



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

Parish Ministries

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| 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 | David Belcastro |
| Lectors | Leo & Jane De Guia |
| Legion of Mary | Dawne Williams & Rohini Furtado |
| Liturgy for Children | Lavern Walters |
| Prayer Group | Jennie Fernandes & Sheila McManus |
| 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

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| 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

September 22, 2019
Twenty-Fifth Sunday
in Ordinary Time
Year C

MASSES FOR THE WEEK
September 21 to September 28

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| Sat. Sep 21 | 9:00 am | † Alfonso Murciano |
| | 5:00 pm | † Philomine Pinto |
| Sun. Sep 22 | 9:00 am | † Bridget & Godfrey Herft |
| | 11:00 am | For the People of the Parish |
| | 7:00 pm | † Daphne Footman |
| Mon. Sep 23 | 9:00 am | Intention of Mario & Maria Simao |
| Tues. Sep 24 | 9:00 am | † Louis Figueira |
| Wed. Sep 25 | 9:00 am | † Deceased members of the Supnet Family |
| Thurs. Sep 26 | 9:00 am | † Joan Williams |
| Fri. Sep 27 | 9:00 am | † Michael & Margaret Mullane |
| | | † Melinda Faldis |
| | | † Erlinda Escobilla |
| | | † Alfredo & Victorina Quitasol |
| | | † Clodualdo Velarde |
| Sat. Sep 28 | 9:00 am | Intention of Robin & Anne Rodé |
| | 5:00 pm | † Naseem Shaikh |

1000 Hail Marys

Saturday, October 5th a@ 9:30 a.m.

“The Rosary, though clearly Marian, is at heart a Christ-centred prayer” Saint John Paul II

The Legion of Mary would like to invite parishioners to join us in praying 1000 Hail Marys for various intentions in honour of the Feast of Our Lady of the

Rosary after the 9:00 a.m. Mass on Saturday October 5th until approximately 3:00 p.m.

For more information, please contact Dawne at 416-284-8699 or any member of The Legion of Mary.



AN EVENING AT THE SEMINARY

October 7, 4:45 p.m.

St. Augustine’s Seminary, 2661 Kingston Road

Have you ever thought about becoming a priest? An evening at the seminary offers discerners a glimpse into the place where priestly formation begins. The evening includes holy Mass in the seminary chapel, dinner, a talk by Director of Vocations, Fr. Chris Lemieux and a tour of the seminary. Contact phone number: 416-968-0997 and email: vocations@archtoronto.org

REFLECTION

The parables do not always offer us examples to be imitated! Today’s gospel shocks us by asking whether we Christians put as much wisdom into achieving eternal life as the worldly take to ensure their future. The crafty steward, accused of mismanagement, and in a situation critical for his career, makes the most of the short time he has before he must render an account. The worldly are wiser in conducting their affairs than are those who seek God, Jesus observes. The next saying urges the wise use of money, which we cannot take with us and which affects our future. How we use it determines whether we will be trusted with lasting riches. We have a choice: to serve God or to make money our idol. In the first reading, the prophet Amos denounces dishonest merchants who overcharge the poor and shortchange their customers. God will not forget this exploitation, Amos threatens. The second reading, on a very different subject, gives instructions for community worship. There we profess our faith and are challenged to become just and faithful stewards.
 (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 416-206-6341 & 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: David Belcastro at 647-458-0591 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: Jennie Fernandes at 416-286-3568 or Sheila McManus at 416-4388453. 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

SACRAMENTAL MINISTRY

Welcome to the 2019/20 season of the Sacraments.

Important dates are as follows:

First Communion: Reconciliation 1st meeting

(Please watch for the form to come from school or download it from our website in advance of the meeting).

Sunday October 6th @ 1:00 p.m.
or Monday October 7th @ 7:00 p.m.

Reconciliation 2nd meeting

Sunday November 3rd @ 1:00 p.m.
or Monday November 4th @ 7:00 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Sat. Nov. 30th, 10:00 am

Confirmation: Enrollment Mass on Tuesday,
November 12 at 7:00 p.m.

Parent Volunteer Meeting on
Sunday, November 17 at 1:00 p.m.

Confirmation Classes will run on
On a monthly basis from Jan. to May

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Registration forms are available in the Narthex.

Please bring your completed forms to the Narthex on
Sunday Sept. 22nd or 29th between 10:00 to 10:50 a.m.
to register your child.

Classes will begin on Sunday, Oct. 6th at 10:00 a.m.

For more information, go to
www.stjosephstoronto.org/ministries/Sunday-school/
or call 647-242-8429

HISTORIC TOUR OF ST. MICHAEL'S CEMETERY

Saturday September 28th at 1:30 p.m.

1414 Yonge Street, Toronto

(Enter in laneway next to Home Hardware)

Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services invites you to
join us as we take a step back in time to the infancy of our
city and archdiocese as we tour the historic St. Michael's
Catholic Cemetery. Opened in 1855, it became the final
resting place for over 29,000 Toronto Catholics. Nestled
amongst angels is one of five Gothic-style octagonal
winter vault buildings remaining and protected by the
Ontario Heritage Act. If you love history and the city of
Toronto, this is a must-do event! No need to reserve.

Space is available. All are welcome! Rain or shine.

Contact: Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services
416-733-8544 or info@cc-fs.ca

LIFE CHAIN

Sunday October 6th @ 2:00 to 3:00 p.m.

Kingston Road and Lawrence intersection

Life Chain is an annual prayerful and peaceful witness to
the sanctity of human life and the harm of abortion.

Participants hold non-graphic signs at hundreds of
locations across North America for one hour.

Please join us to show your support.

ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH OFFICE

Please find enclosed our Parish Statement

For the year-end June 30, 2019

THE BIBLE TIMELINE STUDY

Tuesday, September 24, 8:00 p.m.

When Solomon's kingdom divides into Israel (North)
and Judah (South), the Northern Kingdom almost
immediately turned to pagan gods and worship. A quick
violent succession of kings followed none of who led the
people back into covenant with God. Hosea prophesied
the Northern Kingdom's inevitable end in exile.

Meanwhile in Judah, Solomon's son Rehoboam, is still
the heir to the throne of David, and God's presence
still dwells in the Jerusalem Temple.

Did he learn a lesson in the split?

Come join us for Session 14, Divided Kingdom, Part 2.

ST. JOSEPH'S 9:00 A.M. CHOIR

**"Sing to the Lord a new song, sing to the Lord,
all the earth." (Psalm 96)**

Our choir is looking for new members.

Rehearsals take place in the Church on

Fridays from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m.

The choir welcomes all levels of singers.

If you would like to join, please contact Isis Rebello at
416-286-0707 or the Parish office.

"Christ is the hope of the world: His Gospel is the most
powerful leaven of brotherhood, freedom, justice and peace
for all peoples". Pope Francis' Tweet 9/11/19

Youth Ministry Corner

THOU SHALT REGISTER FOR EDGE

SEPT 21-22, 29 AND OCT 5-6
IN THE NARTHEX AFTER EVERY MASS

OR GO TO
STJOSEPHSTORONTO.ORG/MINISTRIES/YOUTH/



EDGE is for youth in Grade 6,7 and 8.

First EDGE Night will be October 11th

HS FOUNDATIONS for youth in high school is a
monthly program. It's a safe space to ask the hard
questions about our Catholic Faith and to find out what it
means to "strive to enter the narrow gate". **Starts on
Oct. 6 from 4:00 to 6:30 p.m..** Free supper will be
served. Registrations forms are found in the Narthex.

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