

Saint Joseph The Worker Parish

Oshawa, Ontario

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December 23rd, 2018

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, December 24

9a.m. †Dragica Carol Cuvalo re. by Chunko family.



Tuesday, December 25

9a.m. All parishioners

11am All Parishioners

Wednesday, December 26

9a.m. Antonio Di Vona req. by wife Lidia
Intentions of Loy Machado req. by Varghese family

† Father Castellino req. by Varghese family

† Jim Milner req. by Mary Lou Elliott

† Abraham Kanjirathingal req. by Kshema

Chaplaincy students at UOIT, Trent and Durham College

Parishioners of St. Joseph the Worker parish

Thursday, December 27

9a.m. †Frank Depalma req. by Frances de Depalma

Friday, December 28

9a.m. Intentions of Intentions of David and Mary Jo Dinan on their anniversary.

† Abraham Kannan Kuzhayath req. by Vanaja

† Chachiyamma Abraham req. by Vanaja

† Abraham Kanjirathingal req. by Kshema

† Edward and Justin Steh req. by John Steh

† Frank Leustek req. by John Steh

† John and Frances Brodnk req. by John Steh

Vocations to the priesthood and religious life

Parishioners of St. Joseph the Worker parish

Saturday, December 29

9a.m. Intentions of Poppy Humphrey

5p.m. Helen and Karl Faruga req. by Vicky Mikalauskas

Sunday, December 30

9a.m. All Parishioners

11a.m. Intentions of Barbara Ross req. by Christina Travato

DAILY MASS READINGS

Parishioners throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto can now find the Canadian daily readings on their archdiocesan and parish websites. Working with our publishing partners at Living with Christ/Novalis, the Archdiocese of Toronto has been able to include this new feature on the www.archtoronto.org website and all parish websites within the archdiocesan website network. There are currently 159 parishes in the network. Securing access to these online readings for the day – including the First Reading, Second Reading (when appropriate), Psalm and Gospel Reading – is significant because the vast majority of daily readings found online are from the United States Lectionary. There are some key differences between the American and Canadian Lectionaries in translations, the arrangements of some readings and feast days, as well as some differences in the instructions for readers. By partnering with Living in Christ, we are ensuring website visitors will find the same readings they would hear in their local parish Mass. The Daily Readings tab can be found under the Our Catholic Faith drop-down menu on the archdiocesan and parish websites within the archtoronto.org network.

Please pray for the deceased, especially James Lonergan and for those who mourn for them.



Please pray for those who are sick and those who love and minister to them...

Angela Jones
Alfred Alevros
Amy Searchwell
Ann Vasko
Anna McCammond
Arlene Mose
Betty Lee
Blanch Trimm
Cheryl Cucci
Deborah Parker
Deborah Schmidt
Diane Beliveau
Diane Deveaux
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Johnny Van Kemp
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Laurette Landry
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Marie Perry
Martin & Barb Tessier
Mary Louise McQuat
Maria Polograbska
Marcie & David
Holmes
Mark Sherrah
Myrna Clarke
Mildred Caine
Molly Turnbull
Monica Schmid

Noah
Paul Graham
Paige Thompson
Rosa Maria Santos
Ruby Wilson
Rudy Gorec
Ronny D'Mello
Shelley Wilson
Shelley Luckasavitch
Steven Lynch
Tina Lordan
Vesna Zakrajsek
Veronica Mitchell
Wanda Ann Delaney



Christmas Masses:

Monday, December 24th

Confessions at 4:30 p.m.

Carols at 5:30 p.m.

Mass at 6:00 p.m.

Carols at 8:00 p.m.

Mass at 8:30 p.m.

Carols at 11:30 p.m.

Mass at Midnight

Tuesday, December 25th

Carols at 8:30 a.m.

Mass at 9:00 a.m.

Carols at 10:30 a.m.

Mass at 11:00 a.m.

Masses for Mary Mother of God:

Monday, December 31st

No Confessions before Mass

Mass at 5:00 p.m.—New Year's Eve Mass

Tuesday, January 1st

Mass at 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

THE OFFICE AND CHAPEL WILL BE CLOSED FROM DEC. 24th THROUGH JAN. 2nd



Fourth Sunday of Advent

PASTOR'S CORNER

"Christus natus est nobis, venite, adoremus!" Christ is born for us: come, let us adore him! On this solemn day we come to you, tender Babe of Bethlehem. By your birth you have hidden your divinity in order to share our frail human nature. In the light of faith, we acknowledge you as true God, made man out of love for us. You alone are the Redeemer of mankind! Before the crib where you lie helpless, let there be an end to the spread of violence in its many forms, the source of untold suffering; let there be an end to the numerous situations of unrest which risk degenerating into open conflict; let there arise a firm will to seek peaceful solutions, respectful of the legitimate aspirations of individuals and peoples. Everywhere peace is needed! You, Prince of true peace, help us to understand that the only way to build peace is to flee in horror from evil, and to pursue goodness with courage and perseverance. Men and women of good will, of every people on the earth, come with trust to the crib of the Savior! "He who bestows the Kingdom of heaven does not take away human kingdoms" (cf. Hymn for Vespers of Epiphany). Hasten to meet him; he comes to teach us the way of truth, peace and love.

- Pope John Paul II



To all Parishioners:

The youth of St. Joseph would like to extend to all, a Joyful Advent & Blessed Christmas

If you are interested in Youth serving the Community, please sign up through www.remind.com/join/stjwyouth
OR TEXT @stjwyouth to 289-210-0849

THEOLOGY ON TAP DURHAM

The Catholic Student Association for UOIT & Durham College is hosting their next event at **Riley's Pub (104 King St. E., Oshawa) on Tues. Jan. 29th at 7:00 pm**. The topic for the evening is "**Jesus: History & Faith Collide**" presented by **Cale Clarke**, Director of The Faith Explained Institute. All are welcome to attend! Please note: free street parking is available after 6:00 pm and additional parking is available in the Green P lot at the corner of Mary Street and King Street (next to Riley's Pub).

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE



UPCOMING EVENTS

- Nomination forms for January elections available in the church foyer. Please place in box or return at December General Meeting.
- Thank you to all parishioners who donated coats and socks for our Coat and Sock drive for the Shelters in the Durham Region..



For more information about the C.W.L., please email diana.stj.cwl@gmail.com

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



We would like to extend warm wishes for a blessed Christmas season to all of the St. Joseph the Worker Parish family.

- Dec. 27 - "Holy Hour of Reflection" - 7pm. - in the church
- Dec. 29 & 30 - "Consecration to the Holy Family" - after all masses



Knight of the Month: SK Michael Nedd
Family of the Month: Collin/Alicia Labow

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