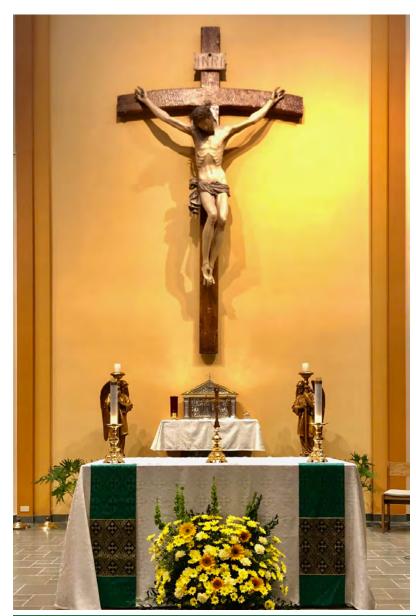
ST. JUSTIN MARTYR PARISH



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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

905-477-3288
905-474-0284
905-475-0517
905-887-1560
905-887-6171

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

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

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

SUNDAY

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

9:00 am – 2:00 pm

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, 21 FEBRUARY

9:10 AM +MARIA SANCEDA DELGADO +KARL LYN +EMMA-RITA AMBROSIO GARGUENA

TUESDAY, 22 FEBRUARY

9:10 AM +DORIS & DONALD HOO FATT +JOHN EVANGELIST LING MARGARET NG

WEDNESDAY, 23 FEBRUARY

7:00 PM +MARTHA MAYA **+TONY FERRI** +MARIANNE MISTELBERGER **JOSEPHINE & DOMINIC MADURI** CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

THURSDAY, 24 FEBRUARY

9:10 AM +NIGEL D'SYLVA CLAUDIA KUNG

FRIDAY. 25 FEBRUARY

9:10 AM +HERBERT HUMOHREY LUE +FRANCIS FERNANDO

SATURDAY, 26 FEBRUARY

9:10 AM +NORMAN FERNANDES

5:00 PM +DAVID WATSON

SUNDAY, 27 FEBRUARY

8:30 AM Available

10:30 AM +HOLY SOULS IN PURGATORY +LYDIA FRANCIS JAMIE MARANAN

12:30 PM PARISHIONERS

7:00 PM Available

SANCTUARY LAMP

FOR THE WEEK OF 21 FEB – 27 FEB IS FOR THE INTENTIONS OF AUDREY LUE & FAMILY.

FIRST RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION) **REGISTRATIONS ARE OPEN**



Parents of baptized children in Grade 2 or above are invited to make registrations for their First Reconciliation (Confession). For details and reservations, visit

https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/first-confessionregistrations-2022-registration-261114649947

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTIONS Praying For Our Enemies



In the face of today's secular culture, various Christian values may seem far too radical or outdated. Many people, with well-meaning intentions, may think that "being good" is all that matters in

this life. However, the Gospel responds with the challenge to be more than good, but rather, to be holy.

One of Jesus' radical messages that can help us work towards holiness is the call to love our enemies. In the time of Jesus, and even to this day, the notion of loving those who wrong us or hurt us seems like an impossible ideal. We often have a hard time loving those whom we should naturally love.

How then are we expected to love our enemies? We must first realize that it is a long process to truly love them but it begins with small acts of prayer. We often wish for bad things to happen to our enemies, or at the very least, we hope things don't go well for them. We can begin to heal the unforgiveness in our hearts by praying for God to bless them.

Prayer is powerful. Let us begin to pray for the good of our enemies and slowly rid ourselves of feelings of anger or hatred. For example, perhaps we can pray one Hail Mary a day for God to bless the family and work life of those whom we find it difficult to love. We can always look to the example of Christ on the cross, who boldly prayed for those who crucified him. Let us strive to be stewards of God's love and mercy.

YCDSB 2022-2023 KINDERGARTEN **REGISTRATIONS ARE OPEN**



The York Catholic District School Board provides a faith-filles. innovative Catholic Education rooted Gospel values in for

approximately 51,000 students in its 101 schools across York region. Chindren born in 2018 can now register for Junior Kindergarten.

Visit <u>www.ycdsb.ca</u> to register for classes starting in September 2022.

For more details, contact the YCDSB Admissions Department at 905 713 2771 or 416 221 5050

WE ARE OPEN FOR MASSES! NO RESERVATIONS REQUIRED



As the pandemic situation stabilizes and more restrictions are being eased, we are glad to announce that we are open for weekday & weekend Masses without making Online Reservations.

ASH WEDNESDAY MASSES Wednesday, March 2 at 9:10 am, 12 noon & 7 pm



Ash Wednesday Masses are celebrated at 9:10 am, 12 noon & 7 pm on March 2, 2022. We remind all parishioners that Ash Wednesday is a

day of fasting (only one full meal) for Catholics (ages 18 to 59 years) and abstinence from meat (ages 14 and up).

OUT OF THE COLD CASSEROLE PROGRAM Saturday, March 19, 2022



Due to your support and generosity, we are continuing our casserole delivery

rogram on March 19th, 2022. A reminder to please freeze, place the casserole in a plastic bag, and label. Casseroles will need to be delivered into the parked car of Joy Vaz-Jones in the parish parking lot between 10:30 and 11:00 AM

Please sign up to participate by clicking on this link: <u>https://forms.gle/ewAU3u5cBzbaWmyQ7</u>

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

25th ANNIVERSARY OF CWL Tuesday, February 22, 2022



Congratulations to the Catholic Women's League at St. Justin Martyr Parish, celebrating its 25th anniversary this year!

The anniversary was chartered on February 22, 1997 with 16 members

which grew over time. To read the CWL report highlighting events of 2021 please visit https://stjustinmartyrun.archtoronto.org/siteassets/me dia/files/articleswriteups/2021-cwl-highlights-reportfor-sjm.pdf

VIRTUAL ORDINANDI YOUTH EVENT March 1, 2022 at 11 am

Students in all school boards across the Archdiocese of Toronto are invited to the Virtual Ordinandi Youth event, held on Tuesday, March 1, 2022 at 11 am. This 45 min virtual event will allow students to hear various witness talks from а young catholic student, a young religious woman, His Eminence, Thomas Cardinal Collins and of course the men he ordained to to the priesthood this year, the ordinandi class of 2022. View the event via youtube.com/archtoronto P.S. The event is free of cost. If you would like to make a donation to help cover the costs and support seminaries. our two the Office of Vocations and Serra House in the work that they do, or obtain further information on this event, please visit: serracanada.com/2022-ordinandidinner

VIRTUAL BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP SESSION March 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29, 2022 from 7-8:30 pm



If you or someone you know has lost a loved one, the Office of Formation for Discipleship is sponsoring Bereavement Support Group

Sessions on Tuesdays from March 1, 8, 15, 22, and 29, 2022 from 7 to 8:30 p.m. To register, visit <u>https://bit.ly/BS-RegisterMar2022</u> by February 22, 2022. To download the poster, visit <u>https://bit.ly/BSG-PosterMar2022.</u>

For more details, contact Sally Amaral at <u>samaral@archtoronto.org</u> or 416-934-3400, ext. 518.

VIRTUAL WORLDWIDE MARRRIAGE ENCOUNTER EXPERIENCE

Friday, March 25 to Sunday, March 27, 2022



Where are you in marriage journey? Every marriage could use a boost. Learn easy-to-use communication tools to help enhance your relationship. Based on Catholic values, but married couples of all faiths are welcome. Are

you ready to rediscover each other? Contact Gerard & Marge at 905 792 1925 or gerard.marge@rogers.com

View Poster: https://bit.ly/WWMEPoster2022

MAKE IT YOUR LIVE VIRTUAL 2022 LENTEN RETREAT ZOOM





Keynote Speaker: ANTONIA SALZANO

ANO Mother of Blessed **CARLO ACUTIS**

DYNAMIC WOMEN OF FAITH

Catholic Women's Conference SATURDAY MARCH 19, 2022 Solemnity of Saint Joseph, husband of the Blessed Virgin Mary

ROSARY 8:30 am, CONFERENCE 9am-4pm (EST)



His Eminence Thomas Cardinal Collins Some Reflections by Cardinal Collins **Donna-Marie Cooper-O'Boyle** Divine Mercy in a Woman's Life **Anna Nuzzo** Consecration to St. Joseph **Rossana Di Zio Magnotta** Love, Loss and Faith **Sr. Antoniana Maria, S.V.** The Healing Power of a Mother's Heart **Dorothy Pilarski** Start a Catholic Moms Group at Your Parish

EARLY BIRD \$25 (before Mar. 5th) REGULAR REGISTRATION \$35

To register visit www.dynamicwomenfaith.com

TICKETS on eventbrite

dwf2022.eventbrite.ca

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