

# 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

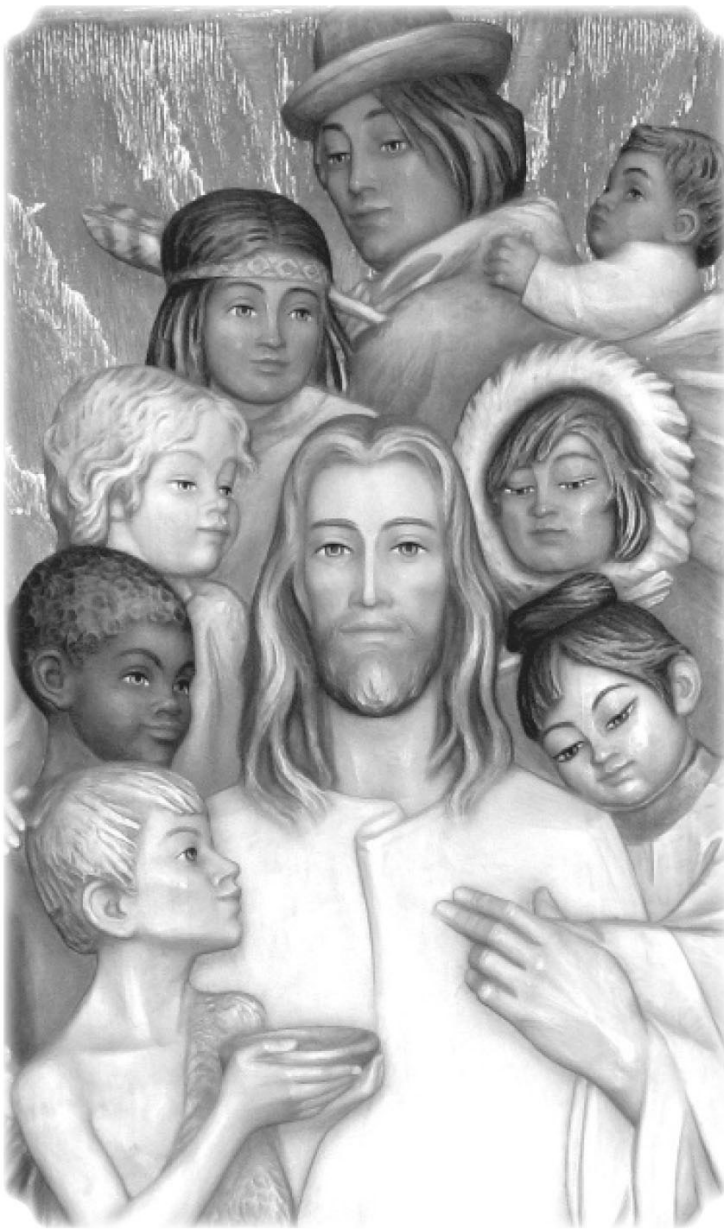
## Catholic Women's League

## 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.

**WELCOME**

The Easter Vigil is the climax of the entire Christian calendar with the most beautiful and impressive of liturgies which began our yearly celebration of the Resurrection of Jesus. At the Easter Vigil, our parish welcomed Liquat Khan who was baptized, James, Jimmy and Nathan Karmoker who made their profession of faith and were received into full communion with the Catholic Church, all of whom were confirmed and received their First Communion. Baptized Catholics Claudia Moreno and Alexia Felix were also confirmed and received their First Communion, and Joseline Siles and Al Bernardez were confirmed. At this time we also recognize the continued dedication of our RCIA coordinator and instructor Theresa Kellen for helping and guiding these candidates.

**SPECIAL THANKS** to Inez Fernandes and the Catholic Women's League for organizing the reception which followed the Easter Vigil, and all who helped provide the refreshments. Thus we were able to continue our celebration of the Lord's Resurrection as well as the baptism/reception and Christian Initiation of our eight candidates.

**"A DAY WITH MARY"**

After the success of last year's observance, the Archdiocese of Toronto will once again celebrate "A Day with Mary", on Saturday, May 30 at Villanova College, 2480 15<sup>th</sup> Sideroad in King City. This family-friendly day will consist of Holy Mass celebrated by His Eminence Cardinal Leo, praying of the Rosary, confessions, a keynote address for adults and children's catechesis for the little ones. There will be music, fellowship and more. This is a free event for all but registration is required. Register online at <https://bit.ly/DWMRegistraion>.

Information can be found at:  
<https://archtoronto.org/Mary>

**COINS FOR LIFE**

Parishioners who have participated in the Coins for Life Lenten project sponsored by Campaign Life Coalition are asked to return their boxes with coins to the rectory as soon as possible. Thank you for your sacrificial gift which helps educate our fellow citizens and protect the lives of the innocent unborn.

**DIVINE MERCY**

This year, the Divine Mercy Novena and observance of the Feast of Divine Mercy were well attended at St. Dunstan's. Many thanks to Michael Schaub who organized the Novena and all those who helped lead the prayers during Easter Week, as well as all those who attended the Divine Mercy devotions last Sunday afternoon.

**SHARELIFE**

Next Sunday is the second collection for the annual ShareLife appeal which is marking its fiftieth anniversary in 2026. So far, St. Dunstan's parishioners have donated \$10,340.00 towards our campaign goal of \$30,500.00 suggested by the Archdiocese.

**NEW ADDRESS**

The pro-life organization *Aid to Women* has recently moved to a new location at 453 Signet Drive, North York, telephone 416-779-6994, [www.aidtowomen.ca](http://www.aidtowomen.ca). It is hoped that their new location and the space it provides will allow Aid to Women to better serve women facing unplanned or challenging pregnancies in an environment where women feel safe, supported and valued. Here, life is celebrated, families are strengthened, and mothers are reminded that they are never alone.

**REMINDER:**

**First Holy Communion:**  
**Sunday, May 3 at the 12:00 noon Mass**  
**Confirmation:**  
**Saturday, May 23 at the 5:00 p.m. Mass**



**REMEMBERING OUR PARISH IN YOUR WILL**

Your parish has been there for you and your family during the most important moments of your lives. Make sure your Catholic community is active and alive for years to come. Please consider our parish in your Will or through a planned gift. A bequest is a beautiful way to express your faith and gratitude for a lifetime of blessings ~ a lasting legacy of love that will help the Church continue to serve future families with its many ministries.

**HELP NOT HARM CAMPAIGN**

Parishioners are urged to visit:

**[HelpNotHarmCanada.ca](http://HelpNotHarmCanada.ca)**

where you can e-mail newly-elected MP for Scarborough Southwest Doly Begum asking her to support **Bill C-218 (The Right to Recover Act)**, which would amend the Criminal Code to prevent Medical Assistance in Dying (MAiD) from being provided when mental illness is the sole underlying condition. Without this change MAiD will be available for those suffering from mental illness alone beginning in March 2027.

Chances are you know someone struggling with mental illness ~ a family member, friend, or colleague. As Catholics and Canadians, we are called to offer care, hope, and protection ~ not death ~ to those who are suffering and most vulnerable.

Visit **[HelpNotHarmCanada.ca](http://HelpNotHarmCanada.ca)** today and ask your MP to support Bill C-218.

**40 CANS FOR LENT**

Good Shepherd Ministries recently sent us a letter of thanks for the generous contribution from the Knights of Columbus and St. Dunstan's parishioners for approximately 400 lbs. of assorted canned goods and other non-perishable items to provide meals to those who are homeless and at-risk. See the bulletin board for a copy of the full letter.



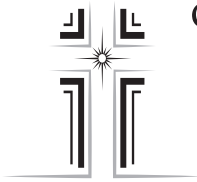
Monday	20 April
9:00 a.m.	Repose of Peter Gomes Req.by Joana, Owen & Lawrian
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Tuesday	21 April
9:00 a.m.	
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Wednesday	22 April
7:00 p.m.	
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Thursday	23 April
9:00 a.m.	
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Friday	24 April
	<i>Friday is a day of penitential observance</i>
9:00 a.m.	Repose of Jorge Estrada Req.by his Daughter
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Saturday	25 April
	<b>SAINT MARK, evangelist</b>
10:00 a.m.	Repose of Christine Lobo Req.by Sylvia Stanko
	<b>FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER</b>
	<b>World Day of Prayer for Vocations</b>
5:00 p.m.	Repose of Amando, Flordeliza & Absalona Relojas Req.by Marieta Renacido
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Sunday	26 April
10:00 a.m.	Intentions of All Parishioners
12:00 noon	In Thanksgiving (Birthday) Req.by Edna Rivera





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