

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:

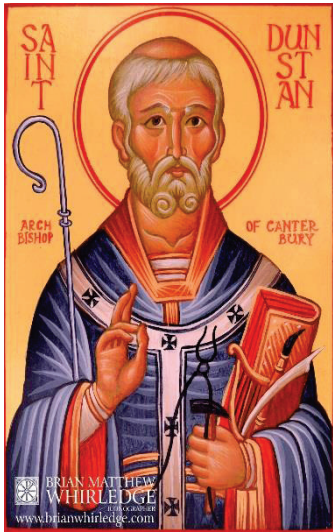
The Church asks all couples, whether they are to be married here or overseas, to contact the parish 1 year in advance of their planned date of marriage. Couples are also expected to attend and complete a Marriage Preparation Course. If either party has previously gone through any form of marriage, civil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



PLEASE REMEMBER GOD'S CHURCH AMONGST YOUR BLESSINGS AND IN YOUR WILL.

SOLEMNITY OF SAINT DUNSTAN

On Thursday, May 19 we celebrate the feast of Saint Dunstan, Patron of our parish. Saint Dunstan is



one of the most famous of all Anglo-Saxon saints. He was born in 910 A.D. and died in 988. He first became Bishop of Worcester, later of London and finally the Archbishop of Canterbury. He was one of the chief advisers to the King of England. Saint Dunstan is buried in Canterbury Cathedral, England. The cross on the top of our church is the Cross of

Canterbury. **Join fellow parishioners in celebrating our patronal feast with a Solemn Mass on Thursday, May 19 at 7:00 p.m.**

THE POPE'S PASTORAL WORKS

Next Sunday is the annual collection for the Pope's Pastoral Works. This collection provides an opportunity for Catholics to make a financial offering to assist the Holy Father. With these funds, the Church can provide an immediate humanitarian response in countries stricken by war, famine and natural disasters. The Pope's Pastoral Works displays Christ's love and compassion for people in desperate need.

One-third of the funds collected is for what is traditionally known as Peter's Pence: donations used by the Pope for his charitable contributions to those most in need. Two-thirds of the collection is to support the Holy Father in administering the Holy See and serving the Universal Church. Please give generously.



ROSARY FOR UKRAINE

Pope Francis is encouraging Catholics to pray the rosary during Mary's month of May for an end to Russian aggression and for the suffering people in Ukraine.

AN ONTARIO ELECTION DEBATE FROM A CATHOLIC PERSPECTIVE

On Wednesday, May 18 starting at 7:30p.m. the Archdiocese of Toronto will host an Ontario Election Debate from a Catholic Perspective, featuring representatives from the major political parties. The debate will be livestreamed on the archdiocese's Facebook page and YouTube channel, and it will be broadcasted live on Salt + Light TV. Peter Stockland, publisher of The Catholic Register, will be the moderator and he will ask the candidates how they will respond to the concerns of Ontario's Catholics. The Archdiocese has also produced a number of non-partisan resources to help the faithful discern their vote through the wisdom of Catholic Social Teaching.

You can find these resources at:

www.archtoronto.org/election

LETTER FROM CARDINAL COLLINS

In a recent letter to the priests serving the Archdiocese, the Cardinal encouraged Catholics to return to Sunday Mass in person. Please share this message with family, friends and neighbours as appropriate.

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. Of course, if there is a legitimate reason (such as being sick) this obligation does not apply. Similarly, when pandemic restrictions for the common good and love of neighbour have prevented attendance, then the obligation does not apply, and it is understandable as well that some may feel hesitant at first about returning to personal participation. But as the restrictions are lifted, now is the time to encourage 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.

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

Thank you to those who have contributed to the following Special Collections. So far the parishioners from St. Dunstan's have contributed:

UKRAINIAN RELIEF = \$4,667.00

SHARELIFE = \$11,312.00

Your compassion and generosity to the relief effort for Ukraine and Sharelife is greatly appreciated.

UKRAINIAN HUMANITARIAN RELIEF

The Archdiocese of Toronto has launched a humanitarian relief effort to help the Ukrainian people at this time of crisis, following the Russian invasion. If you would like to help those refugees who have fled their country, you can do so • Online through the Archdiocese of Toronto website:

www.archtoronto.org

- or through our parish, making cheques payable to:
St. Dunstan's Church – Ukrainian Relief –
Humanitarian Relief

Please use the yellow Humanitarian Relief offering envelopes available in the vestibule. These envelopes may be added to the regular collection at Sunday Mass.

**OUR LADY OF THE CAPE
PILGRIM STATUE TOUR**

Sponsored by the Marian Devotional Movement. Everyone is invited to celebrate the month of Mary as the Pilgrim Statue from Canada's National Marian Shrine of Our Lady of the Cape in Trois-Rivieres, Quebec visits the following churches in May:
St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica Thursday, May 19 at 1:00 p.m. and St. Aidan's Church, 3501 Finch Avenue in Scarborough on Friday, May 20 at 7:00 p.m.

STEUBENVILLE YOUTH CONFERENCE

The annual Steubenville Youth Conference hosted by the Archdiocese of Toronto will take place this summer July 15-17 at Canada Christian College, 300 Water Street in Whitby. The conference is for students graduating this year from Grades 8-12. The cost is \$240 (including meals and accommodation) of which students are asked to contribute **only \$100.00**. Transportation will be arranged. Students interested should speak to Father Jeff as soon as possible. Donations from parishioners and parish groups to sponsor our young people are welcome. Adults wishing to help at the Conference as volunteers should visit steubenvilletoronto.com. The theme of this year's Conference is "Fearless" suggested by John 16:33. -
"In the world you face persecution. But take courage; I have conquered the world".



Masses For The Week

Monday	16 May
9:00 a.m.	In Thanksgiving for Jeff Susilo Req.by Sheila & Ellen Grace
Tuesday	17 May
9:00 a.m.	In Thanksgiving 25 th Anniversary of Romel & Hazel Amoguis
Wednesday	18 May
7:00 p.m.	The repose of Cayetano Mondoy Req.by Joel Mondoy
Thursday	19 May
	<i>SAINT DUNSTAN, bishop</i> <i>Patron and Titular of our Parish</i>
7:00 p.m.	All Parishioners
Friday	20 May
	<i>Friday is a day of penitential observance</i>
9:00 a.m.	Intentions of Carole Walsh Req.by Trac Ba Luu
Saturday	21 May
10:00 a.m.	Intentions of Remy Raminez Req.by Family
	SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
5:00 p.m.	The repose of Cajetan & Justina D'Souza Req.by Michael & Loretta D'Souza
Sunday	22 May
10:00 a.m.	Intentions of All Parishioners
12:00 noon	The repose of Anthony Rodrigues Req.by Santan & Margaret Lobo





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