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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

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

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 Carmela Gaudet
Lydia Lampers Wallner
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Ushers
5:00 p.m.
9:00 a.m.
11:00 a.m.
7:00 p.m.
Todd Noftall

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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

November 3, 2019 Thirtieth-First Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C

MASSES FOR THE WEEK November 2 to November 9

| Sat. Nov 2 | 9:00 am | † | Deceased members of the |
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| | | | Mislang & Paraan families |

5:00 pm † Rosario Calandra

Sun. Nov 3 9:00 am † Souls in Purgatory

11:00 am The People of the Parish

7:00 pm † Corradina Spataro

Mon. Nov 4 9:00 am † Daphne & Mark Footman

Tues. Nov 5 9:00 am † Paul Camilleri

Wed. Nov 6 9:00 am † Souls in Purgatory

Thurs. Nov 7 9:00 am † Simeon Maristances

Fri. Nov 8 9:00 am † Michael&Margaret Mullane

† Bayani Santos

† Leslie Peters

† Pedro Cejo

† Deceased members of the

Cox family

Sat. Nov 9 9:00 pm † Beatification of Frank Duff

5:00 pm † Martha Benedict

OFFICE NOTICE

The Parish Office will be closed on Friday November 8th.

It will resume regular hours on Monday, November 11th

ST. JOHN PAUL II

"Do not be afraid. Do not be satisfied with mediocrity. Put out into the deep and let down your nets for a catch."

CHRIST THE KING RALLY 2019

November 30th at 8:30 a.m.

The Toronto Pavilion, 190 Railside Road

"I will be with you always, until the end of the ages (Matt 28,20)" Presented by the Catholic Charismatic Renewal Council (CCRC) of the Archdiocese of Toronto. Join the celebration at the annual Christ the King Rally with unique programs for adults, youth and children! \$20 for adults; \$5.00 for youth and children are free. Praise and Worship by IV24, Rosary, Healing Procession, Confessions, Adoration and Holy Mass presided by His Eminence, Thomas Cardinal Collins.

Guest Speakers: Sister Hazel d'Souza & Fr. David Avila

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REFLECTION

Jesus does not wait for our invitation, but invites himself to be our guest. Zacchaeus, a tax collector (whose position made him a collaborator with the hated Romans and suspected of extortion) is so anxious to see Jesus that he forgets his dignity and climbs a tree. The crowd is surprised that Jesus should notice this short man, and impatient when the Lord hurries him down and invites himself to the rich man's house. Zacchaeus is joyful, but the crowd is taken aback by this instantaneous conversion. The man proves his sincerity by pledging both charity and restitution in abundance. Jesus is delighted to bestow the blessing of salvation on a house where no one was expected to be saved. Lyrically, the first reading sings of the mercy and forgiveness of God, who loves everything he has made and holds in being. God want us to be saints whose glory is Christ, Paul writes. Why, then, become excited about miracles, apparitions, and false messages? Our faith must not be so superficial. We the Christian community should be the sign of Christ's glory in the world. (Sunday Mass Book)

NEW TO THE PARISH?

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: THIS WEEK!

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

***Children are required to attend these meetings.

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

or Monday February 10th @ 7:00 p.m. First Communion 2nd meeting Sunday March 1 @ 1:00 p.m.

or Monday March 2 @ 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
Confirmation Masses:
Tuesday, May 19, at 7:00 p.m.
St. Brendan & St. Jean de Brebeuf
Wednesday, May 20, at 7:00 p.m.
Cardinal Leger, St. Dominic Savio
& Sunday School.

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!

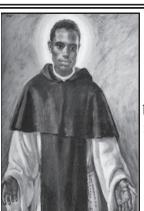
Last year was our best year ever for attendance and contributions—thanks to you!

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CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

Saturday, November 16 from 9:30 to 2:00 p.m. Contact: Marla-416-209-8659 or Kim-416-26-6341

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

November 9th at 9:30 a.m.

St. Augustine's Seminary, 2661 Kingston Road
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) Contact #: 416-261-7207 Email: layspiritualformation@sastoronto.org



COMING SOON!



Knight's of Columbus' delicious pancake breakfast on Sunday November 24th. Details to follow!

2019 BENEFIT DINNER FOR CHRISTIANS IN THE MIDDLE EAST

Saturday, November 9 at 7:00 to 9:30 p.m. Toronto Grand Banquet Centre 30 Baywood Road, Etobicoke

Join Cardinal Thomas Collins and Archbishop Najeeb Michaeel, Chaldean Archbishop of Mosul and Akra for an inspiring evening of prayers, support and testimony about the plight of Christians in the Middle East.

For tickets and more information visit: www.cmebbdinner2019.eventbrite.ca

Youth Ministry Corner

https://www.stjosephstoronto.org/ministries/youth/ Registration forms are in the Narthex.

Next EDGE Night Nov. 8th: Live Free Youth in grade 6, 7 and 8, come and live free.

HS FOUNDATIONS is on Nov 3rd, 4:00 to 6:30 p.m. Come Holy Spirit. Come high school students.

Includes free supper. Registration required.

We would like to thank the parishioners and the Sunday School/Youth Ministry families who participated in "Meet a Saint" last Sunday. Most of all, we would like to THANK GOD for offering us Eternal LIFE!

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