### Saint Dunstan's Church

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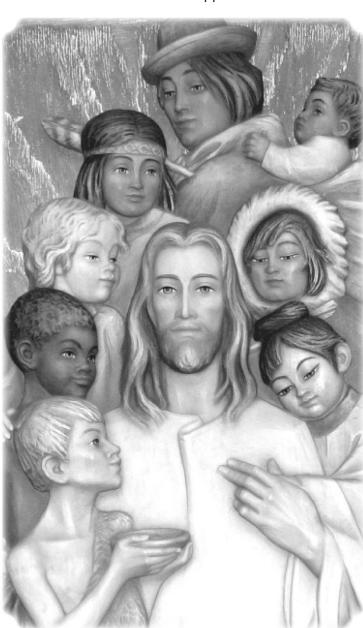
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Pastor: Rev. Jeffrey Masterson

Deacon: Rev. Mr. Philip Allard

**Secretary:** Mrs. Jean Walsh **Office Hours:** Tuesday – Friday

Call to make an appointment.



#### **Sunday Masses:**

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday Mass: 10:00 a.m., 12:00 noon

#### Weekday Masses:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 9:00 a.m.

Wednesday/Solemnities 7:00 p.m. Saturday/Civic Holidays 10:00 a.m. First Friday 12:10 noon 7:00 p.m.

#### Confessions:

Saturday 9:75-9:45 a.m., 4:15-4:45 p.m.

#### **Eucharistic Adoration:**

First Fridays 12:30 - 7:00 p.m.

#### Perpetual Help Novena:

Saturday Mass 10:00 a.m.

#### 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.

#### R.C.I.A/ ADULT CATECHISM

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A), restored following the Second Vatican Council, is the normative way for adults to prepare for baptism in the Catholic Church. The catechetical formation course for the candidates will be held on Tuesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. in the parish lounge beginning on Tuesday, October 4. The course is also intended for other baptized Christians who are considering entering into full communion with the Catholic Church. This course is ideal for cradle Catholics who want to renew their faith and refresh their knowledge of the Church's teaching. Potential candidates are asked to contact the parish office in advance at 416-694-2811. Registration is required.



#### MOVING HOUSE – IN – OUT AND AROUND OUR PARISH?



Many people move in and out of the parish during the summer months. Please help us to keep our records up to date by letting us know if you are moving out of the parish or changing your address within the parish. New parishioners **WELCOME**; we invite you to register as

soon as you move into the parish, we hope you feel at home here at St. Dunstan's.

#### LABOUR DAY

The Labour Day weekend marks the end of the summer vacation period and the resumption of regular activities in home, parish and school. The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops has designated Labour Day as a Special Day of Prayer in Canada. Everyone is invited to Mass on Monday, September 5 when the Mass for the Sanctification of Human Labour will be celebrated at 10:00 a.m. On this day we pray for all who labour, that their work may be a means of sanctification for them and a witness to the dignity of human labour.

#### PAPAL PRAYER INTENTION FOR SEPTEMBER

Parishioners are encouraged to remember the Holy Father's intention in their daily prayers. That the death penalty, which attacks the dignity of the human person, may be legally abolished in every country.

#### 100<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY PICTORIAL ALBUM

As Father Jeff announced on May 19, the feast of Saint Dunstan, next year will be our parish's 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary. Planning is underway for a number of special events to celebrate this milestone.

To mark this occasion and provide a keepsake for our parishioners we would like to publish a Centennial Parish Directory which would include an updated historical record of the parish with photographs of the past 100 years. If you have any older photos you might like to share, please call Jean in the parish office to arrange to get copies.

Part of the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Pictorial Album will be photos of parishioners and their families. We have arranged IPC Canada Photo Services, professional photograghers to take parishioners photos in the parish lounge starting September 19 to September 23, from 2:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. daily. Sign up sheets for appointments will be available starting the weekend of August 28-29. It is FREE, there is no charge, each individual/family photographed will receive a FREE 8X10 Colour portrait and a FREE 100th Anniversary Pictorial Album. If you wish you may also purchase additional photographs or photo greeting cards. Christmas is coming what a great idea to send family and loved ones a professional photo of your family on a Christmas Card.

We need everyone to participate and sign up to make our Anniversary Pictorial Album complete. Mark your calendars.



## Masses For The Week

Monday 5 September Labour Day Mass for The Santification of Human Labour Special Intention 10:00 a.m.

Tuesday 6 September

9:00 a.m. The repose of Norm Spencer Req.by Michelle Barraclough

Wednesday 7 September

7:00 p.m. Deceased members of the Gowan Family

Req.by Jude Gowan

Thursday 8 September

> NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

9:00 a.m. Repose of Eulaia Albaira

Req.by Leyson Family

Friday 9 September

Friday is a day of penitential observance

The repose of Rufo Guiyab 9:00 a.m. Reg.by. Guiyab Family

10 September Saturday

Our Lady's Saturday

In Thanksgiving 10:00 a.m.

Reg.by Delia Doram

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

5:00 p.m. The repose of Abaline&Joaquim D'Mello

Req by. Family

Sunday 11 September

10:00 a.m. Intentions of All Parishioners

12:00 noon In Thanksgiving to the Sacred Heart &

Immacualte Heart of Mary

Req.by. Santan & Margaret Lobo



#### **SEASON OF CREATION**

In 2015, Pope Francis declared September 1 as the World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation, coinciding with a celebration previously instituted by the Orthodox Church. Moreover, the Church is observing the period from September 1 to October 4, the feast of Saint Francis of Assisi, patron of the environment, as the Season of Creation, a time to reflect on the gift of creation and our role as stewards of our common home. All the faithful are encouraged to take practical initiatives to alleviate the current enviromental crisis.

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

Praying for our loved ones and friends, particularly those who have died, is a time-honoured tradition of the Church. Offering Masses for these and other intentions helps unite us in faith. We try to accommodate special Mass Intentions on the dates requested whenever possible. Requesting a Mass is as easy as dropping by the Parish Office during office hours or by seeing the receptionist at the Information Desk on Sundays. The stipend for an Announced Mass is \$20.00; a date and time will be given. Unannounced Masses are \$10.00. If you have a special date or anniversary be sure to book early as only one intention is allowed for each Announced Mass.

#### TABERNACLE CANDLE DEDICATION

If you would like to have the Tabernacle Candle dedicated to a loved one or for your intentions, please call the parish office or speak to the receptionist at the Information Desk. The usual donation is \$20.00. The Candle burns for one week and the dedication will be placed on the bulletin board in the lobby of the church. If you have a special dedication date be it an anniversary etc., please book that date well in advance so as not to be disappointed.

Please see the Bulletin board in the vestibule of the Church for more news/events in and around the Archdiocese.



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