



ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH, HIGHLAND CREEK

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Saturday 5:00 p.m. Baya Arts

Sunday 9:00 a.m. Isis Rebello

Sunday 11:00 a.m. Jason Gotera

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	Lydia Lampers Wallner
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 May 12, 2019
Fourth Sunday of Easter
Year C

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

May 11 to May 18

Sat. May 11	9:00 am	† Denise Ward
	5:00 pm	† Deceased members of the Rodrigues Family
Sun. May 12	9:00 am	Intention of Celina & Tony Zagrai
	11:00 am	For the People of the Parish
	7:00 pm	CWL Members both living & deceased
Mon. May 13	9:00 am	Intention of Mario & Maria Simao
Tues. May 14	9:00 am	Intention of Hazel Maria
Wed. May 15	9:00 am	† John Arsenault
Thurs. May 16	9:00 am	† Souls in Purgatory
Fri. May 17	9:00 am	Intention of Zachia Morales
		† Michael & Margaret Mullane
		† Anne McPherson
		† Grace Anne Veronica Canavan
		† Soundranayagam
Sat. May 18	9:00 am	† Anton Marolt
	5:00 pm	† Simone D'Alba

WHY ARE WE HERE:

A MEDITATION ON CANADA

May 16th, 7:00 p.m. @ St. Bonaventure's Parish
1300 Leslie Street

Today Canadians face multiple challenges: environmentally, socially and within our democratic institutions. At times it is difficult to hold fruitful dialogues with our neighbours and family when we may not share the same vision for Canada. Mary Jo Leddy invites us to come together and explore the fundamental question of "What Are We Here?"

Contact: Maureen McDonnell, 416-447-5571 ext. 550

DAY OF REFLECTION FOR WOMEN

St. Augustine's Seminary

2661 Kingston Road

June 1st at 9:30 a.m.

Dr. Lombardi will lead us through a reflection on the "feminine genius," and what it means to know our identity and purpose as cherished daughters of God. We will examine some women of the Bible and how they found their identity after an encounter with God's love. The retreat will include Mass in the seminary chapel.

Cost: \$50.00, including lunch

Contact: St. Augustine's Seminary 416-261-7207

REFLECTION

The good shepherd is very possessive of his sheep. They are his personal property and a gift from the Father. He knows them well and promises them the greatest of gifts, life for ever. No one will ever be able to steal them; like a nomadic shepherd, he will fight off thieves. This close relationship of Jesus with the believer is modelled on the loving union of Father and Son. An anxious Christian can have no greater assurance of the Lord's enveloping love. What must be the attitude of believers face to face with their shepherd? They listen to their master's voice and follow him so as not to become lost. But we are not the only ones he longs to guide and protect. The reading from Acts insists on the universality of salvation. We who experience God's love should lead others to him. The vision described in Revelation shows innumerable people worshipping God in paradise. They have been washed clean in the blood of the sacrificed Lamb, who is at the same time their shepherd. With him their joy will last eternally.

(Sunday Mass Book)

NEW TO THE PARISH? WELCOME!

You can find further information about us on our website and register on line. www.stjosephstoronto.org/



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. Meetings are on every Tuesday in Room 1. Adults meet at 7:30 pm and Juniors meet at 6:30 pm.

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

CONGRATULATIONS !

We congratulate all the children who received their First Holy Communion and Confirmation in our Parish during the last two weeks. We will keep them in our prayers that these sacraments may bear abundant fruit in their lives.

A NOTE OF GRATITUDE

We sincerely thank the teachers and the many volunteers who gave cheerfully and generously of their time and talents to help prepare our children for their First Holy Communion and Confirmation.
We wish them God's many blessings.

JEAN VANIER

With the passing of Jean Vanier on Tuesday in France, Cardinal Collins released the following statement this morning. (May 6th, 2019)

*"In his simple, humble and loving way, inspired by the Gospel of Jesus Christ, Jean Vanier taught us to value the dignity of every individual. In a world that increasingly pushes us to gauge success and worth by what we own or who we know, he reminded us that authentic love, friendship and community are what we really need. L'Arche communities in Canada and in more than 35 countries throughout the world will continue his legacy of unconditional love offered to every individual. May his example of peace and gentle care live on through those he inspired for years to come.
We give thanks to God for his life."*



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It had been two years since Adam spoke in full sentences. When he moved to Covenant House's housing program, he would only say a word or two. Over time, a youth worker succeeded at connection with Adam and he gradually opened up. Adam finished high school and joined a mentorship program, setting his sights on a career in computer science. With his new voice and positive relationships, his future is open to so many possibilities.

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ST. MICHAEL'S COLLEGE UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO SCHOLARSHIP \$3000.00



The Toronto Diocesan Council of the CWL of Canada is offering a scholarship to St. Michael's College, U of T.

Eligibility - any young woman of Catholic faith applying to St. Michael's College, U of T, as their first choice for post secondary education. The applicant must be entering the Faculty of Arts and Science in one of the following areas of study:

Commerce, Computer Science,
Humanities and Social Sciences or Science.

All forms and information for this scholarship are available on-line at www.cwltoronto.ca

First click RESOURCES then
REFERENCE DOCUMENTS.

or

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

LIGHT DIVINE

May 4th, 7:30 p.m. @ St. Patrick's Church
141 McCaul Street

Tallis Choir of Toronto ends its 2018-19 season with an exploration of the themes of light and darkness. The program's music spans 10 centuries and ranges from Gregorian and Byzantine chant to contemporary settings. Compositions include work by Byrd, Marenzio, Tallis, Victoria, Elgar, Harris and Whitacre.

Contact: Tallis Choir of Toronto, 416-286-9798

BLUE MASS

Saturday, June 15, 2019 @ 11:00 a.m.

Blessed Trinity Parish, 3220 Bayview Avenue
Please come and join Bishop Scott McCaig, CC, Bishop of the Military Ordinariate of Canada, in celebrating the Blue Mass. We will thank our first responders, men and women, serving our communities in their blue uniforms.

We are expecting police cruisers, dogs and horses, fire engines and ambulances, the respective chiefs and their representations and families. This is a good opportunity to show our younger generation the respect we owe our uniformed. Congregations from other parishes and schools are welcome. Light refreshments will be served after mass. Please contact HenryTang@TangInc.com for large groups so we can arrange seating.

**For information about the Youth Ministry go to:
<https://www.stjosephstoronto.org/ministries/youth/>
or contact Angie Bernard at 647-242-8429**



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