# St. Norbert's Roman Catholic Church

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**SECRETARY:** Cynthia Livera

**Office Hours:**
**Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. (Closed 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.)**

**SUNDAY MASSES:**

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| Saturday | 5:00 p.m. English (C.F.C. Choir) |
| Sunday | 9:00 a.m. Italian (Italian Choir) |
| | 10:30 a.m. English (Children's Liturgy & English Choir) |
| | 12:00 p.m. English (C.F.C. Choir) |

**DAILY MASS:**

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| Tuesday | 7:00 p.m. Italian (Devotion to Padre Pio) |
| Wednesday | 7:00 p.m. English (Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help) |
| Thursday | 8:30 a.m. English (Devotion to St. Norbert) |
| Friday | 8:30 a.m. Italian (Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament till 9:30 am) |

## "Taste & see that the Lord is good" (Psalm 34:8)

**Welcome back!** **all are Welcome!**

**SACRAMENTS:** Please contact the office

**BAPTISM:** 1st & 3rd Sunday of the Month

**RECONCILIATION/CONFESSION:**
Saturdays 4:00 - 4:45 p.m. and anytime upon request

**MARRIAGE:** Contact the priest as early as possible.

**SACRAMENT OF THE SICK:** Ask Priest for a visit.

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Social Activities
Hospitality Ministry
Eucharistic Ministry
Funeral Service Acolytes
Lectors Ministry
Children's' Liturgy
Seniors Fellowship

**SPIRITUAL GROUPS**

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| Knights of Columbus | tlmj@sympatico.ca |
| Couples for Christ | reygalop2003@yahoo.com |

**PARISH SCHOOLS:**

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| ST. NORBERT - | 60 Maniza Rd. | 416-393-5309 |
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**WELCOME TO OUR PARISH** **BENVENUTI ALLA NOSTRA PARROCCHIA**

Be a Registered Parishioner & use Weekly Offering Envelopes.
If any change of telephone # or address, please inform the parish office.
If you or anyone you know is sick and wish to see the Priest, please call us.

## FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

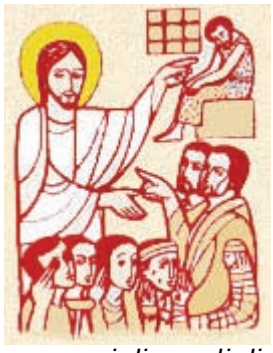
### Advent Wreath

The candles symbolize the light of Christ coming into the world. The evergreen symbolizes renewal, and the circular shape the completeness of God. Each candle is first lit on the appropriate Sunday of Advent.

**Candles have been given various names and designations:**

Candle 1. Hope and/or Patriarchs (purple)
Candle 2. Peace and/or Prophets (purple)
Candle 3. Joy and/or John the Baptist (rose)
Candle 4. Love or The Virgin Mary (purple)
Candle 5. Christ The Light of the World (white)

**Advent calls for Reconciliation**



*Subito dopo il passo in cui Gesù invia i suoi discepoli (Mt 10,5-11,1) san Matteo pone questa domanda che ci tocca tanto - come ha chiaramente toccato anche la prima comunità e colui al quale viene qui fatta pronunciare: Non vi sono numerosi argomenti contro Gesù e il suo messaggio? La risposta alla domanda che pongono i discepoli di Giovanni non è senza equivoci. Vi si dice chiaramente: non esiste una "prova" da presentare. Eppure un colpo d'occhio sui capitoli precedenti del Vangelo di san Matteo mostra bene che la lunga lista di guarigioni e miracoli non è stata redatta a caso.*

### PANETONNE SALE
### at St. Norbert's Church

The Knights of Columbus are commencing their annual sale of Pannettone. Sales will be held in the Parish Hall after all Masses. The cost is $ 6 per cake; or $ 65/- for a case of twelve. Get them while supplies last.

Prophets are people who are called by God to speak His message. Often, prophets speak difficult words, calling to changes in our ways of life. They also speak words of hope about God's love for us. John the Baptist in the last prophet in the Old Testament line.

In order to keep parish records up-to-date, please notify the parish office when there is a change of address, telephone number and/or change of status, i.e. moved to a retirement/nursing home or in with relatives etc.

Per mantenere aggiornati i verbali della parrocchia, si prega di avvisare l'ufficio parrocchiale in caso di cambio di indirizzo e numero di telefono.

***Are you being called to a Religious Life?***

"See, I am sending my messenger ahead of you, who will prepare your way before you." Are you one to be sent? If God is calling you to be a priest, deacon, brother or sister, **contact** Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

# CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR MASS SCHEDULE

*DECEMBER 24 (Tuesday)*
*05:00 pm –Mass and Children's Carolling*
*10:00 pm – Carolling (Inni Natalizi)*
*11:00 pm – Vigil Mass*
*DECEMBER 25 (Wednesday)*
*10:00 am - Italian*
*11:30 am – English*

*DEC 31 (Tuesday)*
*07:00 pm – New Year Thanksgiving Mass*
*JANUARY 01 (Wednesday)*
*10:00 am - Italian*
*11:30 am – English*

## Poinsettias for Christmas

The social committee of St Norbert will be selling Poinsettias from December 1st to December 22 after all masses. The cost will be 10.00 dollars each.
We kindly ask you to participate in this event in support of our church.
Thank you.

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*Il comitato sociale di San Norberto ha organizzato"una vendita di stelle di Natale (Poinsettias) dal 1mo Dicembre al 22, dopo ogni messa,per celebrare le feste Natalizie, il costo e'di 10.00 dollari.*
*Vi preghiamo di partecipare tutti a questo evento in modo di aiutare la nostra chiesa.*
*Grazie .*

*DAY OF CONFESSION - ST NORBERT CHURCH*

*December 23, Monday 7:00 PM*

*GIORNO DI CONFESSIONI*
*23 dicembre, Lunedi 19.00*

**Dec 08, 2019**

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| Weekly | - $ 2455.00 |
| Maintenance | - $ 2300.00 |

**Thank you for your generosity.**

## CHRISTMAS GIVING TREE

**Please note we have extended the return of your unwrapped gift donations to December 16, 2019 (Monday).**

Thank you for your generosity, helping to spread the true meaning of Christmas.

**Note: Those willing to volunteer for wrapping the gifts, please sign-up in schedule on the bulletin board or call the office.**
Dates: Sat Dec 14; Sun Dec 15; Mon Dec 16; Tues Dec 17 (AM or PM)

Remember to pick up your 2020 donation envelopes. Kindly do not use previous years envelopes.

Ricordarsi di ritirare la vostra donazione 2020 buste. Si prega di non utilizzare buste degli anni precedenti.

## Mass Intentions

*SAT/sabato – Dec/dicembre 14*
*5:00 PM – +Madalena & Domenico*
*SUN/domenica – Dec/dicembre 15 – 9:00 AM*
*+Giuseppe & Lucia Caldarone*
*50th Wedding anniversary Blessing*
*Giacomo & Sylvia Paradiso*
*10:30 AM– +Rolando & Purificacion Dela Rosa*
*+Antonietta Fulchini*
*Thanksgiving for 52 years of Marriage*
**12:00 PM -**

*TUE/martedi – Dec/dicembre 17*
*7:00 PM– +Romana & Sestilio Di Silvestre*
*WED/mercoledi – Dec/dicembre 18*
*7:00 PM– +Becky Cezar-Redublo*
*THU/giovedi – Dec/dicembre 19*
*8:30 AM-*
*FRI/venerdi – Dec/dicembre 20*
*8:30 AM- +Giovanni Aimola*

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