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St. Joseph, 8 Parkway Ave.	905-451-8501
St. Monica, 60 Sterritt Dr.	905-454-6346

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 St. Augustine, 27 Drinkwater Rd.
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Office Hours: Mon. to Fri. - 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Sun. - 9:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

SUNDAY MASSES:

Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. 12:00 noon

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday to Saturday: 9:10 a.m. Wednesday and Friday: 7:00 p.m.

RECONCILIATION:

Saturday after the 9:10 morning Mass until 10:30 a.m., or by appointment.

BAPTISMS

Baptisms take place on the last Sunday of the month. Parents must participate in a preparation class before they can set a date for their child's baptism. The Baptismal Registration Form is available online at our website, or may be picked up at the parish office.

MARRIAGE

Couples planning to be married must contact one of the priests at least one year in advance. A date for the wedding cannot set until the couple have their first interview with the priest. A marriage course is required. For more information call the parish office.

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!

Please introduce yourselves to the priests after Mass. Theresa Culliton, our Lay Pastoral Associate, can fill you in on our parish groups and ministries. Help us to get to know you by filling out our parish registration form.

We are a vibrant community of faith and we hope you will feel a part of our parish family.

FOR ALL SOULS

FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER

Every Mass intention for the month of November will be for All Souls of the Faithful Departed. All Souls donation envelopes are available in the gathering space. Please print clearly on the envelope the names of your loved ones who you wish to be remembered and hand the envelope with your donation into the parish office. Their names will be inscribed in our Book of Remembrance which will be placed on the altar and prayed for at every Mass from November 3rd to November 30th. All Souls donation envelopes will be available for the entire month.



Parish Confirmation Letters, providing the information for the Sacrament of Confirmation were sent to all the parish schools early October. If your child attends a public school and St. Jerome's is your home parish (registered parishioners) then please pick-up a Registration package. Confirmation Registration packages will be available to for pick-up after each Sunday Mass the weekend of:

- December 7th & 8th
- December 14th & 15th



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR THE 8:00 A.M. CHOIR

"Are you looking to deepen your faith? Make new friends? Make music? Have fun? Then the 8:00 a.m. Choir is the place for you!!! If you are interested, please contact Theresa at the parish office.

He who sings, prays twice."~ St. Augustine

CALLED BY NAME WESTERN REGION **Vocations Office**



St. Jerome's Parish is participating in the vocations program CALLED BY NAME. Nomination forms can be picked up in the gathering space after Mass. You are asked to return the nomination forms to the

parish office or place then in the offertory basket by November 10th. Once all the nominations forms are in, Msgr. Michael will contact the nominees who can decide whether they would like to participate. Those participating will attend a special event on November 23rd hosted by our Regional Bishop with a variety of religious sisters, brothers, diocesan priests, and consecrated singles who will share about their vocations.



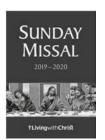
PLANNING IN ADVANCE

Wednesday, November 13th at 7:30 p.m. St. Jerome's Social Hall

Catholic Cemeteries and the Pre-planning team will share information about:

- Peace of mind that come from pre-arranging funeral, entombments, burial and cremation plans
- The cost savings of planning in advance
- Securing your final resting place in consecrated grounds
- Affordable extended interest free monthly payment
- Our Catholic traditions around burial and funerals
- Final phase of St. Anthony's Mausoleum

A Guide to Catholic Cemeteries and Funeral Services and an estate planning kit will be provided at no cost. Refreshments will be provided.



2020 SUNDAY MISSALS

The 2020 Living with Christ Sunday Missals are now available for purchase at the parish office. Cost \$5.

2020 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

If you have moved within the past year, please ensure that we have your current address and telephone number. We will be preparing the 2020 offertory envelopes for pick up in December. If you have taken a box of offertory envelopes this year but did



not complete a *parishioner registration form*, please complete a parishioner registration form and **include your envelope number** and submit it to the parish office.

Also, we have parishioners who donate on a weekly basis but do not use offertory envelopes. If you belong to this group, please complete a *parishioner registration form* and contact the parish office. You will be assigned an offertory envelope number for 2020.

Thank you for your cooperation.



Our Annual Christmas Bazaar will be held on **Saturday November 30th, 2019 from 9:00 a.m.** – **3:00 p.m.**

We are now accepting donations for our raffle and silent auction. New and gently used items can include but are not limited to paintings, gift baskets, electronics, movie tickets, vacation packages, gift cards, cookware etc. Your employer, family or friends are more than welcome to donate. A limited number of vendor tables are available at a rental cost of \$50.



SECOND COLLECTION

November 16th & 17th

As members of our Catholic community, we regularly benefit from the tireless service of our priests. In this Jubilee Year of Mercy, we remember how they have been tangible instruments of the Lord's mercy in our lives. Called by God and ordained to care for His people, our priest serve our families, in churches, schools, hospitals, nursing homes, missions and on the streets. The Shepherd's Trust ensures our priests can live their retirement years with dignity.

This fund does more than just support our priests in their retirement years; it represents a very tangible gesture of thanks for the blessings we have received.

Your generosity is greatly appreciated!



THANK YOU LETTER FROM HIS EMINENCE CARDINAL COLLINS

Dear Father,

Cardinal Newman, who was canonized on October 13, took as his motto as a Cardinal: *cor*

ad cor loquitur – heart speaks to heart.

This phrase succinctly describes how to live a Christian life. It's not about "lips speaking to the ears" – what we tell others about our faith. Rather, it's the love we demonstrate through a heartfelt personal encounter, through which our neighbour physically experiences the love of the Lord God in our midst.

One particular way heart speaks to heart is through our annual **ShareLife** appeal. For the second year in a row, our parishioners raised \$13 million for those in need. With deep gratitude, I thank you and your parish community for all you have done for the success of our campaign. From the hard work of our priests, parish staff and volunteers, to the selfless generosity of our parishioners, each contribution represents an act of love.

Heart speaks to heart when a counsellor attentively listens to a widow expressing her grief. When an isolated senior makes a new friend at a drop-in program. When a social worker journeys with a man recovering from addiction.

These are not cold interactions but matters of the heart. Likewise, supporting ShareLife is not an unfeeling act of obligation. It is a manifestation of the Living God: "just as you did it to one of the least of these, you did it to me."

Your support of **ShareLife** is bringing God's love to those in greatest need, here in our archdiocese and around the world. On behalf of ShareLife agencies and the thousands of people they help, thank you.

Yours sincerely in Our Lord,

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Thomas Cardinal Collins Archbishop of Toronto

ENVELOPE USER #590



If you have envelope #590, please contact the parish office or complete a Parishioner registration form (gold colour) and submit it to the office. We do not have any

information (name, contact # or address). Therefore, we will not be able to issue a tax donation receipt for 2019.

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