

The Parish Community of St. James, St. Francis Xavier and St. Mary's

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Mass Times

Monday 7:00 pm (St. James)
Tuesday 9:30 am (St. Francis)
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Friday 7:00 pm (St. James)
Saturday 10:30 am & 5:30 pm (St. James)
Sunday 8:30 am (St. Mary's) & 10:00 am (St. James) & 11:30 am (St. Francis)

Office Hours

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday 2:00 - 5:00 pm
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Phone: 905-936-4266
Website: www.stjamesco.archtoronto.org
Email the office if you would like a digital copy of the bulletin
Sign up at the office for the code to St Francis Xavier for access to Adoration
Confessions: Saturday 4:30pm-5:15pm at St. James
Parish Priest: Fr. Eric Mah

Weekly Mass Intentions

Monday, December 12 at 7:00 pm	For the repose of the soul of Angelo Caruano
Tuesday, December 13 at 9:30 am	For the intentions of Elizabeth Santulan
Wednesday, December 14 at 9:30 am	For the people of God
	Vocations to the priesthood and religious life
	For the intentions of Rick Eagan
	Available for Mass intention—call or email the Church office
Friday, December 16 at 7:00 pm	For the people of God
	Vocations to the priesthood and religious life
	Savio Bumpastore +
	Italo Vanafro +
	Available for Mass intention—call or email the Church office
Saturday, December 17 at 10:30 am	Available for Mass intention—call or email the Church office
Saturday, December 17 at 5:30 pm	Anita Colagiacomio +
Sunday, December 18 at 8:30 am	Patrick Cleary +
Sunday, December 18 at 10:00 am	Dolores O'Connor +
Sunday, December 18 at 11:30 am	Rita Broome +



Check out Fr. Eric's podcast Catholic Latte on YouTube, iTunes, Spotify, Podbean, and Stitcher.

Help homeless youth through ShareLife

Your year-end gift will double in value! From now until the end of 2022, your contribution to our parish's ShareLife campaign will be matched by an anonymous donor up to a total of \$1 million.

Covenant House is one of the agencies you support through ShareLife. It's located in Toronto, but its young clients – largely homeless youth – arrive from throughout the archdiocese.

“Your commitment to love and care for the youth experiencing homelessness and trafficking who come to Covenant House truly means so much,” says the agency's director. “Your support gives hope to young people who need hope right now – and you give youth a real chance for a better future.”

You can donate by using a ShareLife envelope in the pew, or you can arrange to donate to ShareLife through pre-authorized giving. Thank you for your generosity!



St. Vincent de Paul

You can make a difference and help our neighbours in need by donating to our society at St. James. Donations can be made in cash using envelopes at the back of the Churches, or by going online at www.ssvp.ca. Please follow the prompts to direct the donation to the St. James Conference in Tottenham. Donations of \$20 or more will be given a tax receipt. Your donation will go towards purchasing gift cards for those in need. Should you or someone you know need our support, please leave a voicemail at 905-936-4266 ext. 5. The phone line is confidential and your call will be returned within two days.



Knights of Columbus Food Drive

The Knights of Columbus are collecting canned and dry food items for the Tottenham Food Bank. Our goal is for our Parish Community to collect 200 pounds for the Christmas Food Drive. Bins will be located at the vestibule of all three churches. We thank all parishioners for their support for this very important cause!



First Communion & Confirmation

Registration for First Communion and Confirmation in 2023 is open! There are registration packages at the back of the Church, or contact the office to have one emailed to you. The registration deadline is Friday, February 3, 2023.

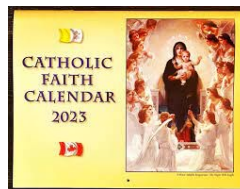
If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Church office.

Advent Day of Confessions

This coming Tuesday, December 13th is our parish's Advent Day of Confessions. Confession is available from 10:30 am—noon, 1—6 pm, and 7—9 pm at St. James Church.

Calendars

Starting this weekend, the Knights of Columbus and CWL will be selling calendars at the back of the Churches to raise money for the building fund. The calendars will be \$5 each.



If you have the following envelope numbers please contact the office to supply contact details, including phone number and mailing address (for tax receipt purposes). Thank you!

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Donation envelopes for 2023 are available at the back of the Church. Take any box and ensure your name and address are on it for the month of January. Alternatively, you can sign up for pre-authorized giving. Forms are at the back of the Church next to the envelopes.

Mary Lake Men's Retreat 2023

The Annual Retreat in King City at the Mary Lake Retreat Centre will be Jan. 20- 22, 2023. All are invited to join for a relaxing and spiritually fulfilling few days in a secluded and peaceful retreat house. Excellent meals are prepared and served by the Sisters. Private rooms are available upon request. If you have been with us before, welcome back! If you have never been on a retreat with us, please call if you have any questions or to book a room. Call Greg McKenna 905 729 3968 / gcmckenna@outlook.com or Ray Guillemette 905 729 2879 / rsguillette@gmail.com. For more information about Marylake Retreat Centre visit www.augustinians.ca. The theme this year is “Revive our spirits again, O Lord, that we may rejoice in you.” Psalm 85:6