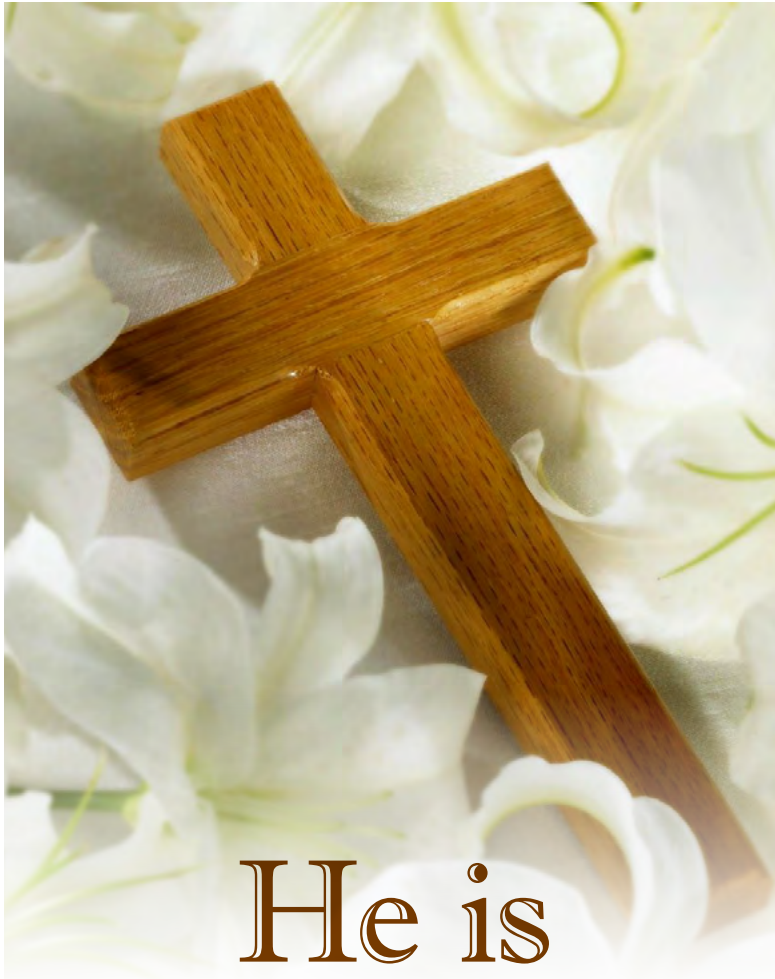


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SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

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 – 4:30 pm

OFFICE HOURS

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| Monday | 9:00 am – 3:00 pm |
| Tuesday, Thursday, Friday | 9:00 am – 5:00 pm |
| Wednesday | 9:00 am – 7:00 pm |
| Saturday | 9:00 am – 1:00 pm |
| Sunday | 9:00 am – 2:00 pm |



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SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, 15 MAY

9:10 AM IVOR PATTERSON

TUESDAY, 16 MAY

9:10 AM +DONALD MARTINS
+PURISIMA AGCAOILI
LILY SILVEIRA

WEDNESDAY, 17 MAY

7:00 PM CLAUDETTE WAN

THURSDAY, 18 MAY

9:10 AM +DORIS & DONALD HOO FATT
+RUDY UY
+DECEASED MEMBERS OF
ARAYATA FAMILY

FRIDAY, 19 MAY

9:10 AM +BERNADETTE COLACO
+FLORENCE & JOSEPH IACONO
+ROSANNA MARGIOTTA

SATURDAY, 20 MAY

9:10 AM WELLIE & THERESA HO

5:00 PM + FRANCISCO &
VIOLETA MARTINEZ
+BEN & BETTY MUNOZ
+ZAYDA DE PALA
+ARNOLD IANNUZZI
+MARIO ROSOLEN

SUNDAY, 21 MAY

8:30 AM +GIUSEPPINA PUCCI

10:30 AM PARISHIONERS

12:30 PM +FRANCIS FERNANDO
+SONIA COLOSO-PEPITO

7:00 PM Available

SANCTUARY LAMP

FOR THE WEEK OF 15 MAY – 21 MAY IS FOR
THE SOUL OF VIVIENNE SOARES.

POPE'S PASTORAL COLLECTION

This weekend, there will be a second collection for the Pope's Pastoral Works. These funds are passed on to the Holy Father for immediate 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 donate online or use your envelope, marked as "Pope's Pastoral Collection" We thank you for your generosity

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTIONS

Strengthening Our Stewardship With the Holy Spirit

As we approach the end of the Easter season our readings begin to focus on the Holy Spirit that awaits us on Pentecost. In today's first reading we hear the account of some believers receiving the Holy Spirit after Peter and John laid their hands on them. The Catechism says that "the imposition of hands is rightly recognized by the Catholic tradition as the origin of the sacrament of Confirmation, which in a certain way perpetuates the grace of Pentecost in the Church" (CCC 1288).

So, as we have read the biblical roots of the sacrament of Confirmation, let us reflect on its significance in our own lives 2000 years later. The Second Vatican Council says that through "the sacrament of Confirmation, [the baptized] are more perfectly bound to the Church and are enriched with a special strength of the Holy Spirit. Hence they are, as true witnesses of Christ, more strictly obliged to spread and defend the faith by word and deed" (Lumen Gentium, 11).

Confirmation makes us obliged to spread the Gospel through "word and deed" because we receive the gifts of the Holy Spirit. We all have a special share of these gifts, which consist of fortitude, wisdom, knowledge, understanding, fear of the Lord, piety and counsel. If for example, we have a greater outpouring of the gift of knowledge, we can use this to help with catechesis ministries in the parish that seek to teach the faith to others. Essentially, Confirmation strengthens our call to be stewards of Christ. Let us use our gifts to spread the Gospel in our parish communities as a way of living out our call of Confirmation and let us do so by turning to the Holy Spirit to guide us.

To all the Mothers...

Thank you for what you are to
the Church, your families,
and the world.

May God bless you.

May the presence of our Holy
Mother guide you through,
strengthen you and protect you.



Happy Mother's Day!

OUR LADY WANTS TO VISIT YOUR HOME

“The Rosary is the most excellent form of prayer and the most efficacious means of attaining eternal life.” – Pope Leo XIII.

If you wish to host Our Lady of Grace (Pilgrim Virgin) in your home at the requested date and time of your choosing, contact Denise at Signup4MaryQM@outlook.com. The Legion of Mary at St. Justin’s will coordinate the visit with you upon your request. May the Holy Mother protect you and your home.

UNIONVILLE DUCK RACE

Summer events are back! Knights of Columbus at St. Justin’s are once again sponsoring the Duck Race at the Annual Unionville Festival on Saturday, June 3 at 3:30 pm at Main Street, Unionville. Tickets for purchasing the ducks are to be sold after Masses on the weekends of May 20/21, May 27/28 and at the SJM Tent at the festival. See our flyer for details.

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD**‘23-24 Program Registrations starting June 1, ‘23**

If you would like to enrich your child’s relationship with God and His Church, the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd can help you do this. Registrations are to begin on June 1, 2023.

Level I Classes for children ages 3 – 6

Tuesday 4:30 pm – 6 pm

Sunday 9:45 am – 11:30 am

Level II Classes for children ages 6 – 9

Tuesday 4:30 pm – 6 pm

Sunday 9:45 am – 11:30 am

The cost is \$125 per child and each sibling \$100 thereafter. Classes are to begin in fall 2023. ***We accept Online Registrations only.*** If you wish to receive the registration link and more information about CGS Program, contact May Chow Leong at goodshepherdccgs@gmail.com.

As spaces are limited, registration will be accepted on a first come, first served basis.

AUDIO VISUAL VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: If

you are interested in managing the Audio Visual system during weekend Masses, please contact Binitha Alfred at the Parish office at 905 479 2463. We provide volunteering hours for students.

SHARELIFE CAMPAIGN 2023

www.sharelife.org

Our parishioners’ support of ShareLife is making a difference in the lives of those in need. On Mother’s Day, all moms deserve to be celebrated and supported. Did you know that our parish’s support of ShareLife is helping young women with an unexpected pregnancy?

Your support means a lot to many women and mothers. Please direct your donations online through www.stjustin.ca, or at www.sharelife.org/donate.

OUT OF THE COLD CASSEROLE PROGRAM

Saturday, May 20, 2023; 10:30 to 11 am



Due to your support and generosity, our next casserole delivery will be on Saturday, May 20, 2023. Frozen casseroles can 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: <https://forms.gle/MmzrERu2k4HPTmb66>. You can also email joyvazjones@gmail.com or call the parish office at 905 479 2463. Thank you in advance!

SSVP BUNDLE UP COLLECTION

Saturday, June 17 to Sunday, June 18, 2023

The Society of Saint Vincent De Paul will be collecting gently used clothing, shoes, and linens to support our neighbors in need. Please bring in your donations and help others in the community. There will be a container in the Church Parking Lot from Saturday, June 17 from 9 am to Sunday, June 18 until 6 pm. Volunteers will assist with the loading before and after each Mass. For more information, visit www.stjustin.ca.

**Please note that we do not accept appliances, furniture, books, mattresses, or dishes.*

DAY OF REFLECTION

Manresa Jesuit Spiritual Renewal Centre, 2325

Liverpool Road, Pickering

May 29, 2023

All men and women are invited to join Fr. Trevor Scott, SJ on this Day of Reflection to learn and discuss about how we can respond to the world today in a more Christ-like way. For registration, visit <https://manresa-canada.ca/events/>. Suggested Offering of \$65 is welcome per person (includes lunch and coffee/tea break). See the flyer below for more details.



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May 29th, 2023

DAY OF REFLECTION

with **Fr. Trevor Scott, SJ**

Appreciation of the Ignatian Charism of Discernment

"Both Adolfo Nicholas, former Superior General of the Society of Jesus, and Pope Francis, seek to foster a church community of greater wisdom and depth that is more integrated and prayerfully mindful of the issues of today's contemporary world. This day of reflection will focus upon how we can respond to our world today in a more Christ-like way through the Ignatian charism of wisdom and depth as intuited by these two well-respected contemporary Jesuits."

Schedule for the Day:

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| 9:00 Registration - coffee & muffins | 12:30 Lunch in our Dining Room |
| 9:30 Welcome & Session # 1 in Chapel | 1:45 Session # 2 in Chapel |
| 10:30 Private prayer. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Followed at 11:00 am with an opportunity for confession. | 2:30 Mass. Depart. You are welcome to stay longer for private prayer, reflection and enjoy our grounds. |

We will be offering a guided nature walk of our grounds given by Br. Paul Baker, SJ following this retreat. Anyone is welcome to participate.

Suggested Offering: \$ 65.00 per person

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Register online at: <https://manresa-canada.ca/events/>



Fr. Trevor Scott, SJ was ordained priest in 2013 with the Society of Jesus. After his theological studies at Toronto's Regis College in the Autumn of 2014, Trevor was assigned to work in the Ignatian spirituality apostolate. His ministry in the spirituality apostolate consisted in creating and conducting Ignatian based retreats and spirituality workshops, as well as providing spiritual direction to individual people. Trevor also served as the Ecclesial Assistant to the Christian Life Community (CLC) of Canada – an international lay religious association whose members strive to live out the Ignatian charism in their daily lives; Trevor has been with the Jesuit Forum for Social Faith and Justice in Toronto as Assistant for Ignatian Identity and Mission / Facilitation Co-Ordinator. Trevor also teaches at Regis College / University or Toronto as a sessional professor, focusing upon the relationship of Ignatian spirituality and contemporary culture.

Pilgrimage to Spain & France

“Monasteries and Monuments of Catalonia and Provence”

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St. Justin Martyr Parish, Unionville

October 1 – 11, 2023 11 days \$4,990.00 (Toronto Dep. incl. all taxes and tips)



- Oct. 01 Evening departure from Toronto to Barcelona.
- Oct. 02 Morning arrival in Barcelona. Upon arrival we are transferred to our hotel in Tarragona, some free time for rest. Late afternoon a walking tour of this ancient Roman city, including views of Roman amphitheatre, aqueduct and city walls. Return to hotel for dinner and overnight.
- Oct. 03 Full day in Tarragona region of Catalonia. We visit the monastery of Poblet dated back to 13th century and still occupied by Cistercian monks. Continue to Santes Creus to visit another mediaeval Cistercian monastery. Mass, return to our hotel for dinner and overnight.
- Oct. 04 Today we travel to Montserrat to visit enchanting Benedictine monastery and the Black Madonna of Montserrat where we celebrate Mass. Continue to Barcelona and visit the Temple of Sacred Heart of Jesus in Tibidado. Some free time, evening dinner and flamenco show in a local restaurant and overnight.
- Oct. 05 Full day in Barcelona. Our tour of the capital city of Catalonia features the Columbus Monument, elegant tree lined “Ramblas”, Plaza de Catalonia, Paseo de Gracia, the Cathedral and the famous church of Sagrada Familia where we celebrate Mass. Dinner and overnight.
- Oct. 06 This morning we travel to Girona where we visit the old city and the cathedral. After Mass continue to Abbaye de Fontfroide, former Cistercian monastery near Narbonne in France. Dinner and overnight in Avignon.
- Oct. 07 Today we explore sights and atmosphere of beautiful Provence. We travel to and visit mediaeval monastery of Abbaye Senanque. Lunch will be offered at one of the local wineries. Continue to Nimes, “the most Roman city outside Italy” with many remnants of Roman architecture including Arena of Nimes, the Maison Carrée and famous aqueduct and bridge Pont du Gard built in the first century AD. Return to our hotel for overnight. Dinner on your own.
- Oct. 08 After breakfast we will visit and tour Palais des Papes, home for Roman Catholic popes for 67 years in the 14th century and the Cathedral. Afternoon we continue via Bonnieux and its ancient Romanesque church to Aix-en-Provence for dinner and overnight.
- Oct. 09 Full day in charming Aix de Provence. Our walking tour will take us to The Cours Mirabeau, city's main thoroughfare, the Cathedral of the Holy Saviour, the city hall and The Quartier Mazarin. Afternoon some free time for own exploration, dinner and overnight.
- Oct. 10 This morning we visit Marseille, the second largest city in France. Our tour will include the Old Port, guarded by two massive forts, the city hall, the Porte d'Aix, the cathedral and the Abbey of Saint-Victor, one of the oldest places of Christian worship in Europe. Afternoon we are transferred by train to Paris for dinner and overnight.
- Oct. 11 After leisureable breakfast we are shuttled to the airport for a flight to Toronto. Evening arrival.

Travel arrangements by: 877-999-8868

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Rubber Duck Race at the Unionville Festival

Saturday, June 3 at 3:30 PM

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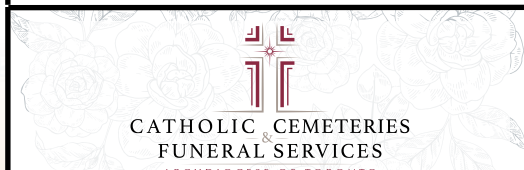
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