

ST. NORBERT'S PARISH BULLETIN

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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 4:00 – 4:45 pm
and upon appointment

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 at St. Norbert's Church, it is necessary for you to be registered with the Parish and attend Mass regularly.

Baptisms are held on most Saturdays of the month at 2 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.

NEW PARISHIONERS

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

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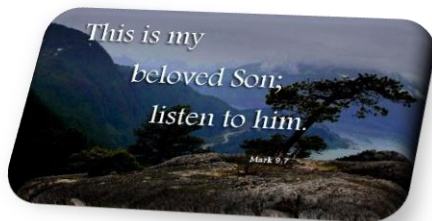
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SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

Some thoughts on today's scripture



In our journey to God, we have peak moments, when the ground is holy. Like Peter, we want them to last forever. But

Jesus, 'only Jesus', brings us down the mountain and prepares us for the hard times ahead, living on the memory of brief transfigurations. Can I recall any of my peak moments?

They saw him then as they had never seen him before. They were told that he is the one who is to come. They knew now they would listen to him, that his words were to be the rock of life. The apostles' faith was confirmed on the mount of Transfiguration. Prayer moments may often be transfiguration moments when we glimpse the beauty of Jesus Christ and we commit ourselves to 'listen to him' as God invites.

La trasfigurazione occupava un posto importante nella vita e nell'insegnamento della Chiesa primitiva. Ne sono testimonianze le narrazioni dettagliate dei Vangeli e il riferimento presente nella seconda lettera di Pietro (2Pt 1,16-18).

Per i tre apostoli il velo era caduto: essi stessi avevano visto ed udito. Proprio questi tre apostoli sarebbero stati, più tardi, al Getsemani, testimoni della sofferenza di nostro Signore.

L'Incarnazione è al centro della dottrina cristiana. Possono esserci molti modi di rispondere a Gesù, ma per la Chiesa uno solo è accettabile. Gesù è il Figlio Unigenito del Padre, Dio da Dio, Luce da Luce, Dio vero da Dio vero. La vita cristiana è una contemplazione continua di Gesù Cristo. Nessuna saggezza umana, nessun sapere possono penetrare il mistero della rivelazione. Solo nella preghiera possiamo tendere a Cristo e cominciare a conoscerlo.

Life-Giving Wounds: A Healing Retreat for Adult Children of Divorced or Separated Parents

The Life-Giving Wounds retreat invites participants to move through the broken image of love that appeared to them in their parents' relationship to their deepest origin and identity as God's beloved, capable of great love. The next retreat will be from **Friday, April 26 at 7 p.m.** to **Sunday, April 28 at 3:30 p.m.** at **St. Augustine's Seminary** (2661 Kingston Rd., Scarborough). Must be 18 or older to attend. Cost: **\$290** per person (\$190 for students), which includes meals, lodging and retreat material. If cost is of concern, please contact lgwtoronto@proton.me; limited subsidies are available. For university/college students, contact your campus minister for more information. Space is limited. To register, email lgwtoronto@proton.me.

SHOW YOUR LOVE THROUGH SHARELIFE



ShareLife Sunday is March 17. Our parish goal for this year's campaign is **\$29,400.00**

Through your kindness, over 40 Catholic organizations and social service agencies can help marginalized members of our community. No one is turned away due to inability to pay. This is all possible through your support.

Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.



If you need examples of persons responding to God's call, look at Abraham and Sarah - called in old age to leave their country and have a child. Then Abraham was asked to sacrifice that child. What faith! Answering God's call to be a priest,

brother, sister or deacon is also taking a great risk. If you are willing, and think God is calling you to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

email vocations@archtoronto.org
www.vocationstoronto.ca



THE SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL AT ST. NORBERT'S

St. Vincent de Paul Society merged with St. Norbert's parish in 2018. Our focus is on home visitation and providing gift cards to neighbours who are struggling. We supported over 114 households in 2023. Your donations help to support Camp Marygrove, a fully subsidized sleepover camp for less fortunate girls. Join our dynamic group of volunteers and make a difference in the lives of our neighbours. Please make your donation in the box at the entrance of the church. Call us at 416-342-7590 for more information.

FEBRUARY 25, 2024



OLD PALMS

If you have palms and Olive branches from 2023, please bring them to the Church, as we will burn them to make ashes for Ash Wednesday.



Stations Of The Cross.
Every Friday During Lent.

At 7:00 pm

Register as a parishioner

Are you a member of our parish? Whether you live within our parish boundaries or

simply desire to be part of our faith community, we strongly encourage you to register! A formal registration allows us to recognize you, especially when you require a letter of reference or prepare yourself for sacraments like baptism or marriage. You may find the registration form online or at the entrance of the church.

Mass Intentions

Saturday February 24

5:00 pm - +Antonia Gonzales

Sunday February 25

9:00 am - +Elena Iunni

+Vincenzo & Immacolata Del Duca

+Vena & Politto family

+Benito & Marco D'Angelo

+Domenica Oliveri

+Benedetto & Pasquale Valentini

10:30 am - +Renato Pighin

Tuesday February 27

7:00 pm -

Wednesday February 28

7:00 pm -

Thursday February 29

8:30 am - +Lucian Alles

Friday March 01

8:30 am -

2024 OFFERING ENVELOPES



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

Please pick up your 2024 Offering Envelopes at the church office. Call the office for more information.

NOTE: 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.

Saturday March 02

5:00 pm - +Raquel Elardo

Sunday March 03

9:00 am - +Sestilio & Romana Di Silvestre

+Vincenzo & Rosa Agostino

+Elena Iunni

+Giacomo & Giuseppe Iaboni

+Angela Carnovale

10:30 am - +Del Gobbo family

+Gino Barbuto

+Domenic & Esterina Bruni

Tuesday March 05

7:00 pm - +Paul Mckenzie

Wednesday March 06

7:00 pm -

Thursday March 07

8:30 am -

Friday March 08

8:30 am -



SUNDAY OFFERTORY Thank You!

By bringing in your offertory envelope or by making your pre-authorized offertory gift (PAG), you are providing crucial support to care for your parish.

PAG forms are available at the church entrance, on our website, and in the church office.

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