



**Kindergarten Registration: January 6 - 17**

Start the Journey into Learning with us!

Elementary school admissions are open to Catholic children and children of Catholic parents. Children born in 2015 and 2016 can start Kindergarten in September 2020. Parents/guardians have the option to register online or in-person at their designated Catholic school.

Kindergarten Registration for the 2020-21 school year will take place January 6-17, 2020. Register online at: [www.dpcdsb.org](http://www.dpcdsb.org)

**Simple, Made Divine**

**Wednesday, January 15<sup>th</sup> from 7:00pm to 9:30pm**  
**St Martin of Tours Catholic Church, Mississauga**



Join the Western Regional Young Adult Ministry Spiritus Vitae for an evening to deepen your faith alongside a vibrant community of young adults (ages 19-35). Our speaker, Fr. Rick Davis, associate pastor at Merciful Redeemer, will explore the true meaning of the Eucharist. The talk will be followed by group discussions and adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Snacks and beverages will be provided!

Contact: Georgina at [gabrego@archtoronto.org](mailto:gabrego@archtoronto.org).  
 Facebook & Instagram: SpiritusVitaeTO

**The Importance of the Word of God**

**Thomas Cardinal Collins, Archbishop of Toronto**  
**Tuesday, January 14 at 7:00pm**



This year Pope Francis will inaugurate "Word of God Sunday" on the third Sunday of Ordinary Time. This will be a time for us to focus on and celebrate the Sacred Scriptures.

Our own Cardinal Collins will be speaking about the importance of the Word of God, the Bible in the life and ministry of the believer. Cardinal Collins has his PhD in Sacred Scripture, and notably, in the Book of Revelation. As well, he regularly broadcasts *Lectio Divina* sessions on the Bible.

Cardinal Collins' engaging style and love for Jesus and the Church will be most evident as he shares with us his thoughtful insights on the central place the Bible has for Catholics today. All are welcome.

**Location:** Blessed Trinity Parish Hall (Toronto)

**Date:** Tuesday, January 14 at 7:00pm

**For information contact:** Fellowship of St. Joseph of the Association for Hebrew Catholics or email: [ahctoronto@gmail.com](mailto:ahctoronto@gmail.com)

**Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2020**

**Ecumenical Prayer Service - Sunday, January 26th at 7:00pm**

**Theme:** "They showed us unusual kindness" (cf. Acts 28:2)

Join us in an ecumenical prayer service led by Christian Church Leaders in the GTA. His Eminence Cardinal Collins, Archbishop of Toronto, will be reflecting on the Word of God.

**Location:** Yorkminster Park Baptist Church (Toronto)

**Date:** Sunday, January 26 at 7:00pm

**For more information contact:** The Ecumenical and Interfaith Affairs Office at (416) 934-3400 ext. 344 or ext. 527 or [ecumenical@archtoronto.org](mailto:ecumenical@archtoronto.org)

**The Source with the Sisters of Life**

**Thursday, January 23rd - 7:00 to 9:00 pm**



Join the Sisters of Life for an evening of prayer and fellowship. From 7:00pm to 8:00 pm in the main chapel, there will be adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with music led by the Sisters. Confessions will be available.

There will be refreshments and fellowship in the parish hall. All are welcome.

**Location:** St. Peter's Church (Toronto)

**Date:** Thursday, January 23rd - 7:00 to 9:00 pm

**Contact:** The Sisters of Life at 416-463-2722 or email: [toronto@sistersoflife.org](mailto:toronto@sistersoflife.org)

*Mass Intentions for the Week*

**Monday: January 13<sup>th</sup>**

8:00am - †Jose and Maria Marques

**Tuesday: January 14<sup>th</sup>**

7:00pm - †Dante Pellegrini;  
 †Maria and Antonio Vella

**Wednesday: January 15<sup>th</sup>**

8:00am - For the Special Intentions of Suzanne and Family  
 7:00pm - In Thanksgiving to St. Bonaventure ~ Bonny and Carmeline Gonsalves (26<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary)

**Thursday: January 16<sup>th</sup>**

8:00am - †Tommaso Vani (4<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Death)

**Friday: January 17<sup>th</sup>**

8:00am - †Renan Munoz  
 7:00pm - †Holy Souls in Purgatory

**Saturday: January 18<sup>th</sup>**

8:30am - †Holy Souls in Purgatory  
 5:00pm - †Holy Souls in Purgatory

**Sunday: January 19<sup>th</sup>**

9:00am - †Holy Souls in Purgatory  
 10:30am - For the People of Our Parish  
 12:00pm - †Fulvio Iannotti



*Let us pray!*

For the sick members of our parish and for those who love and minister to them.

**Eucharistic Adoration**



Our parish has Eucharistic Adoration in the church every Friday from 8:30am to 7pm. Can you spare a few moments from your busy schedule to come and spend some time before Jesus in prayer and adoration?

**Weekly Offertory**



Last Week's Collection: \$5,100.70

Building Fund: \$3,147.85

Thank You For Your Generosity

## THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD



"Today let us do honour to Christ's baptism and celebrate this feast in holiness. Be cleansed entirely and continue to be cleansed. Nothing gives such pleasure to God as the conversion and salvation of men, for whom His every word and every revelation exist. He wants you to become a living force for all mankind, lights shining in the world. You are to be radiant lights as you stand beside Christ, the great light, bathed in the glory of Him who is the light of heaven. You are to enjoy more and more, the pure and dazzling light of the Trinity, as now you have received - though not in its fullness - a ray of its splendour, proceeding from the one God, in Christ Jesus our Lord, to whom be glory and power for ever and ever. Amen"

~ St. Gregory of Nazianzen, Doctor of the Church

Giovanni ci dà un esempio del "discepolo modello". Nel vangelo di oggi si parla di vocazione, di Dio che ci chiama a sé. Il primo passo consiste nel sentire la voce di Gesù; qualcuno ce lo indica: "Ecco l'agnello di Dio!". E, come i due discepoli, cominciamo a seguirlo. Poi Gesù si volta verso di noi e ci chiede: "Che cercate?". In risposta dobbiamo dire: "Dove abiti?".

Ricordiamoci delle parole di sant'Agostino e ripetiamole: "I nostri cuori sono inquieti fino a che non riposano in te".

All'inizio della nostra vita di discepoli, Gesù ci fa questo invito: "Venite e vedrete".

In molte pagine dell'Antico Testamento è ricordato l'invito del Signore a tornare a lui, ad abbandonare le cattive abitudini e a volgersi di nuovo a lui. Dio desidera il ritorno dei suoi figli ribelli.

In seguito, nella pienezza dei tempi, nel mistero dell'Incarnazione, Dio ci chiama di nuovo, con parole semplici perché possiamo comprendere: "Vieni!". Seguendo Gesù e diventando suoi discepoli ci incamminiamo verso una meta, diamo un senso alla nostra vita terrena: il fine ultimo è unirsi a Dio e restare con lui per l'eternità. Pregando al Getsemani Gesù dice: "Padre, voglio che anche quelli che mi hai dato, siano con me dove sono io, perché contemplino la mia gloria, quella che mi hai dato; poiché tu mi hai amato prima della creazione del mondo" (Gv 17,24).



### Eucharistic Miracles of the World

The Vatican approved *Eucharistic Miracles of the World Exhibit* will be coming to two parishes in Mississauga!

The exhibit, which was designed and created by Venerable Carlo Acutis, features panels that each tell the story of a Eucharistic miracle and allow you to "virtually visit" the places where the miracles took place.

The exhibit's purpose is to increase awareness of the Real Presence of our Lord in the Eucharist and promote Eucharistic Adoration.

**February 1st to Sunday, February 9th** (9am to 6pm)  
Location: St. Maximillian Kolbe Parish - 905-848-2420

**February 29th to Sunday, March 8th** (9am to 6pm)  
Location: St. Josephine Bakhita Parish - 905-826-1143

Please contact the parish office for more information.



### World Day for Consecrated Life

**Mass: Sunday, February 2 at 3:00pm**  
**St. Paul's Basilica (Toronto)**

On Saturday, February 1st, the Church celebrates the World Day for Consecrated Life.

In the Archdiocese of Toronto, we are blessed to have living and serving among us more than 900 religious men and women of 100 different religious congregations.

This World Day for Consecrated Life is a wonderful opportunity for us to thank God for the gifts of these religious sisters, brothers and priests and to pray for God's blessing upon them in their efforts to faithfully live the evangelical counsels of poverty, chastity and obedience.

There will be a special Mass on Sunday, February 2nd at 3:00pm, at St. Paul's Basilica in Toronto for these special men and women religious, who are such a vital and important part of the life and ministry of the Church in our Archdiocese. All are welcome to attend.

Please email your RSVP to:  
[northern.region@archtoronto.org](mailto:northern.region@archtoronto.org)

### Vocations Corner...

As John the Baptist introduced the people of his time to Jesus

"A voice from heaven said, 'This is my Son, the Beloved, with whom I am well pleased.'"

Perhaps God is calling you to do the same in our time as a priest, deacon, brother or sister contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocations Director at 416-968-0997.

Email: [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org)

Web: [www.vocationstoronto.ca](http://www.vocationstoronto.ca)



*Are you in grade 5, 6, 7, or 8?*

All students in **grade 5 - 8** are welcome to our next EDGE Night on **Friday, January 24th**, from 7pm - 9pm.

For registration info, please contact 905-677-4615 or email: [OLAyouthministry@hotmail.com](mailto:OLAyouthministry@hotmail.com)

Calling all "OLA Teens" in grades 9 - 12!

*Are you looking for service hour opportunities?*

Teens in need of volunteer hours for High School graduation are asked to email [OLAyouthministry@hotmail.com](mailto:OLAyouthministry@hotmail.com) to get on the list for **Parish Service Projects and Youth Events** which will require volunteers.

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*OLA Young Adults*

Programs and Events for ages 19 - 39.

*Follow us on Twitter: [@Airways\\_YA](https://twitter.com/Airways_YA)*