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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](http://www.stjosephstoronto.org)

### Parish Facilities

For reservations inquiries 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
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 Boylan
Screening Committee	Therese Baduria
Seniors 50+	Joe Van Pinxteren
Social Committee	Bryan Noble
Sunday School	Angie Bernard
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	Jeremy Tanuan

### 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*



# 28th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR A)

## OCTOBER 15th, 2023

### MASS INTENTIONS

Week of Oct 14 to Oct 21, 2023

- Oct 14** Sat 9:00 AM † John & Amy D'Souza  
5:00 PM † Michela Del Medico
- Oct 15** Sun 9:00 AM † Remy & Maggie DeMello  
11:00 AM - People of the Parish  
7:00 PM † Pasty Jordan
- Oct 16** Mon 9:00 AM † Deceased members of Eric & Emily Pinto's family
- Oct 17** Tue 9:00 AM † Jaime Simas
- Oct 18** Wed 9:00 AM † Joan Williams
- Oct 19** Thu 9:00 AM † Arlene D'Cruze
- Oct 20** Fri 9:00 AM † Lynette Fernandes  
† Carlos Poulsen  
† Nancy Louisa Gomes  
† Kiki Tamkei  
† Renato Reyes Sr.  
- Intention of Maria Malicdin
- Oct 21** Sat 9:00 AM - Intention of Tony & Celina Zagrai  
5:00 PM - Intention of the members of the Rebello family

### REFLECTION

Wedding banquets are joyful occasions. The feast described in today's gospel symbolizes the salvation offered by the Church. A king, whom we associate with God, has issued invitations to his son's wedding. But the guests do not come. A second time he cries joyfully, "Come!" They refuse, and kill his servants. In what follows we see an allusion to the destruction of Jerusalem: rejecting the Good News has terrible consequences, Jesus told this parable to the "pious" who were refusing God's invitation. To take their places, the little people, the marginal ones of society, are invited; they fill the banquet hall. The longer reading reminds us that it is not enough to take part in the eucharistic banquet; we must act like God's wedding guests. Isaiah had prophesied that one day all peoples would be invited to partake of God's joy. The realization that God fills our needs completely, expressed in the psalm, moves St. Paul to glorify God both in poverty and in plenty. So should we. *(Sunday Mass Book)*

### PARISH MINISTRY CONTACTS

Phone Number: (416) 282-0370

Ministry	Contact	EXT
<b>CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE</b> <i>CWL's general meetings: 2<sup>nd</sup> Mon of the month 7 PM (Room 2)</i>	Therese Baduria	251
<b>FAITH ENRICHMENT</b> <i>Meetings: every Thursday 9:30 AM - 10:45 AM (Room 2)</i>	Bonnie Washer	252
<b>KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS</b> <i>General meetings: 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month 7:30 PM (Room 2)</i>	Bryan Noble	253
<b>LEGION OF MARY</b>	Dawne Williams	254
<b>PRAYER GROUP</b> <i>Meetings: every Thurs 7:30 PM</i>	Patricia Furtado/ Michael McManus	255
<b>REFUGEE OUTREACH</b> <i>Meetings: every last Saturday of the month</i>	Carmela Gaudet	218
<b>SENIORS 50+ CLUB</b> <i>Refreshments, coffee, cards &amp; companionship: every Wed, 12 PM - 3:30 PM (the Hall)</i> <i>Seniors Mass:</i> <i>1<sup>st</sup> Wed of the month 11 AM</i>	Joe Van Pinxteren	256
<b>SOCIAL COMMITTEE</b> <i>Email: bryannoble1967@gmail.com</i>	Bryan Noble	215
<b>ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY</b>		217
<b>SUNDAY SCHOOL</b> <i>Email: Abernard@archtoronto.org</i>	Angie Bernard	212
<b>TECHNOLOGY MINISTRY</b>	Isis Rebello	214
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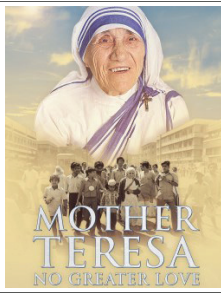
### CWL'S UPCOMING EVENT



Please watch with us the documentary movie of Mother Teresa

**"NO GREATER LOVE"**

Saturday, Oct. 21st, 2023  
(after the 9 AM Mass, in the hall)



### "GO MAKE DIFFERENCE" Sat-Sun, October 21-23, 2023 after the Masses (in the narthex)



CWL invites you all to participate in this project for Scarborough Rouge Park Food Bank to address the growing needs of marginalized people in our community.

**Members of CWL will be collecting any food items: flour, rice, sugar, oats, coffee, tea, toiletries, baby food, canned goods and many more...**

**REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!!!**

**SACRAMENTAL PREP FOR CHILDREN**

**Who should register?**

All children in grade 2 & 7 OR children who have missed a Sacrament at the usual time.



**FIRST RECONCILIATION & HOLY COMMUNION**

The first parent meetings for First Reconciliation will be on Sunday, 15 Oct 2023 OR Tuesday, 17 Oct 2023

Please register BEFORE these two dates

<https://www.stjosephstoronto.org/sacraments/first-holy-communion/>



**SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION**

<https://www.stjosephstoronto.org/sacraments/confirmation/>

**SUNDAY SCHOOL**

Children in non-Catholic schools or who have missed a Sacrament at the usual time must register for Sunday School.

<https://www.stjosephstoronto.org/ministries/sunday-school/>

**THE RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS**

For adults (17 years and older) who want to become Catholics and practice the Catholic faith. The RCIA program prepares them for Baptism, First Holy Communion and Confirmation.

**Begins on Oct 16, 2023 at 7 PM (Parish Hall)**

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

**Please register using the URL provided!**

**FIRST RECONCILIATION PREPARATION 2023**

**The 1<sup>st</sup> Parent Meetings for the First Reconciliation Prep** for Children will be held on:

Sunday, Oct. 15th @1 PM (in the hall) OR

Tuesday, Oct. 17th @7 PM (in the church).

**Parents should register for the First Reconciliation & Holy Communion Prep for their children before these days.**

**FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING WEBINAR**

Saturday, October 28, 2023 at 9:00 a.m.

**How to avoid problems.**

**How to create your own legacy.**

**About our Catholic traditions around cremation, burials, and funerals.**

**3 WAYS TO REGISTER:**

**1. scan this QR code:**

**2. follow this QR link:** <https://QRCO.de/oct28>

**3. send an email to:** [Development@ArchToronto.org](mailto:Development@ArchToronto.org) and write "webinar Oct 28" in the title line + your name (s) in the body of the message.



**SUNDAY SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENT**



**Sunday School has started.**

This ministry provides Catechesis of the Catholic Faith for children 7 to 16 years old.



**Who should register?**

Children in public schools, OR

Children in Catholic schools who want to supplement what they are learning, OR

Children who have missed a Holy Sacrament at the USUAL TIME and would now like to prepare for it.

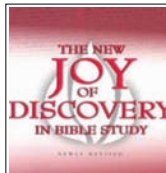
**For more information, and to register, go to <https://www.stjosephstoronto.org/ministries/sunday-school/>**

**FREE Bible Study  
Live Online Course!**

Join us via Zoom for 6 Mondays, starting from Oct. 16, 2023, at 9:00-10:00 PM

**Sign up now:**

[www.tinyurl.com/JoyofDiscovery4](http://www.tinyurl.com/JoyofDiscovery4)



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**ST. JOSEPH'S 11 AM SUNDAY CHOIR:  
NEW MEMBERS WANTED!**

Although we are a traditional choir, we sing a varied repertoire as the occasion permits.

Previous musical training is an asset but not required.

Rehearsals are held on Sunday after the 11 AM Mass.

**Contact Jason Gotera (choir director) for more info.**

**EDGE Youth Ministry**

EDGE Youth Ministry 2023—2024 has opened its registration for youth in grade 6, 7, and 8.

EDGE will meet on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Fridays of the month, starting from Oct 13<sup>th</sup>, 2023.

**COME DISCOVER HOW THE WORD CREATES!**

We grow in our relationship with God & one another through various activities: obstacle courses, escape room puzzles, team crafting & more.

Please contact Jeremy Tanuan for more information: [JTantuan@archtoronto.org](mailto:JTantuan@archtoronto.org) or 416-282-0370 ex. 213.

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