

St. John of the Cross Parish

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Monday to Thursday (Evg.) 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon
Sunday 8:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.



We, God's people, members of St. John of the Cross Carmelite Parish, and disciples called through baptism to be prophetic, priestly, and holy, have been chosen to serve, help, and guide each other on our Christian pilgrimage through life, to the Kingdom of God.

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m., 4:00 p.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES AT THE CHURCH

Monday through Saturday: 9:00 a.m.
First Friday only: No Morning Mass 7:00 p.m.
(Mass followed by Adoration)

RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.
Other times by appointment.

BAPTISM

BY APPOINTMENT ONLY
Parents are required to attend the Baptism Preparation Class. Parents are also encouraged to attend the Baptism Class prior to the birth of the baby. A registration package is available at the Parish Office or by visit to our Website.

MARRIAGE

It is required that one of those to be married resides within the Parish boundary. Couples planning to be married must contact the Parish Office at least one year in advance of their proposed date. They are required to complete a Marriage Preparation Course.

PASTORAL TEAM

Fr. Joseph Kalluvila, O. Carm., Pastor	Tel/Voice Mail Ext 228
Fr. Felix Antony, O.Carm., Assoc. Pastor	224
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SCHOOLS

St. Albert of Jerusalem	905-785-9298
St. Elizabeth Seton	905-821-2277
St. John of the Cross	905-824-3058
St. Richard	905-826-5572
St. Teresa of Avila	905-858-3462
St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus	905-785-0066
Our Lady of Mount Carmel	905-824-1025
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JOHN OF THE CROSS was born in 1542 at Fontiveros in Spain. He entered the Carmelite Community and was ordained a priest in 1567. Renowned for his wisdom and sanctity, he died at Ubeda in 1591. His writings are not only classics of spirituality, but also of Spanish literature. His best known books are *The Ascent of Mount Carmel*, *The Dark Night of the Soul*, and *The Living Flame of Love*.

BULLETIN DEADLINE - MONDAY NOON

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

READINGS OF THE WEEK

Mon	June 27	Amos 2.6-10, 13-16; Matthew 8.18-22
Tues	June 28	Amos 3.1-8;4.11-12; Matthew 18.23-27
Wed	June 29	Acts 12.1-11; 2 Timothy 4.6-8,17-18;Mt.16.13-19
Thurs	June 30	Amos 7.10-17; Matthew 9.1-8
Fri	July 01	Amos 8.4-6,9-12; Matthew 9.9-13
Sat	July 02	Amos 9.11-15; Matthew 9.14-17
Sun	July 03	Isaiah 66.10-14; Galatians 6.14-18; Luke 10.1-12,17-20

CHURCH

Mon	June 27	St. Richard Grad 6:00 p.m.
Tues	June 28	Resurrection Choir 10:00 a.m. – Noon St. Albert Grad 5:30 p.m.
Wed	June 29	OLMC Mass 10:30 a.m. St. John of the Cross Grad 4:30 p.m.

SEMINAR ROOM

Sun	June 26	WYD Meeting 5:30 p.m.
Wed	June 29	Prime Time Crafts 2 – 4 p.m. New Beginnings 7:30 – 9:30 p.m.

NESSINGER HALL

Sun	June 26	K of C Appreciation 6 - Midnight
Mon	June 27	St. Richard 4 – 9 p.m.
Tues	June 28	St. Albert of Jerusalem 4 – 9 p.m.
Wed	June 29	St. John of the Cross 6 – 9 p.m.

WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT

There is a promise of marriage between:

Thomas Lawrence & Veronica Braganza
Ryan Longenecker & Ruby Pantaleon
Cherwin Alonzo & Catherine Guerra
LET US PRAY FOR A HAPPY MARRIAGE



KATE WATKISS RETIREMENT

There will be a light reception this
Sunday, June 26th after the Noon Mass
"all are invited to say farewell to Kate!"

First Friday Mass

**JULY 1ST MASS AT 9:00 A.M. and
7:00 P.M. FOLLOWED BY
ADORATION & BENEDICTION**

THIS IS THE LAST BULLETIN FOR THE SUMMER

The next publication will be issued on September 4th, 2016.
Please check the Bulletin Board in hallway or website
www.saintjohnofthecross.com for important
Summer Announcements and the Mass schedule.

Perhaps you've been wondering about ... what we mean by sacramentals. Our crucifix, icons and other articles are examples of what we call sacramentals. According to the Catechism of the Catholic Church, sacramentals are sacred signs instituted by the Church to prepare us to receive the fruit of the sacraments and to sanctify different circumstances of our lives (no. 1677). Practically speaking, the myriad of little things that are sacramentals are the parts of catholicity that jostle against us in our everyday life, those little extras that often tell others we are Catholic. They are the images, actions and blessings that are unique to our faith; those sometimes humble reminders of what the Catholic faith is all about, like the crucifix on our wall. *From the web page of the Archdiocese of Toronto*



**Special Eucharistic celebration
Wednesday evenings at 7:00 p.m.**

CANADA DAY

PARISH OFFICE CLOSED
FRIDAY, JULY 1ST, 2016



PARISH OFFICE HOURS
MONDAY TO FRIDAY
8:30 A.M. TO 3:00 P.M.

No office attention in the evenings
or Saturday morning.

"No Coffee Sunday during July and August"

ADULT FAITH DEVELOPMENT MINISTRY
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REFLECTION OF THE WEEK

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Don't Look Back.

“You are my chosen portion, O Lord.”

When have you faltered or looked back during your journey of faith?



ShareLife Parish Campaign 2016

Parish Goal: \$73,000

Total Donation received \$37,618.70

For those who wish to make a contribution, you are still welcome to do so. You can drop your ShareLife envelopes in the offertory basket until July 31, 2016 or donate online at www.sharelife.org.

Thank you! **Thank You for Your Generosity**

Ministry to the Bereaved

The ministry is intended to offer spiritual support and the healing comfort of God to all who mourn a loss through death. Support is offered in a group setting or on an individual basis. Our ministers journey with the person through their grief, offering consolation and compassion as wounded healers.

This ministry is offered to all who feel ready to take this step in their journey of grief. We ask that the person who wishes to begin this program, contact the parish office personally. Please pass on the word and let us be a parish of compassion and consolation, reaching out to those who suffer alone.

Our next 6 week group session begins August 31st at 6:30p.m. Individual sessions are scheduled on mutually convenient times. Contact the parish office 905 821-1331 or Muriel Haney 905 507 1581

SECOND COLLECTIONS OVER THE SUMMER

Building Fund	July 30 th / 31 st
Catholic Missions	August 13 th / 14 th
Building Fund	August 27 th / 28 th

YOUTH GROUP

Hello everyone! Even as the school year winds down, your SJOC youth group is staying busier than ever! But first, we have to extend our thanks to everyone who participated in the International Food Festival – it was a huge success! A special thank you goes to all of our pavilion leaders and member, DJ Soares, our priests, our youth volunteers and of course, to all of you!

In other news, we will be hosting Children's Hour once again, and it will be on Wednesdays from 6:30 pm-8:00 pm. The age group will be children entering SK to children entering grade 6.

Thank you for your constant support, and let the countdown to WYD 2016 begin!

PRIME TIME CLUB

(a social group for individuals 50 and over)

Membership is \$10 per year and new members are always welcome.

Activities include: Monthly evening meal in the Nessinger Hall and monthly luncheon at a local restaurant.

Craft group meets every Wednesday 2 to 4 pm in the Seminar Room.

For crafts, contact Barb Reinhart at 905 819-9099.

For activities, contact Mary Wong at 905 824-8537.

For membership, contact Julianne-Anne Rodrigues at 905 670-0020.

PASTORAL CARE MINISTRY

Please contact Muriel Haney at 905 507-1581 if you or your loved one is sick or shut-in and would like to receive Holy Communion at your home. We have several ministers who will come to your home on a weekly basis if needed.

We also distribute Holy Communion to you if you are hospitalized at Credit Valley or Trillium Hospital.



VISIT
OUR
CHURCH
LIBRARY

Parish Library News

The Parish Library will be closed for the months of July and August. Please return any borrowed books to the reception desk in office for placement into the "Book Return Box". We would appreciate all books being returned as soon as possible so that an inventory check can be done over the summer months. The library will open again in September. Have a great summer!

**THANK
YOU**

"To all of our volunteers and have a safe Summer"

Children's Liturgy



of the Word

returns the weekend of September 10th – 11th, 2016.

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