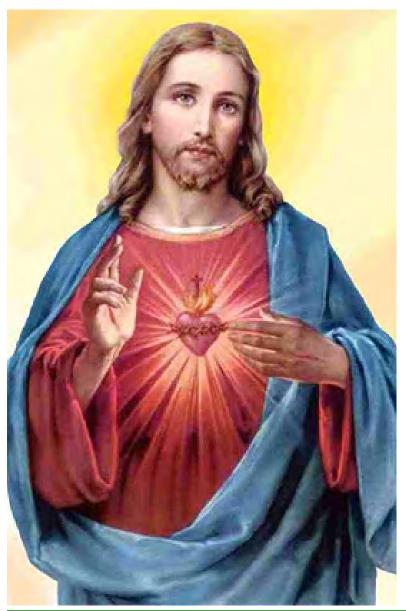


# ST. JUSTIN MARTYR PARISH



# 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 Iesus 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 or email rcia.stjustin@gmail.com.

**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 website. A baptism preparation session is required. Contact the office for details and schedules.

MARRIAGE: The church requires one year's notice for planning a marriage. Also required is a marriage preparation course certificate from a recognized church or course provider.

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
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# **CONNECT WITH US!**

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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 & 7pm 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**

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



#### MASS INTENTIONS

**MONDAY, 17 JUNE** 

9:10 AM +ALICE & ISAAC MENDES

**TUESDAY, 18 JUNE** 

9:10 AM +VINCENT & IMELDA SO

+PETER TAT YAU LEUNG

+VERNON D'SYLVA

**WEDNESDAY, 19 JUNE** 

7:00 PM +BERNADETTE COLACO

**THURSDAY, 20 JUNE** 

9:10 AM +ARNOLD IANNUZZI

+MARIA PHILOMENA BARRETTO

FRIDAY, 21 JUNE

9:10 AM +FRANCISCO MARTINEZ

**+HO LEUNG** 

JULIET WILLIAMS KONG

**SATURDAY, 22 JUNE** 

9:10 AM +MARGARET NG

**+LAWRENCE LOPES** 

5:00 PM +ROCCO PICHECA

MAGDALENE &

JOHN FRANCIS LABRADOR

**SUNDAY, 23 JUNE** 

8:30 AM +MABEL WONG CHEW ONN

+ANATILDES D'SOUZA

**REV. JIBIN JOY** 

10:30 AM **PARISHIONERS** 

12:30 PM +SEBASTIAN SPINELLO

7:00 PM **+JUNE NATIONE** 

## SANCTUARY LAMP

FOR THE WEEK OF 17 JUNE - 23 JUNE IS FOR THE INTENTIONS OF MAGDALENE & JOHN FRANCIS LABRADOR.

# CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD Limited spots available



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.

Limited spots are available. Contact contact May Chow Leong at goodshepherdcgs@gmail.com.

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

9:45 am – 11:30 am Sunday

The cost is \$125 per child and each sibling \$100 thereafter. Classes begins in fall 2024.

# **FAREWELL FR. JIBIN JOY** June 22/23, 2024, After All Weekend Masses



We bid farewell to Fr. Jibin Joy - Associate Pastor at St. Justin's over the weekend of June 22/23. All well-

wishers are welcome to come and greet him, wish him the best for his journey ahead after each Mass. Light refreshments will be served.

A Greeting Book is placed in the Church foyer to write well-wishes to Fr. Jibin Joy. Everyone is welcome to place your greetings.

# STEWARDSHIP BULLETIN REFLECTIONS Making The Church A Home



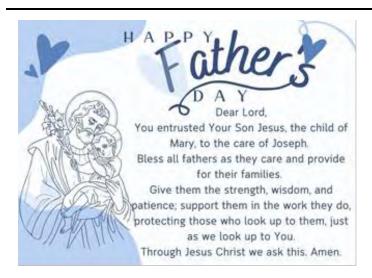
this weekend's readings we hear about small things having large impacts. In the Gospel, Jesus says that the kingdom of heaven "is like a mustard seed. which. when sown

upon the ground is the smallest of all the seeds on earth; yet when it is sown it grows up and becomes the greatest of all shrubs and puts forth large branches so that the birds of the air can make nests in its shade."

The mustard seed in this parable represents the Gospel that Jesus came to proclaim. It started with just a small handful of people but now, 2000 years later, has spread to all the corners of the world. The birds that come to find refuge in the tree represents all of us who come to find rest and shelter in the Gospel and the Church.

As stewards, we should play our part in helping the tree continue to grow through the gift of our time and talents. We should seek ways to help spread the Gospel message in our parish, whether it be through assisting at liturgies, helping with catechesis or serving the poor in our community.

We should also spread the message that God desires all of us, even those who have fallen away from their faith, to find healing, safety and comfort in the Church. Let us be committed to making the Church a home for all who seek Christ.



# NORTH 60 FOOD DRIVE 2024 Thank You For Your Generosity



We extend our gratitude to everyone who donated towards the North 60 Food Drive. Your generosity will help the many people in the community of

Talayoak, Nunavut. Thank you for your kindness and May God bless you in plent.

# OUT OF THE COLD CASSEROLE PROGRAM On Hold Until October 2024



The Out of the Cold Casserole Program will be on hold until October 2024. We thank everyone who made casseroles throughout

the past several months. Your kindness and donations made possible to feed many hungry, needy neighbours of ours. May God bless you all and have a pleasant summer!

# **CONGRATULATIONS CONFIRMANDI!**

We congratulate all the Confirmandi who received their Sacrament of Confirmation in 2024. We extend our appreciation to everyone who helped in the preparation throughout the year- to the Catechists, parents, and volunteers, who prepared the candidates and made the celebration so special for them. May the Holy Spirit remain in you and keep guiding you always.

# **GIFT OF SECURITIES**

One of the most financially sound ways to support the Archdiocese of Toronto is with the gift of securities (stocks, bonds, mutual funds). To donate securities, follow this link: <a href="https://bit.ly/GiftsOfSecurities">https://bit.ly/GiftsOfSecurities</a>.

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# ENTHRONEMENT TO THE SACRED HEART



The month of June is dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Parishioners are welcome to have their homes enthroned to the Sacred Heart. Please contact the Legion of Mary at: <a href="MaryQMartyrs@hotmail.com">MaryQMartyrs@hotmail.com</a>. Visit <a href="www.stjustin.ca">www.stjustin.ca</a> for details.

# FORMED PICK

# Into the Breach - Episode 4: Fatherhood



The presence and involvement of a loving father is critical in the development of a child. True fatherhood models itself on God the Father. Former MLB player Mike Sweeney shares how the faith of a man should shape his role as a father.

This content was created for and is most appropriate for use by men or men's groups.

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# BAPTISMS AT ST. JUSTIN'S From Infants upto children, 7 years of age

Are you a new parent? Are you planning to get your child Baptized? If you are looking forward to Baptizing your child with us, visit <a href="www.stjustin.ca">www.stjustin.ca</a>, call 905-479-2463 or email stjustinmartyrun@archtoronto.org.



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