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Oshawa, Ontario

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OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday—Friday 9:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

MASS TIMES

Saturday—5:00p.m.
 Sunday—9:00 a.m. and 11:00a.m.
 Monday—Saturday 9:00a.m.
 First Fridays—Benediction and Mass—7:00p.m.
 Saturday—9:00a.m. Mass—Devotion of Our Lady of Perpetual Help

ADORATION CHAPEL

Monday — 8:00am to 5:00pm
 Tuesday to Friday — 8:00am to 7:00pm

RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. or by appointment

BAPTISM

Please contact the Parish Office.

MARRIAGE - Please call Parish Office (1 year in advance)

PARISH SERVICES

Society of St. Vincent de Paul - 905-432-2300 ext. 206
 (For those in need of food and clothing)
Parish Nurse -Mary Lynch 905-432-2300 x 202
 (for communion to be brought to the sick)

HALL RENTAL - Please call Parish Office.

PRAYER GROUP

Saturday 3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall

SCHOOLS

St. Joseph's School
 1200 Summerwood Heights 905-725-6751
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 120 Glover's Road 905-723-2421
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ALTAR SERVERS	Michael Ethier
CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE	Diana Petre
CHILDREN LITURGY	Darlene Asselin & Kelly Ward
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PARISH NURSE	Mary Lynch
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SERRA CLUB	Carole Zedic-Osier & Garry Beach

February 24, 2019

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, February 25

9a.m. † Vera Murphy req. by Aaron and Nancy

Tuesday, February 26

9a.m. Thomas and Emma Clynch req. by family

Wednesday, February 27

9a.m. Holy Souls in purgatory req. by the Varghese Family

† Tamara Duff req. by the Varghese Family

† Fr. Castellino req. by the Varghese Family

† Gretchen Agnew req. by the Varghese Family

† Isobel Nimick req. by the Varghese Family

† Della Jezegou req. by George & Adeline Thiibeah

† Olivia Dizon req. by Irene Jack & Family
Intentions of Pietowsky family req. by family
Intentions of Angela Luccisano from Nancy Luccisano

Thursday, February 28

9a.m. † Larry Attard req. by Mary and Jim Majury

Friday, March 1

9a.m. † Nancy Fernandes req. by Joan

† Glenn Sherrah req. by Knights of Columbus
Intentions of Marjorie Smith

† Patrick Kistulenic

Intentions of Moira Davidson

† Olivia Dizon req. by Matthew, Nicole Worobec & Family

Saturday, March 2

9a.m. † James . B. Mulhern req. by Paul and Charlotte Mulhern

5p.m. † Tom Mikalauskas req. by Vicky Mikalauskas

Sunday, March 3

9a.m. † James Mulhern req. by Paul and Charlotte Mulhern

11a.m. All Parishioners

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

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



Dynamic Women of Faith Conference

The Dynamic Women of Faith Conference will take place on Saturday March 23rd at John Paul II Polish Cultural Centre at 4300 Cawthra Road in Mississauga. Registration is at 8am, Mass at 9:10 and the conference begins at 10am. Fr. Eric will give a talk on the journey from lawyer to the priesthood.

Please pray for the deceased, especially Della Jezegou, William MacDonald 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

Anne Way

Betty Lee

Blanch Trimm

Cheryl Cucci

Deborah Parker

Deborah Schmidt

Diane Beliveau

Diane Deveaux

Dan Spencer

Elmer Fabro

Elouise Davis

Gino Romagnuolo

Helen Brady

Ivanka Gorec

Jim Irvinge

Jocelyn Dwyer

Janetta Fairservice

Joan Lonergan

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Kelly Rochon

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Lily Meagher

Liza Davidson

Lucy Laroche

Marie Perry

Barb Tessier

Mary Louise McQuat

Maria Polograbska

Marcie & David

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Mark Sherrah

Myrna Clarke

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Molly Turnbull

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Rosa Maria Santos

Ruby Wilson

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Ronny D'Mello

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Steven Lynch

Tina Lordan

Vesna Zakrajsek

Veronica Mitchell

Wanda Ann Delaney

Come & See Weekend – March 15 – 17, 2019



Come and See Weekend – Friday, March 15 (begins at 7:00 p.m.) to Sunday, March 17 (ends at 1:30 p.m.), at St. Augustine's Seminary:

Inviting single Catholic men 17 years and older, to cultivate a deeper prayer life and relationship with Jesus Christ; leading to a better discernment of God's call for their lives. Time for prayer, reflection and information on the process of becoming one of Christ's disciples as a Catholic priest. Register online at www.vocationstoronto.ca. Registrants 17 years old require parental consent. For more information, please contact (the Parish Priest) or the Office of Vocations at: 416 968 0997; email: vocations@archtoronto.org

Coins For Life 2019

Would you, your family and friends put aside your toonies, loonies, quarters, nickels and dimes during the next 4-6 weeks, and contribute these savings to help in the struggle to end abortion and to create a **Culture of Life in Canada**? If so coins for life boxes will be handed out at the back of the church on March 2/3 This project helps us to continue to run the National March for Life in Ottawa **on May 9, 2019.**

Theology on Tap

The next Theology on Tap session will be **Tuesday, February 26th** with Father Favin Alemao as the speaker.

The topic will be:

“Existential Crises: Looking at the philosophical roots of sadness and the spiritual remedy”.

Location is Riley's Pub—104 King St. E. Oshawa from 7:00—9:00pm

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

FAMILY CORNER

Every year, I look forward to Reading Week, the university's winter break, because it gives me a chance to absorb words of wisdom. This year, I am reading *The Cries of Jesus from the Cross: An Anthology*, which was compiled by Al Smith from the writings of Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen. Archbishop Sheen was well-known for his preaching and his work on radio and television. He had a way with words, turning phrases like "Unless there is a Good Friday in your life, there can be no Easter Sunday," but he was also funny saying, "Hearing nuns' confessions is like being stoned to death with popcorn."

What makes this particular book so special is that it can be read in several different ways. The anthology is organized into seven sections of seven chapters each. Each chapter covers one theme from one of his seven books written in the 1930s and 40s. So, the first chapter of each section is from Archbishop Sheen's book "The Seven Last Words" and the second chapter is from *The Cross and the Beatitudes*. Thus, if one reads the first chapter of each section, one finishes reading *The Seven Last Words*. One can also read each section as a whole to get a taste from each of these seven books. However, if one's preference is to read randomly throughout the anthology, that's also doable because each of the 49 individual passages stands alone.

So, my biggest challenge about reading this book is to decide whether I read it page by page, one after the other or do I devise a particular plan? Randomness in reading is anathema to me so I think I can eliminate that possibility! As always, I'll share any good tidbits with you.

Jeremiah

St. Patrick's Pub Night Dinner and Dance

The Catholic Women's League and the Knights of Columbus will be hosting the St. Patrick's Pub Night Dinner and Dance on Saturday, March 16, 2019. Tickets will be on sale in Fr. Giniac Room after all weekend masses until March 10 or at the office during office hours. Cost is \$25.00. This includes dinner, live band (Half Tones), door prizes, and draws. Cash bar available. Please call 905-410-4101 for more information.



KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS

Coming Events:

- Feb 26—Exec Meeting—7:30pm
- Feb 28—Holy Hour of Reflection—7pm
- Mar 5—General Meeting—7:30pm
- March 2nd—Spiritual Reflection Retreat - Retreat in parish hall after 9am Mass—Open to all parishioners \$10.00 per person, includes lunch. Please register in office by Feb 25th.



For information about the **Knights of Columbus** please call Hughie O'Grady at: 905-728-2808

Coffee / Cookies After 9:00 AM Sunday Masses

Please join us after 9:00 AM Mass on Sundays in the Church Hall for Coffee and Cookies.

It's a chance to socialize and meet fellow parishioners.

It will start on February 24th and will run until the end of June. Coffee after Mass will not be held on Pancake Breakfast Sundays.

We hope to see you there!

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Bundle Sunday is coming up! Our truck will be in the church parking lot Before and after all the Masses the weekend of **March 9th and 10th** to accept donations of clean usable clothing, linens and small household items.



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The Formed feature for this month is: Elements of the Catholic Mass: Opening Up the Treasures of Mass



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