

# Saint Dunstan's Church

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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 9:15-9:45 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.



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

**LIFE CHAIN**

Let us exercise our constitutional rights of freedom of conscience and religion, freedom of expression and assembly, today Sunday, October 2 by participating in the annual Life Chain across North America. Life Chain is a simple, prayerful and peaceful way to give public witness to our conviction that human life is a gift from God and must be protected from conception to natural death. It is a reminder to our society that abortion is the violent destruction of human life. Come and join us at this year's Life Chain by witnessing to the sanctity of life on behalf of the most vulnerable members of our society **today Sunday, October 2 from 2:00-3:00 p.m. at the intersection of Danforth and Victoria Park Avenues.**



**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 or reception into 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 this Tuesday, October 4. This course is ideal for cradle Catholics who want to renew their faith and refresh their knowledge of the Church's teachings. Potential candidates are asked to contact the parish office in advance at 416-694-2811. Registration is required.



**CHOIR MEMBERS NEEDED**

As pandemic restrictions are lifted and we gradually transition to a more normal parish life, both our adult choir (Sunday at 10:00 a.m.) and our childrens/youth choir (Sunday at 12:00 noon) are in need of more voices, especially as we prepare to celebrate our Parish Centennial next year. Interested choristers should call our choir director Menino Rodrigues at 416-698-6692.

**GOOD SHEPHERD  
THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE**

Once again this year, St. Dunstan's is supporting the Good Shepherd Ministries Annual Thanksgiving Food Drive. Good Shepherd served 228,524 meals last year to those living on the streets or with low income and they need to refill their pantry. Parishioners can bring their donations to church when they come to Mass on Thanksgiving weekend October 8-10. Good Shepherd needs canned tuna and salmon, canned vegetables, canned meats and fruit, soups and stews, pasta sauce, cookies, crackers, peanut butter, jams, coffee, tea, sugar, rice, powdered milk, salad dressings and mayonnaise, vegetable oil, mustard, breakfast cereals and granola bars. Please NO fresh or frozen food. Thank you for your continued generous support of those in need.



**PUBLIC SQUARE ROSARY CRUSADE**

St. Dunstan's will join hundreds of parishes across Canada on Saturday, October 15 for the 2022 Public Square Rosary Crusade. Everyone is invited for the recitation of the Rosary to pray for our nation which is in need of prayer, repentance and conversion, **outside in front of the church at 12:00 noon, Saturday, October 15. For the convenience of our parishioners, the Saturday Mass will be celebrated at 11:00 a.m.**



**PAPAL PRAYER INTENTION FOR OCTOBER**

*Parishioners are encouraged to remember the Holy Father's intention in their daily prayers.*  
That the Church, ever faithful and courageous in preaching the Gospel, may be a community of solidarity, fraternity and welcome, always living in an atmosphere of synodality.

**ROSARY APOSTOLATE**

The Rosary Apostolate has been faithfully visiting St. Dunstan's School once a month to pray the Rosary with the students for more than 20 years. We are seeking people who have a great love for the Rosary and who are willing to visit the schools to pray the Rosary with the children once a month for a total of only 8 days a year. Training, screening and materials will be provided. If you are interested, please contact: Delores Marquez 416-269-2478 or Charlotte Alphonso at 647-298-5405.

**ANNOUNCED MASSES THIS WEEK**

Monday 3 October  
 9:00 a.m. In Thanksgiving for the gift of  
 Therese Schaub  
 Req.by Michael Schaub

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Tuesday 4 October  
**Saint Francis of Assisi**  
 9:00 a.m. The repose of Rolando Araullo  
 Req.by Wendel & Charie Araullo

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Wednesday 5 October  
 7:00 p.m. Intentions of Maria Jessica Pascua  
 Req.by Sherry Ann Pascua

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Thursday 6 October  
 9:00 a.m. Special Intention

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Friday 7 October *First Friday*  
*Friday is a day of penitential observance*  
**Our Lady of the Rosary**  
**12:10 noon** For the Protection of Unborn Children  
 Req.by Masses For Life  
**7:00 p.m.** The repose of Saverine & Francis  
 Fernandes  
 Req.by Margaret & Santan Lobo

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Saturday 8 October  
**Our Lady's Saturday**  
 10:00 a.m. Helen & Fred Halloran, deceased  
 relatives & friends  
 Req.by Tardif Family  
**TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN  
 ORDINARY TIME**  
 5:00 p.m. Intentions of Mervyn Domingue

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Sunday 9 October  
 10:00 a.m. Intentions of All Parishioners  
 12:00 noon In Thanksgiving  
 Req.by Laetitia Gomes

**MONTH OF THE ROSARY**

October is traditionally observed as the Month of the Rosary, a centuries-old devotion recommended by countless saints and numerous pontiffs. In 1889, Pope Leo XIII directed that the following prayer to Saint Joseph should be recited after the Rosary during the month of October.



*To you, O blessed Joseph, we have recourse in our affliction; and having implored the help of your most holy Spouse, we confidently invoke your patronage also . By that charity which bound you to the Immaculate Virgin, Mother of*

*God, and by the fatherly love with which you embraced the Child Jesus, look down, we beseech you, with gracious eye on the precious inheritance which Jesus Christ purchased with His blood, and help us in our necessities by your power and aid. Protect, O most watchful Guardian of the Holy Family, the elect children of Jesus Christ; ward off from us, O most loving Father, all blight of error and corruption; aid us from on high, O most valiant Defender, in our struggle with the powers of darkness; and even as of old you rescued the Child Jesus from the greatest peril of His life, so now defend God's Holy Church from the snares of the enemy and from all adversity. Shield also each one of us by your constant protection , so that, supported by your example and your aid, we may live a holy life, die a happy death, and attain everlasting happiness in heaven. Amen.*

**BRIDGE OF ROSES**

Parishioners who subscribe to the global Catholic television network EWTN will be interested in viewing the docudrama "Bridge of Roses: The Story of Our Lady of the Cape", about Canada's National Marian Shrine which will be broadcast Wednesday, October 5 at 10:00 p.m. and Friday, October 7 at 3:30 p.m.



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