



Angelic Doctor Lecture
**The Beauty of God's Creation
through the Eyes of a Molecular
Biologist**

Thursday, January 24, 2019, 7:00 pm

Registration: <https://newmanjan24.eventbrite.ca>
(Details inside)



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Regular Mass Times

Monday - Friday 12:15 pm & Saturday 9:30 am;
Sunday 11 am & 7 pm

Mass on statutory holidays: 9:30 am

St. Thomas Aquinas Church

Visiting Hours: M - F 8:00 am - 8:30 pm
House Hours: 9:00 am - 9:00 pm (Fall/Winter)

Confession: 30 minutes before all Masses

(Alternatively, schedule an appointment with Fr. Peter)

Liturgical SCHED. - Jan. 13 & 20

January 13, 11 am: *Sacristan* - Collin P.; *Server* - Assembly Volunteer.; *Lectors* - Larry R., Joan B.; *EMHC* - Richard B., Mary V.

January 13, 7 pm: *Sacristan* - Vanessa C.; *Server* - Richard R.; *Lectors* - Donata L., Olivia M.; *EMHC* - Catherine P., Bella I.

January 20, 11 am: *Sacristan* - Collin P.; *Server* - Mark K.; *Lectors* - Peter V. Brian S.; *EMHC* - Sr. Ann, Mary V.

January 20, 7 pm: *Sacristan* - Jonathan N.; *Server* - Richard R.; *Lectors* - Olivia M., Fertaa Y.; *EMHC* - Catherine P., Bella I.

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About the Lecture: As Catholics, our faith allows us to use the truths of scientific knowledge to encounter God through the beauty of His creation at the molecular level. Sr. Stephen Patrick will attempt to apply the teachings of St. Thomas Aquinas to the world of molecular biology in order to facilitate an encounter with our loving Creator by describing the structure and function of DNA and its relationship with other molecules that are essential for life.

About the Speaker: Sister Stephen Patrick joined the Dominican Sisters of Mary, Mother of the Eucharist based in Ann Arbor, Michigan in 2005 and professed her final vows on July 31, 2013. She graduated from The Catholic University of America in May 2018 with a Doctor of Philosophy in Biology, with emphasis in Cell and Microbial Biology. Sister is currently a high school science teacher and has taught a variety of courses including Chemistry, Biology, Anatomy & Physiology, Meteorology & Astronomy, and Physical Science.

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS REPORT: DECEMBER 2018

	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>Church Maintenance Fund</u>	\$25, 296
December Offertory	\$26,542	\$8,115	Next collection: January 27th	
Total Year to Date:	\$134,849	\$115,907		

Happy New Year 2019! We are very grateful to all our parishioners and supporters for their generous contributions towards the Newman Centre's St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Church. May God bless you and your families throughout this new year and may your lives always be guided by the will of God. We look forward to seeing you at all the exciting upcoming events at Newman.



Want to hear about our events? Join our email list. Email: maria.dasilva@newmantoronto.com

Notices

- **Vespers and Pray & Play** return on Tuesday, January 15th.
- **Holy Hour** returns on Thursday, January 31st.
- **Bible Study** begins Wednesday, January 16th from 6:15 - 7:15 pm with Fr. Cris Graas. Please visit our website or social media or the notice board for details. All are welcome.
- **Winter Welcome snacks** are available for students from January 7th - 18th in the Oak room.
- **Faith Study:** One hour a week for six weeks. Sign up at www.ccofaithstudies.ca.

Newman Centre welcomes Jennifer Coutinho, Operations and Special Projects Manager.

Please welcome Jennifer when you see her at Newman. Here is Jennifer's profile: "Not everything that happens in life can be explained and this was true of the position at Newman Centre where I felt drawn to "go and see" what the role was about; I mentioned it to St. Joseph. I did not think that I would work in a faith-based environment given my background in the corporate world, however, I felt drawn to the Catholic side of business. I had to journey - "Let Go and Let God" - to recognize that by trusting in His mercy and love, we find purpose in life.



My background in Business Transformation, Change Management and Telecommunications has prepared me for a "people person" role. As a Project Management Professional (PMP), I do believe that my passion for Project Management, and experience in end-to-end project delivery, would easily be transferred in managing the day-to-day operations of the Centre as well as special projects. And, the technical side of me will be ever-present as well!

Drawing from what my parents taught me and the support and encouragement from my family, I look forward to working with the staff and students at the Centre, as we journey together in implementing the Archdiocese of Toronto's pastoral plan and growing our campus ministry at the University of Toronto. And, I need to remember: "*Learn to do thy part and leave the rest to Heaven*" - Blessed John Henry Cardinal Newman"

Want to get involved with our community? Drop by or email us.

NEWMAN CENTRE EVENTS LISTING



Experiential Learning Program to Northern Canada!

On Thursday, January 10th from 7:00 - 9:00 pm, come and hear JP McKernan, Program Manager for Northern Bridge Community Partnership speak about the transfer credit course that includes a 2-week trip to an Indigenous community. Check them out at www.northernbridge.org. Light refreshments will be served.



How to Deal with Uncertainty and Transition from Studying to Working

Join us for our next Mentorship Session on Thursday, January 17th from 6:30 - 8:30 pm. Our guest speaker is Quentin Schesnuik, Associate Director, Parish Vitality and Stewardship, Archdiocese of Toronto. RSVP: <https://mentorship3.eventbrite.ca>



PovertyCure Series - Part 2 Charity that Hurts

February 6, 2019 | 7:00 pm

Guest Speakers

Niilo Edwards, Executive Director, First Nations Major Projects Coalition
and

Walid Hejazi, Associate Professor, Rotman School of Management.

Registration: <https://povcure2.eventbrite.ca>

Doors open at 6:30 pm.

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MISSION TRIP TO KINGSTON, JAMAICA

Join us to serve the poor and disabled with the Missionaries of the Poor.

April 29 - May 8, 2019

\$650 per person (Plus a donation of US\$200 to the brothers to cover food and residence)

Only 20 spots available, and we're teaming up with UTSCC/Centennial this year.

Partial bursaries available.

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