

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.

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 7:00pm. beginning October 10. 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 contact the parish office in advance at 416-694-2811 ext. 2.

Registration is required.



LIFE CHAIN

Let us exercise our constitutional rights of freedom of conscience and religion, freedom of expression and assembly, today Sunday, October 1 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 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 1 from 2:00 to 3:00p.m. at the intersection of Danforth and Victoria Park Avenues.**



PUBLIC SQUARE ROSARY CRUSADE

St. Dunstan's will join hundreds of parishes across Canada on Saturday, October 14 for the 2023 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 14. For the convenience of our parishioners, the Saturday Mass will be celebrated at 11:00 a.m. on this day.**



October is a month of special celebrations for our parish as we observe our 100th anniversary. It was in October 1923 that the first Mass was celebrated in the original church on this site. **Our new Archbishop, Francis Leo, will celebrate the 12:00 noon Mass here on Sunday, October 15 with a reception to follow. The following Saturday, October 21, we will have our Centennial Dinner and Dance at:**

Qssis Banquet Hall,

3474 Kingston Road @ Markham Road

Join fellow parishioners, past pastors & priests, for an evening of good food, dance and socializing.

Enjoy a Three Course Dinner, DJ Dancing & Cash Bar

Adult tickets: \$60.00 each

Child (under 11 years): \$20.00 each

Tickets are on sale after all Sunday Masses or through the parish office. If you are planning to attend please get your tickets soon as the banquet hall will need to know the number of attendees.

MANY THANKS to the Vaz-Gomes Family for the beautiful floral arrangement which decorated our sanctuary last weekend in

memory of the late Benedicta Gomes.

Parishioners who would like to offer a floral tribute in honour of a loved one, deceased or living, or to mark a special anniversary or event should call Jean in

the parish office: 416-694-2811 ext. 2



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Free Webinar

Estate Planning

From a Catholic Perspective



Saturday October 14, 2023
9:00 to 10:00 A.M.

Join this webinar to learn about the importance of a Will, Powers of Attorney, and Estate Planning, as well as Catholic teachings and traditions around burial and cremation

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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 thousands of 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 7-9. Good Shepherd needs canned tuna and salmon, canned vegetables, soups and stews, pasta sauce, cookies, peanut butter, jams, coffee, tea, sugar, rice, powdered milk. See the bulletin board for a list of most needed items. Please No fresh or frozen food. Thank you for your continued generous support of those in need.

PAPAL PRAYER INTENTION FOR OCTOBER

Parishioners are encouraged to remember the Holy Father's intention in their daily prayers
For the Synod, that the Church may adopt listening and dialogue as a lifestyle at every level, and allow herself to be guided by the Holy Spirit towards the peripheries of the world.



Masses For The Week

<u>Monday:</u>	2 October	
	Holy Guardian Angels	
9:00 a.m.	The repose of Joy Barber	
	Req.by Friends	
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<u>Tuesday:</u>	3 October	
9:00 a.m.	In Thanksgiving for the gift of	
	Theresa Schaub	
	Req.by. her husband Michael Schaub	
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<u>Wednesday:</u>	4 October	
	Saint Francis of Assisi	
7:00 p.m.		
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<u>Thursday:</u>	5 October	
9:00 a.m.		
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<u>Friday</u>	6 October	<i>First Friday</i>
	<i>Friday is a day of penitential observance</i>	
	Votive Mass of the Sacred Heart	
12:10 noon	The Protection of Unborn Children	
	Req.by Masses for Life Project	
7:00 p.m.		
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<u>Saturday</u>	7 October	<i>First Saturday</i>
	Our Lady of the Rosary	
10:00 a.m.	Helen & Fred Halloran, deceased	
	relatives & friends	
	Req.by Tardif Family	
	TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY	
	TIME	
5:00 p.m.	The repose of Paulina Corpuz	
	Req.by Ben Corpuz & Family	
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<u>Sunday:</u>	8 October	
10:00 a.m.	Intentions of All Parishioners	
12:00 noon	The repose of Saverine & Francis	
	Fernandes	
	Req.by Santan & Margaret Lobo	





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