

Saint Dunstan's Church

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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

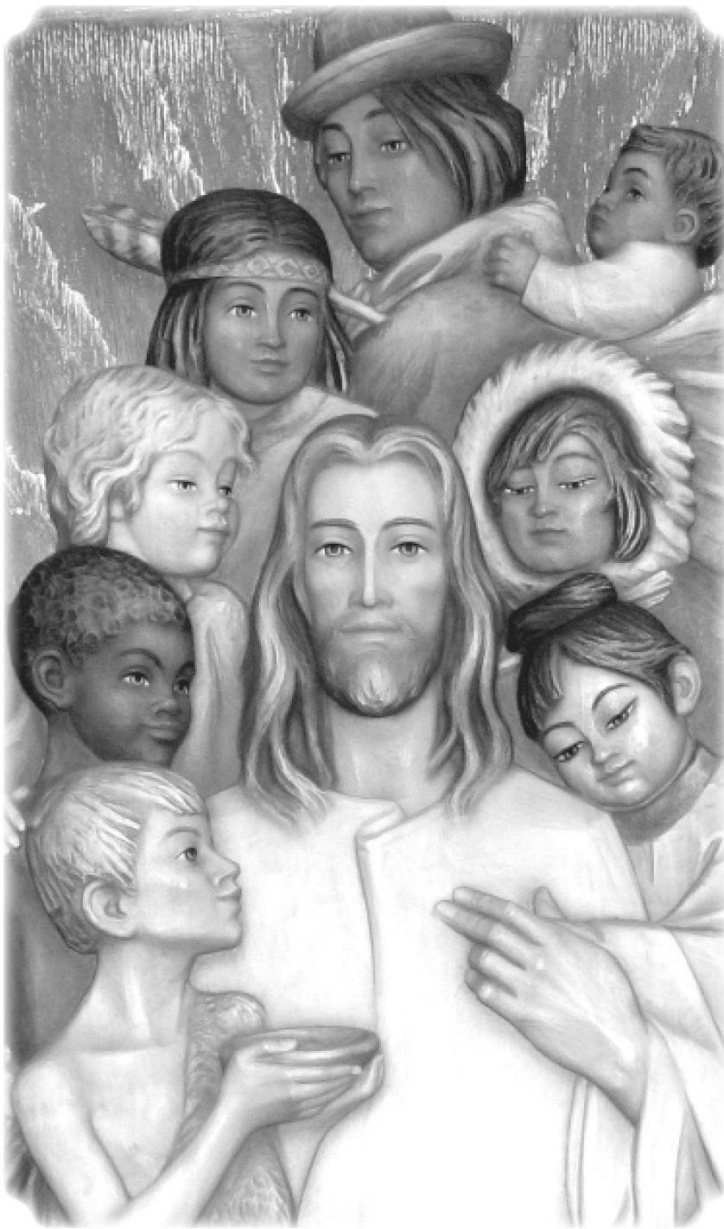
Catholic Women's League

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.



SAINT JOSEPH

As March 19 falls on a Lenten Sunday this year, the Solemnity of Saint Joseph is transferred to Monday, March 20. A solemn Mass will be celebrated at 7:00 p.m. All parishioners are invited to celebrate the Patron of the Universal Church and Patron of Canada. Canada was first consecrated to Saint Joseph by the Franciscan Recollet Fathers in 1624. Devotion to Saint Joseph was brought to our area by the Jesuit missionaries who dedicated the land of Huronia to the foster-father of the Saviour. The church at the mission of Sainte-Marie near Midland, where the bodies of Saints Jean de Brebeuf and Gabriel Lalement were first interred is named after Saint Joseph as is the present Martyrs' Shrine church. The largest church in the world dedicated to Saint Joseph is here in Canada: St. Joseph's Oratory in Montreal, founded by Saint Andre Bessette.

Let us pray to our great Patron, Saint Joseph, for the people of Canada, our government and national institutions, and that our society may protect and defend

the sanctity of human life, marriage and the family. May our country remain true to the Christian values and foundation on which it was built and to which the Catholic Church has been an important contributor.

SAINT JOSEPH NOVENA

Novena prayers in preparation for the Solemnity of Saint Joseph will be recited before weekday Masses leading up to the feast.

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 8.

BUNDLE SUNDAY

The next Bundle Sunday here in St. Dunstan's is the weekend of March 25-26. The St. Vincent de Paul Society truck will be in the parking lot to receive your donations of clothing, shoes, linens and fabrics.

CENTENNIAL 9-DAY TRIP TO ENGLAND

One of our projects to celebrate the 100th Anniversary of our parish is a trip to England, the birthplace of our parish patron, Saint Dunstan of Canterbury. Our trip is booked for **July 12-20, 2023**. We will be staying at one central hotel in London for the duration of the trip. Cost per person, double occupancy is \$4,580.00 which includes flights & taxes, accommodation, full English breakfast daily and five three-course dinners, all entrance fees and tours as per the itinerary, guide and private coach transportation + gratuities to hotel and restaurant staff. Don't miss out on this amazing trip. If you would like more information or an itinerary please call the parish office 416-694-2811 ext. 2.

CAMPAIGN LIFE COALITION
COINS FOR LIFE

Containers are available this weekend for those wishing to help Campaign Life Coalition in its annual "Coins for Life" fundraising project. Throughout Lent deposit your loose change in the container. Your small change can lead to a big change when you support Campaign Life in its pro-life education endeavours.

100th ANNIVERSARY PHOTO DIRECTORY

We are currently working on our 100th Anniversary Photo Directory. Group photographs will be arranged soon. As part of the directory we will also include a brief history of the past 100 years with photos and testimonials, so if you have any photos you would like to share please call Jean in the parish office. As well as the history and photos there will be pages where individuals/families/or businesses can give their congratulations and best wishes to parishioners. Naturally, if you have a business this is great advertising but this opportunity is open to everyone.

The cost of a full page (8X10) is \$225.00

½ page is \$125 and ¼ page \$75.00

Depending on what size you purchase you will be able to add a photo/business card or graphic and your best wishes. For more information please call the parish office at 416-694-2811 ext. 2.



REMEMBER
Stations of the Cross
Fridays during Lent
at 7:00 p.m.

LENTEN FILM SERIES

The second movie in our Lenten Film Series will be screened this evening at 6:00 p.m.: “Footprints” a recent film following a priest and 11 young men walking the Camino (way or road) to the shrine of Santiago de Compostela where the tomb of Saint James the apostle has been venerated since the eighth century. This shrine is one of the great pilgrim destinations since the Middle Ages; currently a quarter of a million people make this pilgrimage on foot annually. The twelve pilgrims who are the subject of this movie walked approximately 800 km from the French border across northern Spain to Santiago, a journey taking over a month to complete. Be inspired by their trek which can be seen as a metaphor for our life on the road to the Father’s house. The film has a running time of 1 ½ hours.

Next Sunday, March 19 we have a double feature with movies about two Italian youths, a boy and a girl, who have been beatified by the Church in recent years: Carlo Acutis who died in 2006 at the age of 15, and Chiara Badano who died in 1990 at the age of 19.

EARTHQUAKE HUMANITARIAN RELIEF

The Archdiocese of Toronto is accepting donations to aid relief efforts following the devastating earthquake and violent aftershocks in Turkey and Syria. Donate by phone through the Development Office: 416-934-3411 or through the parish making cheques payable to: **St. Dunstan’s Church – Turkey and Syria**

Earthquake – Humanitarian Relief

Please use the yellow Humanitarian Relief envelopes available at the Information Desk or your own clearly marked envelope.

EASTER DRAWING CONTEST

Sponsored by the Catholic Register for elementary students Grades 1-8. Deadline March 31 at 12:00noon. For more information and to submit your entry go to

www.catholicregister.org/eastercontest

YOUTH INTERFAITH VIDEO CONTEST

Sponsored by the Dominican Friars for high school students. Deadline April 17 at 3:00 p.m. For theme, contest rules go to:

www.catholicregister.org/videocontest



Masses For The Week

Monday	13 March
9:00 a.m.	In Thanksgiving Req.by Leyson Family
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Tuesday	14 March
9:00 a.m.	The repose of Ernest & Helen Ricketts Req.by Helen Ricketts
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Wednesday	15 March
7:00 p.m.	For the protection of unborn children Req.by Masses for Life Project
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Thursday	16 March
9:00 a.m.	The repose of Jovencia Alo Req.by Nick Alo
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Friday	17 March
	<i>Friday is a day of penitential observance</i> Saint Patrick, bishop
9:00 a.m.	The repose of Patricia de Rushe Req.by Paula Quintal
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Saturday	18 March
10:00 a.m.	The repose of Patricia Fleming Req.by Family
	FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT
5: 00 p.m.	The repose of Colleen & Nathaniel Req.by Daughter & Son-in-law
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Sunday	19 March
10:00 a.m.	All Parishioners
12:00 noon	Intentions of Theresa Campbell Req.by Isabel Campbell

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 **Sunday, March 26**. ShareLife envelopes can be found in your Offertory box and are available at the Information Desk.



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