

# **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

**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

## 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](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)

\*\*\* **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](mailto:cwlrashmy@gmail.com)

**Divine Mercy Prayer Group** Alphonsa Meyn: 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. Contact 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** Margaret: 289-914-5747, Aileen: 905-607-6851

**St. Joseph's Protectors Pro-life group:** [stjosephprotectors@gmail.com](mailto:stjosephprotectors@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)

## NEW PARISHONERS

Request Parish Registration at the Office  
or on our website in the Contact Us Tab

<b>St. Gregory</b>	1075 Swinbourne Dr	905-814-5237
<b>St. Julia</b>	6770 Historic Trail	905-795-2706
<b>St. Joseph</b>	249 Church St	905-826-4422
<b>St. Joseph SS</b>	5555 Creditview Rd	905-812-1376



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## MASS INTENTIONS

<b>SAT</b>	<b>25  </b>	
4:30	Pm †	Angelo Carabott
<b>SUN</b>	<b>26  </b>	<b>Christ the King</b>
8:00	am †	Antonio Ricciardi
9:30	am	<i>Pro Popolo</i>
11:00	am †	Ray Grant
12:30	am †	Louis Morais
6:00	pm †	Henryk Hojka
<b>MON</b>	<b>27  </b>	
8:30	am †	Ray Grant
<b>TUES</b>	<b>28  </b>	
8:30	am †	Cory Taylor
<b>WED</b>	<b>29  </b>	
8:30	am †	Silvano Aguiar
<b>THUR</b>	<b>30  </b>	<b>St. Andrew</b>
8:30	am †	Angelo Ricciardi
<b>FRI</b>	<b>01  </b>	
8:30	am	<i>Multiple Intentions Mass</i>
7:30	pm †	Angela Soares
<b>SAT</b>	<b>02  </b>	
9:00	am	<i>Multiple Intentions Mass</i>

### MASS MISSALS for 2023/2024

In the parish office or front entrance - \$5

### DONATION ENVELOPES

Are available for pickup in the parish hall.

### Why We Believe

with Dr. Brant Pitre

#### ADULT FAITH STUDY

Deacon George facilitator

**Monday Evening** 7 pm Nov. 27 in the hall

**Tuesday Morning** 9 am Nov. 28 upstairs

**Topic: Do Catholics Worship Mary?**

*What does the Bible teach about her?*

\*\*\* No registration is required \*\*\*

### Smile for the week

What do you call  
a blind dinosaur?

### Answer

A do-you-think-he-saw-us

## OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE!

*Today, the last Sunday of the liturgical year, we are celebrating the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe.*

We know from the Gospels that Jesus refused the title of king when it was meant in the political sense, by the standards of the "rulers of the Gentiles" (Mt 20: 25). On the other hand, during his Passion, he claimed a unique kingship before Pilate, who explicitly asked him "*So you are a king?*", and Jesus answered, "*You say that I am a king*" (Jn 18: 37); however just previously he had declared, "*My kingship is not of this world*" (Jn 18: 36). Christ's kingship is in fact a revelation and actuation of that of God the Father, who governs all things with love and justice. The Father entrusted to the Son the mission of giving mankind eternal life by loving it to the point of supreme sacrifice and, at the same time, conferred upon him the power of judging humanity, since he made himself Son of man, like us in all things (cf. Jn 5: 21-22, 26-27).

Today's Gospel insists precisely on the universal kingship of Christ the Judge, with the stupendous parable of the Last Judgment, which St Matthew placed immediately before the Passion narrative (25: 31-46). The images are simple, the language is popular, but the message is extremely important: it is the truth about our ultimate destiny and about the criterion by which we will be evaluated. "*I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me*" (Mt 25: 35) and so forth.

Who does not know this passage? It is part of our civilization. It has marked the history of the peoples of Christian culture: the hierarchy of values, the institutions, the multiple charitable and social organizations. In fact, the Kingdom of Christ is not of this world, but it brings to fulfilment all the good that exists in man and in history. If we put love for our neighbour into practice in accordance with the Gospel message, we make room for God's dominion and his Kingdom is actualized among us. If, instead, each one thinks only of his or her own interests, the world can only go to ruin.

Dear friends, the Kingdom of God is not a matter of honours and appearances but, as St Paul writes, it is "*righteousness and peace, and joy in the Holy Spirit*" (Rm 14: 17). The Lord has our good at heart, that is, that every person should have life, and that especially the "least" of his children may have access to the banquet he has prepared for all. Thus he has no use for the forms of hypocrisy of those who say: "Lord, Lord" and then neglect his commandments (cf. Mt 7: 21). In his eternal Kingdom, God welcomes those who strive day after day to put his Word into practice.

For this reason, the Virgin Mary, the humblest of all creatures, is the greatest in his eyes and sits as Queen at the right of Christ the King. Let us once again entrust ourselves to her heavenly intercession with filial trust, to be able to carry out our Christian mission in the world.

~ BENEDICT XVI ANGELUS Sunday, 23 November 2008

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### ST. JOSEPH PARISH YOUTH GROUPS

Are you or do you know a young person looking to grow in faith, make some friends and some have fun while doing so? Then we have something for you!

**LifeTeen: for grades 9-12 | Edge: for grades 6-8**

For more info or to register, please email our Youth Minister, Megan, at [ym.stjosephmi@gmail.com](mailto:ym.stjosephmi@gmail.com), and be sure to follow our instagram page @ym.stjosephmi to keep up with our schedule and events!

### ShareLife UPDATE: Your gift will be matched!

Until Dec 31, double the impact of your gift because it will be matched by an anonymous donor up to \$500,000. Help families in need, including those nourished through ShareLife's recently announced food programs. Use a ShareLife envelope or anytime at [sharelife.org/donate](https://sharelife.org/donate).

### PILGRIMAGE – WITH FR. PAUL – APRIL 03-15, 2024

Starting in Venice Italy, with visits to famous sites, Basilicas and Churches in Italy, Slovenia, Croatia, Hungary, Austria and concluding in Prague in the Czech Republic. For more information take a flyer at both entrances or email [agnes@cttour.ca](mailto:agnes@cttour.ca) or scan the QR code →



## MINISTRIES

### PARISH SPIRITUAL WALK-IN MINISTRY - free

With Deacon George to answer questions, lend spiritual assistance and support. Thursdays 5 - 8 pm.

By appointment Register using QR code

Or <https://bit.ly/3YDCZpc> or drop-in.



### ST. JOSEPH MINISTRIES SAVE THE DATE:

December 6 - Coffee Hour: Guest Speaker Danielle Farrell of the Peel Alzheimer's Society presents **10 Warning Signs of Dementia**. Everyone welcome -9 am in the hall.

### DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP

Prayer Meetings Wednesdays - 7 pm in the Parish Hall

OUR FORTHCOMING SPECIAL PROGRAM

#### ONE-DAY ADVENT RETREAT

Saturday, Dec 9, – 8 a.m. – 3 p.m. | Preacher: Fr. Joel Okojie

**Registrations: After All Weekend Masses**

Saturday and Sunday – Nov 25<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup> & Dec 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>

**\$10 – includes Refreshments and Lunch**

*Please register early. Once we have reached the fixed number of retreatants allowed by our Parish, we will stop further registrations.*

*It is a time to silence our life a bit and turn to God in stillness. God knows what you need. Entrust these pleas to him. Listen to His Word and discover the riches of the Advent Season.*

**ALL ARE WELCOME!**

## AROUND THE ARCH

### SOLO PERSONS ENCOUNTER WEEKEND Dec 2 & 3

For Mature Persons: Single, Widower, Separated, Divorced With our loving God., Sat 8am - 7pm & Sun 8am- 5pm

at St. Marcellinus Catholic Secondary School

PRESIDING PRIEST: Fr. Armand Galay, M.Afr.

\$50.00 (meals & seminar materials included).

See posters at both entrances or register →



### BEREAVEMENT RETREAT Saturday December 16

For men and Women at **QUEEN OF APOSTLES**

**RENEWAL CENTRE** (1617 Blythe Road Mississauga).

Facilitated by: Anne Hales & Betty Dotzko. Registration at 8:30 A.M. and includes coffee / tea with muffins and a hot lunch. COST: \$45 by Cash, Cheque, Visa or Mastercard. Phone: 905 278 5229 Email: [office@qoa.ca](mailto:office@qoa.ca)

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### SVDP – 2023 CHRISTMAS APPEAL

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul will be distributing gift cards to needy families for Christmas. We are appealing for your support with cash or gift cards (preferably President's Choice). Please put your donation in a sealed envelop and place it in the SVDP donation box. Our members will be available after all weekend masses on Nov 25/26 and Dec 2/3 to accept your donations. To get a receipt for income tax purposes, please include your full name and address with your donation.



We thank you for helping us help the needy in our parish. God Bless!

### PICK OF THE WEEK

November 26 2023

THIS WEEK ON  
**FORMED**



**The Siege of Vienna** - MOVIE 3 hr 5 min

The powerful true story of one of the most important military battles in history, that recounts the Ottoman Turks massive invasion of Vienna, the gateway to the West, on September 11, 1683, a moment when Christendom and Western civilization truly hung in the balance and Islam was at the peak of its expansion in the West. 300,000 Islamic troops, under the command of the Grand Vizier, Kara Mustafa, besieged the city they called 'The Golden Apple', with the goal to conquer Vienna, then Rome and all Christendom. **ADULT ONLY CONTENT**

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