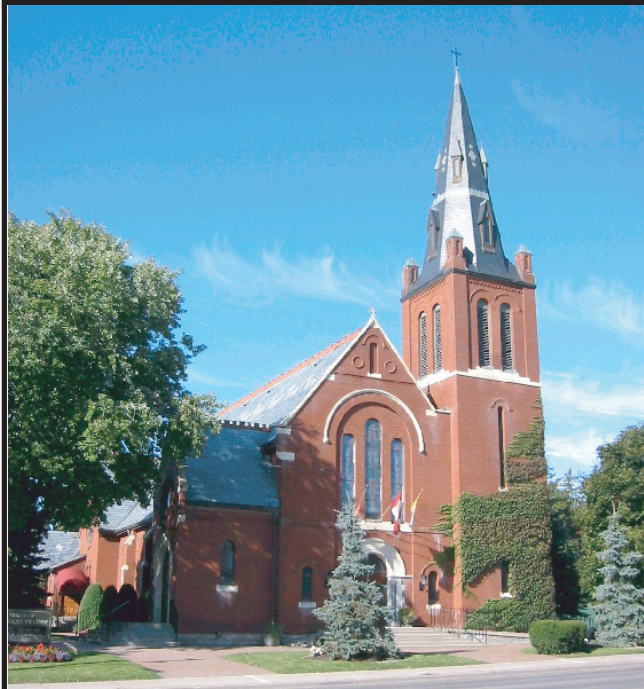


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Monday to Friday 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon &
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Weekend Mass

Sunday 8:00 a.m. & 9:30 a.m.

Weekday Mass

Tuesday 12:10 p.m., Friday 7:00 p.m.

Confession

Friday 6:00 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.

Baptism

Please approach the Priest after you have
participated at Sunday Mass.

Marriage

One year notice (Archdiocesan guideline)
Marriage Preparation required
Please contact the parish priest

Visits To The Sick

Please contact the parish office for
more information.

Catholic Cemeteries

St. Gregory's & Resurrection
905-668-8912

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Durham Catholic District School Board

905-576-6150

or www.dcdsb.ca

Society of St. Vincent De Paul- Help Line

905-720-0003

Letters of Reference for Catholic Teacher Applicants

If you are a teacher, from this Parish and
require a reference letter, please note that you
will have to be attending Mass here regularly
for at least 6 months and if possible
participating in a Parish ministry before such a
recommendation will be given.

(<http://bit.ly/PracticingCath>). Teachers who are
finishing teachers' college will need a pastoral
letter from their own parish priest where they
attend Sunday Mass.

| MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK | |
|------------------------------|--|
| TUES. | SEPT 27 Mass- St. Gregory's 12:10 pm ✠ Gilles Brisebois, req. his family |
| WED. | SEPT 28 Mass- Holy Cross - 8:30 am |
| THUR. | SEPT 29 Mass Holy Cross - 8:30 am – |
| FRI. | SEPT 30 - St. Gregory's Confessions 6:00-6:45pm Mass- St. Gregory's 7:00 pm - ✠ Cesar Rizzuto , req. his Wife & Family ✠ Peter Remec , req. Peter & Frances Cekuta |
| SAT. | OCT. 1 Confessions- Holy Cross 3:30 – 4:15 pm Mass- Holy Cross 4:30 pm |
| | OCT. 1 Mass- Holy Cross - 4:30 p.m. |
| SUNDAY | OCT. 2 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time |
| 8:00 am. | St. Gregory's –For the Parishioners of St. Gregory's |
| 9:30 am | St. Gregory's ✠ Americo & Angela Coscaretta , req. of their Children |
| 12:00 pm | Mass- Holy Cross |



Save the date: Outdoor Rosary

Where: St. Philip the Apostle Church
13-14 Oxford Street., Oshawa

Or, at Dundas and Thicksn, Whitby

When: Saturday, October 15, 2022

Time: 12:00 noon

Please remember to bring your walker or lawn chair if you need to sit.

Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation Fund Collection Next Weekend – October 1/2, 2022

Catholics throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto are invited to participate in the collection being held the weekend of October 1/2 to support the Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation Fund. The collection is a national grassroots effort to assist healing and reconciliation with Indigenous Peoples of This Land. The fund was the result of a \$30 million financial commitment made by the Canadian Bishops in September 2021. Funds will support culture and language revitalization, education and community building, healing and reconciliation for communities and families and dialogue involving Indigenous elders, spiritual leaders and youth with a focus on Indigenous spirituality and culture. This is an opportunity to follow the invitation of the Holy Father made earlier this year for each one of us to become engaged in the healing and reconciliation journey. For more information or to donate online, visit:
<https://www.archtoronto.org/healingandreconciliation>.

RENEW Toronto

Young Adult Conference 2022

Saturday, November 05, 2022 10:00 AM

- Saturday, November 05, 2022 09:30 PM

Canada Christian College, 300 Water St., Whitby

We are very excited to be bringing young adults together again for RENEW Toronto. RENEW Toronto is a conference for all young adults aged 19-39 with keynotes, workshops, worship music, Confessions, Mass, Eucharistic Adoration and fellowship. This conference will offer unique opportunities for students, young adult professionals, and young couples. We invite young adults to unite with one another to collectively renew their hearts, renew their call and renew their community. Registration opens August 17.

- **Website:** www.renewtoronto.org
- **Contact:** youngadult@ocytoronto.org
- **Register:** <https://RenewTO.eventbrite.com>



Fr. Marijan is looking for people who would like to volunteer with the following:

Mass at Hillsdale Terraces:

1st Tuesday of each month

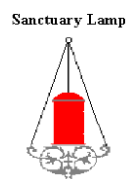
Mass at Hillsdale Estates:

3rd Tuesday of each month

For all volunteer positions, a police check is required (free of charge via the Archdiocese). If you are interested, please email or call Fr. Marijan at: stgregorythegreat@archtoronto.org or call 905-723-5259.

You are Invited

The Archdiocese is offering a Ministries of Care and Ministry with Maturing Adults. They will host a Ministry with Maturing Adults Virtual Network Meeting on Wednesday, October 5 from 2 to 4 p.m. All coordinators and leaders involved in the Ministry with Maturing Adults or Seniors Ministries including parish staff, volunteer leaders, and advisory committee members are invited to attend this meeting. It will be a great opportunity to connect with leaders from other parishes in the Archdiocese of Toronto for prayer, support, sharing of best practices and networking. There is no cost to attend but registration is required. Register: <https://bit.ly/MMA-RegisterOct2022> Contact: Sally Amaral, samaral@archtoronto.org or 416-934-3400 ext. 518. If you are interested please speak to Fr. Marijan.



This week the Sanctuary Lamp burns for the intentions of Ella York at the request of Marg Roach & Brian Coughlin.

Please remember St. Gregory's Parish in your will.



If your son or daughter is attending a Catholic School and preparing to receive the Sacraments, please ensure that the school has a copy of your child's baptismal certificate. If your child is not baptized, please see your parish Priest about preparing to baptize your child. In order for your child to be baptized here you must be registered, practicing, and one or both parents must be baptized ROMAN CATHOLIC.



Life Chain is an easy way to get involved in pro-life activism. Just find out where and when your local Life Chain will be held, and then show up for one hour to stand on the sidewalk with others who are not ashamed to publicly witness to their pro-life beliefs. Your local Life Chain organizer will provide you with a non-graphic Life Chain sign to hold, and you may pray silently for an end to abortion and for those affected by it. Please review and abide by the [Life Chain Code of Conduct](#). **Please gather at the corner of Simcoe Street and Adelaide (TBC). We are also looking for a Life Chain Organizer. If you are interested, please call the Parish Office.**



Writing Contest

21st Annual Friars' Student Writing Contest 2023 – October 4 to January 16, 2023 Theme: "Do good; seek justice" (Isaiah 1:17). High School

Students (ages 13-19 years) in the Catholic School Boards located in the Archdiocese of Toronto are invited to participate in this annual event that commemorates the global Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. Write a five-hundred word essay that explores the 2023 theme. Great prizes await the top three submissions. Students are encouraged to consult the resources at <https://bit.ly/3AgBy5J> to understand the meaning and purpose of the theme and address the focus question found on the poster at <https://bit.ly/3KXgu8m>. Contact ecumenism@archtoronto.org or call 416-934-3400 (Ext. 527) for more information or questions.



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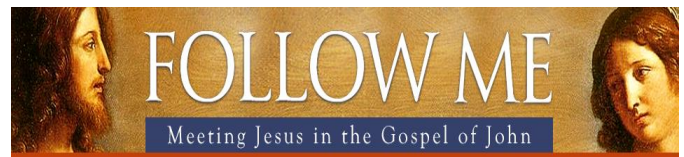
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An Eight-Part Bible Study featuring Dr. Edward Sri

Dates, Times, Location

Thursdays at 7:00pm

October 13, 2022 to December 1, 2022

At St. Gertrude's Parish Hall **OR** over ZOOM

Cost of Registration

Via St. Gertrude's page on Eventbrite

<https://www.eventbrite.ca/o/st-gertrudes-parish-30942337729>

Cost of Study Guide is \$40

Payable by Credit or Debit Card on Eventbrite

For more information please contact: Beth Cook

bethcook905@outlook.com, 905-925-9871



If you are in need of food, clothing, counselling please call the Society of St. Vincent de Paul-Help Line 905-720-0003.

Prayer Corner

This week, please remember in your prayers:

For the sick: **Ella York, Kent Fee, Shirley Lafleur**

For the recently departed: **Lloyd Cummings**

Prayer: Lord Jesus Christ, we believe that You are our Lord and Saviour. We pray that you rekindle our faith and trust in You so that we may continue with the work that You have commanded us to do. **Amen.**

Please remember St. Gregory's Parish in your will.



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