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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

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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

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 Alphonsa Meyn: 416-659-1490

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 Antonio D'Souza: 647-323-2797, 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

H O C F A C I T E I N M E A M C O M M E M O R A T I O N E M



MASS INTENTIONS

SAT 20 	
4:30 pm †	Beverley Bolster & Family
SUN 21 	3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00 am †	Pedro & Maria Concepcion Bacud
9:30 am	<i>Pro Popolo</i>
11:00 am †	Lucia Falcone
12:30 am †	Judy Glasgow
6:00 pm †	Christopher Skinner & Doug Richardson
MON 22 	St. Vincent
8:30 am †	Walter Teodoro
TUES 23 	
8:30 am †	Tomas Czeranowski
WED 24 	St. Francis de Sales
8:30 am †	Antonio Ricciardi
THUR 25 	The Conversion of St. Paul
8:30 am †	Ana Saric
FRI 26 	St. Timoty and St. Titus
8:30 am	<i>Multiple Intentions Mass</i>
SAT 27 	St. Hilary
9:00 am	<i>Multiple Intentions Mass</i>

**Deacon George's
Spiritual Walk-In Ministry**
Will resume February 1st.

Annual Week of Prayer for Christian Unity Prayer Service 2024

Sunday, January 21, 2024, 4 p.m.

Venue: St. Mark Coptic Orthodox Cathedral
(455 Ferrier St., Markham, Ont. L3R 5Z2)

Theme: **"You shall love the Lord your
God... and your neighbour as yourself."**
(Luke 10:27)

Join Archbishop Francis Leo and a wide
representation of Christian leaders to pray for
the restoration of full visible unity willed by
Jesus Christ for the Church. This event is
jointly organized by the Office for Promoting
Christian Unity and the Greater Toronto Area
Council of Christian Churches

Smile for the week

How does an octopus go into battle?

Answer

Full armed!

THE CONVERSION OF ST. PAUL

Thursday is the feast of this great event, in which Saul the Pharisee and fanatical persecutor of the Church was struck from his horse outside the gates of Damascus and heard a voice addressing him: *"Saul, Saul, why are you persecuting me?"*.

Blinded by the light and yet recognizing the power and authority of the voice, Saul asked, *"who are you, Lord?"* The voice replied, *"I am Jesus, and you are persecuting me!"*

From this moment Saul fully accepted:

- a) that Jesus was indeed God the Lord;
- b) that He was not dead but alive in glory; and
- c) that He identifies Himself with His suffering Church.

As well as St Paul's own account of all this in the first chapter of his Letter to the Galatians, we have two accounts by St. Luke in his second book, "The Acts of the Apostles", which Luke narrates himself in chapter 9, and puts into St. Paul own mouth in a speech in chapter 26.

~ Fr. Paul Dobson

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ST. JOSEPH MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE 2024

Registration and course fee payment (\$200 per couple) at the parish office begins December 9th and you will be provided with your course materials and full details at that time. The course will comprise of two parts:

1st half is an online video component to be completed by March 22. Bring the notice of completion with you to the **2nd half**.

2nd half is an in-person weekend component at St Joseph on Friday, April 12th: 7:30 pm to 9:30 pm and Sat, April 13th: 10:00 am to 4:00 pm.

ST. JOSEPH LECTORS MEET & GREET - *Calling All Lectors*

For fellowship and tips on proclaiming God's Word. Saturday January 27 with Mass at 9:00 am followed by a Coffee/Tea Social in Hall. Please confirm your attendance to Carmen Fernandes, Lector Coordinator at 416-819-0780 I stjosephlector@gmail.com.

ST. JOSEPH 2023 Tax Receipts To be mailed out the end of January.**MARRIAGE SUNDAY FEBRUARY 10/11, 2024**

Archbishop Francis Leo will preside at a special Mass at 3:00 PM at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica (65 Bond Street, Toronto) to honour married couples, with special recognition for those celebrating their 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th and 60+ wedding anniversaries in 2024. For more info and to register visit www.archtoronto.org/marriage.

NEXT COFFEE HOUR – Wednesday Feb 7 after morning Mass

Guest speaker Peel Police Officer Pedano will be back with an updated Scams and Frauds Presentation. Everyone welcome.

*"Come after me,
and I will make you fishers of men."*

Mark 1:17

MINISTRIES

JESUS & THE END TIMES: A Catholic View of the Last Days
Dr. Pitre brings clarity and precision to the confusion that frequently surrounds the doctrine of the end times in this 4 session Bible study: What is the meaning of Jesus' prophecies of tribulation and the coming of the Son of Man? Are we in the "end times" now? **FREE – NO REGISTRATION**
MONDAYS 7 pm in the hall: Jan 22, Jan 29, Feb 5 & Feb 12
TUESDAYS 9 am upstairs on Jan 23, Jan 30, Feb 6 & Feb 13

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, and be sure to follow our Instagram page [@ym.stjosephmi](https://www.instagram.com/ym.stjosephmi) to keep up with our schedule and events!

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE Upcoming Events

The Coldest Night of the Year - The CWL will be participating on Saturday, February 24th by walking and fundraising to support Armagh House, a transitional supportive housing facility for women experiencing domestic abuse. To join our team or donate Visit <https://walk.w-ith.me/CWLStJoseph>.

CWL Membership Drive - All Catholic women are invited to join our community of sisterhood and friendship. Together, we will embark on a journey to develop our faith, serve our community, and advocate for social justice. We meet every 3rd Saturday of the month at the Parish Hall after the 9 am Mass. Membership fee is \$40. Please e-transfer to cwltheresam@gmail.com or remit by cheque or cash in an envelope marked CWL to the Parish office. Grow in faith, serve, and create change together! Join CWL today. Email cwlshamin@gmail.com for more info.

AROUND THE ARCH

NEW BEGINNINGS ONLINE SUPPORT SESSIONS:
Drop-In Online Session for those who have suffered a loss through separation, divorce or bereavement.

Topic: January Grief: Carry Over and Carry On.

Bereavement Support: [January 24, @ 7:00 pm.](#)

Separated/Divorced Support: [January 25, @ 7:00 pm.](#)

Register: <https://nbsdd0124.eventbrite.ca>

For more info contact: Arcangelo

(647)215-3978 alimanni@cfstoronto.com

CANCER PATIENT AND CAREGIVERS *Day of Retreat To Experience God's Healing Love.* Hosted by Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre (1617 Blythe Road, Mississauga) Saturday, February 17. Register there at 8:30 am. Cost: \$45.00. For more info, please contact: Jean at 905-278-5229 or office@qoa.ca.

Planning And Transition Information Session For Students With Differing Abilities

The Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board's (DPCDSB) Special Education and Learning Services Department will host an information session to support the entry planning and transition of students with differing abilities who will be new to the DPCDSB for September 2024. During this session, parents/guardians will have the opportunity to meet with board staff and learn about the entry planning process for students with differing abilities. Differing abilities may include, but are not limited to the following areas: blind low vision, hearing, speech, autism, physical/medical and/or developmental delays in the cognitive and/or motor areas. On **Wednesday, January 24 7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. at St. Marcellinus Catholic Secondary School** (730 Courtneypark Dr. West, Mississauga).

LIFT JESUS HIGHER Rally 2024

Saturday, March 2nd, at the Metro Toronto Convention Centre
The theme this year, **"TAKE HEART: by his wounds we are healed"**, encourages us to hope in God and a reminder that we can trust him, even during our darkest days. For more info visit www.ljhr.ca or contact contact@LJHR.ca or call (647) 873-1753

DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP

Prayer Meetings Wednesdays - 7 pm in the Parish Hall

OUR FORTHCOMING IMPORTANT EVENTS:

HOLY MASS WITH HEALING PRAYERS

Wednesday, January 31, 2024 at 6.45 p.m. Celebrant will be **Fr. Rajesh D'Souza** Associate Pastor, St. Matthew Parish – Oakville
Fear steals away our faith. When all seems lost, Jesus says, **"Just Believe"**. Join us and be healed in His Mighty Name

LENTEN RETREAT

Saturday, March 9, 2024 – 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

"A JOURNEY TO HOPE" Details to follow.

All are welcome!

THIS WEEK ON FORMED

January 21, 2024

PICK OF THE WEEK



The Catholic Parent - Six-episode series

Do you ever feel like it's almost impossible to raise holy kids who love God (and sit still in Mass!) in our modern world? You're not alone. This six-episode series sharing their daily struggles and victories. Created by the Augustine Institute and Catholic Sprouts and featuring real Catholic families like yours. The Catholic Parent aims to encourage you as a mom or dad as you embrace your God-given role to form your family in the richness of the Catholic faith.

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