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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 - Friday 9 AM - 1 PM

2 PM - 4 PM

(closed for lunch from 1pm - 2pm)

Saturday: 9:30 AM - 2:30 PM

PARISH SCHOOLS

Our Lady of Good Voyage 5850 River Grove Ave
St. Herbert 5180 Fallingbrook Dr
St. Raymond 5735 Whitehorn Ave
St. Barbara 1455 Samuelson Cir

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5555 Creditview Rd 905-812-1376

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 baptisms@stjosephstreetsville.com

First Holy Communion / Confirmation

email 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

*** **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.

Rashmy Lobo: cwlrashmy@gmail.com

Divine Mercy Prayer Group Alphonsa Meyn: 416-659-1490

Email: dmpgdurie@gmail.com

Prayer Line: 905-817-1288, elsa_sa@live.com

Knights of Columbus Every 3rd Tuesday at 7:30 pm. Contact Grand
Knight Antonio D'Souza: 647-323-2797, GK8661@ontariokofc.ca

Legion of Mary For inquiries or to have Our Lady of Fatima statue to
visit your home, email stjosephlegionofmary@yahoo.ca

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

St. Joseph's Protectors Pro-life group: stjosephprotectors@gmail.com

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

Youth Ministry Megan ym.stjosephmi@gmail.com

NEW PARISHONERS

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

HOC FACITE IN MEAM COMMEMORATIONEM

MASS INTENTIONS

SAT 02 	
4:30 pm †	Gornall Jones
SUN 03 	22nd Sunday Ordinary Time
8:00 am †	Mary Mathew & Justin Correa
9:30 am	<i>Pro Popolo</i>
11:00 am †	
12:30 am †	Raymond D’Cunha
6:00 pm †	Deceased of Andrew Family
MON 04 	
8:30 am †	Jack Guiry
TUES 05 	
8:30 am †	Gornall Harold Jones
WED 06 	
8:30 am †	Priscilla & Felino Badua
THUR 07 	
8:30 am	In Thanksgiving
FRI 08 	The Nativity of The Blessed Mary
8:30 am	<i>Multiple Intentions Mass</i>
SAT 09 	St Peter Claver
9:00 am	<i>Multiple Intentions Mass</i>

THE MYSTERY OF THE CROSS

One of the most successful musicals of recent years is called “Wicked”. It tells the story of the early life of some of the characters who crop up in the equally famous film “The Wizard of Oz.” One of the cast sings a song which explains his personal philosophy: **“Dancing through life”**: *“Life is painless for the brainless”* he tells us. It doesn’t do to be serious, it’s best to live life on the surface.

Now, we can take ourselves too seriously and that is not a good thing, but “dancing through life” certainly seems to be the basic idea for many of our contemporaries, who endeavour to blot out the harsher realities of our existence with a cocktail of various distractions and other things. In the face of this, this weekend’s Gospel has something to say. When Our Lord speaks about the grim realities He is called upon to face, St Peter is appalled. Surely not, he exclaims – nothing so serious, so calamitous could befall the One he had just hailed as the Christ, the Son of the Living God. St Peter had to learn, however, as we must all learn sooner or later, that we cannot go dancing through life.

“Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross and follow me”. Our Lord is telling us that if we gain the whole world but lose Him, in the end we have gained nothing and that if we lose the whole world but remain faithful to Him, in the end we have lost nothing. St Peter, in seeking to deny Our Lord His Passion is, in effect, seeking to deny the possibility of true happiness. Pope Benedict XVI expresses it thus: **“It is only by freeing himself through suffering that man finds himself, that he finds his truth, his joy, his happiness.”** No matter how painful our sharing in the Cross might prove to be, no matter how much we are mocked or misunderstood by the world because of our wanting to live to the full our relationship with Our Lord, we should seek to penetrate more and more deeply what the Cross means. Pope Benedict again: *“The Cross forces us to look upon the fact that we are loved by God. The Cross becomes a new centre of gravity for the bringing together of what is divided.”*

How many times in the course of the day do we make the Sign of the Cross? Each time we make it, we should in some way express the desire to receive the grace to live the Sign of the Cross. We seek to live out each moment the demands that obedient love places on us in our daily lives: all those small acts of choosing the other instead of the self; all those small daily sacrifices of self-will which can be taken up into the one great Sacrifice of the Saviour’s Cross. It is not easy, carrying the Cross. Dancing through life seems so much easier. If we choose that path, we may indeed gain temporary benefits and pleasures, but what will we have lost in the long run?

~ Fr. Paul Dobson

INFORMATION & PARENT REGISTRATION NIGHT

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION:

THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 28TH - 7:00 PM

CONFIRMATION:

FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 30TH - 7:00 PM

TO REGISTER YOUR CHILD FOR EITHER

SACRAMENT PLEASE BRING:

- **A device such as a cell phone to register with online**
- **A copy of your child’s baptism certificate**
- **A copy of your child’s birth certificate**
- **\$50 in cash or cheque (payable to St. Joseph Parish)**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHILDREN'S LITURGY will Resume:


Sunday September 24th for the 11 am & 12:30 pm Mass.

SEPTEMBER COFFEE HOUR with guest speaker

Wednesday 13th 9 am (after morning Mass)


ST. JOSEPH PARISH PICNIC – IS BACK!

Saturday September 30th 11 am – 2 pm bring the whole family.

Food | Drinks | Games | Music | Prizes | Friendship **SCAN TO REGISTER** 

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Or Register at Church Office 

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

St. Joseph Scheduled Parish Vigil Days are Fridays Sept 29, October 6 and October 13 at 1:30 pm. Everyone is welcome. see flyer or visit 40daysforlife.com/Mississauga for details

LINE DANCING – Fun and Fitness \$5 -Pay as you go Tuesday afternoons at 1:30 pm. Everyone is welcome.

MINISTRIES

MEN of FAITH RETREAT

Saturday Sept. 16, 9:00am -1:00pm | For ALL men 16+ Holy Mass at 9 followed by a Light Breakfast | Holy Rosary & Spiritual talks and direction by Father Anish Alex Register by: Sept 12 at 647-323-2797 | gk8661@ontariokofc.ca Hosted by Knights of Columbus Council 8661.

CWL DINNER & DANCE - November 10 at 6:30 pm Fundraiser for the many charities and missions they support. At National Banquet Hall - 7355 Torbram Rd, Miss. See posters for more details or scan  or email cwlstjoseph.parish@gmail.com or call Theresa at 647-461-9859.

DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP

Prayer Meetings Wednesdays - 7 pm in the Parish Hall

OUR WEEKLY PRAYER MEETINGS WILL RESUME With Holy Mass, on Wednesday, September 6, 2023 - service commencing at 6.45 p.m. in the Church. Eucharistic Adoration and special Intercessory Prayers. Celebrant: Rev. Fr. Paul Dobson
OUR NEXT HOLY MASS WITH HEALING SERVICE Wednesday, October 25, 2023 at 6.45 p.m. in the Church

“Blessed are those who hear the word of God and obey it.”
(Luke 11:28)

God's Word is medicine for our soul. It heals us from the inside out. The struggle is real but so is God's Word. Join us and be healed in the mighty Name of Jesus!

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Smile for the week:
What do elves do after school?


Answer:
Gnome work

AROUND THE ARCH

Pilgrimage to Basilica of Our Lady Immaculate

In Guelph Ontario on Saturday October 7th with his Eminence Archbishop Emeritus Cardinal Collins. \$85 pp includes luxury bus coach from St.Aloysius high school and Queens' Tea lunch. Contact Enza at 905-301-3376 for more info or to register.

ADULT CHILDREN OF DIVORCE - HEALING

On Thursday September 7 at 2 pm Dr. Maria Wolfs will host a free webinar on ZOOM. Dr. Maria Wolfs is an endocrinologist and assistant professor at the University of Toronto. She became involved after attending a life-changing retreat and is excited to share information about the first international chapter of Life Giving Wounds. 

You can also watch this on YouTube on Dorothy Pilarski of Catholic Moms channel called **Midday Moms**.

HOW TO START A CATHOLIC MOMS GROUP

In-person Workshop September 23 10:00 am to 2:00 pm St. Gregory's Catholic Church 122 Rathburn Road Toronto Register at www.CatholicMomsGroup.com/workshop/ Questions? CONTACT: 416-907-1042our bulletin boards or

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PICK OF THE WEEK

Sept 2, 2023

THIS WEEK ON
FORMED



Disconnected: the Transgender Explosion

Over the past few years, a transgender tsunami has swept the nation, completely overtaking the medical, educational, and counseling industries, and forever altering hundreds of thousands of young girls' lives. What is going on? How did it come to this? And who is behind it? Filmmaker and father Don Johnson traveled the country to find out. **DISCLAIMER:** This documentary contains graphic content that might not be suitable for some audiences. **Viewer discretion is advised. 1 hr 28 min**

THE BIRTH OF JESUS CHANGED THE COURSE OF HUMAN HISTORY.

Search for St. Joseph Parish Mississauga with Parish code **V9WRHN** and register with your email.

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but be transformed by the renewal of your mind.
That you may discern what is God and pleasing and perfect.*

Romans 12:2

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