

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

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

THIRTIETH 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. As we know the boiler is

not only for one person or some of us, but for the entire community.

As we move forward, I would like to provide you some information how much money we have collected in the last collections:

October 13 2024	-	3303.50
October 20 2024	-	<u>670.00</u>
Total		3973.50

Some people have given their special donation also through their companies, with the possibility to get a tax receipt for them. This is a very convenient way to help out business to pay less taxes.

We had a meeting with the Social Committee and also with some other members of the community to plan some activities in the parish for fundraising, such as: panettone sales, paid Christmas concert, Movie night, parish dinner and coffee time. We can't wait to see all this movement in parish. If you have any ideas, please, share them with us.

NEW OFFICE HOURS



As we are in the process of renovations in the church building, we came to a difficult decision to reduce the office hours.

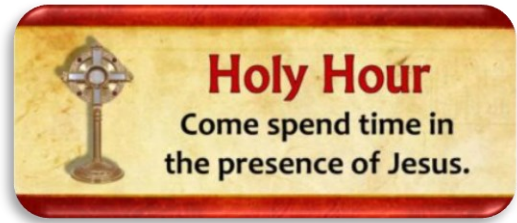
The new office hours will be: 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Lunch time remains the same: 12 p.m. to 1 p.m.

SUNDAY MISSAL 2025

The new Sunday missals have arrived and soon we will be selling them before mass. We can not be sure that they are enough for the entire community. So, if you want to assure yours, bring \$5 next weekend. We will not be able save copies for later.



HOLY HOUR - FIRST FRIDAY



The Community Holy Hour the First Friday of the month - NOVEMBER 1st

- The first session will start after the 8:30 a.m. Mass and will continue until 11:30 a.m.
- The second session will run from 5-6 p.m. and then we will have another Mass at 6 p.m.
- The third and last session will start right after the 6 p.m. Mass until 7:30 p.m. and then we will do Night Prayer.

Guidelines for Holy Hour:

- **The Holy Hour must be silent.** Each individual will pray by themselves. Prayers in Group must be organized by the parish.
- People may come and go at any time during the Holy Hour.
- The parish will provide some material to help people say their personal prayers.
- We recommend that elderly or those with special health conditions do not fast for too long during the prayer time.

Gesu' in mezzo a noi *L'adorazione ritorna al primo Venerdì' del* *Mese - Novembre 01*

- La prima sessione - dopo la Messa delle 8:30 a.m. fino alle 11:30 a.m.
- La seconda sessione - dalle 5 p.m. alle 6 pm.
- Segue la S. Messa alle 6 p.m.
- L' Adorazione continua fino alle 7:30 p.m. Si conclude con le preghiere in inglese.

Indicazioni per l'Ora Santa:

- Si prega a tutti di mantenere silenzio in Chiesa sempre, da quando si entra e durante le celebrazione. L'Adorazione e silenziosa e personale.
- Le preghiere di gruppo, come Rosario, Novena, Coroncina della Divina Misericordia, dovranno essere organizzate dalla parrocchia e recitate prima.
- La parrocchia cercherà di provvedere alcuni materiali per aiutare la gente a pregare.
- Si raccomanda alle persone anziane o con problemi particolare di salute di non rimanere per lungo tempo in chiesa al digiuno (senza mangiare e bere).

OCTOBER 27, 2024

SACRAMENT DATES



Please note Classes begin on Saturday, December 7, 2024. The candidates will be divided into two classes.

- 1st Class - 3 pm
- 2nd Class - 3 pm

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

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



Confirmation classes will start on Wed Dec 04 (St. Norbert's) and Dec 11 (St. Robert's) at 5 pm in the parish hall.

Confirmation Dates:

- June 08 - St. Norbert & other Schools
- June 15 - St. Robert & Other Schools

Month of the Holy Souls



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 the basket 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 nel cestino all'altare. Pregheremo per loro e per tutte le anime durante il mese di Novembre.

NOVEMBER 2nd - Mass for All Souls
2 Novembre - Messa per tutti i defunti



SECOND COLLECTION FOR MAINTENANCE 09/10 NOVEMBER

This collection is to help us to buy the new boiler for our parish. Winter is at the door and we need to hurry up with the installation of it.

We appreciate your support!

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 left side of the altar
- ✓ Special envelopes for masses are available in the church. Help yourself!



DATE	INTENTION	REQUESTED BY
Sat Oct 26 5 pm	+Sabrita Gallo +Carmela Di Matteo +Antonio Del Bianco +Isabelle Valencia	Mother Family Wife Family
Sun Oct 27 9 am		
10:30 am	+Jesus Aaron Gueco Sr. +Jim Dymont +Angelo & Maria Teresa Arciero +Mario Izzo +Giuseppe De Toro +Lucia Pascale +Nieves & Cesar Romero =Arduino & Regina Mazzoli	Family Family Daughters Family Family Family Family
12 pm	For all Parishioners (Pro Populo)	
Tue Oct 29 7 pm	++Maria & Costantino Frasca	Family
Wed Oct 30 7 pm	++ Filippo Bellantoni	Wife
Thu Oct 31 8:30 am		
Fri Nov 01 8:30 am		

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