview.

R.C.I.C. (Rite of Christian Initiation of Children): A program for children over the age of 7 who are not baptized and/or have not received First Communion and/or Confession. Contact Rachel at sjm.rcic@gmail.com

BAPTISM: A registration form is available at the Parish Office. A baptism preparation session is required if it is the first baby. Baptisms are held twice per month.

MARRIAGE: The church requires one year's notice for planning a marriage. Also required is a marriage preparation course which can be arranged through the parish.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: If you are to be hospitalized for a serious operation, please come to the parish to be anointed by one of the priests.

PARISH SCHOOLS

St. John XXIII Catholic School	905-477-3288
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SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY 5:00 pm
SUNDAY 8:30 am | 10:30 am | 12:30 pm | 7:00 pm

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY, TUESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY - 9:10 am
WEDNESDAY - 7:00 pm (Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help)
FIRST FRIDAY - 9:10 am followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

SATURDAY 9:30 am – 10:00 am | 4:00 pm – 4:30pm

OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY – FRIDAY 9:00 am – 4:00 pm
SUNDAY 9:00 am – 2:00 pm



Youth
Ministry



MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, 16 MAY

9:10 AM Available

TUESDAY, 17 MAY

9:10 AM +CIPRIANO PENULIAR
+GERTRUDES GERARDO
CLAUDETTE WAN

WEDNESDAY, 18 MAY

7:00 PM +DORIS & DONALD HOO FATT

THURSDAY, 19 MAY

9:10 AM +BERNADETTE COLACO
+ALEX CHIU

FRIDAY, 20 MAY

9:10 AM +SHIU YING WONG
+ORFEO FERRARI

SATURDAY, 21 MAY

9:10 AM +SAU CHUN FUNG
WILLIAM & MILDRED SUM

5:00 PM +CARLO JOSE
+WILLIAM ERNEST JOHN D'SILVA
+HOUDINE YAO
HERMAN HO
LESLIE LAM

SUNDAY, 22 MAY

8:30 AM +GERTRUDES GERARDO
PHILLIP KONG
SIMON D'CRUZ & FAMILY

10:30 AM PARISHIONERS

12:30 PM +JOSE COQUIA
+LEE MANIGSACA
VICTORIA & VINCENT CHAN

7:00 PM +PASQUALE CAGGIANIELLO

SANCTUARY LAMP

FOR THE WEEK OF 16 MAY – 22 MAY IS AVAILABLE.

SSVP: NEED BOYS SUMMER CLOTHING

The Society of St. Vincent De Paul is requesting for boys clothes (T-shirts and summer wear) for three boys aged 6, 7 and 8. If you have gently used or new items, please contact Maria at 905 887 1254. Thank you for your generosity.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTIONS

St. Therese's School of Love



In the Gospel this Sunday Jesus gives us the new commandment to love one another just as He loves us. Jesus goes on to say that “everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.” As stewards we must always seek to love others and in doing so, point them to Christ. Let us take some time to reflect on the words of a great saint of love, St. Therese of Lisieux.

St. Therese, a doctor of the Church, famously promoted her “little way.” She didn’t believe she was strong enough to perform great acts of charity or mortification. Instead, she sought to offer up small acts of kindness as her gifts to Christ and the Church. She tells us to “miss no single opportunity of making some small sacrifice, here by a smiling look, there by a kindly word; always doing the smallest right and doing it all for love.” Love isn’t reserved solely for grand gestures but can also be displayed through small charitable acts.

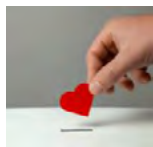
Moreover, St. Therese says that “without love, deeds, even the most brilliant, count as nothing.” We must always infuse our stewardship with great love otherwise it may turn into simple volunteerism.

Let us seek ways to offer up our time and talent to our parish communities, regardless of how small they may seem to be. St. Therese reassures us that “Our Lord does not so much look at the greatness of our actions, or even at their difficulty, as at the love with which we do them.” Let us strive to fully give of ourselves and remember St. Therese’s teaching that “When one loves, one does not calculate.”

**CONGRATULATIONS!
FRIST COMMUNICANTS**



Congratulations to all our First Communicants on receiving the holiest and most important Sacrament in your spiritual life. May you feel God’s presence and His power with you every day as you follow Him.

POPE'S PASTORAL WORKS COLLECTION**May 22, 2022 (All Masses)**

Consider making a donations towards Pope's Pastoral works collection on May 22 weekend. These funds are passed onto the Holy Father so the Church can provide an immediate humanitarian response in countries stricken by war, famine and natural disasters. The Pope's Pastoral Works displays Christ's love and compassion for people in desperate need. Please give generously.

ELECTIONS DEBATE**FROM A CATHOLIC PERSPECTIVE**

On Wednesday, May 18 at 7:30 p.m., the Archdiocese of Toronto will host an election debate

where representatives from the major political parties will discuss issues that matter to Catholics across Ontario. The debate will be livestreamed on the Archdiocese of Toronto's YouTube and Facebook accounts (@archtoronto), and it will be broadcasted on Salt+Light TV.

This evening will include Cardinal Collins sharing his thoughts on the election. More than 12,000 people viewed the archdiocese's 2019 federal election debate, so we hope you will join many other Catholics in sharing your thoughts using the hashtag #CatholicVote2022. Please remember to vote in the provincial election on June 2.

Find more election resources on <https://www.archtoronto.org/election>

OUT OF THE COLD CASSEROLE PROGRAM**Saturday, May 21, 2022**

Due to your continuous support and kindness, we were able to deliver many casseroles to the poor and needy. The May casserole delivery program is on **Saturday, May 21**. **Frozen, labelled** casseroles can be brought to the the Church freezer OR can be delivered into the parked car of Joy Vaz-Jones in the Parish parking lot on May 21 between 10:30 and 11 am. Please sign up to participate by clicking on this link:

<https://forms.gle/YGyHQTgECgFvFdh56>

You can also call Joy Vaz-Jones at 905 470 8977 or email her at joyvazjones@gmail.com. Thank you in advance!

PILGRIMAGE OF HEALING**Lourdes, Shrines & Cathedrals of France****September 11-21, 2022**

Follow us for an amazing visit to France under the spiritual guidance of Msgr. Vid Vlastic, Pastor at St. Justin Martyr Church, Unionville. For more information, see the poster below.

SJM SUMMER CAMP: ANCHORED 2022

Planning Summer camp for your child/ren? Exciting News! We, at St. Justin's is organizing week-long summer camp suited for children from

Grade 1-Grade 4 (as of September 2022).

The camp runs from July 18-22 and July 25-29. Each child can register for one chosen week. If you have a child who would be interested, contact our Youth Minister – Hilton Chiu at youth@stjustin.ca for more information and registration. For details, check our website at www.stjustin.ca. See poster below.

UNIONVILLE DUCK RACE IS BACK!**Saturday, June 4 at 3:30 pm**

Unionville Festival is back and the Knights are once again sponsoring the exciting Duck Race! The first prize is \$500 and four more prizes to be won. Tickets are \$3 for one or \$5 for two.

We hope you will support our many Charities and the excitement of Race Day! See poster below.

Tickets will be sold after every Mass on the weekends of May 21st and 28th.

SSVP: BUNDLE UP SUNDAY**Thank You for Your Generosity**

The Society of St. Vincent De Paul would like to thank everyone who contributed towards the Bundle-up Collection last weekend. Your generosity is greatly appreciated. Your donations will make many families in need happy.

New Members are Welcome: We are always looking for new members to help us serve our neighbours in need in various ways. If you are interested in joining us, or want to learn more. Please call 905-479-0103 ext 52 to leave a message along with a call back number.

"Pilgrimage of Healing"

Lourdes, Shrines & Cathedrals of France

Under spiritual leadership of Msgr. Vid Vlastic, Pastor
St. Justin Martyr Parish, Unionville

Sept. 11 – 21, 2022 11 days \$4,950.00 (Toronto Dep. incl. all taxes and tips)



- Sep.11 Evening departure from Toronto to Paris.
- Sep.12 Noon arrival in Paris. We are transfer to our hotel, some free time for rest. Late afternoon a walking tour of the charming district of Montmartre and Sacré-Cœur basilica. Return to hotel for dinner and overnight.
- Sep.13 Full day in Paris. Our city tour will take us to views of Eiffel Tower, Place de La Concorde, Champs-Élysées and Notre Dame Cathedral (under reconstruction). We will visit the Miraculous Medal chapel where we celebrate Mass. Some free time for leisure. Evening a dinner in local restaurant and overnight.



- Sep.14 Today we travel to Lisieux, city of St. Thérèse, "The Little Flower". En route we stop in Rouen, its skyline dominated by the spires of magnificent Gothic Notre-Dame Cathedral. Continue to picturesque Honfleur and its old harbor, a subject for artists including Claude Monet. Dinner and overnight in Lisieux.
- Sep.15 This morning we visit the Basilica dedicated to St. Thérèse and celebrate Mass there. Afternoon we travel to Mont St. Michel for dinner and overnight.



- Sep.16 After breakfast we tour Mont St. Michel and ancient strategic fortifications of this island-town, the monastery and medieval buildings. Continue to Vitre, known for its castle, charming old streets and restored half-timbered houses where we celebrate Mass. Continue to visit the Chateau d'Amboise, a favoured royal residence of French kings.. Dinner and overnight in Amboise.
- Sep.17 This morning we continue to explore the Chateau Country along Loire river. We view the Château de Chenonceau, one of the best-known châteaux of the Loire valley. Afternoon a guided tour of Tours. Mass, dinner and overnight in Amboise.



- Sep.18 Today we travel to St. Emilion region, famous for its red wines. En route we stop in Poitiers, where we celebrate Mass. Continue to Saint-Savin-sur-Gartempe and visit the Romanesque Abbey Church dated back to 11th century. Upon arrival in Libourne/St. Emilion some free time for dinnee on your own. Overnight in Libourne.
- Sep.19 After breakfast we visit one of local vineyards and enjoy with wine tasting and lunch. Afternoon we travel to Lourdes. Mass, dinner, procession with candles and overnight.
- Sep.20 Full day in Lourdes. Time to visit the Grotto and the Basilicas. We will celebrate Mass and the Way of The Cross. Time for individual prayer and bath, dinner and overnight.
- Sep.21 After breakfast we are transferred to the airport for a flight to Toronto. Evening arrival.

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ANCHORED

SUMMER CAMP FOR GRADES 1-4

Monday, July 18 to Friday, July 22 or
Monday, July 25 to Friday, July 29

\$150 PER CAMPER (+\$125/SIBLING)
ST. JUSTIN MARTYR CATHOLIC CHURCH

**PARISHIONERS CONTACT HILTON CHIU, YOUTH MINISTER,
AT [YOUTH@STJUSTIN.CA](mailto:youth@stjustin.ca) TO REGISTER**



UNIONVILLE FESTIVAL DUCK RACE

Saturday, June 4 at 3:30 PM
by the St. Justin Martyr Knights of Columbus

1st Prize — \$500

2nd Prize — \$150 Gift Card to Cora Restaurants

3rd Prize — \$100 SMASH or NEXT DOOR Restaurants

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 St. Justin Martyr Parish at 905-479-9103, ext.52

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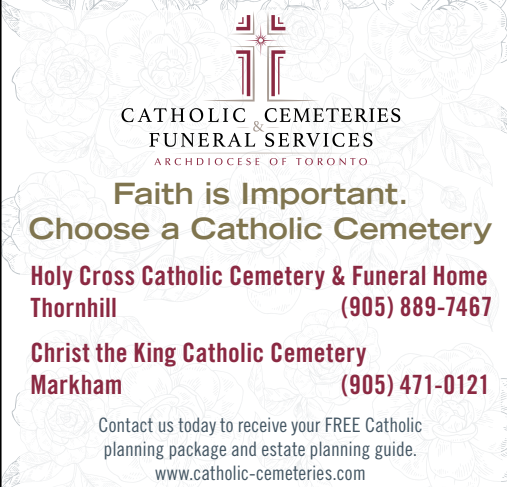
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