

# Saint Joseph The Worker Parish

## Oshawa, Ontario

### PARISH STAFF

Rev. Eric Mah, Pastor  
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### PARISH OFFICE

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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  
 Father Joseph Venini School  
 120 Glover's Road 905-723-2421  
 Msgr. Paul Dwyer High School  
 700 Stevenson Road N. 905-723-5255



### PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

|                           |                                  |
|---------------------------|----------------------------------|
| ALTAR SERVERS             | Michael Ethier                   |
| CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE   | Diana Petre                      |
| CHILDREN LITURGY          | Darlene Asselin & Kelly Ward     |
| CHILDREN OF THE EUCHARIST | Pat Cargill                      |
| PARISH NURSE              | Mary Lynch                       |
| KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS       | John Van Beers                   |
| PRAYER GROUP              | Winston & Rose McIntosh          |
| PRO LIFE GROUP            | Steve O' Reilly                  |
| R.C.I.A.                  | Milly Ryan-Harshman              |
| SENIOR'S GROUP            | John & Julie Eastham             |
| SQUIRES                   | Steve Zealand                    |
| YOUTH GROUP               | Debbie Read                      |
| SERRA CLUB                | Carole Zedic-Osier & Garry Beach |

# September 8, 2019

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Monday, September 9

9am † Alexander Zedic req. by CWL

### Tuesday, September 10

9am † Erik & Monique Collin req. by Louis Collins

### Wednesday, September 11

9am † Sophie & Mitchell Walasek req. by Pietowski Family

† Cathy & John Pietowski req. by Pietowski Family

Intentions of John Neary

Intentions of Kaj Kaer req. by Varghese Family

Intentions of Katharina Mercure req. by Varghese Family

Intentions of Pat & Jim McMaster req. by Alison & Marian  
Tanner

Chaplaincy students at UOIT, Trent & Durham College

Parishioners of St. Joseph the Worker

Vocations to the priesthood and religious life

### Thursday, September 12

9am † Page, Betty & Peter Harshman req. by Harshman Family

### Friday, September 13

9am † Andrew Pietowski req. by Pietowski Family

† Alexander Beaton req. by Rita Flintoff

† Fr. Castellino req. by Varghese Family

† Tamara Duff req. by Varghese Family

† Chris Fothergill req. by Margaret Marcellus & Family

† Doug Martin req. by Jocelyn Martin & Family

† Holy Souls in Purgatory req. by Varghese Family

Conversion of Sinners req. by Varghese Family

Intentions of Mary-Therese Varghese req. by Varghese  
Family

Intentions of Sophie & Walter Pietowski & Family req. by

### Saturday, September 14

9am † Mildred Caine req. by CWL

5pm All Parishioners of St. Joseph the Worker

### Sunday, September 15

9am † Morris Asselin req. by Asselin Family

11am Intentions of Asia & Chris Harshman req. by Marian Brady

Please pray for the deceased especially Sr. Margaret Amyotte and for those who mourn for them.



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

Albert Jones

Alicia Richardson

Angela Jones

Alfred Alevros

Amy Searchwell

Ann Vasko

Anna McCammond

Anne Way

Arlene Mose

Art Deveaux

Betty Lee

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Dave Green

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Ederl Lindsay

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Hans Schnell

Helmut Schnell

Ian Kudryk

Ivanka Gorec

Jannah Farnell

Jim Irving

Jocelyn Dwyer

Joan Brennan

Joan Lonergan

Johnny Van Kemp

Julie Leech

Keith Bell

Kelly Rochon

Laurette Landry

Lionel Vincent

Lorraine McDonnell

Lucy Laroche

Marcie & David Holmes

Maria Polograbska

Marilyn Holmes

Marjorie Smith

Mark Sherrah

Mary Daley

Mary Louise McQuat

Mary Theresa

Rutledge

Molly Turnbull

Myrna Clarke

Noah

Owen Brady

Patrick O'Reilly

Paul Graham

Pauline McCarthy

Paige Thompson

Rosa Maria Santos

Ruby Wilson

Rudy Gorec

Sante Mastroianni

Sasha and baby

Brooklin

Shelley Wilson

Shelley Luckasavitch

Steven Lynch

Thelma Hickey

Tina Lordan

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**Begins September 11, 2019**

**Register at the Parish Office or online via the link:**

<https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/foundations-of-devotion-tickets-59201780118>



## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

### Upcoming Events:

**September 8** After 9am Mass—Pancake Breakfast

**September 20** 7pm—Euchre

**Knight of the Month**— Garry Beach

**Family of the Month**— Manny & Kate O'Quinn

For information about the Knights of Columbus please contact Hughie O'Grady at 905-728-2808.

## CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

### Upcoming Events:

**September 16** 7pm— General Meeting

in the Parish Hall. Please remember to

bring your mug. All ladies of the parish are welcome!

For more information about the CWL, please send an email to: [cwl.sjtowshawa@gmail.com](mailto:cwl.sjtowshawa@gmail.com).



# Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

## PASTOR'S CORNER

ME & MY HOUSE

**Me & My House** is a practical game plan for Catholic parents who are struggling with all the things that parents struggle with. This video series will challenge you to do little things. To make little changes that will make a huge impact on your family. In this Catholic Parenting Program, you will discover the foundations that can strengthen your motherhood and fatherhood. You will learn the habits that can make parenting easier, and the habits that you absolutely want to avoid. In fact, we will get so practical that we'll discuss discipline and how to set boundaries, so that by the end of the program you will have a very clear sense of how you want to build your unique family culture with the children God has given you.

**MODULE 4:** In this module our host Patrick Sullivan helps us to rethink how we raise our children in the Faith by focusing on the child's relationship with God and the person He has called them to be. By the time you finish this module, you will have many practical suggestions for raising faithful and joyful Catholic adults.

[www.formed.org](http://www.formed.org) Parish Code T7VYHM

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## UNPLANNED PRO-LIFE MOVIE: ONE-TIME SCREENING IN PARISH HALL

Join us for the movie that everyone's been talking about on **September 21 at 7:30pm**. Doors will open at 6:45pm. Tickets are only \$8 and all proceeds will go to support Rose of Durham. Tickets may be purchased online at [www.instantmovietickets.com](http://www.instantmovietickets.com) or at the parish office. We encourage all those in support of the pro-life cause to come out to see the movie.



## THAT MAN IS YOU

"The Revelation of the Father"

Begins **September 12** from 6am-7:30am. All men are welcome to attend. Enjoy a light breakfast, video and a small group discussion. Registration is free. Contact the parish office for more information and to register.

## LECTIO DIVINA

Join us for this free event live-streamed in the parish hall with Cardinal Thomas Collins. Session 1: **September 8** Topic: Adam & Eve Schedule: 6:30pm: Social and Refreshments, 7:00pm: Vespers (Evening Prayer), 7:30pm: Lectio Divina



## EDUCATE, REFLECT, ACT!

### PREPARING FOR A FEDERAL ELECTION

A federal election will be held on **October 21**. To help Catholics learn more about important issues, the Archdiocese of Toronto has prepared a series of short one-page doubled-sided resources, inviting us to reflect on the election through the lens of our faith. Throughout the election campaign period, we will provide these bulletin inserts to help educate the faithful. Short video vignettes and other resources are also available online. These non-partisan tools will help us discern the path forward as we elect those who will lead our community and country. For more information, visit: [www.archtoronto.org/election](http://www.archtoronto.org/election).



## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed to assist in providing food for the weekly Saturday Social hosted by our Chaplaincy Team. We would be grateful for any donations of one course (i.e. salad, main course, or dessert) to the team each week. Please contact the parish office if you are able to assist.



## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

The Poor Box Speaks— "I stand in the back of your church ready to greet you, yet many coldly pass me by. You look upon me as just a box of wood, but I have a heart it is the heart of throbbing humanity. I give with simplicity. I feed the hungry, clothe the naked. I bring a smile to the worried face—but—with—out YOU I am helpless." For the months of June, July and August we visited 164 families and gave out \$8060 in vouchers. Our poor box collections were \$5600.



## 2020 PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY

Join us for a pilgrimage to Italy under the spiritual leadership of Fr. Eric Mah, May 3-11, 2020. For more information, please visit International Heritage Tours at: <https://www.ihtours.com/itinerary-6031> or contact our agents at 1-877-999-8868 or Halina at [halina@ihtours.com](mailto:halina@ihtours.com) or Stan at [stan@ihtours.com](mailto:stan@ihtours.com). The cost of the trip is \$2690.

## THEOLOGY ON TAP—NEW VENUE



The Catholic Student Association for UOIT & Durham College invites you to their next Theology On Tap Durham event on Tuesday, **September 24** from 7:00 - 9:00 pm at **Hardy John's (50 Taunton Rd E)**. The topic for the evening is "Keeping Anchored at All Times" presented by Sr. Mary Grace, Sisters of Life. All are welcome to come out to this exciting opportunity to learn and talk about theology in a relaxed and comfortable setting.

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