ST. JUSTIN MARTYR PARISH



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 Vlasic 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
St. Justin Martyr Catholic School	905-474-0284
St. Matthew Catholic School	905-475-0517
St. Monica Catholic School	905-887-1560
St. Augustine Catholic High School	905-887-6171

CONNECT WITH US!

PASTOR **ASSOCIATE PASTOR OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR PARISH SECRETARY MUSIC DIRECTOR FIRST COMMUNION/RCIC YOUTH MINISTER**

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SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY

SUNDAY

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 9:30 am - 10:00 am | 4:00 pm - 4:30pm SATURDAY **OFFICE HOURS**

MONDAY – FRIDAY 9:00 am - 5:00 pm 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, 18 OCTOBER

9:10 AM +MALLY YBANIEZ THE LEE FAMILY ANITA LEE

TUESDAY, 19 OCTOBER

9:10 AM +BERNADETTE COLACO +RORY CHAU ELIA VIGNA

WEDNESDAY, 20 OCTOBER

7:00 PM +JENNIFER JACOB +NENA BIHIS RAPHAELA TAM ANNA P. L. NG JANET AWON

THURSDAY, 21 OCTOBER

9:10 AM +EDWARD KHOURY

FRIDAY, 22 OCTOBER

9:10 AM +NIGEL LUE QUI +LUIZA QUADROS

SATURDAY, 23 OCTOBER

9:10 AM +MAUREEN BURNETT 5:00 PM +VICTOR BARRETTO +CORRADO CICCARELLA +RICHARD CIACH JEFFERY YIU

SUNDAY, 24 OCTOBER

- 8:30 AM NG PANG BRENDA GERARDO & FAMILY
- 10:30 AM +PASQUALE CAGGIANIELLO +CARMELINA D'ALESSANDRO +MIKE D'ALESSANDRO

12:30 PM PARISHIONERS

7:00 PM GIUSEPPE PIZZITELLI

SANCTUARY LAMP

FOR THE WEEK OF 18 OCT – 24 OCT IS FOR THE INTENTIONS OF MARANAN-BUICK FAMILY.

4th ANNUAL PARISH MINISTRY CONFERENCE Online Event: October 26-30, 2021



The 4th Annual Parish Ministry Conference is held online this year, please visit <u>www.archtoronto.org/conference</u> for more details regarding registration. All Parishioners involved in the Parish ministries are invited to attend this free event.

MISSIONARY MONTH PRAYER

"Dear God. You have blessed us with Your truth. You have guided our lives along the right way. You shower our lives with love. May we who have received so much from You never cease to announce what we have seen and heard. May we always be missionary disciples, who proclaim Your truth through lives we lived. May You continue to support our efforts to bring the Gospel of Your Son to the world. May we always tell of Your many blessings to those who have yet to experience Your love. In this Missionary Month, may Your whole Church recognize their call to support the work of the missions. May all Your faithful recognize our responsibility to provide for those communities who have only recently come of the faith. May the voices of Your people always reach Your altar in heaven as they pray for the missions. May we always proclaim what we have seen and heard that Jesus is the Way, the Truth and the Life. Amen."

Courtesy: Pontifical Mission Societies

OCTOBER 2021 – MISSIONARY MONTH World Mission Sunday: Oct 24, 2021



Next week is World Mission Sunday. It is a global celebration of the universal Church. Your prayer and donations will assist Churches,

hospitals, schools and the training of Priests. The donations that the Catholic communities throughout the world receive through World Mission Sunday will assist them to be self-sufficient and continue to flourish. By sharing your gift of faith, we can bring love and compassion to those who need it most.

THANK YOU FOR ALL YOUR THANKSGIVING GIFTS!



We Thank you for your overwhelming response regarding the food donations on this year's Thanksgiving Food Drive. God bless you all!

ALL SOULS MASS In Loving Memory Tuesday, November 2, 2021 at 7pm



St. Justin Martyr Parish is celebrating All Souls Day on Tuesday, November 2, 2021, at 7pm.

If you have lost a member of your immediate family in the

past year (2 November 2020 to present), we invite you to attend the Mass at 7:00 pm on Monday in person (by reservation) or online (visit www.stjustin.ca).

Names for All Soul's Day Mass: If you would call or visit the parish office and leave the name of your loved one who passed away (2 November 2020 to present), their names will be mentioned at this Mass.

Book of the Dead: All other deceased relatives and friends can be remembered by registering their names in the Book of the Dead placed near the Altar throughout the month of October. All Masses in November will be celebrated for those mentioned.

If you are unable to come in person, please call the office or email your list of deceased to <u>stjustinmartyrun@archtoronto.org</u> Mention if your intention is for "All Souls" or for the "Book of the Dead".

All Soul's Day envelopes can be accessed at the pews or at the Parish Office.

WINTER COAT DRIVE October 16 – November 14, 2021



St. Justin Martyr Knights of Columbus and the Society of St. Vincent De Paul are working together to provide warm coats to children and adults who are in need before the upcoming cold season. We would ask all parishioners to

bring "gently used" coats for boys, girls and adults to the Church and place in the white plastic bins. The Knights will help transport and plan for the coats to be distributed for the needy. This program is scheduled to run from Oct 16-Nov 14, 2021.

CATHOLIC MOM'S GROUP Welcome to In-Person Meetings



Catholic Moms Group happily welcomes Moms of all ages to inperson meetings, in the church hall, on the Fourth Tuesday morning, or Wednesday evening of each month.

Safety protocols will be strictly observed. While refreshments cannot be provided, the welcome will be no less inviting!

Our first gatherings will be Tues Oct 26, 9:45 to 11 am and Wed Oct 27, 7:45 to 9 pm.

Please email Rita and Virginia at <u>catholicmomsgroup.sjm@gmail.com</u> to let us know which day you plan to attend.

EMPTY BOTTLE PROGRAM Drop-In Program Continues



The Knights at St. Justin Martyr thank all parishioners who contributed to the Empty Bottle Program. With your help, we

were able to raise just over a \$1,000! Considering your amazing support, we decided to continue the program, for September and October as well. Please drop off empty bottles (beer, wine, liquor bottles and cans, but not pop bottles please) in the bins near the Parish garage at the rear end of the Church. Thank you.

OUT OF THE COLD CASSEROLE PROGRAM Tuesday, November 20, 2021 between 10:30-11am



With your ongoing support and generosity, we have decided to continue the Casserole Program through

November. The delivery date for this month is November 20, 2021. We remind you that the Church freezers are still inaccessible. Hence, we request you to deliver the frozen casseroles in a labeled plastic bag to the parked car of Joy Vaz-Jones in the Parish parking lot on November 20 between 10:30 am and 11 am.

Please sign up to participate by clicking on this link: <u>https://forms.gle/7McA1BjxY4MA3Bd26</u>

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

