

Saint Dunstan's Parish

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Pastor: Rev. Jeffrey Masterson
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Secretary: Mrs. Jean Walsh
Office Hours: Parish Office is closed during the pandemic, essential appointments only.

Weekday Masses:

Monday - Tuesday - Thursday - Friday:
Mass is at 9:00 a.m.
Wednesday Evening Mass is at 7:00 p.m.
Saturday morning: Mass is at 10:00 a.m.

Sunday Liturgy:

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday Mass: 10:00 a.m.
12:00 noon

Confessions:

By appointment, call the parish office.

Eucharistic Adoration:

First Fridays 12:30 - 7:00 pm

Perpetual Help Novena:

Saturday Mass 10:00 am

Communion for the Sick:

Holy Communion will gladly be brought to your home upon request. Please call the parish office.

School:

St. Dunstan's Catholic Elementary School
Telephone: 416-393-5241

St. Vincent de Paul Society.

Helpline: 416-698-0044

Legion of Mary

Catholic Women's League

Baptism:

Second and Fourth Sunday of the Month by appointment only, after completion of a Baptismal Preparation Class. Please pick-up a Baptismal Package from the parish office, read, complete and return same before registering to attend a Baptismal Preparation Class. Upon class completion a date will be set for the Baptism.

Marriage:

The Church asks all couples, whether they are to be married here or overseas, to contact the parish 1 year in advance of their planned date of marriage. Couples are also expected to attend and complete a Marriage Preparation Course. If either party has previously gone through any form of marriage, civil or religious, the priest is not to set a date for the wedding until the Archbishop's office has been consulted.



ANNUNCIATION

The Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord celebrates the Incarnation of the Son of God conceived by the Holy Spirit in the womb of the Virgin Mary.



The entry of the Son of God into our world of time and space marked the dawn of our salvation, the pivotal moment which divides human history

into “before” and “after” Christ. The feast also celebrates Mary’s role in God’s plan for the redemption of the world and we are grateful for and strive to imitate Our Lady’s consent to the will of God. *Parishioners are invited to celebrate the Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord this coming Friday, 25 March by attending the Solemn Mass at 7:00 p.m.*

STEUBENVILLE YOUTH CONFERENCE

Steubenville Toronto is back! This year, Canada’s largest annual summer youth conference for High School students will take place on July 15-17, 2022, in the auditorium of Canada Christian College located at 300 Water Street in Whitby, Ontario. This year’s theme is: “Fearless” (John 16:33).

To view this year’s ministry team, theme promo video, photos from previous years, more details visit: www.steubenville.com

Interested students should speak to Father Jeff as soon as possible.

EASTER VIGIL REFRESHMENTS

Those planning to attend the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday, the Church’s greatest liturgical celebration, are asked to consider helping with the refreshments for the reception following the Vigil. Food for the reception can be brought to the parish lounge before the Vigil begins at 9:00 p.m., Saturday April 16.

HOLY WEEK VOLUNTEERS

Eucharistic Ministers and Ushers are needed.

Please volunteer using the schedules in the Sacristy and Ushers’ Room.

SHARELIFE SUNDAY

In your Lenten almsgiving, please remember the annual ShareLife appeal of the Archdiocese of Toronto. The first collection for this year’s campaign is next Sunday, March 27. Thousands of people here and abroad will benefit from services offered by ShareLife’s 42 agencies. ShareLife envelopes can be found in your Offertory envelope box and are available at the Information Desk and the pamphlet rack.



COVID PROTOCOLS

As the province continues its path to re-opening, beginning Monday, March 21, masks will no longer be required in places of worship. Parishioners should feel free, however, to continue wearing masks and everyone should respect each other’s choice in this matter. Ministers will continue to wear masks for the time being when distributing communion.

We want to encourage Catholics to return to personal participation at Mass now that it is safer to do so and restrictions are lifted. As the Cardinal has recently written: *“The Eucharist remains the source and summit of our life in Christ. For Christians, participation in the Sunday Eucharist is the central experience of the week, and that is the foundation for the obligation of every Catholic to be personally present at Mass every Sunday....as the restrictions are lifted, now is the time (for) Catholics to return to physical presence at Sunday Mass, if not impeded for a legitimate reason, in keeping with our basic Sunday obligation as Catholics.”*

THANK YOU

Thank you to all who supported the Bundle Sunday last weekend and the sale of paintings fundraiser sponsored by the St. Vincent de Paul Society. Paintings will also be available for sale in the vestibule priced at \$5.00 each, between the Sunday Masses this weekend.

40 CANS FOR LENT

The Beaches Council #7008 of the Knights of Columbus invites parishioners to donate cans of non-perishable food to their 40 Cans for Lent project.

All donations will be given to the Good Shepherd Centre. Donations can be placed in the box in the vestibule of the church.



UKRAINIAN HUMANITARIAN RELIEF

Ukraine has been plunged into war after the Russian military invaded the country three weeks ago. Almost two million Ukrainian civilians have already fled their homes and are trying to find shelter in neighbouring countries. The Archdiocese of Toronto has launched a humanitarian relief effort to help the Ukrainian people at this time. All donations will be channelled through the Office for Refugees, Archdiocese of Toronto (ORAT) and the Catholic Near East Welfare Association (CNEWA). CNEWA is a papal agency with a long history of humanitarian relief. Your donation will help Ukrainian refugees, helping some of them find a new home in Canada. Those wishing to help may do so in the following ways:

- Online through the Archdiocese of Toronto website:
www.archtoronto.org
 - By phone through the Development Office –
416-934-3411
 - Through the parish, making cheques payable to:
St. Dunstan’s Church – Ukrainian Relief –
Humanitarian Relief
- Please use the yellow Humanitarian Relief offering envelope available in the vestibule.

Please continue to pray for the Ukrainian people and all those who suffer under the human tragedy of war.

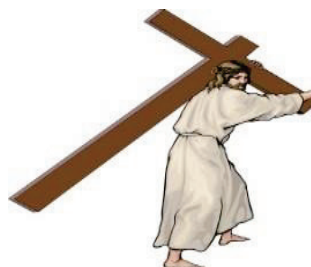
FIRST CONFESSIONS

First Confessions for children registered for First Communion will be Tuesday, March 29 at 7:00 p.m. in the church. Parents are asked to help their children at home to get ready for this important event in their spiritual life.



Masses For The Week

Monday	21 March
9:00 a.m.	Intentions of Michael Schaub Req.by Trac Ba Luu
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Tuesday	22 March
9:00 a.m.	Intentions of Margaret & Bill Hotchkiss Req.by Trac Ba Luu
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Wednesday	23 March
7:00 p.m.	The repose of Elizabeth Barring Req.by Hector & Norma Barring
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Thursday	24 March
9:00 a.m.	The repose of Necitas Olavides Req.by Terri
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Friday	25 March
	ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD <i>followed by Stations of the Cross</i>
	7:00 p.m.
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Saturday	26 March
10:00a.m.	In Thanksgiving for Adriel Rodrigues Req.by Family
	FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT
5:00 p.m.	The repose of Fely Gotladera Req.by Bennett Sy
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Sunday:	27 March
10:00 a.m.	Intentions of All Parishioners
12:00noon.	The repose of Ronillo Zosimo Req.by Edwin Guiao



REMEMBER
Stations of the Cross
following the 7:00 p.m.
Mass on Friday



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