ST. JOHN VIANNEY CONNECTIONS

OUR MISSION

As followers of Jesus Christ, and as full members of the Roman Catholic Church, we, the Parish Community of St. John Vianney, joyfully proclaim our Savior risen.

Through prayer and sacramental celebration of life in Jesus, we join as co-creators in his mission of justice and peace, through the power of the Holy Spirit for the glory of God.

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OF THE EUCHARIST

Sunday 9:30am & 11:30am

Tuesday 7:00pm Wednesday - Friday 9:30am

Saturday 5:00pm



CELEBRATION OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00pm - 4:45pm

Sunday 10:45am - 11:15am

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday 9:00am - 4:00pm Closed from 12:00pm - 1:00pm for lunch



EMBRACING HOPE IN THE REIGN OF CHRIST

As we gather on this 34th Sunday in Ordinary Time, we unite our hearts and minds to celebrate the majestic feast of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe. In the midst of the current scenarios of war that plague our world, it is crucial to reflect upon the reign of Christ and the message of hope and peace that He brings.

In today's readings, we are reminded that Jesus, our King, came not to conquer with earthly power, but to reign through love, compassion, and understanding.

The prophet Ezekiel reminds us that the Lord will personally shepherd His flock, seeking out the lost, healing the injured, and strengthening the weak. Our faith assures us that even in the darkest of times, our merciful King is present, offering hope and restoration.

In Matthew 25:31-46, we hear the powerful parable of the Last Judgment, where Jesus calls us to recognize His presence in the marginalized and suffering. This reminds us of our responsibility to work towards peace and justice, even in the face of conflict.

In the backdrop of these challenging times, we also celebrate World Day of Youth, a day dedicated to praying for the youth. Our young people face numerous struggles and uncertainties, including the effects of war and violence. Let us come together as a community to uplift and support them in prayer, guiding them towards a future built on peace, unity, and hope.

Peter Drucker once said: "Peace is not the absence of conflict, but the presence of justice." In the face of conflicts, let us be the beacons of hope, embodying the teachings of Jesus and working towards a world free from violence and suffering. May our actions, both individually and demonstrate collectively, the transformative power of love. forgiveness, reconciliation. and

As we gather for worship, let us pray for the victims of war, for our world leaders, and for the youth who are the future of our Church and society. May the reign of Christ, the King of the Universe, guide us in building a world where peace triumphs over conflict, justice prevails over oppression, and love conquers hate.

May God bless you all abundantly on this Sunday, as we embrace hope in the reign of Christ.

Wishing you all a blessed Sunday.



Saturday November 25th 5:00 pm For the People of the Parish

Sunday November 26th 9:30 am Living & deceased members of the Knights of Columbus

11:30 am **P** Len Shirose

Requested by: Christine Liggett

Tuesday November 28th 7:00 pm **† Tina Rashid** Requested by: Paul Rashid

7:00 pm For the special intentions of

Meaghan Amaral

Requested by: Peter Ashworth

7:00 pm For the special intentions of

McAlmont Family Requested by: Beneth

Wednesday November 29th 9:30 am **† Bertha Prior** Requested by: Suzanne Prior

Thursday November 30th 9:30 am **† Bessie Papala** Requested by: Family

9:30 am **† Betty Emdin** Requested by: Suzanne Emdin

Friday December 1st 9:30 am **† Frank & Marina Prior** Requested by: Suzanne Prior

9:30 am **₱ Hanh Tran & ₱ Tri Nguyen** Requested by: Trans & Nguyen Families



Please join us this weekend, on Sunday, November 26th after the 9:30am & 11:30am Masses as the Knights of Columbus will be hosting a

Pancake Breakfast in the Parish Hall. Breakfast is part of the regular Fellowship Sunday program. Pancakes and sausages, syrup, tea, coffee, and juice will be served. All are welcome and there is no charge. Donations to help cover the costs will be appreciated but are not necessary.

SUNDAY MISSALS are available at the Welcome Table in the vestibule at a cost of \$5.00 each.

2024 CALEDARS



Thank you to **Adams Funeral Home** for so generously donating 2024 calendars for the parishioners of St. John Vianney Church. You may pick up your

calendar from the back of the church after Mass. (Quantities are limited)



Thank you to all the donors, parishioners and CWL members who made our bazaar such a great success. Your generosity of giving your time, talents and donations is

greatly appreciated.

FULL-TIME YOUTH MINISTER OPPORTUNITY

St. John Vianney Catholic Church is seeking a passionate and dedicated individual to serve as a full-time Youth Minister. As the Youth Minister, you will have the opportunity to make a profound impact on the lives of young people in our parish community. The Youth Minister will be in charge of fostering spiritual growth, developing engaging programs, building strong relationships with our youth, establishing and directing programs for youth in (grades 6-12) and young adults (college/university) to deepen their relationship with Jesus Christ. The candidate will collaborate with the Pastor and the support volunteers.

Those wishing to be considered should submit their resume and cover letter in MS Word or PDF format to: Fr. Joshy George at JoshyGeorge@archtoronto.org. We thank all applicants, however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

December 1st is the first Friday of the month. First Fridays have traditionally been associated with devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Blessed Sacrament. To appropriately observe First Fridays there will be Eucharistic adoration following the 9:30 am Mass until 11:00 am when Benediction will be given.



The 2024 CWL membership dues of 37.00 are now being collected after all the Masses until Dec. 10th For more information, please call Nancy Joncas at 705-252-1799. New

members are welcome.

Remembrance Announcements

† Jim Taylor (November 19, 2023) † Roberto Maistrello (November 18, 2023)



Please pray for those who are

Dorothy Pilon, Katie Gibbons, Kyle Ramdial, Eric Jr. Ramsbottom,

Amelia Slater, Margaret White-Jacobs, Mary Ellen Cremin, Teresa Perry, Carson Batters, Kelly McBride, Richard O'Brien, Brian Ballinger, Isabel Crickard & Maria Almeida-Pasko



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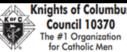
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