

# ST. NORBERT'S PARISH BULLETIN

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## SECRETARY

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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

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### 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.

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### 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 at 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

# CHRIST THE KING

## BOILER CAMPAIGN

### Maintenance Collection



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

Here is how much money we

have collected up to now:

October 2024	-	4,869.00
November 03 2024	-	259.00
November 10 2024	-	4,240.00
November 17 2024	-	2,582.00
<b>Total</b>		<b>11,950.00</b>
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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 business to pay less taxes.

## CHRISTMAS GIVING TREE



As we approach the arrival of our greatest gift, Jesus Christ, St. Norbert Parish is beginning our Christmas Giving Tree initiative.

This year we are asking for your help in supporting the families in our community. Gift tags will be available shortly at the back of the Church.

Thank you for your generosity and your help in spreading the true meaning of Christmas.

## Fundraising CHRISTMAS INITIATIVES



**GIGI PANETTONE \$15**  
**TORRONE \$10**

From Nov 23 to Dec 08  
only Saturdays &  
Sundays



St. Norbert's Church  
Christmas Concert  
Featuring Alumni of  
St. Michael's Choir  
School

Sunday, December 15th at 4:30 p.m.  
Light refreshments will be served in the parish hall after the concert. The concert is free, but tickets are necessary because we will have door prizes.

## CHRISTMAS DECORATION



As we approach the Christmas Season, we would like to invite our community to decorate our parish on **Saturday, December 14<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 a.m.** Adults, children, seniors, all are invited to participate. At the end of decoration time, we are going to share a meal. Please, **save this date on your calendar.**

## HOLY HOUR & CONFESSION DAY ON FRIDAY DECEMBER 13th



**NEW:** The HOLY HOUR will be happening on Friday DEC 13th, the second Friday of the month, instead of the FIRST FRIDAY.

### DAY OF CONFESSION

Priests will be available on **FRIDAY DEC 13** from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. and in the evening from 7 p.m. onwards. Please be aware that priests will be available in the church as long as there are people waiting for confession.

## SUNDAY MISSAL 2025

The Sunday Missals for the coming year are available. You may purchase one before each mass. Now only \$5 each.



## GIORNO DI CONFESSIONI Venerdi 13 dicembre

10 am -12 pm - 7 pm in avanti  
Si prega di essere consapevoli del fatto che i sacerdoti saranno disponibili in chiesa fino a quando non ci saranno persone in attesa di confessarsi.

**CATECHISM CLASSES**



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  
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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. Rorbert School & other schools

**BOOKING MASSES**

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



**HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT VOLUNTEERING**



The parish is recruiting high school students to volunteer as assistants for catechism classes. The opportunity consists of assisting both the catechists with technology and with the children in activities and games. Catechism classes are on Wednesday at 5 p.m., Saturday at 3 p.m. and Sunday at 9:15 a.m. If you are interested, please contact the parish.



DATE	INTENTION	REQUESTED BY
Sat Nov 23 5 pm	+Francesco & Caterina Perri +Sabrita Gallo +Isabelle Valencia +Renato Pighin	
Sun Nov 24 9 am	+Caterina Borghesani +Domenico Mobilio	Family Family
10:30 am		
12:00 pm	For all Parishioners (Pro Populo)	Family
Tue Nov 26 7 pm	Birthday Blessings Julia Agovino	Family
Wed Nov 27 7 pm	+Giorgio Patafio	Family
Thu Nov 28 8:30 am	+Scaramozziona family +Guerrera family	Family Family
Fri Nov 29 8:30 am	+Jose Baptista	Family

**ENVELOPE DONATIONS DEADLINE**



We would like to inform parishioners that we will be receiving envelope donations for 2024 until the first week of January 2025. After that week, all envelope donations will be counted as donations for 2025.



**RCIA - CATECHISM FOR ADULTS**

We are glad to have many people asking to be Christian Catholics. The parish is organizing to start registration after November 23rd. Classes will be on Tuesday at 7 p.m. in the parish hall. Stay tuned for further information!

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