# ST. NORBERT'S



ROMAN CATHOLIC CH∨RCH

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# **OFFICE HOURS**

Monday to Friday 8:30 am to 4:30 pm

Saturday & Sunday CLOSED

#### MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday & Wednesday 7:00 pm

> Thursday & Friday 8:30 am

> > Saturday 5:00 pm

**Sunday** 9:00 am (Italian) 10:30 am 12:00 pm

RECONCILIATION Saturdays 4:00 – 4:45 p.m. and upon request

WE CELEBRATE MEMORIAL MASSES AT THE PARISH SCHEDULE AS A REGULAR INTENTION WE DO NOT CELEBRATE PRIVATE MASSES PASTOR Fr. Augusto Menichelli

> **SECRETARY** Cynthia Livera

**First Tuesday of the Month** Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after 7:00 pm Mass for 1 hour

# **MINISTRIES**

Catechetical Eucharistic Funeral Service Homebound Hospitality Lectors Liturgical Social Youth & Children

#### **BAPTISM**

Every Saturday of the Month Please contact the office

### MARRIAGE

Please contact the parish at least one year in advance

#### HOMEBOUND MINISTRY

Call the office to arrange for our Lay Pastoral Team to visit and bring communion

# WE WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

To register please contact the office

#### PARISH SCHOOLS

**ST. NORBERT** - 60 Maniza Rd. - 416-393-5309 **ST. ROBERT** - 70 Bainbridge Avenue - 416-393-5297 **MADONNA** - 20 Dubray Avenue - 416-393-5506

# Some thoughts on today's scripture



The foraiveness that is given to us for ourselves is certainly, but when God is at work there is no purely private benefit as the effects spread widely.

What we receive from God, we are given freely. As I acknowledge that what is good in my life comes from God, I pray for the generosity I need to be a blessing to others.

perdonare? Ouante volte devo Buon senso, opportunità, giustizia umana sono termini insufficienti per comprendere adequatamente la morale cristiana; e non solo perché Cristo è venuto a perfezionare la legge. "Occhio per occhio e dente per dente", come fu detto agli antichi è una norma che Cristo, nella sua autorità di legislatore supremo, dichiara superata. Ma c'è qualche cosa di più. Dopo la morte redentiva di Cristo l'uomo si trova in una situazione nuova: l'uomo è un perdonato. Il debito gli è stato rimesso, la sua condanna cancellata. "Colui che non aveva conosciuto peccato, Dio lo trattò da peccato in nostro favore, perché noi potessimo diventare per mezzo di lui giustizia di Dio" (2Cor 5,21). Il Padre ormai ci vede in Cristo: fiqli qiustificati. Il mio peccato può ancora indebolire il mio rapporto filiale con il Padre, ma non può eliminarlo. Più che dal suo peccato l'uomo è determinato perdono dal infinitamente misericordioso di Dio: "Il peccato dell'uomo è un pugno di sabbia - così san Serafino di Sarov - la misericordia divina un mare sconfinato".



"If we live, we live to the Lord, and if we die, we die to the Lord; so then, whether we live or whether we die, we are the Consider service as a Lord's." priest, deacon, brother or sister. If God is calling you contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of

www.vocationstoronto.ca

vocations@archtoronto.org

#### Needs of the Church in Canada Special Collection, September 23-24

There will be a second collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada. Your gifts are used by the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops to represent Canadian Catholics in national and international pastoral activity. Thank you for your support of this important work.

Celebration of the Solemnity of St. Michael & Conferral of the Pallium upon the Most Rev. Francis Leo Friday, September 29, 2023 - 5:30 p.m. - St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica

The Archdiocese of Toronto celebrates the feast day of our archdiocesan patron, St. Michael, on Friday, September 29, 2023. All are welcome to join in a special celebration on that day at 5:30 p.m. at St. Cathedral Basilica (65 Michael's Bond St.). Archbishop Francis Leo will celebrate Mass, with music from the world-renowned St. Michael's Choir School. As part of the celebration, the Apostolic Nuncio to Canada, the Most Rev. Ivan Jurkovič will confer the pallium on our archbishop, a symbol of his role as Metropolitan Archbishop of Toronto and shepherd to the faithful.

Following Mass, there will be an informal reception with light refreshments in the St. Michael's Cathedral atrium and courtyard. Seating will be first come, first served. All are welcome to join in this special celebration for our archdiocese and archbishop!



You can make a difference in the lives of the hungry and homeless this Thanksgiving.

Please bring your non-perishable items directly to the parish on -

October 7 & 8, 2023

PLEASE NO FROZEN OR FRESH FOODS We thank you for your generous support!

#### **SEPTEMBER 17, 2023**



AFTER THE 7:00 PM MASS (TUESDAY) October 10, 2023.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament is a monthly devotion for prayer and quiet reflection. It is an opportunity to silently adore Jesus Christ present in the Holy Eucharist.

"Know also that you will probably gain more by praying fifteen minutes before the Blessed Sacrament than by all the other spiritual exercises of the day."

St. Alphonsus Liguori

# RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS



The RCIA Program is for adults who wish to become full members of the Catholic Church.

They could either be:

- Adults who have never been Baptized;
- Individuals baptized in another Christian denomination who now wish to be Catholic;
- Adult Catholics who have yet to be Confirmed or receive the Eucharist for the first time

Please pick up a RCIA pamphlet at the entrance of the church, visit our website <u>https://stnorbertsno.archtoroto.org</u> or call the office (416) 636-0213 for more details.



# JOIN ST. NORBERT'S YOUTH GROUP GRADES 8 - 10

If your heart resonates with a desire to journey deeper into the mysteries of our faith and

to actively participate in the mission of Christ, we warmly invite you to join our Journey of Faith Youth Group. Together, with joy and hope, we will walk this path, making a difference in our lives and in the lives of those around us.

Please pick up a youth pamphlet at the entrance of the church, visit our website <u>https://stnorbertsno.archtoroto.org</u> or call the office (416) 636-0213 for more details.



The seniors' Breakfast for ages 65 and over Will be held in the Parish Hall on SATURDAY OCTOBER 14 2023 Mass at 9:00 am Breakfast will be served after the Mass.

Tickets are \$5/- per person and will be sold after all weekend masses, and at the Parish office.



<u>Saturday September 16</u> <u>5:00 pm</u>- +Salvatore Denaro

Sunday September 17

<u>9:00 am</u> - +Serafino Di Clemente +Bruno & Giuseppina lozzo <u>10:30 am</u> - +Linda Borges +Fernando & Miguel Calzado +Frederico & Menandro Delma

Tuesday September 19

7:00 pm - +Maria Teresa Arciero

Wednesday September 20 7:00 pm -

Thursday September 21

<u>8:30 am -</u> +Domenica & Giovanni Foti Friday September 22 8:30 am -

Saturday September 23

<u>5:00 pm</u>- +Pietro & Irma Gentilini

Sunday September 24

<u>9:00 am</u> -

<u>10:30 am</u> - +Angelo Llanes +Gaudancio & Primitiva Amparo +Cristiano & Carbone Family

Tuesday September 26

<u>7:00 pm</u>-Wednesday September 27

<u>7:00 pm</u>-Thursday September 28

<u>8:30 am</u> - +Jean Denney Friday Sep<u>tember 29</u>

<u>8:30 am -</u>

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