# + 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

## First Friday of the month:

6:00 pm Exposition 7:00 pm Benediction 7:30 pm Mass

Saturday 9:00 am

**Holiday Mondays** 

8:30 am Mass only

#### CONFESSION

Anytime by appointment. **1st Fridays** 6:00 - 7:00 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) **During Summer months the parish office closes on Fridays at noon.** 

Saturday: 9:30 AM - 2:30 PM

EMAIL: stjosephmi@archtoronto.org

#### **PARISH TEAM**

Fr Paul Dobson Parish Priest Fr Anish Alex Associate Pastor Deacon George Jurenas Deacon Oliver D'Mello

#### 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** Meet 9:30 am every 3rd Saturday of the month email: cwlstjosephstreetsville@gmail.com

Shamin DSouza (President) +1 437 770 5109 / cwlshamin@gmail.com

**Divine Mercy Prayer Group** Alphonsa Meyn: t: 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. 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

#### PARISH SCHOOLS

Our Lady of Good Voyage	• 5850 River Grove Ave	905-567-8422	St. Gregory	1075 Swinbourne Dr	905-814-5237
St. Herbert	5180 Fallingbrook Dr	905-858-1171	St. Julia	6770 Historic Trail	905-795-2706
St. Raymond	5735 Whitehorn Ave	905-286-1010	St. Joseph	249 Church St	905-826-4422
St. Barbara	1455 Samuelson Cir	905-696-8860	St. Joseph SS	5555 Creditview Rd	905-812-1376

#### MASS INTENTIONS

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SAT	15	
4:30	pm †	Julia Selvaratnam
SUN	16	
8:00	am †	José Goncalves
9:30	am	Pro Popolo
11:00	am †	José Pavaõ
12:30	pm †	Bernardina Maceta
6:00	pm †	Helena Moutinho
MON	17	
8:30	am †	Antonetta Pereira
7:00	pm	Retreat Mass
TUES	18	
8:30	am †	John Singh
7:00	pm	Retreat Mass
WED	19	St. Joseph Feast Day
8:30	am †	Frank Correa
7:00	pm	In Thanksgiving to St. Joseph
THUR	20	
8:30	am †	Walter Teodoro
FRI	21	
8:30	am	Multiple Intentions Mass
7:30	pm	Special Intention
SAT	22	
9:00	am	Multiple Intentions Mass

## ST. JOSEPH YOUTH MINISTRIES LifeTeen Grades 9-12 | Edge Grades 6-8

For more information or to register, email Megan, at ym.stjosephmi@gmail.com and follow us on Instagram @ym.stjosephmi@gmail.com

FRIDAY MASS & STATIONS OF THE CROSS

<u>During Lent</u> and starting on Friday March
7<sup>th</sup> there will be Mass at 7:30 pm followed
by Stations of the Cross every Friday.

# Weekly VESPERS During Lent 5:30 PM In The Church

Thursday March 20; Wednesdays March 26, April 2, 9 & 16. No prior experience necessary. Prayer guides will be provided.

#### LISTEN TO HIM!

Christ is the Lord of glory as we hear in today's Gospel of the Transfiguration. At first sight it seems strange to hear this account in Lent, the season of austerity, and preparation for Holy Week. Yet we must understand that it is an event which takes place on the way up to Jerusalem, and that it clearly looks forward to all that will happen to Our Lord there.

We are told that our Lord appeared to be shining with a brilliant light, like the sun. St. Peter, who witnesses this wonderful event, is overcome with awe, and does not know what to say, yet he finds himself saying, "Lord it is good for us to be here!" He wants to remain in this state of ecstasy, and continue to enjoy it, by offering to put up three tents for Our Lord, and for Moses and Elijah. Though struck with fear, the Apostles recognise that their Master is being revealed to them as no ordinary man, but as God Who has become man, and has usually kept veiled, but not lost, His glory.

But the greatest words of this revelation are truly extraordinary. For it is only the second occasion in the Gospels that the voice of God the Father is heard, pointing out "My Son, the Chosen One." Christ, therefore, is shown to be beyond doubt the Son of God in a unique way. But He is also pointed out as our Teacher when God's voice continues: "Listen to Him!" Finally, after the end of this brilliant glory, Our Lord Himself speaks to the three Apostles about it, saying, "Tell no one about the vision until the Son of Man has risen from the dead.' This vision has been for them alone to know about, until after His resurrection. Then they will be able to understand it and preach it as showing that Christ is God before, and even in, His death on the cross.

~ Fr. Paul Dobson

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## ST. JOSPH PARISH MISSION "The Life of St. Joseph"

"I see the Church waking up and coming explosively alive to the point where it, with the power of the Holy Spirit, will shake the earth and the nations with its dynamic presence." ~ Fr. Bob Bedard, Companions Founder. The mission will be conducted by Fr. Allan MacDonald, a member of the formation Team of The Companions of The Cross.

He has served as Chaplain at York University in Toronto, as Pastor of St. John the Baptist Parish in Halifax, as Vocations & Admissions Director for the for the Companions, and as General Superior of the Companions of the Cross.

Monday March 17, Tuesday March 18 & Wednesday March 19

6:00 - 6:50pm - Confessions

7:00 pm Mass with an extended homily.

8:30 – 9:00 pm confessions

Wednesday we will conclude with

St. Joseph Table celebration in the hall following Mass.

A dish of appetizers or finger foods are greatly appreciated.

## **MINISTRIES**

#### ST. JOSEPH'S CHILDREN' S CHOIR

Debuting Easter Sunday - The music ministry will form a

Children's Choir that will sing every Sunday at 9:30am Mass with rehearsals on Thursdays from 5:30pm to 7:00pm.

To register scan the QR code →



A pizza dinner will be provided at rehearsal once a month.

#### **CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE NEXT MEETING:**

Saturday March 15, 9:30–11:30 am *(with breakfast)*Topic: "" – Mental Health Speaker: Deacon George Followed by a Crochet Workshop

**SHARELIFE -** You extend the hands of Christ to those in need through your support of ShareLife to those in need: the poor, the vulnerable, and the marginalized in our community. Because you care, more than 40 agencies provide strength to people of all ages in their weakest moments. You've been there for young parents as they worried about their next meal, isolated seniors yearning for companionship, teenagers seeking guidance in a confusing world, refugees longing to rebuild their lives, and people with special needs striving for dignity and acceptance. Thank you for living the Gospel through your compassion.

**ShareLife Sunday is March 30**. Our parish goal for this year's campaign is \$103,500. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

#### **JESUS HEALS**

A Shalom World Conferences healing program.

Be transformed in body, mind, and soul. A free event, led by Fr. Julian Studden, a gifted priest and global speaker. Holy Mass, Eucharistic adoration, spiritual talk, special prayers for healing and blessing the sick.

Jesus Heals will be held in following parishes at 7pm. Mar 25<sup>th</sup> - St Catherine of Sienna / Mar 26<sup>th</sup> St Francis Xavier Parish Mar 27<sup>th</sup> - 7 PM at St. Anthony of Padua Church, Brampton

#### March 28th - 7 PM at St. Joseph Parish

More information available conferences.shalomworld.org/

#### Items For Sale at The Feast of St. Joseph

Sleeping St Joseph Statues and Rosaries from Fatima, Portugal, will again be available to purchase at The St. Joseph Feast Day Celebration.

Smile for the week: What do polite vampires say?

Answer Lang you very much.

## **AROUND THE ARCH**

#### BEREAVEMENT PEER SUPPORT GROUP

At Merciful Redeemer Parish.

Mar. 18, Apr. 3 (Thurs.) / 15 / 29 & May 13

Meetings are from 7 - 9 PM in the St. Faustina room located in the parish basement. For more info or to RSVP, please contact Saokham at 416-518-5875 or email hope@mercifulredeemer.org

#### 6<sup>th</sup> DYNAMIC WOMEN OF FAITH CONFERENCE

<u>Saturday March 22, 9am-4pm</u> at the The Old Mill With Speakers: \*\*\* (include light lunch) \*\*\*

Annie Karto: Divine Mercy Flood My Soul

Lisa Canning: Surrendering in Suffering: Discovering JOY Fr. Marcin Serwin OMI: Being a Priest - Being a Midwife Dr. Stephanie Kafie: Totus Tuus - 5 Ways to Live out "Totally Yours" & Dorothy Pilarski: Your Life is Going to Change. Closing Mass celebrated by Most Reverend Robert Kasun CSB TO REGISTER GO TO dwf2025.eventbrite.ca.

#### LIFT JESUS HIGHER RALLY

Join us in coming together in praise and worship on Saturday, March 29<sup>th</sup>, at the Metro Toronto Convention Centre, Toronto. The theme this year, "Power From on High", encourages us to remember and focus on the source of our strength. For more information please visit https://www.ljhr.ca. You can arrange tickets and bus transportation with Enza at 905-301-3376.

#### HEALING AFTER ABORTION: The Sisters of Life

A "Day of Prayer and Healing" offers the opportunity to experience the love and mercy of God and to respond to His invitation to begin the journey of healing the wound of abortion. Upcoming date is April 5 & 2025.

For more details, locations, and confidential registration, or to simply talk to a Sister, please contact the Sisters of Life at (416) 463-2722 or email us at <a href="mailto:toronto@sistersoflife.org">toronto@sistersoflife.org</a>.

#### **DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP**

Prayer meetings every Wednesday in the Hall at 7 p.m. OUR FORTHCOMING SPECIAL SERVICES – 2025:

**LENTEN RETREAT** Saturday, April 5 – 8am- 3 pm. Registration after Saturday vigil & Sunday Masses March 22/23 & March 29/30

Please register early to avoid disappointment

DIVINE MERCY NOVENA Fri April 18 Sat April 26 – Church FEAST OF DIVINE MERCY Sunday, April 27 – 2.30 p.m. – Church

#### "GROWTH IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR"

Wednesday, April 23 to May 28 – 6.30 p.m. – Hall Admission is free but Registration is required. Forms and drop-in boxes at both entrances of the Church.

#### **ALL ARE WELCOME!**





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