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Saturday 5:00 p.m. Kevin Kelly 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.

St. Joseph's Parish is wheelchair accessible

Parish Ministries

Eric Pinto Altar Servers Catholic Women's League Mary Kelly Phil & Winnie Martin Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers Finance Council Tom Wetzel Knights of Columbus Bryan Noble Lectors Leo & Jane De Guia Legion of Mary Debra Silveira 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 Tom Deluca 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

Parish Schools

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 600 Morrish Road
 416-393-5419

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 186 Centennial Road
 416-393-5359

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 50 Tideswell Blvd.
 416-393-5467

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 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.

11:00 a.m.

Wedding Co-ordinator

Youth Ministry

7:00 p.m.





SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (YEAR B)

May 5, 2024

MASSES FOR THE WEEK Week of May 04 to May 11, 2024

May 04 Sat 9:00 AM + Naseem (Jimmy) Shiekh

5:00 PM + Amanda Reyes

May 05 Sun 9:00 AM + Fr. Pete Fleming

11:00 AM - People of the Parish 7:00 PM - Intention of Rosario Bueno

May 06 Mon 9:00 AM + Anthony Di Nova

May 07 Tue 9:00 AM - Intention of Alejo & Juanita

Parucha

May 08 Wed 9:00 AM † Sebastian Mbaiya

May 09 Thu 9:00 AM + Mathilda Gracias

May 10 Fri 9:00 AM + Eufemia Teresa Machulec

† Rebeca B. Quiogue

† Rita Aguiar

+ Derek D'Souza

+ Rossella Barone

Mathilda Gracias

Intention of Ricardo & Cornelia Chua

 Intention of Rosily Joseph Palakattu

May 11 Sat 9:00 AM - Intention of Lucia Sandra Fernandes

5:00 PM - Intention of Glynis Remedios

PARISH MINISTRY CONTACTS: (416) 282-0370

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

General meetings: 2nd Mon of the month at 7 PM (the Hall) Mary Kelly EXT 251

FAITH ENRICHMENT

Meetings: every Thurs 9:30 AM—10:45 AM (Room 2) Bonnie Washer EXT 252

KNIGHT OF COLUMBUS

General meetings: 3rd Thurs of the month at 7:30 PM (Room 2) Bryan Noble EXT 253

LEGION OF MARY

Meetings every Tues at 5:30 PM Debra Silveira EXT 254

PRAYER GROUP

Meetings: every other Thurs at 7:30PM—Patricia Furtado or Michael McManus EXT 255

REFUGEE OUTREACH

Meetings: last Sat of the month Carmela Gaudet EXT 218

SENIOR 50+ CLUB (*Refreshments, cards & companionship: every Wed 12 PM —3:30 PM (the Hall). Senior Mass: 1st Wed of the month 11AM)* Joe Van Pinxteren EXT 256

SOCIAL COMMITTEE

(Email: bryannoble1967@gmail.com) Bryan Noble EXT 215

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY EXT 217

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Email: ABernard@archtoronto.org Angie Bernard EXT 212

TECHNOLOGY MINISTRY

Isis Rebello EXT 214

YOUTH MINISTRY

Email: JTanuan@archtoronto.org Jeremy Tanuan EXT 213

Reflection

Today's gospel, which continues last Sunday's about the vine and the branches, lets us glimpse the Church as Christ wants it to be. Although comprised of sinful human beings, the Church is to be the concrete sign in the world of God's love. Our model is the loving communion of Father and Son, our pattern the ready obedience of Jesus. Obeying with him brings tremendous joy. God's command to his Son, to love us even to laying down his life, is Jesus' command to his followers. The crucial test of discipleship is selfless love, which is not a feeling but an attitude of living for one another. By teaching us the secret of his life and actions, Jesus has made us his friends, choosing and commissioning us as a community to manifest God's love to the world. Even as this chosen community, we have no right to put limits on God's activity and make rules for the Holy Spirit: this is the message of Acts. As John's letter says so memorably, God is love. Do we as Church convey this astonishing message, which Jesus acted out on his own life? (Sunday Mass Book)



INTERNATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS



September, 8-15, 2024

Join the Archdiocese of Toronto Delegation!

Traditionally every four years, the Holy Father invites pilgrims from around the world to join in an International Eucharistic Congress. This year's event will take place in Quito, Ecuador from September 8-15, 2024. Limited spaces are available for pilgrims from the Archdiocese of Toronto to join with other Canadian delegates to travel to Ecuador. To learn more about the pilgrimage & for paper registrations: scan the QR code or visit: http://surl.li/svzwu



Registration deadline: June 6, 2024 Early Bird pricing: available until May 6, 2024.



BANNS FOR ORDINATION



Robert Nevins Selvadurai
is to be ordained to the Diaconate for
the Archdiocese of Toronto

SATURDAY, May 25, 2024

at St. Michael's Cathedral.

Please remember him in your prayers.

Canon Law obliges Catholics to reveal any impediment to sacred orders to the bishop or pastor.

SACRAMENTAL PREPS



CONFIRMATION MASSES

Sunday, May 5 at 1:00 PM St. Brendan & St. Jean de Brebeuf

TORONTO MARCH FOR LIFE

SATURDAY, May 11, 2024

Join us in the largest city in the country and stand united with the pro-life movement against the injustice of abortion.

Over 100,000 abortions take place each year and about 40% of those abortions take place in Ontario. We need to take a stand and be a voice for the voiceless pre-born children who lose their lives each year in Canada.

Sign up for updates or workshops at torontomarchforlife.ca



Christians in the Holy Land graciously ask your support through conscience prayers and will have many unique hand carved olive wood religious art pieces made by these families in Bethlehem available for purchase after every mass on the weekend of May 11-12.

Proceeds of the sales generate much needed employment for our Christian brothers and sisters in Bethlehem.

May God Bless you for your generosity, for you help and for your prayers. You can visit & support at www.HolylandChristians.ca

Women's Day Retreat

ATTITUDE WITH GRATITUDE

SATURDAY, May 9, 2024 –8:30 AM – 3:00 PMQueen of Apostles Renewal Centre (1617 Blythe Road)

Cost: \$45.00 includes lunch
For more information, contact:
Jean 905-278-5229 or office@goa.ca

Catholic Education Week — "We Are Called To Love".

During Catholic Education Week (May 5 – 10, 2024), we give thanks for the gift of publicly funded Catholic Education in our province. Catholic schools foster supportive communities where children can experience the joy of God's love and understand the Christian mission in the world. Together, our parishes, educators and families sow and nurture the seeds of faith with the next generation of Catholics, encouraging them to live lives of holiness and Christian witness as one body in Christ. To indicate your support of Catholic education and sign-up for email updates, visit: www.togetherinfaith.ca.



Spiritus East Young Adult Ministry (ages 19 – 35)



LIFE & DIGNITY: A FIRESIDE CHAT

WEDNESDAY, May 8, 2024 • 7:00-9:00 PM

St. Joseph's Parish (200 Morrish Rd.)

The Catholic Church proclaims that human life is sacred and that human dignity/rights should be protected. Every person has a fundamental right to life. Join us to learn about the dignity of human life with a focus on bioethics.

Seminarian Karl Hartman will be moderating the Q & A panel to answer questions you may have on the following topics: euthanasia, disabilities, abortion, IVF, contraception, and NFP.

For more information or to get involved, please contact Samantha Goh, Eastern Region Young Adult Minister at spirituseast@gmail.com or 416.599.7676

PARISH PHOTO DIRECTORY: Parishioners who wish to have their family's photos in the parish photo directory can book their appointments on May 23, May 24 & May 25.

Please book with us soon since there will be no more dates available after these dates.

Use the QR code or the URL below to book your appointment: https://tinyurl.com/Parish-Photo-Album



The Toronto Diocesan Council of the Catholic Women's League of Canada is offering a scholarship of \$3,000 to attend 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, Sciences, Computer Science, or Humanities and Social Sciences. The applications must be submitted by May 31, 2024. For further information, please contact Tania Mascarenhas (647) 542-1274.

YOUTH MINISTRY FUNDRAISER

Consider supporting the Youth Ministry Fundraiser BLITZ.

Your donations will help more youth participate in EDGE

Camp and Leadership Camp.

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