

ST. NORBERT'S PARISH

BULLETIN

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday

9:00 am to 4:00 pm

Closed for Lunch

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Saturday and Sunday
and Statutory Holidays

CLOSED

HOLY HOUR

First Friday of the month

8:30 am mass

from 9 am to 12 pm

from 5 pm to 7:30 pm

6 pm mass

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.

RESERVED SEATING

The first-row pews in the Church are for persons with special needs/disability and for ease when giving and receiving Holy Communion.

MEMORIAL MASS

We celebrate Memorial Masses in the Parish during a regular Mass and also upon request, at other times.

BAPTISM

To baptize your child in St. Norbert's Church, it is necessary to be a registered parishioner. If attending elsewhere, you must request and bring a permission letter 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 seeking a letter of recommendation or reference must be attending St. Norbert's Church and has volunteered in a Parish activity for at least one year. Referrals cannot be issued if we do not know you.

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

SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

Please call – (416) 342-7590

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

BOILER CAMPAIGN

Maintenance Collection



Our boiler campaign is moving on quite well and we would like to thank all of you for it. We are so thankful for your financial support.

Here is how much money we have collected up to now:

October 2024	-	4,868.50
November 03 2024	-	259.00
Total		5,127.50
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Some people have given their special donation through their business, with the possibility of receiving a tax receipt for their donation. This is a very convenient way to help out businesses to pay less taxes.

Fundraising CHRISTMAS INITIATIVES



Gigi Panettone \$15
From Nov 23 to Dec 08
Saturdays & Sundays only

St Michael Choir Christmas Concert

On Sunday, Dec 15 at 4:30 p.m.
After the concert, refreshments will be served in the parish hall. Tickets will be available soon.

OFFICE CLOSED ON MONDAY



Please be advised that the office will be closed on Monday November 11th for Remembrance Day.

The office will be open from Tuesday to Friday to serve you as usual. May the Souls of All the departed rest in peace.

SUNDAY MISSAL 2025

The Sunday Missals for the coming year are available. You may buy yours coming to mass. Now only \$5 each.



Collection, November 16 & 17, 2024

There will be a second collection on November 16/17, for The Shepherds' Trust. The mission of The Shepherds' Trust is to help the elderly and disabled priests, who need financial support to lead a dignified life after many years serving the communities. For priests who are ill or infirm, the Trust ensures they have access to nursing home facilities and medical care. Thank you for your support of those who supported the Catholic communities in the past.

HELPING THE PARISH FINANCIALLY

Donate online

Access the parish website www.stnorbertsno.archtoronto.org and choose the "Donate" link at the top right corner to give a one-time donation or a monthly donation to the Parish.

Securities as a Charitable Gift

One of the most financially sound ways to support the Parish is with the gift of securities (stocks, bonds, mutual funds). When you donate stocks, mutual funds, and other securities to a registered charity, you pay no capital gains tax and receive a tax receipt for the full amount of the gift. It means a great tax break for you and support of your Parish. For further information, contact the Archdiocese Development office by emailing to development@archtoronto.org.

When preparing your Will

A bequest in your Will to the Parish is an acknowledgment of your returning to God a portion of the gifts He has bestowed on you during your lifetime. Charitable bequests can have a favourable impact on our overall estate plan and positively affect gifts you make to your loved ones. Bequests are not just for the "wealthy". Consider including your parish in our Will.

When a loved one dies

Remember the possibility of naming the Parish as your charity of choice when expressing an "In Lieu of Flowers" wish. Let your family know that this is what you want for yourself. Your funeral directors should contact the Parish or the Archdiocese for "In Memoriam" cards.



SECOND COLLECTION FOR BOILER - 09/10 NOV 2024

This collection is especially for the boiler. We still need your help. We appreciate your support. God bless!

SACRAMENT DATES

First Communion Classes will be on Saturday & Sunday, in the Parish Hall. Classes commence on the weekend December 7 & 8 2024. The candidates will be divided into two classes.

1st Class - Saturday December 07 - 3:00 pm
2nd Class - Sunday December 08 - 9:15 am



First Communion celebrations will be at 10:30 am on the following dates:

- Saturday, May 03 - Other Schools
- Saturday, May 10 - St. Robert School
- Saturday, May 24 - St. Norbert School

Confirmation classes will be on Wednesdays at 5:00 pm in the Parish Hall commencing -

- Dec 04 - St. Norbert School & other schools
- Dec 11 - St. Robert School & other schools



Confirmation celebrations will be at 2:00 pm on the following dates:

- Sunday, June 08 - St. Norbert & Other Schools
- Sunday, June 15 - St. Robert & Other Schools

BOOKING MASSES

- ✓ Masses can be booked by phone or email.
- ✓ You give your donation-“payment” preferably when you come to mass.
- ✓ Put your donation “payment” in the acrylic box on the right side of the altar
- ✓ Special envelopes for mass intentions are available in the church, help yourself.



ALL SOULS INTENTIONS FOR NOVEMBER

During the month of November, we will be celebrating Masses for the Holy Souls. You can write the names of the deceased on the envelope provided in the church, enclose your offering, and place it in box at the altar. They will remain there throughout the month of November, in memory of our brothers and sisters who have gone before us, marked by the sign of faith.

Si prega di scrivere i nomi dei defunti sulla busta fornita nella Chiesa e racchiudere la vostra offerta e collocarlo nella scatola all'altare. Pregheremo per loro e per tutte le anime durante il mese di Novembre.

ALTAR SERVER AWARDS 2024

Congratulations! To our Altar Servers for their service



- Sebastian Di Rosa
- Nicola Di Nardo
- Giancarlo Salvato

RCIA - CATECHISM FOR ADULTS

We are glad to have many people asking to be Christian-Catholics. The parish is organizing to start registration. Classes will be on Tuesday at 7 p.m. in the parish hall. Stay tuned for further information!

HELP NEEDED to CLEAN THE CHURCH

We are in the process of hiring a new caretaker-Janitor for the parish. Until the person is hired, we need help to clean the church on Friday mornings from 9 a.m - 11 a.m. The more we are, the easier it will be. Thanks for your help!



DATE	INTENTION	REQUESTED BY
Sat Nov 09 5 pm	+Joseph Nucara +Sabrita Gallo +Presentation Nuguit +Myrna Abarro +Giuseppina Rago +Luigi Cocuzzoli +Fr. William Rene Palacios	Family Family Family Family Family Family Parishioner
Sun Nov 10 9 am	+Mario Aristodemo +Francesco, Amanda Foti & family	Family Family
10:30 am	+Carmela Scarlata +Antonio Barbuto +Zdzislawa Jasinska Domenico Mobilio & family defunti For healing Michael Kazmierowski	Family Family Family Family Family
12 pm	For all Parishioners (Pro Populo)	
Tue Nov 12 7 pm		
Wed Nov 13 7 pm	+Matteo Forte +Giuseppe Spina	Family Family
Thu Nov 14 8:30 am		
Fri Nov 15 8:30 am		

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