



## ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH, HIGHLAND CREEK

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**Music Directors:**

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	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

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*

**October 20, 2019**  
**Twenty-Ninth Sunday**  
**in Ordinary Time**  
**Year C**

**MASSES FOR THE WEEK**  
**October 19 to October 27**

Sat. Oct 19	5:00 pm	† Joan Williams
Sun. Oct 20	9:00 am	Intention of Celina & Tony Zagrai
	11:00 am	The People of the Parish
	7:00 pm	† Eugene Noga
Mon. Oct 21	9:00 am	† Sayerimuttu Asirvatham
Tues. Oct 22	9:00 am	† Maisie Ferdinands
Wed. Oct 23	9:00 am	Thanksgiving
Thurs. Oct 24	9:00 am	† Emmanuel Aquino
Fri. Oct 25	9:00 am	Intention of Mariel Laberinto
		† Naseem (Jimmy) Shiekh
		† Loures Irwina Lejarde
		† Marina Raquel
		† Mary Indrani Karunanayake
Sat. Oct 26	9:00 pm	† Michael&Margaret Mullane
	5:00 pm	† Gianna Johansen

**LEGION OF MARY**

As Pope Francis has invited all of the faithful to pray the Holy Rosary every day during the entire Marian month of October, we extend an invitation to all parishioners to join us every evening at 7:00 p.m. in the Rectory Chapel.

**WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER**

October 25th at 6:00 p.m. to Sunday October 27th  
 Four Points Sheraton Hotel, Mississauga  
 This is to celebrate your love and take a fresh look at your marriage! Contact: [gerard.marge@rogers.com](mailto:gerard.marge@rogers.com)

**COME AND SEE WEEKEND AT ST. AUGSTINE'S SEMINARY**

The Office of Vocations is hosting a Come & See Weekend for single Catholic men 17 years and older, at the Seminary from Friday, November 1 at 7:00 p.m. to Sunday, November 3 at 1:30 p.m. to cultivate a deeper prayer life and relationship with Jesus Christ; leading to a better discernment of God's call for their lives. Time for prayer, reflection and information on the process of becoming one of Christ's disciples as a Catholic priest. For more information, please contact the Office of Vocations at: 416-968-0997 or email [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org)  
 Registrations can be done online at [www.vocationstoronto.org](http://www.vocationstoronto.org)

**REFLECTION**

How should we pray? Luke's gospel takes as one of its special concerns our conversation with God. Last Sunday, we were reminded of the need for gratitude; today's parable encourages us to keep asking for what we need even if God does not answer our requests immediately.... The Christian must be like the widow who pesters until she wins her case. We do not know why God delays; but when judgement is given, Jesus promises it will be given quickly. He concludes with a question: Will there be faith—like the persevering faith of the widow who refused to take "no" for an answer—when Christ returns at the end of time? ....

The second reading calls for another kind of perseverance, fidelity to the truth of the Christian tradition as it has been handed down. Scripture challenges both its teacher and its hearer to fidelity and growth in holiness.

(Sunday Mass Book)

**NEW TO THE PARISH?**

You can find further information about us on our website and register on line. [www.stjosephstoronto.org/](http://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](mailto:youth.ministry@stjosephstoronto.org)

## SACRAMENTAL MINISTRY

Welcome to the 2019/20 season of the Sacraments.

Important dates are as follows:

**First Communion: 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**

**First Communion 1st meeting**

Sunday February 9th @ 1:00 p.m.

or Monday February 10th @ 7:00 p.m.

**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

### 5th ANNUAL BENEFIT TO END ABUSE TO WOMEN AND GIRLS

Wednesday, November 6th at 6:00 p.m.

Lula Lounge, 1585 Dundas Street West

Catholic Family Services of Toronto Foundation presents the 5th concert for this important cause. We are excited to have musical entertainment from Enrico Galante and friends. Also this year we're featuring Grammy and Juno award winning singer, Liberty Silver!

Last year was our best year ever for attendance and contributions—thanks to you!

Lets make this year a record-breaker too!

Tickets: \$45.00 in advance \$50.00 at the door

Contact: Catholic Family Services

Phone: 416-921-1163

### LIGHT IN THE DARKNESS: DEBUNKING BLACK LEGENDS OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH IN HISTORY

November 9th at 9:30 a.m.

St. Augustine's Seminary, 416-261-7207

2661 Kingston Road, Scarborough

Join Fr. Seamus Hogan, Professor of Church History, as he confronts false versions of Catholic history which portray the church as a violent, ignorant, worldly and bigoted institution. Fr. Seamus reveals the true facts around historical events such as the Crusades, the Inquisition and many others. Spend the day debunking myths in order to discover the real truth of the church's history. Holy Mass at St. Augustine's venerable chapel is included with Registration. COST: \$50.00 (includes lunch)

### CALLING WOMEN FROM 18 TO 80

Beginning on October 25 at 7:30 p.m.

Manresa Jesuit Retreat Centre, 2325 Liverpool Road

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### ST. PAUL OF THE CROSS

After a series of visions in which he was directed to found a congregation that was especially to be devoted to the Passion.

This is known as The Passionist Order.



### APPLE PIE MAKING TIME!

Last session taking place in the Hall on Oct. 24 from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

### MISSISSAUGA ROSARY BOWL

October 26th at 8:00 a.m.

Canadian Coptic Centre, 1245 Eglinton Avenue West

Join Our Lady of the Cape, Queen of the Most Holy Rosary & the Saints of the Church. Family event: Cape Kids activities. Pray the rosary and enroll in the Rosary Confraternity at Canada's National Marian Shrine.

Contact: Marian Devotional Movement: [info@theMDM.org](mailto:info@theMDM.org)

### TIMELINE BIBLE STUDY

Session 18-Messianic Fulfillment-Part 1

Tuesday, October 22nd at 8:00 p.m.

Christ's early Ministry, including his Baptism and temptation in the desert in which he was revealed as a kind of New Adam and a New Israel. The gospel of Luke narrates the coming of the Messiah, the son of David, who will fulfill all prophecy, restore the Kingdom to Israel and gather all the nations back into the covenant with God.



### POPE FRANCIS' TWEET

Today we ask for the grace to allow ourselves to be amazed by God's surprises, to not hinder His creativity, but to encourage hearts to encounter the Lord.

(October 16, 2019)



### "MEET A SAINT"

Sunday, October 27th

The Youth Ministry and Sunday School Ministry are inviting all Parishioners to

"Meet a Saint" in the Narthex between 10:00 to 11:00 a.m.

St. Anthony (Patron Saint of lost items).

The Ministry participants will dress up for this occasion!

### Youth Ministry Corner

<https://www.stjosephstoronto.org/ministries/youth/>

Registration forms are in the Narthex.

Next **EDGE Night October 25th: Thou Shall NOT Have Fun Social.** Youth in Grade 6, 7 and 8, it's not too late to register.

Next **HS FOUNDATIONS: Nov 3rd.**

**Come Holy Spirit.** Come high school students. 4:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

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