

# **ST. JOSEPH** CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## SUNDAY MASSES

**Saturday Vigil** 4:30 pm

**Sunday** 8:00 am, 9:30 am,  
11:00 am, 12:30 pm, 6:00 pm

## WEEKDAY MASSES

**Monday to Friday**

8:30 am

**1st Friday of the month:**

7:30 pm Followed by  
Holy Hour & Benediction

**Saturday** 9:00 am

**Holiday Mondays**

8:30 am Mass only

## CONFESSION

*Anytime by appointment.*

**1st Fridays** 6:30 - 7:15 pm

**Saturday** 3:15 - 4:15 pm

## DEVOTIONS

*Our Mother of Perpetual Help*

*Mondays at 9:00 am in the Church*

*Followed by Holy Rosary*

*with Cenacle M.M.P.*

## PARISH OFFICE

Sunday: Closed

Monday: Closed

Tuesday - Thursday 9 AM - 1 PM

2 PM - 4 PM

*(closed for lunch from 1pm - 2pm)*

Friday 9 AM - NOON

Saturday: 9:30 AM - 2:30 PM

## PARISH SCHOOLS

**Our Lady of Good Voyage** 5850 River Grove Ave

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**St. Raymond** 5735 Whitehorn Ave

**St. Barbara** 1455 Samuelson Cir

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## OUR NEW EMAIL ADDRESS:

**stjosephmi@archtoronto.org**

## PARISH TEAM

**Fr Paul Dobson** Parish Priest

**Fr Anish Alex** Associate Pastor

**Rev. Mr George Jurenas** Deacon

## SACRAMENTS

**Baptism** Call the parish office or  
email [st.joseph5440@gmail.com](mailto:st.joseph5440@gmail.com)

**First Holy Communion / Confirmation**

email [sacraments.stjosephmi@gmail.com](mailto:sacraments.stjosephmi@gmail.com) or call 905-826-2766 **ext 226**

**Anointing of the Sick** For the ill and elderly. Contact the parish office.

**Marriage** Couples must contact the parish office (905-826-2766) or by  
email [stjosephmi@archtoronto.org](mailto:stjosephmi@archtoronto.org)

\*\*\* **Or refer to our website tab | Sacraments at St. Joseph |**

at <https://stjosephmi.archtoronto.org> **for more information**

## MINISTRIES

**Catholic Women's League** Every 3rd Saturday at 9:30 am.

Christina Boyle: 416-807-7995 | [cwlstjoseph.parish@gmail.com](mailto:cwlstjoseph.parish@gmail.com)

**Divine Mercy Prayer Group** Clotilda Fernandes: 647-640-7440

Email: [dmpgdurie@gmail.com](mailto:dmpgdurie@gmail.com)

**Prayer Line: 905-817-1288, [elsa\\_sa@live.com](mailto:elsa_sa@live.com)**

**Knights of Columbus** Every 3rd Tuesday at 7:30 pm. Contact Grand

Knight Dominic Fernandes: 416-819-0739, [GK8661@ontariokofc.ca](mailto:GK8661@ontariokofc.ca)

**Legion of Mary** For inquiries or to have Our Lady of Fatima statue to  
visit your home, email Mark at [stjosephlegionofmary@yahoo.ca](mailto:stjosephlegionofmary@yahoo.ca)

**Rosary Apostolate** Margaret: 289-914-5747, Aileen: 905-607-6851

**St. Joseph's Protectors Pro-life group:** [stjosephprotectors@gmail.com](mailto:stjosephprotectors@gmail.com)

**St. Vincent de Paul Society** Call the parish office **ext. 3**

**Youth Ministry** Megan [ym.stjosephmi@gmail.com](mailto:ym.stjosephmi@gmail.com)

## NEW PARISHONERS

[Request Parish Registration](#) at the Office  
or on our website in the Contact Us Tab



H O C F A C I T E I N M E A M C O M M E M O R A T I O N E M

## MASS INTENTIONS

**SAT 26| Vigil Mass**  
 4:30 pm † Deceased members Mendonca  
 & D'Lima families

**SUN 27| 1<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY OF ADVENT**  
 8:00 am † Flory & Francis Fernandes  
 9:30 am Pro Popolo  
 11:00 am Special Intention  
 12:30 pm † Vivian Santos  
 6:00 pm In Thanksgiving

**MON 28|**  
 8:30 am † Anthony Francis Nazareth

**TUES 29|**  
 8:30 am † Luigi Boscarino

**WED 30| St. Andrew, Apostle**  
 8:30 am † Bernadina Maceda

**THUR 01|**  
 8:30 am † Angela Soares

**FRI 02| St. Francis Xavier**  
 8:30 am † Maselle Virey

**SAT 03|**  
 9:00 am Multiple Intention Mass

### YOUTH MINISTRY CORNER

Registration for children wishing to receive First Holy Communion or Confirmation in 2023, is closed. Registration for 2024 will begin next fall.

### LifeTeen

Are you in grades 9-12 and looking to grow in faith & friendship? We are pleased to announce that we will be launching our LifeTeen program this coming November for you! LifeTeen will include food, games, talks, small groups & prayer time, and will take place 2 Saturdays of the month following the 4:30pm Mass!

For more details or questions

Please email Megan at

[ym.stjosephMI@gmail.com](mailto:ym.stjosephMI@gmail.com)

Register by scanning the QR code:



### ST. JOSEPH ADVENT DAY OF CONFESSION

With many visiting priests will be on:  
 Tuesday December 13, from 7:00 pm -9:00 pm

## 1<sup>st</sup> SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Once again we begin a new Church Year today with the urgent call to prepare ourselves for Christ's Second Coming.

Advent is a time of preparation. We tend to think of it first as a time of preparation for Christ's first coming at Christmas, but in fact it is only after we have first heard the call to prepare ourselves for His Second and final Coming in glory that we turn back to remember His first coming in humility, and make ourselves ready in humility to receive Him into our hearts by making ourselves into the humble stable. So today St. Paul exhorts the Roman Christians to "*wake up now because our salvation is nearer now than when we first began to believe*".

Therefore, we must make our whole way of life a suitable preparation for the coming of the Son of God on the Last Day. In the Gospel, our Lord also warns against being unready for His Second Coming. One day, perhaps sooner than we think, He is coming to judge all who have ever lived on the earth.

~ Fr. Paul Dobson

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Christmas Week Schedule

<u>Christmas Eve</u> Saturday, December 24, 2022	<u>Christmas Day</u> Sunday, December 25, 2022
4:00 pm / 8:00 pm / 10:00 pm and 12:00 midnight (All English) *** NO 9:00 AM MASS ***	8:00 am / 9:30 am / 11:00 am & 12:30 pm (All English) <u>NO 6:00 pm Mass</u>
Monday Dec 26, 8:30 am Tuesday Dec 27, 8:30 am Wednesday Dec 28, 8:30 am	Thursday Dec 29, 8:30 am Friday Dec 30, 8:30 am Saturday Dec 31, 9:00 am
<u>Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God</u> (Holy Day of Obligation) Saturday, December 31, 2022 (New Year's Eve) 4:30 pm	
Sunday, January 1, 2023 - New Year's Day 8:00 am / 9:30 am / 11:00 am / 12:30 pm <u>NO 6:00 pm Mass</u>	

**Smile for the week:**

Why did the apple cry?

**Answer :**

because their peelings were hurt

## MINISTRIES

### CHOIRS ARE RESUMING!

- For the 12:30 choir contact Carinna Sabetti by email at choir1230StJoeMI@gmail.com or meet for rehearsal in the downstairs music room at 11:00 am on Sundays.

- For the 6:00 choir contact Janelle DeMello by email at janelle-demello@hotmail.com or meet for rehearsal in the downstairs music room at 4:30 pm on Sundays.

### PARISH SPIRITUAL WALK-IN MINISTRY

With Deacon George to answer questions, lend spiritual assistance and listen in a non-judgmental, confidential, and Catholic approach. No appointment necessary Tuesdays 11 am - 2 pm & Thursdays 5 - 8 pm. **no cost**

### KNIGHTS VITA CENTRE DONATION DRIVE

In support of Vita Centre our Knights are collecting baby items (Formula, bottles, baby food, diapers, wipes and clothing & gently used furniture and strollers). Please place items in the crib at the front entrance. Or contact the Knights by email at GK8661@ontariokoc.ca

### A ST. JOSEPH "MINI-RETREAT"

Saturday, December 3, 2022 at 2:00 P.M. This recollection promises to be a special time for growing in your interior life. You will be with other men and women with a similar objective of enriching their spiritual life. We invite parishioners and friends and especially those involved in our parish ministries to this unique event. There is no cost and registration is not required. Email Rod Nonato at rgnonato@gmail.com if you have any questions.

### In-Person Marriage Preparation Course 2023

Pre-Registration for our marriage preparation course will begin **Sat, Nov 26<sup>th</sup>**. We have spots for 35 couples. Dates of the course: **Fri, Mar 3, Sat, Mar 4, Fri, Mar 10 and Sat, Mar 11**. Couples must attend all four dates to receive their certificate of completion. To register, attend in person at parish office during our office hours. Call the parish office for any additional details. 905-826-2766.



### SVDP – 2022 CHRISTMAS APPEAL

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul will be distributing gift cards to needy families for Christmas. We are appealing for your support with gift cards (preferably President's Choice) or cash. Please put your donation in a sealed envelope and place it in the SVDP Poor Box. Our members will be available after all weekend masses on Nov 26/27 and Dec 3/4 to accept your donations. To get a receipt for income tax purposes, please include your full name and address with your donation.

We thank you for helping us help the needy in our parish. God Bless!



## DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP

Prayer Meetings every Wednesday - Parish Hall at 7 p.m.

**OUR FORTHCOMING SPECIAL PROGRAM**

**ONE DAY ADVENT RETREAT - "The Future - Full of Hope"**

Saturday, December 10, 2022

**\$10 – includes Refreshments and Lunch**

Preacher: Reverend Fr. Marco Testa

Former Pastor of St. Joseph's Church, Streetsville –

Registrations: After All Weekend Masses Sat & Sun,

November 26 and 27, and December 3 and 4.

*Advent is a time filled with hope. As we listen to God's word, our HOPE will rise and our faith will grow stronger. Don't let Advent slip away! Come and join us to discover the riches of the Advent Season!*

**ALL ARE WELCOME!**

## AROUND THE ARCH

### NEW BEGINNINGS UPCOMING SEMINARS

*New Beginnings ministers to those who have suffered a loss through separation, divorce or bereavement.*

### Death and Living with Grief

Keynote Speaker: Jenifer Merifield Location: Online via

Zoom: Wednesday November 30, 2022 @ 7:00 pm

Register Online at: <https://dlwg.eventbrite.ca>.

For more information call Archangel Limanni

at 647-215-3978 or email: [alimanni@cfstoronto.com](mailto:alimanni@cfstoronto.com)

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### PICK OF THE WEEK



Nov 27, 2022

**The Augustine Institute offers ADVENTUS:**

A Spiritual Pilgrimage for everyone this Advent and Christmas Season. In light of the separation we face as communities, this special documentary allows Catholics all around the world to unite and make a spiritual pilgrimage to the Holy Land to see the places associated with Christ's Birth.



**What does the Church teach about salvation?**

**WATCH The Chris Stefanick Show 24 min**

What is salvation? If we get anything right in our faith, it should be this. And yet, most Catholics don't have a clear idea of what salvation means – especially when a non-Catholic challenges them. In this episode, Dr. Michael Barber unpacks the Church's teaching on salvation: what it IS and what it ISN'T. So the next time someone asks you "Are you saved?" you'll know exactly how to give them the Catholic answer!

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