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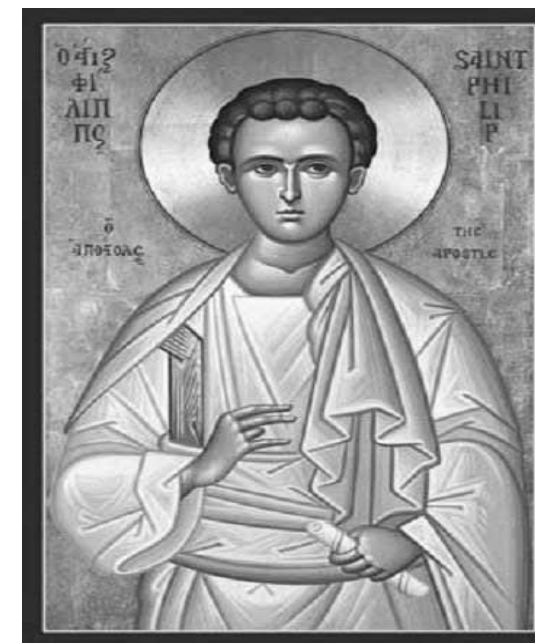
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Mass Times

Weekday Masses

Tuesday: 6:00 p.m.

Friday: 6:00 p.m.

(Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament) 6:30 p.m.

Confessions: 15 minutes before each mass or by appointment

Weekend Masses

Sunday: 9:30 a.m.

Baptism

Infants and young children of registered parents are eligible to have their child baptized. Baptisms are celebrated by appointment only and require a meeting with the priest.

Marriage

Weddings for registered parishioners are generally celebrated on Saturdays. A Marriage Preparation Course is required. Please contact the pastor a minimum of one year before the planned marriage date.

Ministry to the Sick

Please call the Parish Office to arrange for visits, Communion, or Sacrament of the Sick. If you are admitted to the Hospital, kindly identify yourself as "Catholic" at the time of admission

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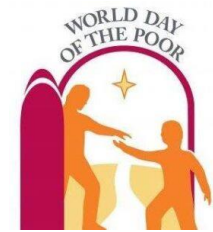
Resurrection Catholic Cemetery,
355 Taunton Rd. E., Whitby, ON
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SCHOOLS

Msgr. Philip Coffey - 905-723- 4241
Msgr. John Pereyma - 905-432-8470

For more information on Catholic education in our community or to reach your local school board trustee, contact the Durham Catholic District School Board at 905-576-6150 or www.dcdsb.ca

We welcome new parishioners. Please register in the vestibule or call the parish office



World Day of the Poor 2023

"Do Not Turn Away"

"Give alms from your possessions. **Do not turn your face away from any of the poor**, and God's face will not be turned away from you."

It is the phrase in bold which Pope Francis has chosen for the theme of his message for World Day of the Poor which takes place THIS Sunday. However, the rest of the sentence encourages us to treat the poor as we would want God to treat us. And the call to give alms goes beyond merely providing material support; it is an invitation to be engaged with those in need, walk alongside, and provide help and support.



Shepherd's Trust Collection

This weekend, there will be a second collection for Shepherd's Trust. The mission of The Shepherd's Trust is to help ensure that elderly and disabled priests are provided with sufficient resources to lead a dignified life after many years of ministry. Your generous gift will help our priests to maintain a modest but active and independent lifestyle in their retirement years. For priests who are ill or otherwise inform, the Trust ensures they have access to nursing home facilities and medical care. Thank you for your support of this important work.



First Holy Communion

Registration

Deadline THIS FRIDAY Nov. 24th!

If you have a child who is ready to make their First Holy Communion, we ask that parents attend Sunday Mass at 9:30am. Children will receive Catechesis during Mass, while their parents participate at Mass. There will be a Parent Meeting on Friday, November 24th at 7pm. Deadline to register your child for First Communion is November 24th. You should have received a letter from the school in regards to First Holy Communion. If you have not, please call the office.

In preparation for Christmas, from December 1st to 24th, you can read a chapter from the Gospel of St. Luke.

Mass Intentions

Sunday November 19
9:30am †Lorraine Marchand

Tuesday November 21
6:00pm

Friday November 24
6:00pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
6:30pm †Mario Rocchetti

Sunday November 26
9:30am David Tran & Tra My Tran (Intentions)

2024 Collection Envelopes

Envelopes for 2024 are available to be picked up. All envelopes are in alphabetical order. If you are recently new to our parish, please pick up a blank box of envelopes and write your name, address and phone number on the first few envelopes. Thank you in advance!



Reminder to All Parishioners
St. Philip the Apostle Parish has Instagram and a Facebook Accounts.
Please visit and follow us:
Instagram: [stphilipshawa](https://www.instagram.com/stphilipshawa)
Facebook: [@stphilipshawa](https://www.facebook.com/stphilipshawa)

Please Remember

For those wishing to donate through the **Pre-Authorized Giving Programme**, forms are available on our website at www.stphiliptheapostle.com or you can find them at the back of the Church.



Rosary
For those of you who are interested, the Rosary is prayed Tuesdays and Fridays at 5:30pm. All are welcome!



If you are interested in volunteering, please contact the office either by phone at: 905-725-3275 or email us at: stphiliptheapostleos@archtoronto.org

ADVENT CONFESSIONS

Please take note of the schedule for St. Philip the Apostle Parish:

Sunday, December 10th

9:00 a.m. to 9:25am

Tuesday, December 12th

2 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Friday, December 15th

2:00pm to 6:30pm

Sunday December 17th

9:00 a.m. to 9:25 a.m.

Tuesday, December 19th

2:00 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Friday, December 22nd

2:00pm to 6:30pm

For additional times, call 905-725-3275 Ext 3.
(Confessions available in English, French, Italian and Spanish)

Christmas Cards

Christmas Cards will be for sale at the entrance of the Church this weekend.



Candles of Remembrance



Candles of Remembrance for the Faithful Departed are available for purchase for \$20. They will be placed in front of the altar for the month of November. Labels with names will be added.

Canadian Bishops' Webinar Series
"Four Constitutions of the Vatican"

The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCB) Office for Evangelization and Catechesis will host a webinar series, titled "The Four Constitutions of Vatican II" inviting leaders of catechesis and evangelization to reflect on the Four Constitutions of Vatican II and their place in the life of the Church.

- Tuesday 21 November from 1:00-2:30 pm EST "Lumen Gentium" – Dr. Catherine Clifford
- Tuesday 28 November from 1:00-2:30 pm EST All webinar sessions will be recorded and packaged with a reflection guide for later release. To attend webinar, visit: https://cccb-ca.zoom.us/webinar/register/9416927172336/WN_Xf09Vsi_SjiiIwdLPzWMdQ#/registration

Archdiocesan Consultation Underway

Your assistance is requested!

Most Rev. Francis Leo, is inviting Catholics throughout the archdiocese to share their key priorities to help inform and guide an updated Pastoral Plan. To participate in the consultation, visit: www.archtoronto.org/consultation to complete a brief survey by December 15, 2023, where you can offer your suggestions and insights.

The process should take just a few minutes and we ask that you complete the short survey as soon as possible. We look forward to hearing from the Catholic community throughout the archdiocese. Thank you in advance for sharing your insights, ideas and discernment.

FREE ESTATE PLANNING SEMINAR

Saturday November 25, 2023 at 9:00 AM

Catholic Cemeteries and the Estate Planning Team will share information about How to avoid problems in your Will, in the Powers of Attorney, and through proper Estate Trustee selection.

An estate planning kit will be provided at no cost
Location: Resurrection Catholic Cemetery, Assumption Mausoleum, Whitby, ON.
RSVP: Frank Jannetta - 466-733-8544 ext., 2023 or info@cc-fs.ca or Resurrection Catholic Cemetery 905-668-8912

New Beginning Program (November)

Online Drop-In Bereavement Support Session

Share discussions with others in a safe, welcoming, non-judgmental online forum.

Topic: November Grief: Remember & Reorder
November 29, 2023 @ 7:00 pm

Register at: <https://bd1123.eventbrite.ca>

Online Drop-In Separated/Divorced Support Session

Share discussions with others in a safe, welcoming and non-judgmental online forum.

November 30, 2023 @ 7:00 pm

Register at: <https://sdd1123.eventbrite.ca>

Sunday Offering for November 12:

\$1,170.00

Thank you for your ongoing generous support!

Please take a moment out of your day to prayer for peace in Ukraine, Israel, Palestine and anywhere in the world where there is war and unrest.

