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Music Directors:

Saturday 5:00 p.m. Kevin Kelly 9:00 a.m. Isis Rebello Sunday Sunday 11:00 a.m. Jason Gotera 7:00 p.m. Barbara Sullivan Sunday 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

4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m. (or on request) Saturday

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 Catholic Women's League Mary Kelly

Phil & Winnie Martin Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers

Finance Council Knights of Columbus Lectors

Legion of Mary Liturgy for Children

Missionary Families of Christ Parish Pastoral Council

Prayer Group

Refugee-Outreach Committee

Religious Ed

RCIA

St. Vincent de Paul Society

Screening Committee Seniors 50+

ShareLife Social Committee

Technology Ministry Ushers

5:00 p.m. 9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.

7:00 p.m. Wedding Co-ordinator

Youth Ministry Young Adult Ministry Eric Pinto

Tom Wetzel Michael McManus Leo & Jane De Guia Debra Silveira Lavern Walters

Leo & Jane De Guia John Ramdeen Patricia Furtado Donna Tomie

Carmela Gaudet Emily Pinto & Lucy Borges

Tom Deluca Therese Baduria Joe Van Pinxteren

Pat Sheehan

TBA Isis Rebello Peter Almeida Stuart Mak Bernard Dias John Ramdeen Ingrid Stalteri

Jeremy Tanuan Sashank Bhavsar

Parish Schools

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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 Parish is wheelchair accessible & CCTV monitored.

Baptism of the Lord January 12, 2025



MASS INTENTIONS Week of Jan 11 to Jan 18, 2025

Jan 11 Sat 9:00 AM - Intention of Milagros & Esteban Jovellanos

5:00 PM † Cactano & Virginia Pereira

Jan 12 Sun 9:00 AM † Peter Banks

11:00 AM - People of the Parish

7:00 PM - Intention of Kevin & Colleen Pinto

Jan 13 Mon 9:00 AM † Elaine Di Nova

Jan 14 Tue 9:00 AM - Intention of Veronica Baduria

Jan 15 Wed 9:00 AM † Christina Boylan

Jan 16 Thu 9:00 AM † Dan, Florence & Michael Boyle

Jan 17 Fri 9:00 AM + Guillermina Laurente

† Christina Boylan

† Rosaria Villanti

† Rita Aguiar

† Elizabeth & Rose Ho

† Raoul Yumul

† Anne Rylands

† Pam Canham

† Lee Campbell

Intention of Mario & Maria Simao

Jan 18 Sat 9:00 AM † John Gough

5:00 PM † Vitorino & Natty Rodrigues



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ANNOUNCEMENT

The 9 am choir is excited to invite all who enjoy singing to join us! Whether you're an experienced singer or someone who simply loves expressing yourself through music, we would be delighted to welcome you into our choir family.

If you're interested, please connect with Isis Rebello after the (9 am) Mass, or at 416-528-4185, or reach out to the parish office.

NEW TO THE PARISH? WELCOME!

Please visit our website to register at www.stjosephstoronto.org OR scan the QR code. St. Joseph's Church is wheelchair accessible



SENIORS 50+ CLUB

Companionship: every Wed,

12 PM -3:30 PM (the Hall)

TECHNOLOGY MINISTRY

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

Sashank.Bhavsar@gmail.com

Email: JTanuan@archtoronto.org

YOUTH MINISTRY

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

REFLECTION

The Eastern Church has always considered Jesus' baptism to be his first manifestation (epiphany) to the world. As Jesus leaves the water of the Jordan river, the Father claims him as dearly beloved Son and the Spirit rests upon him. Jesus is called to begin his work of reclaiming the world for God. The opening verses of today's Old Testament reading, a Servant song, foreshadow God's acknowledgement of his Son at the baptism and describe the work of that servant: to effect justice, share vision, and liberate everyone. Jesus' ministry fulfills Isaiah's prophecy as he liberates from social evils and through the cross, from sin itself. He is able to do this because he is filled with the power of the Holy Spirit. God acts through him to restore the world to justice and peace. The psalm evokes that time when God's glory will be fully manifested. Jesus' work will be complete when human liberation is the outward sign of our state as God's children, his chosen ones who delight him. (Sunday Mass Book)

PARISH MINISTRY CONTACTS

| Phone Number: (416) 282-0370 | | |
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| Ministry | Contact | EXT |
| CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE | Mary Kelly | 251 |
| General meetings: 2 nd Mon of the | | |
| month at 7 PM (the Hall) | | |
| FAITH ENRICHMENT | Bonnie Washer | 252 |
| Meetings: every Thursday | | |
| 9:30 AM -10:45 AM (Room 2) | | |
| KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS | Michael McManus | 253 |
| General meetings: 3 rd Thursday | | |
| of the month at 7:30 PM (Room 2) | | |
| LEGION OF MARY | Debra Silveira | 254 |
| Meetings every Tues at 5:30 PM | | |
| PRAYER GROUP | Patricia Furtado/ | 255 |
| Meetings: | Jennifer Fernandes | |
| every other Thurs 7:30 PM | | |
| REFUGEE OUTREACH | Carmela Gaudet | 218 |
| Meetings: every last Saturday | | |
| of the month | | |

Joe Van Pinxteren

Isis Rebello

Sashank Bhavsar

Jeremy Tanuan

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PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY, SPAIN & FRANCE **Celebrating the Jubilee Year 2025**

Celebrating the Jubilee Year 2025 with the visitation of the Holy Doors in Rome (open only every 25 years) As Pilgrims of Hope, please join us for a once-in-a lifetime 15-day pilgrimage on OCTOBER 12-26, 2025, visiting Rome, Lanciano, San Giovani Rotondo, Barcelona, Montserrat, Lourdes, Bordeaux, Nevers, Lisieux, Paris.

Under spiritual guidance of Fr. Francis Folleh, C.S.Sp., Pastor of St. Joseph's Church, Highland Creek, Scarborough, ON



If interested, please complete the registration form and make a deposit of 300 per person to reserve your spot. Remaining balance to be paid on or before August 13, 2025.

Limited seats. Reserve now.

Please contact Therese Baduria at (416) 938-5855, theresepbaduria@gmail.com COST: \$5,990.00, incl. taxes and tips per person

Connaissance Travel and Tours. 3852 Finch Ave East. Suite #306. Toronto ON. Maria: 905-334-0559, maria@cttour.ca Agnes 416-418-3599, agnes@cttour.ca

For the detailed Itinerary, kindly scan this QR code.



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2025 DONATION ENVELOPES

The 2025 donation envelopes are available for pick up in the Narthex.

They are alphabetized within each tray. Please be patient and ensure you are taking your own box. Please help us keep the boxes in proper order. Envelopes not picked up this year will be given to another parishioner.

We thank you for your generosity and for following and respecting this guideline.

SACRAMENT of FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

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

Upcoming Schedule

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 1st Parent Meeting

Sunday, 26 January 2025 @ 1 PM

OR Tuesday, 28 January 2025 @ 7 PM

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

at https://www.stiosephstoronto.org/sacraments/ confirmation/



Upcoming Schedule

CONFIRMATION ONLINE PREP CLASS—2nd online Session Saturday, 25 Jan 2025 @ 9 AM



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, 2025. For further information, please contact Tania Mascarenhas at 647-542-1274.

PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY **April 06 - 19,2026**

Fr. Ronnie Tagnines from Our Lady of the Scapular Parish in Niagara Falls is leading a pilgrimage from April 06 - 19,2026 to include Venice, Padua, Pisa, Florence, Assisi, Cascia, Loreto, Padre Pio & Rome for \$5499 each in double occupancy.

Please contact Fr. Ronnie at cell.# 709 690 4946 or Ray Karborani from Biblical Journeys Canada Travel Agency for more details at cell. # (289) 990-9841 or

email: biblicaliournevscanada@vahoo.com

Serra's Vocation Seeds

Baptism of the Lord – January 12, 2025

As John the Baptist introduced the people of his time to Jesus a voice from heaven said, "You are my Son, the Beloved, with you I am well pleased." Perhaps God is calling you to do the same in our time as a priest, deacon or religious. If He is contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations,

Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

Email vocations@archtoronto.org | www.vocationstoronto.ca

EDGE YOUTH MINISTRY 2024-2025

Registration is still open for youth in grades 6, 7, and 8. EDGE will meet on the 2nd and 4th Fridays of the month, starting October 11th.

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