

ST. JUSTIN MARTYR PARISH



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YOUTH:

• Edge: (for Grades 5-8 students)

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• Young Adults: (for age 20s-30s)

PARISH SCHOOLS

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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





MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, 27 JUNE

9:10 AM +DORIS & DONALD HOO FATT

+ZOILO BIHIS SR. GEORGE JACOB HALL

TUESDAY, 28 JUNE

9:10 AM +PLUTARCH SALVANI SR.

+YVONNE AUGUSTINE

+DAVID CHOW

WEDNESDAY, 29 JUNE

7:00 PM GEORGE & CAROL HALL

THURSDAY, 30 JUNE

9:10 AM Available

FRIDAY, 01 JULY

9:10 AM JOSEPH FAMILY

SATURDAY, 02 JULY

9:10 AM +HOLY SOULS IN PURGATORY

+CECILIA MANUELPILLAI

5:00 PM +AVITHA ROZARIO

+GABRIEL CELESTINE VAN VEEN

SUNDAY, 03 JULY

8:30 AM JUDITH BOOCHOON

10:30 AM PARISHIONERS

12:30 PM +IGNAZIO QUARTARONE

+LILY ANNE THERESE D'SILVA

7:00 PM Available

SANCTUARY LAMP

FOR THE WEEK OF 27 JUNE – 03 JULY IS FOR THE INTENTION OF ALL 2022 GRADUATES.

SJM SUMMER CAMP: ANCHORED 2022 Registrations ongoing



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

September 2022). The camp runs from July 18-22 and July 25-29. Each child can register for one chosen week. For details, contact our Youth Minister – Hilton Chiu at youth@stjustin.ca. Find the Flyer below.

MESSAGE FROM OUR ASSOCIATE PASTOR GoodBye, Until We Meet Again



It is with a heavy but grateful heart that I write this farewell message. After a tremendous year here, the Archbishop has reassigned me to

Saviour of the World Chinese Catholic Church in Mississauga as an associate pastor. I want to thank each and every one of you for the kindness and love you have shown me during these past months. As a young-ish priest, I could not have asked for a better parish to grow in. I felt so welcomed when I arrived, not only by our pastor Msgr. Vid, but also by all of you.

Although I have only spent one short year with you in the midst of a pandemic, I was still privileged to discover just how vibrant of a parish St. Justin Martyr is. Whether it be the youth events, the CWL High Tea, the senior's socials, Eucharistic adoration nights, to name but a few, I have enjoyed working with all of you in the various ministries of the Church. Thank you also for the great care and reverence you give to our liturgical celebrations.

I want to take this opportunity to thank you for your acceptance of my frailties and lack of experience, and I humbly apologize to anyone whom I may have offended or treated with anything less than the love and respect Christ calls us to.

While the saying "all good things must come to an end" is not really true – there is the eternal joy of heaven, after all – it is true in this case for me. This farewell has allowed me to pause and count my blessings that I have received while serving here, and to reflect on priestly life in general. I am grateful to God for having brought us together. I have learned much from all of you, and especially from our esteemed pastor. I pray to God that He will continue to shower his blessings and love on this community, and know that my prayers are with each of you. Please pray also for me. I will miss you all dearly.

Yours in Christ, Rev. Raymond So Associate Pastor- St. Justin Martyr Parish

FR. RAYMOND'S FAREWELL All Weekend Masses on June 25 & 26, 2022



A reminder that we bid farewell to Fr. Raymond on the weekend of 25 & 26. You may bring your good wishes and cards to any weekend mass and greet him after the Mass. Refreshments will be served.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTIONS Truly Living the Holy Mass

In the Gospel this Sunday we hear the following passage: "When the days drew near for him to be taken up, Jesus set his face to go to Jerusalem." As Jesus' passion on Calvary loomed nearer He did not shy away from His mission, but rather, He firmly fixed His gaze on accomplishing what He was sent out to do. This is the model that we should follow as stewards.

Our mission is to gratefully and generously offer our time and talents to our parish community as a means of serving Christ and the Church. While our stewardship will undoubtedly be filled with many moments of great peace and joy, we are also sure to experience moments of hardship. We may experience the temptation of giving up or making excuses as to why we shouldn't continue to serve. We may also be afraid of the crosses that arise during our apostolates.

Jesus too was aware of the great cross and suffering that lay in the horizon of His mission. Despite all this, He remained steadfast. We should pray to God every day, asking Him for the strength to persevere in our call of stewardship. Even in difficult moments, let us readily turn to God. St. John Paul II encourages us saying, "Don't be afraid of the radicalness of His demands... If He asks much of you it is because He knows you can give much." The Lord has great plans to use us as missionary disciples, we just need to say yes to His invitation.

MILK BAG MAT WEAVING PROJECT

Volunteers Required: If you have an hour or two to dedicate to a good cause, please drop in to the Church Hall on Wednesdays from 10:30 am to 12:30 pm.

*Please note that we are NOT accepting milk bag donations.

A Graduation Prayer

Heavenly Father,

Surround those who are graduating with Your grace.

Bless them with hope so that they move into the future with eager and open hearts.

Help them to put knowledge, skills and insights gained through their education to use for the good of all humankind.

Inspire them to believe in the goodness of life even when faced with challenges and difficulties.

As they commence with their lives, may they grow

ever more grateful and wise.

All of this we ask in the name of Jesus, Your beloved Son. Amen.



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through ShareLife. In expressing its thanks for your support, Covenant House recently shared: "Your commitment to love and care for the youth experiencing homelessness and trafficking who come to Covenant House truly means so much. Thank you for your generous support. Your support gives hope to young people who need hope right now - and you give youth a real chance for a better future." Thank you for your generosity!

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The York Catholic District School Board Admissions Office will facilitate elementary school registrations during the summer months of the academic year 2022-'23. Registrations awill take place at the Catholic Education Centre, located at 320 Bloomington Road West, Aurora during July & August 2022. Find the Flyer below.





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