

# St. Norbert's Roman Catholic Church

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## Epiphany of the Lord

FROM THE  
PASTOR'S DESK

Happy New Year  
2022

*Many blessings in the year to come.  
Happy New Year 2022*

*To all of you and your families, I extend the greetings of each of us here at St. Norbert's Parish. Be sure that each of you is in my prayers and thoughts in this holy season. May the Blessed Virgin Mary, St. Joseph, and Jesus – Prince of Peace, fill your hearts, lives, and homes with many blessings throughout the New Year 2022.*

*Fr. Gigi Philip,  
Pastor*

## Some thoughts on today's scripture



Today's feast is telling us that for God there are no foreigners, no outsiders. From his point of view, all are equally beloved children. We all, whatever external physical or cultural differences there may be between us, belong to one single family which has one

Father, "our" Father. The wise men did not know where the star would lead them. They just followed it until it brought them to Bethlehem, and to Jesus. Let us try to have courage and trust the example of the wise men to follow our guiding lights.

*Celebriamo una domenica particolare che ci fa gustare ancora una volta la dolcezza del Natale e ci invita a distenderci spiritualmente contemplando la grande luce che è apparsa nel mondo con l'Incarnazione del Figlio di Dio, luce che – come afferma il Prologo dell'evangelista Giovanni – nemmeno le tenebre più fitte possono oscurare. La Parola eterna di Dio, che è luce e vita dell'universo, nasce come uomo per rivelare l'amore del Padre, per far rinascere coloro che la accolgono e così si inseriscono in una vita nuova, la vita dei figli di Dio.*

## Pre-Authorized Giving

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

There are various benefits of participating in pre-authorized giving, both for you and for your parish.

### 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.
- Continual support of ministries and programs funded through the parish.

### Advantages for the Parish:

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

For information on how to enrol, please contact your parish office or email [development@archtoronto.org](mailto:development@archtoronto.org).



A reminder to all the young people who are preparing for the Sacrament of First Communion and/or Confirmation, that Catechism classes will soon begin. Please take note of the following dates:

**Saturday 09:30 am**

January 08  
January 15  
January 22  
January 29

**Wednesday 6:30 pm**

January 26  
February 02  
February 09  
February 16  
February 23  
March 02



**REMEMBER TO PICK UP YOUR 2022**



**PLEASE DO NOT USE YOUR OWN BLANK ENVELOPE FOR DONATIONS. YOU MUST USE CHURCH ENVELOPES FOR DONATIONS**

It is extremely important that you please enter your full name and address on each envelope for the first few weeks so that we may update our Parish Records and allocate donations correctly.

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è estremamente importante che lei entra il suo nome pieno ed il suo indirizzo su ogni busta per il primi settimane in modo che portremmo aggiornare le nostre record di Parrocchia e collochiamo delle donazioni correttamente.



Dear Parishioners,

Please read this carefully.  
If you make a donation to the Society of St. Vincent De Paul using an envelope, your donation will be recorded separately from the weekly parish donation. In February you will receive a charitable tax receipt from the Society if you have contributed \$20 or more in the previous year.  
**Please write your name and address CLEARLY on the envelope. Do NOT just put your parish offering envelope number.**

In this way we will have a proper account of your contribution.

Please also note: Donations for Mary Grove Camp go directly to the archdiocese and are receipted along with your parish donations.

**Thank for your continued support of our neighbours in need.**



**Change of Address**

*Please notify the church office if you are changing parishes or have had a change of address. This will enable us to have the*

*correct information for tax receipts and to update our files. Thank you for your cooperation.*



**Mass Intentions**

**Sat/sabato -Jan/gennaio 01**

9:00 am - Italian  
10:30 am - English  
12.00 noon - English

**Sun/domenica - Jan/gennaio 02**

9:00 am - +Saverio Ladisa  
10:30 am -  
12:00 pm -

**Tue/martedì - Jan/gennaio 04**

7:00 pm - +Elvira Rivera Orlando

**Wed/mercoledì - Jan/gennaio 05**

7:00 pm -Divina Maione

**Thu/giovedì - Jan/gennaio 06**

8:30 am

**Fri/venerdì - Jan/gennaio 07**

8:30 am



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