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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 St. Herbert 5180 Fallingbrook Dr St. Raymond 5735 Whitehorn Ave St. Barbara 1455 Samuelson Cir

#### **OUR NEW EMAIL ADDRESS:**

stjosephmi@archtoronto.org

#### **PARISH TEAM**

Fr Paul Dobson Parish PriestFr Anish Alex Associate PastorRev. Mr George Jurenas Deacon

#### **SACRAMENTS**

**Baptism** Call the parish office or email st.joseph5440@gmail.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** Clotilda Fernandes: 647-640-7440

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 Dominic Fernandes: 416-819-0739, 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

1075 Swinbourne Dr 905-567-8422 St. Gregory 905-814-5237 905-858-1171 St. Iulia 6770 Historic Trail 905-795-2706 905-286-1010 St. Joseph 249 Church St 905-826-4422 905-696-8860 St. Joseph SS 5555 Creditview Rd 905-812-1376

#### MASS INTENTIONS

SAT	01	
4:30	pm †	Jennifer Lopez
SUN	02	Palm Sunday
8:00	am †	Mario Sframeli
9:30	am	Pro Popolo
11:00	am †	Maria de Lourdes Araujo
12:30	am †	Renee Veigas
6:00	pm †	Beverley Bolster
MON	03	
8:30	am †	Renato Aguilar
TUES	04	
8:30	am †	Marcelino D'Souza
WED	05	
8:30	am †	Aleyamma Antony
THUR	06	<b>Holy Thursday</b>
7:00	pm	
FRI	07	<b>Good Friday</b>
12:00	pm	Commemoration of
3:00		The Lord's Passion
7:00	pm S	tation of The Cross
SAT	08	Holy Saturday
2:00	pm	Blessing of Food

<u>NOTE:</u> During Lent There will be Mass at 7:30 pm followed by Stations of the Cross every Friday evening

LIFETEEN | Are you in grades 9-12 and looking to grow in faith & friendship?

LifeTeen will include food, games, talks, small groups & prayer time, and will take place two Saturdays of the month following the 4:30 pm Mass!

Register →

For more info please email Megan

at ym.stjosephMl@gmail.com

Smile for the week:

What do elves learn at school?



Answer:

OUR LADY OF FATIMA PROCESSION Saturday May 13, 2023 Following the 4:30 pm Mass

#### **HOSANNA! (OH LORD, SAVE US!)**

Palm Sunday recalls Our Lord's triumphal entry into Jerusalem at the very beginning of the same week in which He would be arrested, tortured, condemned to death and executed on the cross.

All four evangelists tell us of this dramatic moment in Our Lord's journey to Calvary, but it is St. John who tells us the detail which gives the day its name: that the people of Jerusalem cut branches off palm trees to wave in celebration of Jesus's coming among them.

It is worth concentrating on this event now because it gives the day its name and sets the scene for the week ahead.

For the Gospel at Mass on Palm Sunday is always one of the accounts of the Passion by Matthew, Mark or Luke. Hence this Sunday's other name: "*Passion Sunday*". (St. John's Passion is always read on Good Friday).

~ Fr. Paul Dobson

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### Neighboring Parishes LENTEN RECONCILIATION

St Francis Xavier – Monday April 3<sup>rd</sup> 7:00 - 8:30 PM

PALM SUNDAY AND HOLY WEEK MASS SCHEDULE					
Palm Sunday	8:00, 9:30, 11:00 am				
April 2	12:30 <b>&amp;</b> 6:00 pm				
Mass of Lord's Supper	No morning Mass				
HOLY THURSDAY	7:00 pm				
Thurs., April 6					
GOOD FRIDAY					
April 7	12 noon &				
Commemoration of	3:00 pm				
Lord's Passion					
Stations of the Cross	7:00 pm				
HOLY SATURDAY	<u>No 9 am Morning</u>				
April 8	<u>Mass</u>				
Blessing of Food	2:00 pm				
Easter Vigil	7:00 pm				
EASTER SUNDAY	8:00 am, 9:30 am				
April 9	11:00 am &				
Resurrection of The Lord	12:30 pm				

#### WEDNESDAY VESPERS

Come join fellow parishioners in the public celebration of Vespers each Wednesday of Lent at 6:00 pm. Vespers is the liturgical Evening Prayer of the Church and an important part of how we can sanctify each hour of the day. No prior experience necessary. Everyone Welcome!

#### **REFLECTIVE LENTEN ROSARY** with Deacon George

Deacon George Jurenas will lead a Reflective Lenten Rosary every Wednesday night during Lent at 6.30 p.m. in the church. While all intentions are prayed for, on Wednesday April 5<sup>th</sup> the "*Sorrowful Mysteries"* will be prayed with the special intention for the dearly departed.

#### SHARELIFE SUNDAY 2023 – April 26

#### Welcoming Jesus into our hearts by sharing our blessings

Today is Palm Sunday. In our Lenten observance, we have been called to welcome Jesus into our hearts. Let us follow His example of sacrifice by sharing with those who need our help the most. One way we can do so is by giving generously to ShareLife. Thank you for your support and for living the Gospel by providing for those in need

#### **MINISTRIES**

#### **CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE**

The CWL would like to congratulate Neo Smolders from Guiding Light Academy on winning the Parish level, Regional level and most recently the Diocesan level Mary Matthews Public Speaking Contest-2023 with his speech on God's Favourite Sport is Baseball. We are very proud of how well he represented St. Joseph's Parish in his effort, preparedness and talent in public speaking.

#### **OTTAWA MARCH FOR LIFE 2023**

Thursday, May 11<sup>th</sup> - Catch the bus!

Mass will be celebrated at 6 am by Fr Paul.

The bus will leave St. Joseph at 6:25 am and return around 9:30 pm and it will be a day to remember!

Cost is \$50. If you cannot make it consider sponsoring a pilgrim. Register or sponsor in the parish office starting April 12<sup>th</sup>.

Please consider being part of this Witness to Life.

#### ST. JOSEPH MINISTRIES SAVE THE DATE:

CWL Mother's Day Fundraiser	May 13/14
Knight's Bottle drive for Seminarians	May 27/28
SVDP Bundle Up Sunday	June 10/11
CWL Father's Day Fundraiser	June 17/18

#### From the Greetings Message of Archbishop Most Rev. Francis Leo to the People of God in the Archdiocese of Toronto - February 11<sup>th</sup> 2023

.... To those who are near and actively engaged in the life of our Church, as well as to those who are more distant or struggle to choose her as their "spiritual home" - know that you are in my prayers daily and I will endeavour to be a loving pastor, a devoted father, a dedicated brother and an encouraging witness for you. In the immense and beautiful diversity of this archdiocesan family made up of parish communities and religious houses, educational institutions, health care and social services, ecclesial movements and associations, women, men and children, the elderly and the young, persons living on the margins, those with means and the needy, families of all walks of life, cultures, languages and traditions, and those persons in search for meaning, hope, healing and love, whatever your situation may be know this: the door of my heart and that of our archdiocese are open to you.

As a committed community of faith in the Risen Lord Jesus, we know, nonetheless, that we will inevitably face difficulties and trials. The key, however, is to remember that we are never alone. If we accept to come together in order to encourage and support, challenge and lift each other up, not only will we know the joy of belonging to the Lord and be pleasing to Him, we will likewise be blessed with new dynamism, heartfelt fellowship, and a sense of family in the Eucharistic faith community. The Gospel of Jesus Christ is our most treasured gift; the Kingdom we seek is one of justice and peace; the path is that of holiness and fidelity. I delight in the Spirit with you, as with one heart and one soul we will endeavour to share this gift, to seek this Kingdom and its righteousness, and to walk humbly along this path.

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

<u>Prayer Meetings every Wednesday - Parish Hall at 7 p.m.</u>
DIVINE MERCY NOVENA

Friday, April 7 to Saturday, April 15 - 6.30 p.m. – Church

This powerful Divine Mercy Novena, as ordered by Jesus, gives us the tremendous opportunity to a fresh start of "complete forgiveness of sins and punishment". So powerful is the Chaplet that Christ said, "Even if there were a sinner most hardened, if he were to recite this chaplet only once, he would receive grace from My infinite mercy. I desire to grant unimaginable graces to those souls who trust in My mercy" (Diary, 687). Through the Chaplet you will obtain everything, if what you ask for is compatible with My will" (Diary 1731). Join us to pray this powerful novena while there is still time – for the sake of our souls, the souls of our loved ones and a world deeply and desperately in need of Divine Mercy.

#### **HOLY MASS - FEAST OF DIVINE MERCY**

Sunday, April 16 – 2.30 p.m. – Church Followed by Reception in Hall (Finger Food will be appreciated) \*\*\* ALL ARE WELCOME! \*\*\*



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