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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

By appointment only: please call the office

### OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY – FRIDAY

9:00 am – 5:00 pm

SATURDAY

9:30 am – 12:00 pm

SUNDAY

9:30 am – 1:30 pm



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**MASS INTENTIONS**

**MONDAY, 18 JANUARY**

**9:10 AM** +LUIS GALVAN

**TUESDAY, 19 JANUARY**

**9:10 AM** +BERNADETTE COLACO

**WEDNESDAY, 20 JANUARY**

**7:00 PM** +VINCENT D'SOUZA  
+FREDRIC MISTELBERGER  
+PETER CHIN  
ANNETTE WALLACE

**THURSDAY, 21 JANUARY**

**9:10 AM** Available

**FRIDAY, 22 JANUARY**

**9:10 AM** +TOM D'SOUZA  
IZAIAH CHRISTOPHER DAYNE LYN

**SATURDAY, 23 JANUARY**

**9:10 AM** Available  
**5:00 PM** ROSIE & TONY CHUCK & FAMILY  
ANN MAN-SON-HING  
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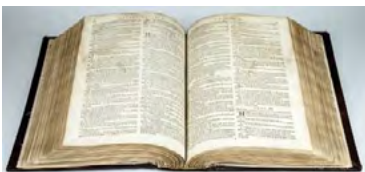
**SUNDAY, 24 JANUARY**

**10:30 AM** +VICTOR VIRGILIO  
+LAI KWAN SHIRLEY LING  
+ANTONINO AGUANNO  
+VINCENT D'SOUZA  
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**FROM OUR PASTOR: "HOME"**



As we are in this strict lockdown with "stay at home" orders from the health and civic authorities, we could reflect at our home base.

A home is where we live, a home is where we love, a home is where we rest, a home is where we grow. A home is not just a space or building or dwelling. True home is all the above and more. It must have a heart.

People love their homes for many reasons - including memories. They define the places that are important because of their relationship to them. A home is a little church where we receive love. School is where we learn, hospital is place of healing and so on. These days we are "tired" of being home, but this should bring us to new appreciation of our homes and families.

In this Sunday gospel John's disciples ask Jesus: Rabbi, where do you live? He invited them "Come and see". Jesus invites us to "come and see" His place, His way, His ambiance, His domain where there is order, goodness, forgiveness, patience and respect. If we have little bit more of that in our own homes - what a blessing that would be.

At his time of the year, it is custom in some countries to bless homes by a priest. But we cannot do it in these circumstances. But you yourself can bless your family and your home. You can create your own prayer or search for one on internet.

I am recommending the usage of this prayer, customized for home use:

"Blessed are you, Lord God, King of the universe, You have graced this family with this home. Bless us and bless our home. May we be people of prayer and peace. May we live in your love and be generous in our service to others. May the faith of Mary and Joseph and all your saints inspire us to follow the example of your Son Jesus who is our Lord and savior for ever and ever. Amen".

*God Bless You All,  
Msgr. Vid Vlastic  
Pastor- St Justin Martyr Parish*

**MARRIAGE SUNDAY**



Cardinal Collins has designated the weekend of **February 13/14, 2021** as Marriage Sunday in the Archdiocese of Toronto. To celebrate the tremendous contributions of married couples who continue to strengthen our faith community, our parish is participating in a program to offer a personalized, special blessing certificate signed by Cardinal Thomas Collins to married-couple celebrating their 25th, 40th, 50th, or 60+ wedding anniversary in 2021.

To request a special blessing certificate for milestone wedding anniversaries in 2021, please visit <https://bit.ly/2021MS-SpecialBlessing>. If you have questions, please contact the Parish Office. The deadline to order is 17 January 2021.



**PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING PROGRAM (P.A.G.)**

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**ONLINE EDGE SESSIONS**



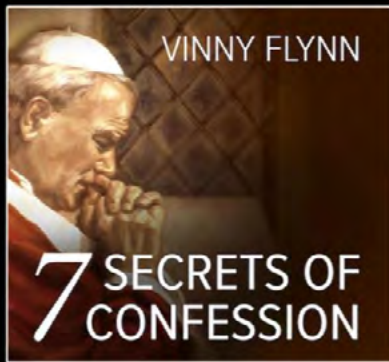
Calling all Youth from Grade 5 to 8 to join our Online EDGE Sessions happening every second week. Our next session is on January 22, 2021 at 6:15 p.m. Celebrate the spirit along with us by praying, singing, and praising the Lord. Use the Zoom login details shared via registered email. If you wish to join us, send us your interest in [edge@stjustin.ca](mailto:edge@stjustin.ca).

**WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY**

Join us Online on January 24 at 4 p.m. for the annual Christian Unity service for the GTA, hosted by the Salvation Army.

The event can be accessed on Facebook [facebook.com/agincourtcommunitychurch](https://facebook.com/agincourtcommunitychurch). The theme of this year is “Abide in My love and you shall bear much fruit”. Please join His Eminence Cardinal Thomas Collins, the Sisters of Life and a wide representation of Christian leaders to pray for the restoration of full visible unity willed by Lord Jesus Christ for the Church.

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