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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 Carlos Torres Márquez 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@stjosephstreetsville.com or call 905-826-2766
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
*** for more information ***refer to our website sjosephmi.archtoronto.org under the sacraments tab*** | **Sacraments at St. Joseph** |

MINISTRIES
Catholic Women's League Meet 9:30 am every 3rd Saturday of the month
Shamin DSouza (President) e: cwlstjoseph.parish@gmail.com
t: 1 437 770 5109 / cwlshamin@gmail.com

Divine Mercy Prayer Group Clotilda Fernandes
email: clodave@hotmail.com
DMPG Prayer Line: 905-817-1288, elsa_sa@live.com

Knights of Columbus Every 3rd Tuesday at 7:30 pm.
Grand Knight Antonio D'Souza: 647-323-2797, gkcvc8661@gmail.com

Legion of Mary For inquiries and to have Our Lady of Fatima statue to visit your home, email stjosephlegionofmary@yahoo.ca. Meetings on Wednesdays at 5 pm

Rosary Apostolate Alida email: alidasabetti.RA@gmail.com

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

Youth Ministry Megan 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. 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

HOC FACITE IN MEAM COMMEMORATIONEM

MASS INTENTIONS

SAT	**14**	**|**
4:30	pm †	Giuseppe Macaluso
SUN	**15**	**|**
8:00	am †	Gino Golin
9:30	am	Pro Popolo
11:00	am	Wedding Blessings: Janelle + Elvin
12:30	pm †	Bernardina Maceta
6:00	pm †	Betty Mathew
MON	**16**	**|**
8:30	am †	Elvia Day
TUES	**17**	**| *St. Elizabeth of Hungary***
8:30	am †	Elma Fernandes
WED	**18**	**|**
8:30	am †	Cody Joseph Frank McKeown
THUR	**19**	**|**
8:30	am †	Thelma May Dunn
FRI	**20**	**|**
8:30	am	*Multiple Intentions Mass*
SAT	**21**	**| *The Presentation of The Blessed Virgin Mary***
9:00	am	*Multiple Intentions Mass*

ST. JOSEPH YOUTH MINISTRIES

Edge Grades 6-8 | LifeTeen Grades 9-12

email ym.stjosephmi@gmail.com

Instagram: ym.stjosephmi@gmail.com

Or check the bulletin board outside the youth office for news and updates.

ADVENT MARKET (baked goods and crafts): November 28 and 29 after all Sunday masses. Cash ONLY!

RORATE MASS: Saturday, December 5, at 7am. Potluck brunch to follow in the parish Hall.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHILDREN'S CHOIR

SUNDAY 9:30AM MASS

FOR CHILDREN GRADES 1 - 8

Rehearsals: Thursdays at 5:45-7:00 pm in the lower-level music room

Register with the QR code or choirs@stjosephstreetville.com

DEACON GEORGE'S SPIRITUAL WALK-IN CLINIC

Tuesdays from 6 pm – 8pm (No cost) to answer questions and lend spiritual support (25-minute slots) Book appointment ➔

PARABLE OF THE TALENTS

This parable reminds us that Our Lord does not expect everyone to produce exactly the same return on God's gifts, because God never gives exactly the same gifts to any two persons. Moreover, "Talents" are not just to be interpreted as gifts. No two persons are ever put in exactly the same position, or given absolutely identical lives or responsibilities.

Every human being who has ever lived is unique. This fact is in itself a remarkable tribute to God's inexhaustible inventiveness. Even identical twins are still two individuals, however much they may share; and it is as individuals that they will be judged—just like all the rest of the human race.

To have won Our Lord's approval for the fruit of our life's work is surely the greatest joy we can look forward to on leaving this life—a joy to be surpassed only by that of the everlasting sight of His glory in the company of all the saints. Hence, after these wonderful words: "Well done, good and faithful servant", Our Lord will say to those who have done His will these yet more thrilling words: "Enter into the joy of your Lord!" You know how it is that after the Christmas festivities are over in the world at large, and January is still cold and dark, advertisers love to whet our appetites for summer with scenes of hot tropical beaches and blue seas.

For us, if life seems excessively arduous, and without any real purpose or hope of reward, we need to think about the words Our Lord says to the servants who have produced a good income on their talents: "Well done, good and faithful servant, enter into the joy of your Lord!" May God grant that on the day we leave this life, we all hear those same words addressed to ourselves!

~ Fr. **Paul Dobson**

SHARELIFE FINAL 2026 DRIVE

Until December 31, 2026, a generous anonymous donor will match year-end gifts dollar for dollar, up to $500,000. That means your gift can go twice as far in helping ShareLife-funded agencies care for our brothers and sisters in need. This year, ShareLife and Catholic Charities have committed $850,000 through Food Security Grants to help agencies respond to growing needs. To have your gift matched, please give online at sharelife.org/donate or by using a ShareLife envelope at your parish.

ARCHDIOCESAN WORLD YOUTH DAY MASS 2026

Saturday, November 21, 2026, at 7 p.m. at St. Thomas More Parish, 2234 Ellesmere Rd, Scarborough, ON. Gather with young adults from across the archdiocese for a powerful evening of faith, prayer and community as we celebrate the Vigil Mass for the Solemnity of Christ the King. The Mass will be celebrated by His Eminence, Frank Cardinal Leo, Metropolitan Archbishop of Toronto.

SMILE of the Week

Where do rabbits learn to fly?

Answer

The Hare Force

MINISTRIES

THE JEWISH ROOTS OF ADVENT

In our next 4-part Faith Study, Dr. Brant Pitre shows how a deeper understanding of the ancient Jewish prophecies of the Messiah can help unlock the hidden meanings of the season of Advent. **Session 1:** The Second Advent at the End of Time: What will happen at the end of time? And Jewish Prophecies of the Messiah: How do Catholics know. that Jesus is truly the Messiah and not just one more religious leader. **Monday Nov 16 at 7pm in the hall OR Tuesday Nov 17 at 9 am Upstairs.**

SVDP – 2026 CHRISTMAS APPEAL

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul are again distributing gift cards to families in need this Christmas and are appealing for your support with cash or gift cards (preferably Walmart or President's Choice). Please include your donation in a sealed envelop and place it in the SVDP donation box by Dec 6. We will be collecting donations after each mass on the weekends of Nov. 28 & 29 and Dec. 5 & 6. To get a receipt for income tax purposes, please include your full name and address with your donation. We thank you for helping us support the needy in our parish. God Bless.

ADVENT FAMILY EVENT FOR CHILDREN

Hosted by The Knights of Columbus in support of the needy families of our Parish on Saturday, November 28, after 9:00 am Mass in the Hall. All families are welcome for Christmas fun and pictures with Santa. Monetary donations or gift cards are welcomed to be used to support families of our Parish through the St. Vincent de Paul Society this Advent season.

SPANISH RETREAT

"GOD COMES TO SEEK YOU"

Un retiro de Adviento para abrir el corazón a la gracia.

El retiro será en español.

St. Joseph Parish

10 am

Closing with Holy Mass.

November 28

Bring some cookies to share.

DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP

Prayer Meetings every Wednesday in the Hall at 7 p.m.
Praise and Worship / Proclamation of the Word of God

OUR FORTHCOMING SPECIAL SERVICE – 2026
"ADVENT RETREAT"

Saturday, December 12 – 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. – Hall

Speaker: Fr. Anish Alex Associate Pastor, St. Leonard's Parish, Brampton. -$10 with refreshment and lunch
Registration after Saturday Vigil & Sunday Masses:
November 28, 29 and December 5, 6
Please register early to avoid disappointment!
All are welcome!

AROUND THE ARCH

SPIRITUS WEST YOUNG ADULT WORSHIP NIGHT

Tuesday, November 17th at St. Benedicts, Etobicoke

With Mass, Worship, refreshments and fellowship. Hosted by the Office of Catholic Youth, Archdiocese of Toronto
More info at ocytoronto.org/young-adults.

SHINE A LIGHT FOR PERSECUTED CHRISTIANS

On November 18, 2026, Canadians are invited to participate in Red Wednesday, led by Aid to the Church in Need (ACN). Begun officially in 2016, this has spread to more than 20 countries, uniting communities worldwide in defence of religious freedom. The day remembers Christians who face violence, discrimination, or death for their faith. In Toronto, home to Red Wednesday since 2018, a Mass will be held at 5:30 p.m. at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica where Bishop Vincent Nguyen, Auxiliary Bishop of Toronto will preside and the Cathedral's facade will once again be illuminated in red, a powerful symbol of solidarity. More info: acn-canada.org/red-Wednesday or contact Evellyne Lemos at el@acn-canada.org.

CHRIST THE KING CONFERENCE – November 21 & 22

Theme: "*Let Him Reign in Our Hearts*" (1 Cor 15:25). At: Bishop Allen @ Don Bosco (2 St. Andrews Blvd, Etobicoke, ON). The whole family is invited! There is something for every generation! ***Adult Conference*** - Speakers: Bishop Robert Kasun, Peter Herbeck, Fr. Mark Goring, Fr. Joël Okojie, and Hazel D'Souza. | ***Youth Conference*** – Featuring a special youth segment with Fr. Mark Goring! | ***Children's Conference*** – Bringing our little ones closer to the love of Jesus! Please visit www.ccrctoronto.ca for more info and to book your tickets today as seats are limited.

PREPARING FOR THE ARRIVALS OF CHRIST

Advent Retreat Day with speaker Msgr. Robert Nusca will lead us more deeply into Christ's second "arrival", with a special focus on the Book of Revelation and St. John's message about the "newness" to which we are called in Christ. Saturday, Nov 28, 9 AM - 4 PM at St. Augustine's Seminary, 2661 Kingston Rd. $50 (Includes pastries, coffee and tea on arrival, as well as lunch. Mass, Confession, and Adoration). Register at staugustines.on.ca/events

JOYEUX NOEL! *A Canadian Christmas at Massey Hall*

Experience the wonder of the season through the music of Canada's finest composers and arrangers. This is a stirring celebration of the Nativity, showcasing a rich tapestry of sacred choral masterworks, beloved carols, and newly imagined Christmas favourites, all crafted by Canadian musical voices from across the country and from within the distinguished tradition of St. Michael's Choir School.
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