



St. Jerome's Parish

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Office Hours:

Thursday & Friday - 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Closed for lunch, 12-1 p.m.

VIRTUAL SUNDAY MASSES:

Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm

Sunday: 10:00 a.m.

VIRTUAL WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday to Saturday: 9:10 a.m.

RECONCILIATION:

By appointment. Please contact Fr. Jibin, ext. 222

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 be 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. You can email Theresa at culliton@stjeromeparish.ca We are a vibrant community of faith and we hope you will feel a part of our parish family.

Parish Staff

Pastor:	Fr. Michael Busch
Associate:	Fr. Jibin Joy, MCBS
Deacon:	Bill Burns
Lay Pastoral Associate:	Theresa Culliton
Lay Pastoral Associate:	Adrian Gill
Parish Secretary:	Rocelyn Esposito

Parish Elementary Schools

Our Lady of Peace, 15 Fincham Dr.	905-452-7010
Pauline Vanier, 56 Oaklea Blvd.	905-455-1001
St. Alphonsa, 60 Olivia Mare Rd.	905-456-1403
St. Brigid, 81 Torrance Woods	905-454-0316
St. Jacinta Marto, 40 Fallowfield Rd.	905-459-1931
St. Jean-Marie Vianney, 75 Jordensen Dr.	905-497-6888
St. Joseph, 8 Parkway Ave.	905-451-8501
St. Monica, 60 Sterritt Dr.	905-454-6346

Parish Secondary Schools

St. Augustine, 27 Drinkwater Rd.	905-450-9993
St Roch, 200 Valleyway Dr.	905-456-8543



Masses For The Week

February 15th - 20th

Monday, 9:10 a.m.

~ Carmela Morra

Tuesday, 9:10 a.m.

~ Lucia Molino

**Ash Wednesday
9:10 a.m.**

Thursday, 9:10 a.m.

Special Intention – Tony Cardillicchio

Friday, 9:10 a.m.

~ Leticia Fernandes

~ Giuseppe Monaco

Special Intention – Chuck Cameron

Saturday- 9:10 a.m.

~ Stella Martin

To live-stream the Mass, simply log in to the parish Facebook page:
<https://www.facebook.com/stjerome.cc> or our YouTube channel:
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCIo4m8mmd19itL1Jj9hOVUg> (St. Jerome Catholic Church)



Ash Wednesday begins the season of Lent and is a universal day of fasting (for those between 14 and 65 years of age) and abstinence (for those between 21 and 65 years of age). The Lenten season continues for 40 days and 6

Sundays. During this time, we are called to increase our prayer, to fast on Fridays of Lent and to do works of charity.

Starting Ash Wednesday, and during the weekdays of Lent, we will be allowing 8 people to join us for morning mass. If you would like to attend some of our morning masses please email Msgr. Michael at busch@stjeromeparish.ca and we will add your name to the list. Please indicate the number of people attending with you. To accommodate everyone in a fair way, each day of the week we will rotate through the list, 8 people at a time per mass, and notify you of the dates you will be able to attend. If you cannot make your assigned date, please let us know so that we can add someone else from the list. I know that this is not a perfect solution, but hopefully sometime during Lent the restrictions will be lifted, and we will be able to accommodate everyone every day.

~ Msgr. Michael Busch



2020 TAX DONATION RECEIPTS

The Archdiocese of Toronto has outsourced the distribution of your 2020 Tax Donation receipts to ensure your safety during the pandemic.

All 2020 Tax Donation will be mailed out **February 23rd**, with a target date of **February 28th** for all of our parishioners to receive their tax receipts in hand.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION BY APPOINTMENT

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available by appointment only.

Please call Fr. Jibin at 905-455-4260 ext. 222 to book an appointment.



2021 SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION IS OPEN!

All Students who are in Grade 7 are invited to register for our online Confirmation program. If you are in Grade 8 and have not received the Sacrament of Confirmation, you may also register online.

For more information and how to register please visit the link:

<https://www.hopestone.ca/stjeromebrampton>
Deadline to register is Sunday, February 14, 2021



CWL MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

St. Jerome's Catholic Women's League (CWL) has now been officially chartered. We are having our first annual membership drive from **February 6th to February 19th**.

The Catholic Women's League of Canada calls its members to grow in faith, and to witness to the love of God through ministry and service. Are you searching for something worthwhile that makes the best use of your time and talents? Consider joining St. Jerome's Catholic Women's League (CWL)

Email us at cwl@stjeromeparish.ca for membership forms.



YOUR DONATIONS

January PAG: \$6,461.58

February 7th: \$2,230.00

Even though the Church is closed, and we cannot celebrate the Eucharist together, the work of the church still goes on. There are sacramental programs that still need to be run, salaries to be paid, outreach to the poor and sick, and heating, lighting and maintenance to our church building is on going. These are difficult times for us all and there are many struggling financially. We depend on the donations from our parishioners and are very grateful for whatever you can give. If you have not picked up your 2021 donation envelopes, we encourage you to do so. Please consider automatic withdrawal (PAG) of your donation from your bank account or donating through our website.

2021 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES



Due to Covid restrictions, our parish office is only open on Thursdays and Fridays by appointment only between 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. If you have not yet picked up your 2021 donation envelopes, you may do so at these

times. Please call ahead and let us know you are coming.

We thank you for your on-going support of our parish. Without your generous donations we would not be able to run the many programs and services that are so important to the spiritual life of our community.

PLEASE DO NOT USE ENVELOPES FROM PAST YEARS.

Thank you for your cooperation.



STAY CONNECTED WITH US!

A couple of months ago, we introduced this free app for your smart phone which will help keep you informed about all that is happening in our parish especially during this lock down period. If you sign up, you will receive information the moment it is available. This App also has many other features which will help support our faith in these trying times. For instructions, we encourage everyone to go to our parish Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/stjerome.cc/> or our YouTube page:

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ST. JEROME'S MOTHERS GROUP

Join Catholic mothers from our parish weekly on Zoom every **Tuesday nights at 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.** Please contact the parish office with your name and contact number to be invited to the virtual meeting.



ST. JEROME'S BIBLE STUDY: "The Synoptic Gospels"

Our on-line Bible Study continues with a new topic; "The Synoptic Gospels". It is a comparative study of similar passages from the three gospels of Matthew, Mark and Luke. We will look at the various factors that affected the writing of the gospels and will address their similarities and differences. Each class is self-contained and is open for you to join at any time. If you wish to participate, please send an email request to bible.study@stjeromeparish.ca and you will receive an invitation to register. When you click to confirm, an email will provide a link to join the class on Thursdays at 7:00pm.

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING ASSOCIATION



The mission of the Natural Family Planning Association is to teach the Billings Ovulation Method of

family planning while promoting an understanding and appreciation of fertility that reflects Catholic teachings as outlined in Humane Vitae.


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