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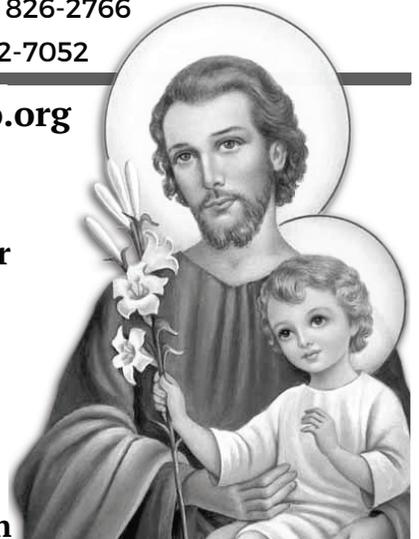
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### SUNDAY MASSES

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](mailto:stjosephmi@archtoronto.org)

### PARISH TEAM

**Fr Paul Dobson Parish Priest**

**Fr Rafal Bartosinski Associate Pastor**

**Deacon George Jurenas**

**Deacon Oliver D'Mello**

### SACRAMENTS

**Baptism** Call the parish office or email [baptisms@stjosephstreetsville.com](mailto:baptisms@stjosephstreetsville.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)

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

### MINISTRIES

**Catholic Women's League** Meet 9:30 am every 3rd Saturday of the month

Shamin DSouza (President) e: [cwlstjosephstreetsville@gmail.com](mailto:cwlstjosephstreetsville@gmail.com)

t: 1 437 770 5109 / [cwlshamin@gmail.com](mailto:cwlshamin@gmail.com)

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

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.

Grand Knight Antonio D'Souza: 647-323-2797, [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 [stjosephlegionofmary@yahoo.ca](mailto:stjosephlegionofmary@yahoo.ca)

**Rosary Apostolate** Alida email: [alidasabetti.RA@gmail.com](mailto:alidasabetti.RA@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)

**EDGE (Grades 6-8) LifeTeen (Grades 9-12)**

**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. Herbert** 5180 Fallingbrook Dr 905-858-1171

**St. Raymond** 5735 Whitehorn Ave 905-286-1010

**St. Barbara** 1455 Samuelson Cir 905-696-8860

**St. Gregory**

**St. Julia**

**St. Joseph**

**St. Joseph SS**

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905-795-2706

905-826-4422

905-812-1376

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## MASS INTENTIONS

<b>SAT 14</b>	
4:30 pm †	Egid Barreto
<b>SUN 15</b>	
8:00 am †	Maurice Gorand
9:30 am	Pro Popolo
11:00 am †	Fr. Mathew Madathi
12:30 pm †	Adam Lasica
6:00 pm †	Gaudencio Fermin & Lucita Cruz Pendre
<b>MON 16</b>	
8:30 am †	Julia Selvaratnam
<b>TUES 17</b>	
8:30 am	In Thanksgiving
<b>WED 18</b>	
8:30 am †	Simon D'Cruz
<b>THUR 19</b>	St. Joseph
8:30 am	Intentions of all parishioners
7:00 pm	In Thanksgiving to St. Joseph
<b>FRI 20</b>	
8:30 am	<i>Multiple Intentions Mass</i>
7:30 pm	Intentions of all parishioners <i>Followed by The Stations of The Cross</i>
<b>SAT 21</b>	
9:00 am	<i>Multiple Intentions Mass</i>

### LENTEN DAY OF CONFESSIONS

Will be on Tuesday March 17  
Starting at 7:00 pm in the Church.

The Annunciation of The Lord  
Wednesday March 25  
*Special Mass at 7:00 pm*

### LENTEN VESPERS 2026

Pray with the Church's "official prayer" this Lent.  
Join us for Evening Prayer every Wednesday of Lent  
at 6:00 pm in the church. Prayer guides will be  
provided. No experience necessary.

**DEACON GEORGE'S SPIRITUAL WALK-IN CLINIC**  
Is on a winter break and will return April 07

### SMILE FOR THE WEEK

Why was the chicken sent  
home from school?

### ANSWER

For using fowl language

## THE MAN BORN BLIND

As Jesus walked along, he saw a man who had been blind from birth. The disciples react in a very human way. "*Who sinned, this man, or his parents, for him to have been born blind?*" No matter how much we understand about cause and effect in medicine or in other areas of life, we often still want to attach moral blame to our misfortunes - indeed, sometimes our misfortunes are a result of our sins, sometimes not. But this is not the point here. Our Lord's answer to his disciples' question suggests the way in which we are to look at this story. "*Neither he, nor his parents sinned,*" Jesus answered. "*He was born blind so that the works of God might be displayed in him.*"

Even in this short exchange at the beginning of the Gospel, a number of important themes have already emerged. If he was blind from birth the disciples rightly surmise that his affliction cannot easily be considered as a punishment for any actual sin the man may have committed. This difficulty surely underlies their question, "*Who sinned, this man or his parents?*"

Our Lord's answer rules out any suggestion that sins committed either by the man himself or by his parents are to blame for his misfortune. It may well be the case that our failures in the moral law sometimes lead in the natural order to physical affliction for ourselves or for others. We think at once of food, drink, drugs and sex, but of course jealousy and pride also lead to some pretty destructive behaviour. All this is in the natural order and cannot be seen in terms of punishment - just breakdown as a result of misuse. If you fill the washing machine until the sheets and towels are bursting out of the door, you are not being punished when the kitchen floods. This is just what happens when you ignore the maker's instructions.

Is it then a question of "supernatural" punishment, not related to any particular failure but directly and arbitrarily imposed by God? Again, the answer seems to be "no". "*Neither this man nor his parents sinned. He was born blind so that the works of God might be displayed in him.*" The themes here are sin, blindness, inheritance and the power of God. The sin is not actual sins we commit and are personally responsible for, but the condition we inherit, original sin, being cut off from God. The man born blind is in a sense "everyman", his blindness an image for the condition of mankind since its origins. The Greek word for birth is the same as the word for the first book of the Bible in which this "original" sin at the beginning of creation is described - "Genesis". ~ Fr. Paul Dobson.

### ST. JOSEPH FEAST DAY THURSDAY MARCH 19

Join us Thursday March 19<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm for a special Mass to honour our Patron Saint. Then join us for a celebration in the parish hall for St. Joseph's table. A plate of finger food is appreciated. Everyone is welcome!

**NOTE: There will be no Children's Liturgy  
on Palm Sunday and Easter Sunday**

## MINISTRIES

**LENTEN HALIBUT FISH & CHIPS FUNDRAISER**  
**Saturday, March 21 - 06:00 p.m. – 07:30 p.m.** Hosted by our Knights of Columbus. All proceeds will go to support funding for the tiling project of the Parish (see posters at Both Entrances). Tickets are \$20.00 and are available at both entrances after the all weekend Masses.

**B.Y.O.D – BRING YOUR OWN DEVICE & STAY CONNECTED WITH CONFIDENCE.** *This Hands-On workshop on Wednesday, March 18 in the Parish Hall from 9 am to 11 am is designed for seniors & beginners.* Learn How to Use: - Facebook & Facebook Messenger Share photos, Stay in touch & Chat easily. - Texting & WhatsApp Send messages, Photos, & Videos with ease- FaceTime & Video Calling See your loved ones face-to-face, no matter the distance. Limited participants so please sign up to be sure of a spot. Register with QR code or at the parish office. **Bring your Phone, Tablet, Laptop, Chargers AND Questions!**



### CWL ST. JOSEPH

**St. Michael's Scholarship - Value of \$3000.00**

Open to Catholic young women completing secondary education this year. With first college choice being St. Michael's College, University of Toronto and in the following areas of study: Commerce, Computer Science, Humanities &amp; Social Science, or Science.

Submission deadline: Sunday May 31<sup>st</sup>. For more information contact: [cwlstjoseph.parish@gmail.com](mailto:cwlstjoseph.parish@gmail.com),

### SANCTUS SUMMER CAMP IS BACK - Save the dates!

**Week #1: July 13<sup>th</sup> -17<sup>th</sup> | Week #2: July 27<sup>th</sup> -31<sup>st</sup>.**

Looking forward to another great summer!

All the best & God bless, Megan Amaral, Youth Minister!

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### DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP

Prayer meetings every Wednesday in the Hall at 7 p.m.

### DIVINE MERCY NOVENA

Friday, April 3 to Saturday, April 11 – in the Church  
 Good Friday 5.45 p.m. – Monday to Saturday 6.30 p.m.

**FEAST OF DIVINE MERCY** Sunday, April 12, 2026 -  
 2.30 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration Holy Mass - 3 p.m.

ARE WELCOME!



### PALM SUNDAY AND HOLY WEEK MASS SCHEDULE 2026

PALM SUNDAY <b>March 29<sup>th</sup></b>	8:00, 9:30, 11:00 am 12:30 & 6:00 pm
TENEBRAE <b>Wed., April 1<sup>st</sup></b>	7:00 pm – 8:30 pm
Mass of Lord's Supper HOLY THURSDAY <b>Thurs., April 2<sup>nd</sup></b>	7:30 pm
GOOD FRIDAY <b>April 3<sup>rd</sup></b> Commemoration of Lord's Passion <b>Stations of the Cross</b>	12 noon & 3:00 pm 7:30 pm
HOLY SATURDAY <b>April 4<sup>th</sup></b> Blessing of Food <b>EASTER VIGIL</b>	No 9 am Morning Mass 2:00 pm 7:30 pm
<b>The Resurrection of The Lord</b> EASTER SUNDAY <b>April 5<sup>th</sup></b>	8:00 am, 9:30 am 11:00 am & 12:30 pm NO 6:00 pm MASS

## AROUND THE ARCH

### 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Dynamic Women of Faith Conference

Saturday March 21 - Le Treport Banquet Hall, Mississauga

Johnette Benkovic Williams EWTN - *What does it Mean to be a Woman?* | Sister John Mary SV *Learning to Listen in a Distracted World* | April Smith from North Pole Alaska - *Live Adventurously, Live Virtuously* | Dorothy Pilarski - *One Mother's Heart - One Mother's Fiat* | Natalie Regnier - *Brick by Brick: Building a Strong Family.*

Bishop Ivan Camilleri will be celebrating the closing Mass  
 REGISTER at [dwf2026.eventbrite.ca](http://dwf2026.eventbrite.ca).



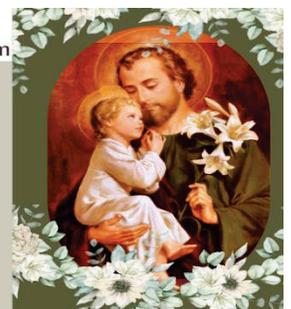
St. Joseph's  
Centre of Hope for Women

### MASS AND OFFICIAL OPENING IN NEW LOCATION

March 21<sup>st</sup> 2026, 11:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
 302 Gerrard St. East  
 (In former late term abortuary)

Refreshments: Sandwiches, Pastries, Beverages  
 (Onsite and Takeaway)

Mass celebrated by Father Louis DiRocco at 10:00 a.m. in the Chapel (Belated Feast of Saint Joseph)



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