

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT – February 17th – 18th, 2024

Mass  for the
Intentions  Week

Tuesday, Feb. 20th,

12:30 pm A Personal Intention

Wednesday, Feb. 21st,

8:30 am A Personal Intention

Thursday, Feb. 22nd,

THE CHAIR OF ST. PETER

9:00 am A Personal Intention

Friday, Feb. 23rd,

8:30 am Souls of Josephine & Ted Christie

Req. by: Jo-Anne Kerr

7:00 pm STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Saturday, Feb. 24th,

5:00 pm People of the Parish

SUNDAY, Feb. 25th,

9:00 am Souls of Jean & Giles Leblanc

Req. by: Ray Leblanc & family

11:00 am Intention of Mary Donnelly

Req. by: Karen & Tony Amaral

Weekday Mass TIME CHANGE

Please note on the following Tuesdays the Mass will be at 12:30 pm:
Feb. 20th & Mar. 19th

Dianne Gordon, Daniel Berardi,
Olier Caron, Fran Pelletier, Gladys
Turton, Steffan Brunette, Cindy
Steffoff, Frank Ethier, Margaret Swindells,
Susan, Nolan Davis, Fr. Joseph Rodrigues, Ricki
Keyzers, Bill Paterson & Patrick Kellachan
Also please pray for those who take care of them.



DEVOTIONS TO OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP

Every Wednesday after 8:30 am Mass. All are welcome.

Our Sanctuary Lamp burns For the Intention of Karen & Tony Amaral



CHURCH IS OPEN FOR PRIVATE SILENT PRAYER WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY & FRIDAY 12 NOON TO 4:00 P.M

One of the best gifts
we can give
ourselves is time
alone with God.



Pasta Dinner

The Knights of Columbus are hosting our Annual Pasta Dinner in the Hall on Sat. Feb 24th at 6:00pm. We will be offering a family-friendly night of food and entertainment for a good cause. Don't miss out on this unforgettable night of fun! Tickets will be for sale at the back of the Church after Mass. Thank you for your support.

COFFEE SUNDAYS

Thank you very much to those of you who have signed up to help with the baking and setting up of the Coffee Sunday Socials; this is a great way to meet fellow parishioners! Please note Feb 18, March 10 and April 14 as the remaining Coffee Sundays for this Spring. We will then continue in the Fall.

FIRST COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION 2024

Please pray for the children of our parish as they prepare to receive the sacraments of First Communion and Confirmation. Also pray for their parents and teachers as they guide them on their journey to receive these sacraments.

2023 TAX RECEIPTS

Please note the income tax receipts will be mailed to you directly from the Archdiocese of Toronto this month. Thank you for your donations to our parish this past year. May God bless you always.

THANK YOU FROM THE CWL

The CWL members would like to extend heartfelt thanks to our fellow parishioners for your enthusiastic support of our 2024 Pancake Breakfast last Sunday. We were gratified to see young and old come out to enjoy pancakes, eggs, and sausages lovingly prepared by Yvonne Schreiber and her team of cooks, servers and clean up staff. We would also like to acknowledge the generous donation of maple syrup by Pefferlaw Creek Maple Syrup Company, whose syrup made the pancakes perfect! Much gratitude is due to Father Gerard and those who helped set up the hall and put it back in order afterwards. This is truly an amazing parish, where all play their parts so beautifully!

DISCOVERING THE RICHNESS OF THE MASS

Sat., Feb. 24, 2024 - 9:00 AM 4:00 PM

The prayers and rituals of the Catholic Mass have a history that goes back centuries. We often take them for granted, and might go through them every week without knowing what we are saying or doing. During this retreat, we will enter into the meaning and fascinating history of these familiar prayers and rituals. By doing so, we will enrich our Lenten spirituality by discovering why there is no better place than the Mass to immerse ourselves in the Passion, Death, and Resurrection of our Lord. To register visit [Lenten Retreat](#)

Durham Catholic School Boards Children's Foundation Gala

Honouring Bishop Vincent Nguyen and our Distinguished Catholic Alumni. -May 16, 2024 at 6 pm at the Ajax Convention Centre. 100% of the proceeds from the gala will go to the Durham Catholic Children's Foundation to support students and families in need in the Region. For tickets visit [Durham](#)

**God never tires of forgiving us;
We are the ones who tire of seeking
His mercy. – Pope Francis**



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Every Friday in Lent at 7:00 pm
in the Church.



On Feb. 23, the stations will be led
by Development & Peace.



The Knights of Columbus
will be collecting food
throughout Lent to
support the Loaves &

Fishes food bank here in Uxbridge. Food items may be dropped off in the church foyer in the bins located at either entrance from February 14th to March 31st. We thank the parishioners for their generous support.

FASTING & ABSTINENCE IN LENT

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are obligatory days of fasting and abstinence for Catholics. In addition, Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence. For members of the Latin Catholic Church, the norms on fasting are obligatory from age 18 until age 59. When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal, as well as two smaller meals that together are not equal to a full meal. The norms concerning abstinence from meat are binding upon members of the Latin Catholic Church from age 14 onwards.