# **Pre-Authorized Giving Plan**

The Archdiocese of Toronto has established a Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG) plan to assist you in your support of the work of the parish through your regular parish offerings. To accomplish the mission entrusted to us by Christ, the parishes depend entirely on the generosity of their parishioners. PAG allows you to give to your parish through a scheduled monthly transfer, from your bank account or credit card. These funds are then deposited directly into the parish account.

### Advantages for you:

- The convenience of having your offering automatically contributed to the parish.
- Knowing you continue to support the parish even when you are away.

# Advantages for the parish:

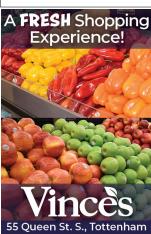
- Regular, dependable contributions to the parish and reduced workload.
- Reduction of cash on hand.
- Reduction of paperwork.

To enroll in the Pre Authorized Giving Program please contact the parish office for a registration form.





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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 Email: stjamesco@archtoronto.org 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 4:30 pm—5:15 pm at St. James Parish Priest: Fr. Eric Mah

# **Weekly Mass Intentions**

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| Monday, November 4 at 7 pm       | Louise Lowndes +   |
| Tuesday, November 5 at 9:30 am   | For the deceased members of the Hrkal and Furbacher families |
| Wednesday, November 6 at 9:30am  | For the people of God  |
|                                  | For vocations to the priesthood and religious life           |
|                                  | For the Holy Souls in Purgatory                              |
|                                  | Francisco and Rosalina Brum +                                |
|                                  | Available for Mass intentions - contact the parish office    |
| Friday, November 8 at 7 pm       | For the people of God  |
|                                  | For vocations to the priesthood and religious life           |
|                                  | For the Holy Souls in Purgatory                              |
|                                  | Malvina Cassista +   |
|                                  | Dan Parsons +  |
|                                  | Available for Mass intentions - contact the parish office    |
| Saturday, November 9 at 10:30 am | Ivan Milotic +   |
| Saturday, November 9 at 5:30 pm  | Angelo Caruano + and relatives                               |
| Sunday, November 10 at 8:30 am   | Andrea Madill +  |
| Sunday, November 10 at 10:00 am  | Irene and John Popielarski +                                 |
| Sunday, November 10 at 11:30 am  | For the people of God  |
|                                  |  |

### **Catholic Latte**

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



# **Come and See Seminary Discernment Retreat**

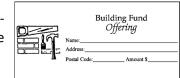
"To love Him with all the heart and with all the understanding, and with all the strength" and "to love one's neighbour as oneself" are the greatest commandments. If you feel God is calling you to a Church vocation, the Office of Vocations will be hosting a Come & See Weekend Discernment Retreat for men 18 years and older, at St. Augustine's Seminary on Friday, Nov. 15 (6:30 p.m.) until Sunday, Nov. 17 (2 p.m.). This retreat offers a way for men to discern a possible call to priesthood at our seminary. For more information, please email vocations@archtoronto.org. To register, please visit www.vocationstoronto.ca/ comesee.

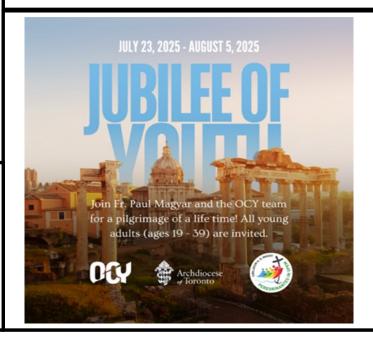
### **CWL**

The CWL will be meeting on Tues. Nov. 5th in the St. James Hall at 7:00 pm. Our annual dues of \$40 are expected by the end of December. Feel free to hand them in at the next meeting or in an envelope marked CWL in the collections at Mass. If you are interested in joining the CWL please contact Helene Compeau at 647-522-3346.

### **Second Collection**

Next weekend there will be a second collection for the building fund. Thank you in advance for your generosity.





### **Sacrament Registration is Open!**

Registration for First Communion and Confirmation is open. Please find the registration packages on our website or the back of the Church. Please fill out and return the registration form, with your child's baptism certificate and the registration fee, to the office. If you have any questions, please check the Important Information portion of the package.





# **Cemetery Leaf Clean-up**

Next weekend, Saturday November 9th, will be our annual Cemetery leaf clean-up. For those volunteering to help, please bring outside clothes and a rake! Clean-up will start at 11am following the 10:30am mass.

# **Communion for the Sick**

If you know someone who would like to receive Communion at their home, there are two options:

- 1) You can bring them Communion
- 2) You can contact the office to arrange for a volunteer to bring them Communion

If you would like to bring them Communion, go to the sacristy before Mass, where you will find a tray, pyxes, unconsecrated hosts, and blue Communion of the Sick books. Place enough unconsecrated hosts for a single visit in a pyx and place it on the tray. Each pyx has a small, coloured sticker on it to distinguish between them. At the end of Mass (after the end announcements and before the final blessing), Fr. Eric will bring down the tray with the pyxes; please take your pyx and bring it directly to the person who will be receiving Communion. You do not need to wait until the dismissal at the very end of Mass. If you would like to become a volunteer Eucharistic Minister who brings Communion to the sick, please contact the office.

### **All Souls Day Envelopes**

For the entire month of November, we will be praying for our faithful departed. You are welcome to write the names of your loved ones on the back of the All Souls Day envelopes and place them in the basket in front of the altar.



# **Praying for the Sick**

If you or a family member is sick, please let the office know and we will add their name to the prayers of the faithful.

Please pray especially for Diana Klink, Sharon Duggan, Rob Heidemann, Olga Stanczyk, Victoria Reid, Moira Molony, Tom Kennelly, Christina Burke, Karen Ancher, Jennifer Leclerc, Jennifer Trott, Domenico Meleca, Ryan De Sousa, Joe Gaudio, Maria DeFatima Rego, Eduardo Raimundo, Rita Webber, and Furtuso

Please also pray for those who have recently passed away, especially Fr. Keith Langstaff.



# **Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for November**

For Those Who Have Lost A Child. Let us pray that all parents who mourn the loss of a son or daughter find support in their community, and may receive peace of heart from the Spirit of Consolation.

# **Chaplaincy Connect**

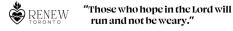
Are you a university or college student? This school year, open your heart to an exciting journey of spiritual growth and community. Join campus ministry to grow deeper in your faith, form lasting friendships and experience university/college life in a more meaningful way. Connect with campus ministry anywhere in Canada and find your Catholic home on campus! Scan the QR code or visit www.chaplaincyconnect.ca.



# Office of Catholic Youth (OCY)

RENEW Toronto is OCY's largest gathering of Young Adults! This year from November 23rd to November 24th, 600+ Young Adults aged 19-39 will gather to deepen their Catholic Faith through keynote presentations, breakout sessions, praise & worship, Mass, Confession, Eucharistic Adoration, and fellowship. Attendees leave the conference with renewed hearts, eager to be more involved in their faith and make a difference in the Catholic community. This year RENEW will take place at Canada Christian College in Whitby. Encouraging the young people to renew their call to pray, call to hope and call to do.





RENEW Toronto is back! As pilgrims of hope, young adults between 19-39 are called to more. This year, we call you to deepen your relationship with Christ through hope, prayer and service

Two days of growth & fellowship:

November 23rd: Canada Event Centre • Keynote speakers (Conference day)

November 24th: St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica (Young Adult Mass celebrated by Archbishop Leo)

- Mass and Adoration Marketplace
  Evening Social



