

# ST. NORBERT'S PARISH

## BULLETIN

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**PASTOR**

**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

### 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.

### 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

# TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## Reflection on the Gospel



Today's Gospel casts Jesus in a prophetic light as one having authority to interpret God's law.

Jesus' quotation from Isaiah is ironic. In observing the law, the Pharisees honor God by ensuring that nothing unclean passes their lips. In this, however, they've turned the law inside out, making it a matter of simply performing certain external actions.

The law, fulfilled in the Gospel, is meant to form our hearts, to make us pure, able to live in the Lord's presence. The law was given that we might live and enter into the inheritance promised to us—the kingdom of God, eternal life.

This means we must be "doers" of the Word, not merely hearers of it. As we sing in today's Psalm and hear again in today's Epistle, we must work for justice, taking care of our brothers and sisters and living by the truth God has placed in our hearts.

By Saint Paul Center

### Note:

Per la riflessione in lingua italiana, guardate il bollettino delle letture della messa delle 9 a.m.

## SECOND COLLECTION FOR MAINTENANCE 07/08 SEPTEMBER 2024



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## PUTTING THE OTHERS FIRST



The first pews on both sides of the church are now reserved for people with difficulties in walking. Family members may sit with them.

I due primi banchi della chiesa sono riservati alle persone con difficoltà a muoversi. Tale persone NON devono piu' alzarsi per andare a prendere la Santa Comunione. I ministri verranno da loro.

**We appreciate your support!  
Grazie della collaborazione!**

## BACK TO SCHOOL

September is arriving and for some of us the vacation time is gone. It is time to go back to school and to return to full time work, as well. I would like to wish from the bottom of my heart to all teachers, parents and, specially to the students, a blessed new school year. May God assist you in this new year. The parish will be organizing as best as we can, the catechism section and some activities in the parish. BTW, if you want to volunteer in the parish, book an appointment with me, Fr. Elissandro.



## SUNDAY OFFERTORY

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.

SEPTEMBER 01, 2024



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

**Saturday, October 5, 2024**

**6:30 pm after the 5:00 pm evening mass.  
Tickets \$ 40.00 per person available after  
Mass on weekends and in the Office.**

You are welcome to share in our one big happy family dinner.

**NOVITA' Sulle Intezioni delle messe  
NEWS about the Mass Intentions**

Sapendo che molte persone non possono venire in ufficio per seguarsi le intenzioni di messe, ora le messe possono essere seguate per telefono o email e l'offerta della messa si puo' portare nello stesso giorno in cui la messa viene detta. Così, diventa piu' facile chiedere le proprie intenzioni di messe. Ricordatevi di mettere i nomi delle intenzioni sulla busta con l'offerta.



Now you don't need to come to the office to book a mass intention and give your donation. You may call or email the office for booking and bring the 'payment' offering to church when you have your mass booked. Please, write on the envelope offering the name, time and date of your intention(s).



**TUESDAY SEPTEMBER  
03, 2024. AFTER THE  
7:00 PM MASS.**

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.

"Know also that you will probably gain more by praying fifteen minutes before the Blessed Sacrament than by all the other spiritual exercises of the day."  
- St. Alphonsus Liguori



**Saturday Aug 31 -  
5:00 pm - +Gaetano Tiano**

**Sunday Sep 01 -  
9:00 am -**

**10:30 am - +Chinemerem Chidi Nwosu  
+Vilma Della Mora  
Thanksgiving for blessings received**

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

**Tuesday Sep 03 -  
7:00 pm -**

**Wednesday Sep 04 -  
7:00 pm -**

**Thursday Sep 05 -  
8:30 am -**

**Friday Sep 06 -  
8:30 am -**



The parish choirs' welcome new singers. Rehearsals will start at the end of September.

For the 10:30 am mass you may contact:  
**Michelle: email: [michellefrizza@gmail.com](mailto:michellefrizza@gmail.com)  
or call/text: 416-828-8071.**

For the 12 pm mass you may contact:  
**Maria: email: [bodger.maria@gmail.com](mailto:bodger.maria@gmail.com)**

**'Who praises God singing, prays twice'  
Saint Augustine**

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