

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. - 8:30 p.m.
Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon
Sunday 7:45 a.m. - 1:45 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	Ext 228
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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

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

READINGS OF THE WEEK

Mon	Nov 09	Ezekiel 47.1-2,8-9,12; Gospel John 2.13-22
Tues	Nov 10	Wisdom 2.23-3.9; Luke 17.7-10
Wed	Nov 11	Wisdom 6.1-11; Luke 17.11-19
Thurs	Nov 12	Wisdom 7.22-8.1; Luke 17.20-25
Fri	Nov 13	Wisdom 13.1-9; Luke 17.26-37
Sat	Nov 14	Wisdom 18.14-16; 19.6-9; Luke 18.1-8
Sun	Nov 15	Daniel 12.1-3; Hebrews 10.11-14,18; Mark 13.24-32

CHURCH

Mon	Nov 09	First Reconciliation 7:00 p.m.
Tues	Nov 10	Adult Choir 8 – 10:00 p.m.
Thurs	Nov 12	Folk Choir 8 – 10:00 p.m.
Fri	Nov 13	Volunteer Appreciation Mass 7:00 p.m.

SEMINAR ROOM

Mon	Nov 09	R.C.I.A. 7 – 9:00 p.m.
Tues	Nov 10	Marriage Prep 7 – 9:00 p.m.
Wed	Nov 11	Prime Time Crafts 2 – 4 p.m. Non Catholic Sac Prep 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.
Thurs	Nov 12	Marriage Prep 7 – 9:00 p.m.
Sat	Nov 14	CFC CLP 6:30 – 10:00 p.m.

BOARDROOM

Tues	Nov 10	Liturgy Meeting 7 – 9:00 p.m.
Wed	Nov 11	P.S. Confirmation 6 – 8:30 p.m.
Thurs	Nov 12	Confirmation Meeting 6 – 8:00 p.m.

NESSINGER HALL

Sun	Nov 08	Campaign 2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Tues	Nov 10	Campaign Meeting 7:30 p.m.
Wed	Nov 11	K of C General Meeting 7 – 10:00 p.m.
Thurs	Nov 12	SVDP 7:30 – 7:30 p.m.
Fri	Nov 13	Volunteer Appreciation 6 – 10:00 p.m.
Sat	Nov 14	Prime Time Bake Sale 3:30 – 9:00 p.m.

FIRST RECONCILIATION

For students who have registered for First Reconciliation, the Sacrament will take place on November 9th, 18th, 23rd and 25th at 7:00 p.m. at the Church.

RITE OF ENROLMENT

All Confirmation Candidates who have registered must attend this rite as part of the initial preparation:
Candidate and Parents may come to one of the Masses
On November 7 /8 or November 14 / 15

Perhaps you've been wondering about the relationship of our church with other faiths. To celebrate the 50th Anniversary of the Second Vatican Councils Declaration *Nostra Aetate*, on the Church's Relationship to Non-Christian Religions, 1965-2015, the Canadian Bishops have issued a newsletter "A Church in Dialogue: The Catholic Church and Interreligious Dialogue" This document begins with the history of *Nostra Aetate* which began when a prominent Jewish scholar came to speak personally with Pope John XXIII about the relationship of Christians and Jews which he felt had contributed to the Shoah (Holocaust). Thus began the work on *Nostra Aetate*, originally just being based on the Church's relationship with Judaism. In the end the input of bishops from around the world led the writers to expand the Declaration to include several other religious traditions. It begins with guiding principles and proceeds to more specific comments, pointing out how in our modern world. Different religions increasingly interact with each other. "Because it belongs to the Church's mission to foster the unity of all God's children, the documents seeks to highlight the things that Christianity shares in common with other religions, and to emphasize their positive, life-giving aspects, which Christians can appreciate and value."

http://www.cccb.ca/site/images/stories/pdf/Nostra_Aetate_-_50th_Anniversary.pdf

SPONSOR APPEAL

Each year we need some sponsors to accompany those who are wanting to find out more about the Catholic Church. This is an opportunity to grow ourselves and to help others in their journey of faith. We meet Monday evenings and have a wonderful group of people who make up our group.

Please take some time to think seriously as to whether this is the year you can help. We need each of you to look and see if you can say yes to this invitation- now.

To find out more about what is involved please call
Kate at the parish office.

We need you!

ADULT FAITH DEVELOPMENT MINISTRY
GROWING IN FAITH

REFLECTION OF THE WEEK

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Giving from our Need

“Praise the Lord, O my soul.”

What would you do for others today if you thought you would not have another chance to do it?

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Telephone voice mail extensions at the parish for questions regarding sacramental preparation for baptized children attending Catholic school. Messages will be returned by Sacramental Team.
905 821-1331 Ext. 225 1st Communion / Reconciliation
905 821-1331 Ext. 230 Confirmation
Messages left on these voice mails will be returned by members of the Sacramental Team.

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 October 30th at 6:30p.m.
- > Individual sessions are scheduled on mutually convenient times.
- > Contact the parish office 905 1331 or
- > Muriel Haney 905 507 1581

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PRIME TIME CLUB (for individuals 50 and over)

Activities are: Monthly Potluck in Nessinger Hall, monthly Luncheon at a local Restaurant.
Contact Mary Wong @ 905-824-8537
Crafts: Wednesday from 2:00 - 4:00 pm.
Contact Barb @ 905- 819-9099 for info.
New members are always welcome. Membership fee is \$10.00 per year. Contact Raymonde 416-564-4484.

**Prime Time
Craft and Bake Sale**

Will be held on November 14th & 15th after all Masses.
Any help or support would be greatly appreciated
by the Prime Time Club.

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

How are you contributing to the treasury? God knows what gift we give to Him in love. Let us then be faithful to whatever vocation God calls us to live. Does Jesus want you to give your life to the Church? If you think that God is calling you to serve Him in a Church vocation, call **Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto 416- 968-0997** www.vocationstoronto.ca

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