

## ANNOUNCED MASS INTENTIONS

**Tuesday, June 23<sup>rd</sup>**

Pro Populo

**Wednesday, June 24<sup>th</sup>**

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**Thursday, June 25<sup>th</sup>**

† Ines Doiron

**Friday, June 26<sup>th</sup>**

Intentions of Fr. Marian Soblewski

**Saturday, June 27<sup>th</sup>**

Pro Populo

## SANCTUARY LIGHT

The sanctuary light burns for the special intentions of Tom Wetzel

## PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Jacob McLean, Dawn Ruthven,  
Raphael Ng, Margaret (Peggy) McCarthy, Agnes Von Mehren, Ella Careira, Patricia Doiron,  
Gerry Genuino, Evelyn Wemigwans, Philip Nicolaoas, Carmel Richard, Linda Duke, Vivian Holland, Richard Keating, Joanna Hodson,  
Rachel Ouellette, Norm Leach, Sean Murphy, Gary Fisher

*Those wishing to add a loved one to the parish Mass intentions or list of the sick are kindly asked to contact the parish office.*

## REFLECTION

*Lord Jesus, it is my joy and privilege to be your disciple. Give me strength and courage to bear any hardship and suffering which may come my way in your service. May I witness to others the new life, joy and victory you have won for us through your cross and resurrection.*

## NEXT WEEKEND!

### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL BUNDLE UP WEEKEND, JUNE 27 & 28

Please let those gently used items you can do without benefit our neighbors in need.

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul is a non-profit charity whose volunteer members collect clothing, shoes, linens, and household goods to donate, exchange for vouchers or sell in order to support the works of the charity.

Please tie your donation bags or close your boxes to prevent any lost or missing articles.

There will be a truck parked in the driveway between the church and the rectory all weekend, **June 27 (4 PM-6 PM) and 28 (8 AM-12:30 PM)**. Thank you for your generosity and kindness.

## ATTENTION: SUMMER OFFICE HOURS & PARISH BULLETIN

### Office Closure:

Please be aware that the parish office will be closed on **Monday, June 22; Monday, June 29; and Monday, July 6** as our Office Administrator is away on holiday. During this period, the office will remain opened following the below schedule:

**June 23 to June 26 – 9AM to 12PM**

**June 30 & July 2 – 9AM to 3PM; July 3 – 9AM to 12PM**

**July 7 to July 9 – 9AM to 3PM; July 10 – 9AM to 12PM**

### CANADA DAY OFFICE CLOSURE – JULY 1<sup>ST</sup>

Please note that the parish office will be closed on **Wednesday, July 1<sup>st</sup>** for Canada Day. Morning Mass will still take place at 8:15am. We wish you all a very safe and happy Canada day!

### Summer Office Hours

The parish office will shift to summer hours. From **June 26 to September 4**, the office will be open **Monday-Thursday, 9:00AM-5:00PM**, with a closure from **12:00-1:00PM**. On **Fridays**, the office will be open **9:00AM-12:00PM**.

### Parish Bulletin

The parish bulletin will pause for the summer. The final issue before the break will be published on **June 28**, and publication will resume on **August 30**.



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## PARISH NEWS/EVENTS

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### THANK YOU TO OUR GARDENING VOLUNTEERS!

A heartfelt thank-you to our wonderful gardening volunteers – Alex, Carmen, George, and Paul - for rolling up their sleeves to clean up our grounds and plant beautiful new flowers. Your hard work, care, and enthusiasm bring new life to our parish and help make our community a welcoming, vibrant place for all.

If you're interested in helping keep our outdoor spaces thriving by watering and tending the gardens, please speak with Fr. Joshua or email the parish office.

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### UPCOMING SUMMER SECOND COLLECTIONS

#### JULY 4 & 5 – BUILDING FUND

Our Building Fund supports the ongoing care, maintenance, and improvement of our parish facilities. These resources help us preserve a safe, welcoming, and functional space for worship, ministry, and community gatherings. Contributions to this collection directly sustain the long-term health of our parish home.

#### AUGUST 15 & 16 – CANADIAN MISSIONS

The Canadian Missions collection assists missionary work across Canada, especially in remote and underserved regions. This support helps provide pastoral care, sacraments, evangelization, and essential community outreach where resources are limited. Your gift strengthens the Church's presence and service throughout our country.

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## YOUTH MINISTRY

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### YOUTH MINISTRY YEAR-END THANK YOU!

As we wrap up our Youth Ministry year, we thank God for the many blessings, friendships, and experiences that brought us together. To the St. John's community, we would like to extend our heartfelt thanks for your prayers, dedication, and support throughout the year. You have helped make our youth ministry a vibrant and faith-filled community where young people can grow in their relationship with Christ and one another.

If you are interested in volunteering with Edge or Life Teen for the upcoming ministry year, we would love to hear from you! Please email our Youth Minister, Mercy, at [StJohnsYM@archtoronto.org](mailto:StJohnsYM@archtoronto.org) for more information.



We wish you and your families a happy, safe, and blessed summer, and we look forward to all that God has in store for our Youth Ministry in the year ahead!

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### ST. JOHN'S YOUTH MINISTRY – THE BUTCHER SHOPPE FUNDRAISER LINK

BBQ season is here, and St. John's Youth Ministry is firing up our Butcher Shoppe fundraiser! Our ministry receives \$10 for every item sold through our fundraiser link, so every order makes a difference. Orders are delivered directly to your doorstep Tuesday-Friday, with your choice of delivery date. Please visit our link below or scan the QR code which will take you to our link. Purchases must be made through our link for us to receive donations.

Link: <https://butchershoppeteams.com/collections/st-johns-youth-ministry?page=1>

Your support helps fund retreats, outreach events, leadership development, and weekly programs like Edge Ministry and Life Teen for the 2026–2027 ministry year. For more information, contact our Youth Minister, Mercy, at [StJohnsYM@archtoronto.org](mailto:StJohnsYM@archtoronto.org).

