

#### **Chaplaincy Connect**

CHAPLAINCY 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 chaplaincyconnect.ca.

#### Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for October

For A Shared Mission. Let us pray that the Church continues to sustain a synodal lifestyle in every way, as a sign of co-responsibility, promoting the participation, communion and mission shared by priests, religious and laity.



## 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

## St. James, St. Francis Xavier, and St. Mary's

2118 Adjala-Tecumseth

Townline, Colgan, L0G 1W0

**Mass Times** 

Monday 7:00 pm (St. James) Tuesday 9:30 am (St. Francis) Wednesday 9:30 am (St. Francis) 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)

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## The Parish Community of

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#### **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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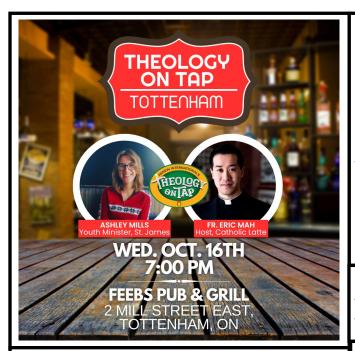
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### Needs of the Church in Canada

There will be a 2nd collection this weekend for the Needs of the Church in Canada. This annual initiative is an important opportunity for the faithful to actively support and assist the bishops in their ministry of accompanying, teaching, guiding, sanctifying, and caring for the Church in Canada. Thank you for your generosity!

#### **Bequests**

A bequest in your Will to the Church is an acknowledge ment of your returning to God a portion of the gifts He has bestowed on you during your lifetime. Charitable bequests can have a favourable impact on your overal estate plan.

Bequests are NOT just for the wealthy! Consider including your parish or any of the archdiocesan charities or departments in your Will. Let your Will reflect your Catholic values.

We have a free estate planning guide to help you make your plan. The Archdiocese of Toronto also maintains a list of advisors across the GTA who are available to assist in your estate planning and the preparation of a Will.

Please contact us at Development@archtoronto.org for a list of Catholic estate advisors in your area.



#### **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, Kevin Latimer, Tom Kennelly, Christina Burke, Karen Ancher, Jennifer Leclerc, Jennifer Trott, Domenico Meleca, Ryan De Sousa, and Maria DeFatima Rego.

Please also pray for those who have recently passed away especially John Pendergast, Brett Campbell, and Marie Maltby.

#### **Upcoming Funeral**

There will be a funeral Mass for the late John Pendergast on Tuesday, October 1st at 12 pm at St. James Church.

### **First Friday** Next Friday is First Friday in Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. There will be adoration following the regularly scheduled 7PM mass at St. James.



#### Sept. 29th: 110th World Day of Migrants and Refugees

The theme announced by His Holiness Pope Francis for the 110th World Day of Migrants and Refugees is "God Walks with His People." In his message, Pope Francis encourages us to unite in prayer for all those who have had to leave their land in search of dignified living conditions. May we journey together with them and entrust them to the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary, as they continue their journey."

# **RCIA Program**

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a communal process of spiritual and educational formation for adults who seek to become full members of the Roman Catholic Church through conversion of mind and heart. Join us starting Friday October 18th, 2024

For any Questions, please contact the parish office



To help you prepare for thanksgiving the CWL will be selling delicious homemade apple pies after all the masses on October 5th and 6th. The cost is \$15.00. Our last pie sale enabled us to donate to several charities and this pie sale will help us again for our charity fundraising. Thank you all for your support. If you have any questions, please contact the president, Helene Compeau at (647) 522-3346

#### Second Collection Next Weekend

There will be a second collection next weekend for the Indigenous Healing and Reconciliation.

Catholics throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto are invited to participate in the collection being held the weekend of October 5/6, 2024 to support the Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation Fund. The collection is part of a national grassroots effort to assist healing and reconciliation with Indigenous Peoples of This Land.

The Archdiocese of Toronto has raised almost 50% of its \$6 million pledge with \$2.7 million in funds already allocated to support eight projects that focus on culture and language revitalization, education and community building, healing and reconciliation for communities and dialogue involving Indigenous elders, spiritual leaders and youth. Let us join together and follow the invitation of the Holy Father for each one of us to become engaged in the healing and reconciliation journey. For more information or to donate online, visit: <u>www.archtoronto.org/healingandreconciliation</u>. Thank you for your generosity.

### Life Chain

Please join us on Sunday, October 6th for the annual Life Chain. We will be meeting in front of the Tottenham mall from 2 - 3 pm. Signs will be available. During the life chain we are encouraged to stand in silent prayer. Please help us in this most worthy human rights cause supporting life from conception to natural death.

# ST. JAMES - COLGAN, ON RESTORATION PROJECT



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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.

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### Office of Catholic Youth (OCY)

