



#### ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH, 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, Weddings, Sick Calls or Funerals

Please contact St. Joseph's Parish Office at 416-282-0370 or for info visit our website www.stjosephstoronto.org

#### **Parish Facilities**

For reservations inquires for the Parish Hall and Meeting Rooms please contact Marla Tanuan at the Parish Office, 416-282-0370 Ext: 204.

#### **Parish Ministries**

Altar Servers Eric Pinto
Catholic Women's League Therese Baduria
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 & Manisha Raju

Liturgy for Children Lavern Walters Missionary Families of Christ Leo & Jane De Guia Parish Pastoral Council John Ramdeen Prayer Group Patricia Furtado **RCIA** Donna Tomie Refugee-Outreach Committee Carmela Gaudet St. Vincent de Paul Society Jim Bovlan Screening Committee Therese Baduria Seniors 50+ Joe Van Pinxteren Pat Sheehan

ShareLife Social Committee Bryan Noble Angie Bernard Sunday School Technology Ministry Isis Rebello Ushers 5:00 p.m. Peter Almeida 9:00 a.m. Stuart Mak 11:00 a.m. Bernard Dias 7:00 p.m. John Ramdeen

Wedding Co-ordinator Ingrid Stalteri Youth Ministry Angie 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



#### FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER APRIL 30th, 2023

#### MASSES FOR THE WEEK Week of Apr 29 to May 6

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Apr 29	Sat	9:00 AM	†	Margaret Wilton Kuefler	
		5:00 PM	†	Melissa Gonsalves	
Apr 30	Sun	9:00 AM 11 AM	†	Alexis Ricafranca Intentions of the People of the Parish	
		7:00 PM	†	Tomislay Skarjak	
May 1	Mon	9:00 AM	†	Neal & Bob Farquharson	
May 2	Tue	9:00 AM	†	Maria Onwusiri	
May 3	Wed	9:00 AM	†	Maria Onwusiri	
May 4	Thu	9:00 AM	†	Anthony Dinova	
May 5	Fri	9:00 AM	† †	Naseem (Jimmy) Sheikh Fr. Pete Fleming Maria Simas Amanda Reyes Intention of Nevil Thomas Chew Nan Mar	
		7:30 PM	† † † † †	Indraine Tschudi Bridget Corera Joseph Philips Manuel Chico Sr & Jr Honia Snagg Mercia Barbosa	
May 6	Sat	9:00 AM	Ī	Intention of the Almeida Family	
		5:00 PM	†	Philomine Pinto	

#### PRESENTATION ON PALLATIVE CARE

In light of the National Hospice Palliative Care Week, May 7-13, 2023, CWL invites everyone to attend our scheduled Members' Meeting on Monday, May 8, 2023 at 6:30 pm, in the Parish Hall. We will be learning from a virtual presentation on palliative care:

- \* to assist caregivers and family members facing a terminal illness
- \* to understand palliative care from a theological, ethical and medical perspective.



Save the date! We hope to see you all there.



#### REFLECTION

The good shepherd is very possessive of his sheep.

They are his personal property and a gift from the Father. He knows them very well and promises them the greatest gift, life forever. 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 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 for Canada)

#### PARISH MINISTRY CONTACTS

Catholic Women's League: Therese Baduria at 416.938-5855 General meetings held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month at 7:00 pm in Room 2. Faith Enrichment: Bonnie Washer at 416.284-5772 Meetings on Thursdays at 9:30 – 10:45 am in Room 2. Knights of Columbus: Roy Van Deen at 416.899-2771. General meetings held every 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month at 7:30 pm in Room 2.

**Legion of Mary**: Dawne Williams at 416.284-8699 or Manisha Raju 647.678-0371. Juniors contact Manisha. **Prayer Group**: Patricia Furtado at 416.724-8570 and Michael McManus at 416.438-8453. Meetings held every other Thursday at 7:30 pm.

**Refugee Outreach**: Carmela Gaudet at 416.283-8151. Meets on the last Saturday of every month.

**Seniors 50+ Club**: Joe Van Pinxteren at 416.284-4213 Refreshments, coffee, cards and companionship from 12 – 3:30 pm in the Hall every Wednesday. Seniors mass held every 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of the month at 11 am.

**Social Committee**: Bryan Noble at 647.937-6631 or bryannoble1967@gmail.com

St. Vincent de Paul Society: 416.282-0370 ext. 217 Technology Ministry: Isis Rebello at 416.286-0707 Youth Ministry: Angie Bernard at 647. 242-8429 or abernard@archtoronto.org

#### TALKING MATTERS

'Talking Matters', is a research based 'life' drama on living with Dementia issues. This award-winning play tells the story of David and Inga, two elderly residents in a long term care home and their challenges with volunteer and professional caregivers. Please pick up a poster with more detailed information at the back of the church.

Thursday May 18, 2023 Time: 7:30 PM

@ St. Joseph's Catholic Church

Cost per person: \$ 10.00 For tickets call:

Gerry Sheehan 416 282-7181 or Gloria Moniz 416 286-4878

#### SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL BUNDLE UP WEEKEND

On April 29th and 30th a SSVP container will be in the church's West Parking lot to collect your gently used clothing, footwear, and linens. No appliances, books, video tapes, crockery or furniture (except small dresser) will be accepted.

Drop off times are, Saturday and Sunday from 8:30am to 6:30pm. Volunteers will be available to assist you. See the notice on the parish website & bulletin boards at the back of the church for more information.

#### **CHRISTIAN LIFE SEMINAR**

The Missionary Families of Christ invites you to a Christian Life Seminar open to all adult men and women. The Seminar is an integrated course intended to lead the participants into a renewed understanding of and response to God's call to them as Christians. Every Friday at 7pm from April 14 - May 19, 2023 in St. Joseph's basement hall.



#### **TDC St. Michaels Scholarship**



The Toronto Diocesan Council of the Catholic Women's League of Canada is offering a scholarship of \$3,000 to St. Michael's College. This scholarship is open to any young woman who is of Catholic faith, who is completing her secondary school education, and who has indicated on her application to the University of Toronto that St. Michael's College is her first choice. 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 Sciences. The applications must be submitted by May 31, 2023. For further information, please contact Lucia Vacca at 416-283-3536



#### SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION DATES 2023



#### **CONFIRMATION MASS**

Sunday, 30th April @ 1 pm
- St. Brendan, St. Jean de Brebeuf
Sunday, May 7th @ 1 pm

-Cardinal Leger, St. Dominic Savio, Sunday School

#### **CONFIRMATION RETREAT**

Saturday, June 3rd from 8:30 am to 3:00 pm



Congratulations to all our Confirmation Candidates recipients!

May you hold the love for Jesus Christ in your hearts forever and may the power of the Holy Spirit provide you guidance and peace through your life.



#### **MUSCIANS NEEDED**



The Prayer Group is looking for different types of Musicians (guitarists, keyboard, singers etc.) to support their Music Ministry, which meets twice a month from 7.30 p.m. to 9.00 p.m.. Contact Patricia Furtado at 416-724-8570 or Michael McManus at 416-438-8453

## ESTATE PLANNING FROM A CATHOLIC PERSPECTIVE

Saturday, May 6, 2023, at 9:15 am at Christ the King Catholic Cemetery 7770 Steeles Ave. East, Markham (Entrance off Reesor Rd.)

Join this free seminar and learn about the importance of a Will, Powers of Attorney & Estate Planning as well as Catholic teachings and traditions around burials & cremation.

To register: Contact

Frank Jannetta, Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services 416-733-8544 ext 2023. or info@cc-fs.ca

#### **EDGE Youth Ministry**

On Friday, Edgers realized that they too participate in the gifts that are brought to the altar during mass.

If you are not an Edger yet, please visit our website at: stjosephstoronto.org/ministries/youth/

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