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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, 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 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	Bryan Noble
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
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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



33rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR A)

November 19th, 2023

MASSES FOR THE WEEK Week of Nov 18 to Nov 25

Nov 18	Sat	9:00 AM - Intention of Suzette Nahar 5:00 PM † Annie Alvares
Nov 19	Sun	9:00 AM † Francis Rebello 11:00 AM - People of the Parish 7:00 PM - Intention of Kristina Ramdass
Nov 20	Mon	9:00 AM - Intention of Mario & Maria Simao
Nov 21	Tue	9:00 AM † Timothy Reagin
Nov 22	Wed	9:00 AM - Intention of Celina Zagrai
Nov 23	Thu	9:00 AM † Jacinto Vaz
Nov 24	Fri	9:00 AM † Beatrice D'Souza † Ludwina Sebastian † Neal & Bob Farquharson † Mr. & Mrs. Chung Fee Seong † Mr. & Mrs. Char Nee Khong † Lucia Bonfanti † Rosalia Florio † Saverimuttu Asirvatham - Intention of Ricardo & Agnes Chua
Nov 25	Sat	9:00 AM - Intention of Tony and Celina Zagrai 5:00 PM † Theresa Banks

REFLECTION

The parable of the talents, like so many of Jesus' parables, is intended to shock us into a right perception of our responsibilities as Christians. As we wait expectantly for the Lord, how should we act? A man has left his money with some servants so that in his absence it might be invested. Two servants make a profit, but the third hides the money in fear. The punishment of this servant reminds us that the gospel message has been entrusted to us as Christians. We have no right to hoard it unproductively; it is given to be passed on to others. Those wise servants who spread the gospel are invited to join in their master's happiness. The first reading provides an Old Testament example of a purposeful and productive woman who deserves a reward for her work and generosity. It is our job to work and wait, St. Paul tells us. We need not be curious about the time of Christ's coming to reward us: the Day of the Lord will come upon us unexpectedly. If we are acting like children of light, we will be ready.

(Sunday Mass Book)

PARISH MINISTRY CONTACTS

Phone Number: (416) 282-0370

Ministry	Contact	EXT
CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE <i>General meetings: 2nd Mon of the month 7 PM (the Hall)</i>	Therese Baduria	251
FAITH ENRICHMENT <i>Meetings: every Thursday 9:30 AM - 10:45 AM (Room 2)</i>	Bonnie Washer	252
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS <i>General meetings: 3rd Thursday of the month 7:30 PM (Room 2)</i>	Bryan Noble	253
LEGION OF MARY	Dawne Williams	254
PRAYER GROUP <i>Meetings: every other Thurs 7:30 PM</i>	Patricia Furtado/ Michael McManus	255
REFUGEE OUTREACH <i>Meetings: every last Saturday of the month</i>	Carmela Gaudet	218
SENIORS 50+ CLUB <i>Refreshments, coffee, cards & companionship: every Wed, 12 PM - 3:30 PM (the Hall)</i> <i>Seniors Mass: 1st Wed of the month 11 AM</i>	Joe Van Pinxteren	256
SOCIAL COMMITTEE <i>Email: bryannoble1967@gmail.com</i>	Bryan Noble	215
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY		217
SUNDAY SCHOOL <i>Email: Abernard@archtoronto.org</i>	Angie Bernard	212
TECHNOLOGY MINISTRY	Isis Rebello	214
YOUTH MINISTRY <i>Email: JTanuan@archtoronto.org</i>	Jeremy Tanuan	213



CALLING ALL PARISHIONERS!!!



ST. JOSEPH PARISH ADVENT RETREAT

“How to welcome Christ into the chaos of our lives”

Saturday, Dec 9, 2023 • 9 AM—12PM

Sr Orianne Pietra Rene, fsp of the Daughter of St Paul will lead us to our Angelus Retreat.



Morning includes:
9 AM Mass
Refreshments after Mass
Talk and Prayer Challenge
Shared reflection
Finishes at Noon

Sponsored by CWL St Joseph Council



**SACRAMENTAL PREP FOR CHILDREN
REGISTRATION IS STILL OPEN!!!**



Who should register?

All children in grade 2 & 7 in Catholic Schools

(Please note: Children who are in non-Catholic schools or who have missed a Sacrament at the usual time should wait until Sep next year. Sunday School has closed its registration this year since the school already started on Sep 24.)

FIRST RECONCILIATION & HOLY COMMUNION

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

Upcoming schedule

THE FIRST RECONCILIATION
Saturday, 02 Dec 2023 @ 10 AM



SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

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

Upcoming schedule

CONFIRMATION ONLINE PREP CLASS - 1ST SECTION
Saturday, 13 Jan 2024 @ 9 AM



ALTAR SERVER TRAINING ANNOUNCEMENT



To all those who recently sent in applications to volunteer as Altar Servers: a training session will be conducted inside the church on:

Saturday, November 25th at 10:00 AM.

OUR CHRISTMAS APPEAL FOR 2023

All donations, large or small are appreciated. They can be placed in the Society of St. Vincent de Paul Box after Mass or dropped off at the church.

This year we will be collecting new hats, scarves and gloves for the children of the families we are helping. We will provide boxes at the back of the church for you to drop off your donations. **Our deliveries will commence on December 10.** Thank you for your generosity.



For further information refer to the handouts at the back of the church, on the website or contact us through the church office 416 282 0370 ext. 217 or email us at vincentian217@gmail.com.

FORMED

Please visit **FORMED** at <https://formed.org> where you can gain free access to thousands of the best Catholic movies, programs, audio and books instantly. Please call the Parish Office for the Parish Access code and/or more information.



HELP WANTED!!!



**The Spiritans are in need of a Housekeeper/
Cook for Shanahan House.**

If you or someone you know is qualified and interested, kindly call the parish office at (416) 282-0370 for more information.

**ARCHDIOCESAN CONSULTATION UNDERWAY –
Share Your Ideas to assist with future planning!**

Archbishop Francis Leo is inviting the Catholic community to share thoughts and ideas regarding future pastoral planning in the Archdiocese of Toronto. Feedback will help inform a renewed Pastoral Plan to be used in the years ahead.

To learn more about the process, read the letter of invitation from the archbishop and **complete the short survey by December 15, 2023**, please visit: www.archtoronto.org/consultation.

Please take a few minutes to share your insights and ideas. Thank you for your collaboration in this archdiocesan initiative.



LEGION OF MARY: ANNOUNCEMENT

The Legion of Mary would like to invite all Auxiliary members to an Auxiliary function on **Saturday, Nov 25** in Room 2 in the Basement immediately after the 9 AM Mass. Auxiliary members will have the opportunity to meet each other, to pray together and to listen to a short talk by Fr. Arinze. Light refreshments will be served.

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 2nd and 4th Fridays of the month, starting from Oct 13th, 2023.

COME DISCOVER HOW THE WORD CREATES!
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