



ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH, HIGHLAND CREEK

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 Saturday 5:00 p.m. Baya Arts
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 Sunday 7:00 p.m. Barbara Sullivan
Organist: Gerard Johnston

Place for Prayer

The Chapel in the Rectory basement is open daily from 9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. & 1:30 - 5:00 p.m. for individuals or small groups

Masses

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. (Sunday Liturgy)
 Sunday: 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 7:00 p.m.
 First Fridays: 7:30 p.m.
 First Saturdays: 7:00 p.m. (Pilipino)
 Weekdays: 9:00 a.m. Mon. to Sat. (Rosary 8:25 a.m.)

Confessions

Saturday 4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m. (or on request)

Baptisms

Please contact St. Joseph's Parish Office at 416-282-0370.

Marriages

Please contact St. Joseph's Parish Office at 416-282-0370.

Care of the Sick or Housebound

To request prayers, visitation and/or Communion for the sick or housebound please call 416-282-0370.

Parish Facilities

For reservations inquire for the Parish Hall and Meeting Rooms please contact Joanne Cline at the Parish Office, 416-282-0370.

Parish Ministries

Altar Servers	Eric Pinto
Catholic Women's League	Kim Deans and Marla Tanuan
CFC Foundation for Family & Life	Leo & Jane De Guia
Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers	Phil & Winnie Martin
Finance Council	Tom Wetzel
Knights of Columbus	Roy Van Veen
Lectors	Leo & Jane De Guia
Legion of Mary	Dawne Williams & Rohini Furtado
Liturgy for Children	Lavern Walters
Prayer Group	Wavell Desouza & Patty Haley
RCIA	Donna Tomie
Refugee-Outreach Committee	Carmela Gaudet
St. Vincent de Paul Society	
Screening Committee	Therese Baduria
Seniors 50+	Joe Van Pinxteren
ShareLife	Pat Sheehan
Sunday School	Angie Bernard
Technology Ministry	Isis Rebello
Ushers	5:00 p.m. Peter Almeida
	9:00 a.m. Benny Cyncora
	11:00 a.m. Val Felix
	7:00 p.m. Todd Noftall
Wedding Co-ordinator	Ingrid Stalteri
Youth Ministry	Angela Bernard

Parish Schools

Cardinal Leger	600 Morrish Road	416-393-5419
St. Brendan	186 Centennial Road	416-393-5359
St. Dominic Savio	50 Tideswell Blvd.	416-393-5467
St. Jean de Brebeuf	101 Dean Park Road	416-393-5394

Parish Office Hours

Monday to Friday 9:00 a.m. - 12.30 p.m.
 1:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

St. Joseph's is wheelchair accessible



Sunday March 24, 2019
Third Sunday of Lent
Ordinary Time, Year C

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

March 23 to March 30

Sat. Mar. 23 9:00 am † Donovan Anthony Bass
 5:00 pm † Knights of Columbus
 Members both living
 & deceased

Sun. Mar. 24 9:00 am † Peter Banks
 11:00 am For the People of the Parish
 7:00 pm † Edward Fernandes

Mon. Mar. 25 9:00 am Intention of Transfiguration
 Langoyan

Tues. Mar. 26 9:00 am † Ann Kee

Wed. Mar. 27 9:00 am † Clive D'Silva

Thur. Mar. 28 9:00 am † Michael&Margaret Mullane

Fri. Mar. 29 9:00 am Intention of Elizabeth
 Barrera
 Intention of The Gracias
 Family
 † Paul Mirasol
 Priests both living &
 deceased
 † Sheila McNamara

Sat. Mar. 30 9:00 am † Vera Hobbs
 5:00 pm † Cosy Rodrigues

**INCOME TAX RECEIPTS FOR
 2018 CONTRIBUTIONS**

Income tax receipts for all 2018 contributions to the regular Sunday Collections, ShareLife, Special Collections and the Building for Growth Fund are available in the Narthex.

If you contributed to the Family of Faith Campaign in 2018, you will receive an Income Tax Receipt for this directly from the Archdiocese of Toronto.

Please pick up your receipt from the Narthex, The envelopes are sorted in alphabetical order.

Kindly ensure that you take your own receipt.



5TH SUNDAY ROSARY

The Knight's of Columbus will be leading the Rosary on Sunday March 31st after the 9:00 and 11:00 a.m. Masses. All are welcome to join in.



NEW TO THE PARISH? WELCOME!

Registration Forms are found at the Church's entrances. You can drop off your completed form in an offertory basket. You can also register online by visiting www.stjosephstoronto.org

REFLECTION

How tempting it is to speculate about other people's relationships to God and to forget our own. When two catastrophes were reported to Jesus, he made them the occasion for calling his listeners once again to repent.

Jesus refused to conclude that disasters are God's judgement against the victims. Rather, misfortunes provoke us to reform our own lives. Now is the time for decision; thanks to God's patience, we still have time to ask for forgiveness. In the parable of the fig tree, which is a call to reform an unproductive life, God postpones carrying out the judgment already made until the gardener, like Christ, makes one more attempt. But we must not presume on God's patience indefinitely. Lent's invitation to reform must be taken seriously. The Holy One is as ready to save us his children now as when he revealed his name to Moses on Mount Horeb. St. Paul warns about unfaithfulness; we who are members of Christ through baptism and who are nourished with the spiritual food of the Eucharist must not presume on God's mercy.

(Sunday Mass Book)

PARISH MINISTRY—CONTACTS

Catholic Women's League: Kim Deans 416-206-6342 & Marla Tanuan 416-209-8659. General Meetings are held on the 2nd Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. in Room 2.

Faith Enrichment: Bonnie Washer at 416-284-5772 or Louise at 416-283-5055 Thursdays at 9:30 -10:45 a.m. in Room 2.

Knights of Columbus: Roy Van Veen at 416-281-0132 General Meetings every 3rd Thursday of the month at 7:30 p.m. in Room 2.

Legion of Mary: Dawne Williams at 416-284-8699 or Rohini Furtado at 647-827-5964. For Seniors' meeting day & time contact Dawne. Juniors meet every Tuesday at 6:30 pm in Room 1

Live Christ Share Christ Program: Francis and Therese Baduria at 647-981-5973. Meetings every first Saturday of the month after the 9:00 a.m. mass.

Prayer Group: Wavell D'Souza at 416-498-0948 or Patty Haley at 647-888-1292. Meetings every Thursday 7:30 p.m.

Refugee Outreach: Carmela Gaudet at 416-283-8151. Meets on the last Saturday of the month after the Gatherings.

Seniors 50+ Club: Joe Van Pinxteren at 416-284-4213 Lunch, cards, scrabble and companionship from 12:00 - 3:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall every Wednesday. Seniors Mass is on the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 11:00 a.m.

St. Vincent de Paul Society: Meets every 2nd Saturday of the month at 9:30 am. in Room 3. Contact: 416-282-0370 ext. 217

Technology Ministry: Contact Isis Rebello, 416-286-0707

Youth Ministry: Contact Angie Bernard, 647-242-8429 or youth.ministry@stjosephstoronto.org

2019 DONATION ENVELOPES

Are available for pick up in the Narthex.

They are alphabetized within each tray.

Please be patient when looking for your box.

SACRAMENTAL MINISTRY

First Communion Masses occurring on:

April 28 at 1:00 p.m. St. Brendan & St. Jean de Brebeuf
May 5 at 1:00 p.m. Cardinal Leger, St. Dominic Savio and Sunday School

Confirmation Dates

Classes taking place the weeks of:

THIS WEEK MAR. 24, Apr. 7, May TBA

Confirmation Masses occurring on:

Tuesday May 7 - St. Brendan & St. Jean de Brebeuf
Wednesday May 8 - Cardinal Leger, St. Dominic Savio and Sunday School
Masses beginning at 7:00 p.m.

Retreat Dates:

Sunday School: March 30
St. Dominic Savio & St Jean de Brebeuf: April 11
St. Brendan: April 23
Cardinal Leger: Taking place at the school

BIBLE TIMELINE

The Story of Salvation-DVD Teachings.

All are invited to join us Tuesday evenings,
until April 9th in the Church

at 8:00 to 9:00 p.m. for the Jeff Cavins program

Mar. 26 Conquest & Judges-Part 1 Joshua: Judges (49:44)
Bible Timeline DVD Teachings.

For information, contact Pat Wilson: 416-997-8303

Or email: pwils435@gmail.com

**Please use our East entrance to the Hall
near the Office's door.**

PRAYER GROUP'S LENTEN TALKS

Join us for Lenten Talks on Thursday evenings
at 7:30 p.m.

Our first 4 guest speakers are:

SPEAKER	DATE	TOPIC
Fr. Paul	3/28/19	Religion is Bad
Sharon Garlow	4/4/19	Fighting Temptations
Fr. Pat	4/11/19	In Earthen Vessels Wealth Untold

ALTAR SERVERS

Please pick up the Holy Week Schedules in the Sacristy's
change room. Thank you.

LENTEN RETREAT: MARY IN THE HEART OF THE CHURCH

St. Augustine's Seminary, 2661 Kingston Road

Join us for a day on Marian reflection, pondering the
Marian dimension of the Church. Fr. Charles Anang,
Associate Professor of Systematic Theology at St.
Augustine's will lead the Retreat which will also include
Mass in the seminary chapel. Feel free to invite friends
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Applications for this Scholarship are also available through
your parish CWL Education and Health Chair.
Please contact Cheryl at cherylvmas@gmail.com
647-515-3149.

Closing date is May 31st 2019

OUR PARISH LENTEN ACTIVITIES

Weekly Activities:

- 1) Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament every Friday from
9:30 to 10:30 a.m.
- 2) Mass followed by the Stations of the Cross every
Friday from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m.
- 3) Lenten Talks every Thursday starting at 7:30 p.m. This
is organized by the Prayer Group.

Other Activities:

- 1) Archdiocesan Day of Confessions: Tuesday April 2 at
10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
- 1) Parish Lenten Confessions: Monday April 15th at
7:00 p.m.



SHARELIFE CAMPAIGN 2019

How can you "Live the Gospel"
when life is so busy?

Many people help those in need by volunteering at a
local organization. But if your schedule doesn't allow for
it, you can still make a huge impact in your community
by supporting ShareLife-funded agencies. **Next Sunday,
March 31st** is the first ShareLife collection. Over next
week, please reflect on your ability to "Live the Gospel"
by making a sacrificial gift to our parish campaign.

For information about the Youth Ministry go to:

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