

# ST. JUSTIN MARTYR PARISH



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905-479-0103 ext. 52

**USHERS & HOSPITALITY:** 

Arnold Lee Wah

YOUNG ADULTS (AGES 20's-30's):

Hilton Chiu

YOUTH:

Hilton Chiu

• Edge: (for Grades 5-8 students)

• Lifeteen: (for Grades 9-12)

#### **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
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**PASTOR ASSOCIATE PASTOR ASSOCIATE PASTOR** PARISH OPERATIONS MANAGER Karen Natione-Garcea **PARISH SECRETARY** MUSIC DIRECTOR FIRST COMMUNION/RCIC **YOUTH MINISTER CGS COORDINATOR** 

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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 9:00 am - 1:00 pm 9:00 am - 2:00 pm Saturday Sunday



#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

**MONDAY, 10 NOVEMBER** 

9:10 AM +PHOEBE LEUNG TUESDAY, 11 NOVEMBER

9:10 AM +EDDIE LEE DEN

+TATIANA BELOKONEVA

RICHARD TON

WEDNESDAY, 12 NOVEMBER

7:00 PM +ANNA SALLABERGER

+MARIE LISE CHAN

+FELIZA & SILVERIO PACOG

**THURSDAY, 13 NOVEMBER** 

9:10 AM HARRYSON GULZAR

FRIDAY, 14 NOVEMBER

9:10 AM +CEFERINO GUCE

+DOROTHY HESLOP

+MABEL JOSEPH

**SATURDAY, 15 NOVEMBER** 

9:10 AM +ALBERICO LAMANNA

+RONIE KULATHINAL

5:00 PM +WAI LIN & VINCENT LUE

+DECEASED LEGIONARIES +MIE KEN & SONNY LEE

+DAPHNE ELOISE NATIVIDAD

**GRACE WU** 

**SUNDAY, 16 NOVEMBER** 

8:30 AM +PATRICK LEUNG

+TRISH DESOUZA

+MARIA LUI CHAN

**10:30 AM** PARISHIONERS

12:30 PM +CARMELA LISCIO

+HERMINA PAGALA

+JOSEF AVSENIK

7:00 PM +AGNES YEE HAR HO LO

+JUNE NATIONE

#### **SANCTUARY LAMP**

FOR THE WEEK OF 10 NOVEMBER – 16 NOVEMBER IS FOR THE SOUL OF JUNE NATIONE.



**SSVP REQUIREMENT**: The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is in need of a stove for one of our Neighbors in need. Perhaps you have a used one to give away. Please call Maria at 905 887 1254. Thank you for your kindness.

#### STEWARDSHIP BULLETIN REFLECTIONS Living as Hopeful Stewards



What does it mean to hope in the Lord? The seven brothers and their mother depicted in 2 Maccabees can help us understand what true hope looks like. As all

of them are being tortured, one of the brothers boldly declares, "you dismiss us from this present life, but the King of the universe will raise us up to an everlasting renewal of life." In the midst of apparent sheer defeat, they remain steadfast in their hope.

Living lives of stewards also means living lives of hope. As we begin to embrace the lens of stewardship and start striving to revitalize our parish communities through the gifts of our time and talents, we could unconsciously expect vast changes to occur over night. This could lead to discouragement as the desired results aren't coming about according to the timeline we had envisioned.

However, we should fight these temptations of discouragement and listen to the exhortation of St. Padre Pio who says, "Pray, hope and don't worry. Worry is useless. God is merciful and will hear your prayer." We must also remember the words of Cardinal Collins in his Pastoral Letter on Stewardship that states that "stewardship is realistic ... What is important in life takes time." Let us continue to embrace the spirituality of stewardship with full hope that the Lord will greatly bless us and our parish community.

# **CWL POINSETTIA SALE Reserve Your Poinsettias.**



The Catholic Women's League at St. Justin's is pleased to offer premium poinsettias for sale this year. Orders will be taken after the Masses on November 8/9 and 15/16 at the CWL table in the Church foyer. Payment can be

made by cash, cheque, or e-transfer at the time of ordering. Your orders can be picked up on the weekend of December 6/7 after all masses. All proceeds go to various local, national, and international charities. See our flyer below for details. Thank you for your support!

#### ANNUAL CHRISTMAS SALE November 21, 22 & 23, 2025



We invite you to St. Justin Martyr Parish Annual Christmas sale! Save the date for the big event, scheduled for November 21, 22 & 23, 2025. Come and feel the spirit of Christmas. We offer

handmade Christmas gifts, craft items, baked goods, and some Christmas cheer too. All are welcome!

TWILIGHT EVENT: We invite you to reserve your spot for the Twilight Event on Friday, November 21 at 6 pm in the Parish Hall. Enjoy early Christmas shopping, gift prizes, refreshments, and more. For reservations, email balfred@archtoronto.org. Tickets are \$20 per person (cash/cheque, paid at the office).



CHRISTMAS BASKET FILLERS: We are looking for basket fillers for the 2025 Christmas sale. The required donation items are small packs of tea, coffee, hot chocolate, cookies, biscuits, and Christmas paper serviettes. Kindly ensure all the items are new and in their original packaging.

CALLING ALL BAKERS!!! We are looking for skilled and experienced bakers to join our Christmas Bake team. If you or a friend of yours would be available, please contact the Office at 905 479 2463 or email stjustinmartyrun@archtoronto.org.

#### VICTORIAN-THEMED TEA ROOM: All are



welcome to come and enjoy the Catholic Women's League Victorian-Themed Tearoom on Saturday, November 22 from 10 am to 3 pm. Enjoy sandwiches, tarts, and of course, tea. No reservations required.

#### K of C CHRISTMAS FRUIT CAKE SALE **Place Your Orders**



The Knights of Columbus at St. Justin's is taking orders for homemade, traditional Christmas Fruit Cakes over the weekends November 08/09 and 15/16 at the Knights of Columbus table in the

fover after every Mass. Place your order now for a delicious treat this Christmas season.

#### SHARELIFE GIFT MATCHING PROGRAM



Your gift will double in value! From November 3 until year end (December 2025), 31, your contribution to

parish's ShareLife campaign will be matched by an anonymous donor up to a total of \$500,000. Your support for ShareLife becomes a saving grace for atrisk children and youth, refugees in crisis, and survivors of domestic violence, ensuring they receive the care and resources they need.

This incredible opportunity doubles the impact of each gift, offering much-needed support to our agencies as they meet the growing needs within our community. Donate at https://sharelife.org/.

#### **SUNDAY MISSALS Available Now**



Missals for the 2025-'26 Liturgical year are available now. Get your copy while you are in the Church from the Church foyer or contact the Parish Office (limited copies available). Donation is \$5 per missal.

#### OUT OF THE COLD CASSEROLE PROGRAM Next delivery: Saturday, November 15, 2025



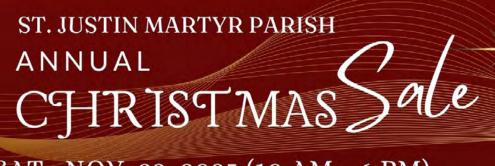
Your kindness, generosity and support have helped us feed many over the last years. Out next Casserole delivery is scheduled for Saturday, November 15, 2025. Frozen. labelled

casserole can be delivered at the Parish Office on weekdays from 9 am to 3 pm or weekends from 9 am to 1 pm.

For Casserole sign up and for the recipes, visit https://shorturl.at/YFm9d. For more information, email joyvazjones@gmail.com or call Parish Office at 905 479 2463. Thank you in advance!

#### MATURING ADULT'S GATHERING Tuesday, November 11, 2025, at 10:30 am

All Maturing Adults, 55 years and above are welcome to join our Maturing Adult Ministry Gathering on Tuesday, November 11, 2025, at 10:30 am in the Parish Hall. Our topic would be "Brain Health and Dementia," presented by Alzheimer's Society of York Region. Please RSVP karen@stiustin.ca.



SAT., NOV. 22, 2025 (10 AM - 6 PM) SUN., NOV. 23, 2025 (9 AM - 2 PM)

### **FREE ADMISSION**

Join us at the Tea Room, Shop for Christmas gifts, Decors, Arrangements, Baked goods, Raffle, and more!

# TWILIGHT EVENT

FRI., NOV. 21, 2025 (6 PM - 8 PM)

# **LIMITED TICKETS: \$20 PER PERSON**

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I give thanks to my God in every remembrance of you. Philippians 1:3



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