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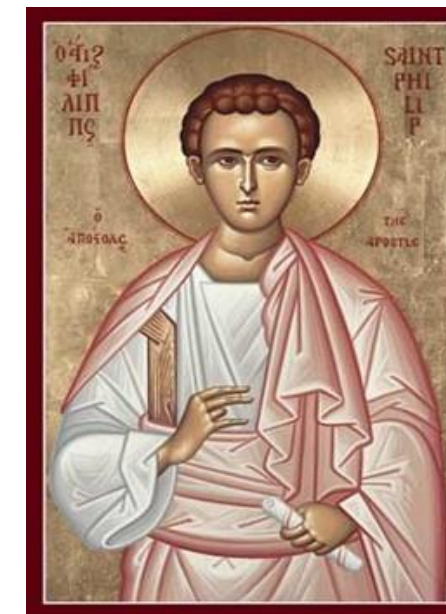
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## Mass Times

### 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

St. Vincent de Paul Society Phone Number:

905-431-1796

### Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services

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355 Taunton Rd. E., Whitby, ON  
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### SCHOOLS

Msgr. Philip Coffey - 905-723- 4241

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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](http://www.dcdsb.ca)

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

	
<b>Sunday June 23</b>	
9:30am	†Dennis Savage Sinclair Family
Req. by:	
<b>Tuesday June 25</b>	
6:00pm	†Eliza Tatrie Alice Simpson
Req. by:	
<b>Friday June 28</b>	
**6:00pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
6:30pm	†Michael Simpson
Req. by:	Alice Simpson
<b>Sunday June 30</b>	
9:30am	†Domenica Nguyen Van Toan
Req. by:	

**PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING**

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If you are interested in volunteering, please contact the office either by phone at: 905-725-3275 or email us at: [stphilipthepostleos@archtoronto.org](mailto:stphilipthepostleos@archtoronto.org)

**St. Philip the Apostle**  
  
**Food Drive**  
 Please remember our Food Drive is ongoing throughout the year. Please place all donations at the Altar. Thank you in advance!

**Sunday Offering for June 16:**  
**\$1,585.00**  
 Thank you for your ongoing generous support!

**Riding Through the Storms**


Life, by its very nature, is filled with storms and difficulties. More than once in the Gospel do we hear about Jesus calming a storm. In the Gospel passage today, we are invited to reflect on the account of Jesus asleep on the boat while the storm raged all around.

We can use our imagination to create the scene of this episode in our minds. Presumably the storm was violent and loud, yet the Lord did not rise from his sleep. Moreover, the disciples in their panic-stricken state were likely yelling and making noise as they tried to steer the boat through the waves. Lastly, the intensity of the storm likely meant that waves, wind and rain would have been beating against Jesus' sleeping body, yet he remained asleep. However, when the disciples turned to Jesus for help, Jesus immediately wakes up and calms the storm with three words: "Peace! Be still!"

In the midst of the storms of our lives, when we think we are all alone, we should realize that Jesus is with us through it all. Instead of panicking, we should strive to be still and peacefully take the time to turn to God and ask for help. This should be the first thing we do before we even try to solve the problem ourselves. Being a merciful and loving Father, God will not delay in coming to our aid.

**Mass Intentions**  
 A reminder that we are taking bookings for Mass Intentions for 2024. Please come to the office or call the office during office hours and book a Mass to be said for your own particular intentions.

**Year of Prayer Video Series**  
 In advance of the Jubilee Year taking place in 2025, the archdiocese has created a video series which will highlight the importance of prayer in our lives. The series will focus on the seven petitions of the Lord's Prayer as found in the fourth part of the Catechism of the Catholic Church. The first video, an introduction to the Year of Prayer by Archbishop Leo, is available for viewing now on the archdiocesan website as well as on the archdiocesan YouTube channel at:  
<http://www.youtube.com/@archtoronto>.

  
**Reminder to All Parents**  
 We have a Children's Liturgy every Sunday for any child that has not received 1<sup>st</sup> Communion.



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**Totus Tuus Summer Camp 2024**

The children and youth of the parish are invited to join us for Totus Tuus (Latin for Totally Yours) this summer. Totus Tuus is an Archdiocesan program whereby seminarians and young adults travel to different parishes, spreading the Good News of our Lord through catechesis, Mass, confession, songs and games! The grade school program, for children entering grades 1-6, runs Monday-Friday from 9am - 2:30pm, from July 8<sup>th</sup> to July 12<sup>th</sup>. The Intermediate/High School program for Grades 7-12 runs July 7 to 11, Sunday-Thursday from 7pm-9pm. The cost is: \$30 for Gr. 7-12 & \$70 for Gr. 1-6 for the entire week. If not possible, freewill offering will be accepted. **Register here:** (<https://bit.ly/TT24STGHC>), contact 905-723-8141, or, [stgregorythegreat@archtoronto.org](mailto:stgregorythegreat@archtoronto.org). More information about the program is also available at [www.totustuustoronto.ca](http://www.totustuustoronto.ca)



**Rosary for Our Priests**

**Saturday August 3, 2024 at 11am**

Please join us at Resurrection Cemetery to pray for our Priests, past and present. We will gather at the Priest's burial section. In the event of rain, the rosary will be held in the mausoleum. For more information call: 905-668-8912.

**Annual Outdoor Mass for the Faithful Departed**

Resurrection Cemetery, Whitby  
 Wednesday August 14, 2024, 7:00pm  
 Celebrant: Rev. Bishop Vincent Nguyen

**Pilgrimage to Martyr's Shrine July 16, 2024**

**Location:** Bus pickup/ Return St. Gertrude's Parish parking Lot 690 King St. E.  
**Time:** Leaving 8:45am, Return 9pm  
**Bring:** Dress for the weather, Bring a bagged lunch and dinner or Purchase lunch/dinner at Cafeteria \$15-\$30

**Itinerary:**

Arrival: 11:45am      Lunch: 12noon-12:45pm  
 Free Time: 1pm-2:45pm      Mass: 3pm-4pm  
 Guided Tour: 4pm-5pm      Departure: 5:30pm  
 Arrival at St. Gertrude's: 9pm

<http://www.eventbrite.ca/e/pilgrimage-to-martyrs-shrine-tickets-903570302097?aff=oddtcreator>

**CONGRATULATIONS!!!!**



As the School year comes to a close, we would like to congratulate all those who will be graduating this week and entering into the next phase of their lives. May all of you continue to grow in the love and strength of your faith, as you journey onwards.

**Baptism Catechises**

Our next session will be on **September 7 & 14** from **10am-12pm**. Please inform your family of this next session.



**Securities as a Charitable Gift Option**

One of the most financially ways to support the Archdiocese of Toronto is with the gift of securities (Stocks, bonds, mutual funds). To donate securities, follow this link:  
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 to download: How to Gift Securities Info Sheet and Letter of Direction. For more information, contact: [development@archtoronto.org](mailto:development@archtoronto.org)

**The Redemptorists of Canada**

The Redemptorists of Canada are looking for a Financial Controller. Please visit:  
<https://redemptorists.ca/news/> for more information.

**St. John Fisher (June 22)**

Born in Yorkshire in 1469, John Fisher was ordained to the priesthood when he was just 22. A theologian, John sought to improve the university's academic standards and advised the hiring of Erasmus to lecture in Greek. John, Erasmus and Sir Thomas Moore became great friends.

In 1504, John was made bishop of Rochester. When Henry VIII began seeking to annul his marriage to Catherine of Aragon, John defended the queen's position, refusing to sign that part of the Act of Succession of 1534 which had the effect of overriding papal authority. Henry counted this as treason. Old and sick, John Fisher was imprisoned in the tower of London. Several months later, the pope made him a cardinal. This so angered the king that, rather that wait for him to die, Henry had John beheaded. Four hundred years later, along with his friend Sir Thomas More, John was declared a saint.