

ST. NORBERT'S PARISH

BULLETIN

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Fr. Elissandro Caldas

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OFFICE HOURS

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

Closed for Lunch
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

**Saturday and Sunday
and Statutory Holidays**
CLOSED

We celebrate Memorial Masses at the parish schedule as a regular intention. We DO NOT celebrate Private Masses

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 4:15 – 4:45 pm
and upon appointment

NEW PARISHIONERS

Please visit our website and download the fillable registration form. Once the form is completed, kindly submit it to the parish office.

SCHOOLS ASSOCIATED WITH THE PARISH

ST. NORBERT - 60 Maniza Road - 416-393-5309

ST. ROBERT - 70 Bainbridge Avenue - 416-393-5297

MADONNA - 20 Dubray Avenue - 416-393-5506

VINCENT DE PAUL

Please call – (416) 342-7590

ADORATION

Silent adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will take place every First Tuesday of the Month after the 7:00 pm Mass for one hour.

BAPTISM

To baptize your child in St. Norbert's Church, it is necessary to be our parishioner. If you don't belong to this parish, you must bring a letter of permission from your Pastor. Baptisms are held on most Saturdays at 3 pm. For more information, please contact the office or visit our website.

MARRIAGE

Please **contact the office at least one year in advance**. Weddings are held at 12 pm on most Saturdays of the month.

HOMEBOUND MINISTRY

Call the office to arrange for our Lay Pastoral Team to visit and bring Holy Communion.

REFERENCE LETTER

Anyone looking for any kind of letter of recommendation/reference must be attending the parish and helping in any parish activity for at least a year. We cannot give references to unknown people.

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



It is with a deep feeling of gratitude that I take some time to write you these words. I have been here for one month and feel very much welcomed. I know it is not easy when we have a pastor change in our parish. We take some time to build a good relationship, to trust each other, to open our hearts and allow someone to come in and lead us in the path of God. I understand it is difficult to open again in this kind of experience.



I acknowledge your sadness and do not want to put any pressure on you. However, I ask you to allow me to be your pastor and, even though, we may not have reached a good level in our relationship yet, the Installation Rite tells this congregation that I am here to bring you a bit closer to God. So, based on your desire to be with Him, to receive Him as our messenger, I do believe that as much as we pray together, this connection between us will start.

I would also like to express my desire to lead you in a deeper communion with God and His Church. Our faith has been attacked from different ways and fronts. Sometimes it is hard to know what is right and wrong and in order to clarify and understand better our faith, I will be proposing different occasions and ways to meet and discuss about key points in people's lives. Therefore, do not be shy to contact me to express your doubts, concerns, suggestions, constructive criticism, availability, and so on. I am here for you and want to fulfill my mission to help people, especially my parishioners to grow in their faith and love for God.

In conclusion, I need to mention how conscious I am that the priest alone in a parish cannot do all. He is only the animator, promoter, mediator of activities and moments of prayer, and a bridge that connects God to people, but the community also plays an important role in His mission. I will count on each one of you, dear parishioners, to help me bring more young people to our parish, to let families feel the Church's support in these challenging times, to take care of the elderly and the sick, to help the poor, and the ones who care about the beauty of our parish and provide financial support for our parish.

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES & FUNERAL SERVICES - ARCHDIOCESE OF TORONTO

Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed will be celebrated on **Wednesday August 14, 2024 at 7 p.m.** Masses throughout the Greater Toronto Area and Barrie will take place for the souls of the deceased buried at our Catholic Cemeteries.

Cemetery locations and Celebrants for this year's Annual Mass are as follows:

Assumption Cemetery, Mississauga Most Rev. Ivan Camilleri

Christ the King Cemetery, Markham Rev. Msgr. Vid Vlastic

Holy Cross Cemetery, Thornhill Most Rev. John Corriveau

Mount Hope Cemetery, Toronto Most Rev. Robert Kasun

Queen of Heaven Cemetery, Woodbridge Rev. Msgr. Patrick O'Dea

Resurrection Cemetery, Whitby Most Rev. Vincent Nguyen

St. Mary's Cemetery, Barrie Most Rev. John A. Boissonneau



OFFICE CLOSED
Monday, August 5, 2024

Will resume on Tuesday, Aug 06 at the regular scheduled time. Should you require assistance, please leave a message at 416-636-0213 and someone will get back to you as soon as possible.

CANADIAN MISSIONS COLLECTION

Second Collection on
August 10 & 11, 2024

MISSION CO-OP COLLECTION

AUGUST 24 & 25

Fr. Jobby Muppathiyil Joseph of St. Leonard's Church in Brampton will be preaching the Mission Coop for us this year on behalf of the Diphu Diocese in India. It is a mission diocese for the Indigenous tribes of Karbi Anglong District and Dimasao District in Assam, India.

NOTE: Please use the Mission Co-op envelope in your offering box on the weekend of August 24 & 25.

AUG 04, 2024



FIRST TUESDAY OF EVERY MONTH IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE 7:00 PM MASS TUESDAY, AUG 06

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.

PUTTING OTHERS FIRST



Looking forward to accommodating our parishioners properly. The first pews on both sides of the church are now reserved for those with "special needs".

Their families may sit in the pew behind them if they wish. Thanks for your cooperation.

Adesso, i due primi banchi della chiesa sono riservati alle persone con difficoltà di ogni genere. Le persone sedute nei primi banchi NON devono alzarsi per andare a prendere la Santa Comunione. I ministri verranno da loro. Grazie per la vostra comprensione e collaborazione.



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

Visit our website <https://stnorbetsno.archtoronto.org> or call the office (416) 636-0213 for more details.



Mass Intentions

Saturday Aug 03

5:00 pm- +Giulietta & Camillo Luciani
+Aniv. Gabriel Ledo

Sunday Aug 04

9:00 am - +Sestilio & Romana Di Silvestre
+Gianpaolo Titto
+Elmeda Jane Brett

10:30 am - +Carmine & Emilia Ianni

12:00 pm - For all Parishioners (Pro Populo)

Tuesday Aug 06

7:00 pm - +M.M. Matteo Forte

Wednesday Aug 07

7:00 pm - +Mario & Aida Rosati

Thursday Aug 08

8:30 am -

Friday Aug 09

8:30 am -

Saturday Aug 10

5:00 pm-

Sunday Aug 11

9:00 am -

10:30 am - +Carmela Scarlata

+Antonio Barbuto

+Maria Ursula Huong

12:00 pm - For all Parishioners (Pro Populo)

Tuesday Aug 13

7:00 pm - +M.M. Angelo Carcasole

Wednesday Aug 14

7:00 pm - +M.M. Maria Teresa Arciero

Thursday Aug 15

8:30 am -

Friday Aug 16

8:30 am -



The Parish is happy to announce that the Knights of Columbus Council 14571 will be organizing a Church family Dinner.

Saturday, September 7th, 2024

6:30 pm after the 5:00 pm evening mass.

Tickets \$ 40.00 per person.

You are welcome to share in our one big happy family dinner. Please contact the Parish Office to buy your ticket in advance.



SECOND COLLECTION FOR MAINTENANCE Aug 10 & 11, 2024

Church maintenance refers to the upkeep of all property and equipment that belongs to a church.

It encompasses every maintenance task required to keep a church and its entire premises functional, safe, and presentable.

We appreciate your support!

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