

Saint Joseph The Worker Parish

Oshawa, Ontario

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OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday—Friday 9:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

MASS TIMES

Saturday – 5:00pm
 Sunday – 9:00am, 11:00am, 1:00pm, 3:00pm
 Monday – Saturday 9:00am
 First Fridays – Benediction and Mass – 7:00pm
 Saturday – 9:00am Mass – Devotion of Our Lady of Perpetual Help

ADORATION CHAPEL

Closed until further notice

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 Outreach Coordinator
 Mary Lynch 905-432-2300 x 202

HALL RENTAL - Please call Parish Office.

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'S LITURGY	Darlene Asselin & Kelly Ward
CHILDREN OF THE EUCHARIST	Pat Cargill
PARISH OUTREACH COORDINATOR	Mary Lynch
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS	John Van Beers
MEN'S GROUP	Norm Lambert
PRO LIFE GROUP	Steve O' Reilly
SENIORS' GROUP	John & Julie Eastham
SQUIRES	Steve Zealand
YOUTH GROUP	Debbie Read
SERRA CLUB	Carole Zedic-Osier & Garry Beach

August 16, 2020

MASS INTENTIONS



Monday, August 17

9am † Harry Lack req. by St. Joseph the Worker CWL

Tuesday, August 18

9am † Emile Michiels

Wednesday, August 19

9am † Catherine Saragosa req. by Bob and Cathy O'Donnell
† Souls in Purgatory req. by Diane Fournier
† Peter Edassery
† Vareed Edassery
Intentions of John Neary
Intentions of Juliet Sebastian req. by Varghese family
Intentions of Nicole Keet req. by Varghese family
Intentions of Simon Owen req. by Varghese family
Intentions of Christy Sony
Parishioners of St. Joseph the Worker
Chaplaincy Students of ONTech, Durham College & Trent

Thursday, August 20

9am † Xavier Sequeira req. by de Souza family

Friday, August 21

9am † Catherine Saragosa req. by Jean O'Donnell
† Frank Lallemand req. by Amber Gormley
† John Wilson req. by Rita, Tony, Jo-Ann Kelly
Conversion of Souls req. by Diane Fournier
Intentions of Teresa Houben
Intentions of Moira Davidson
Intentions of Cheryl Aspden req. by Varghese family
Intentions of Ann McGowan req. by Varghese family
Parishioners of St. Joseph the Worker
Vocations to the priesthood and religious life

Saturday, August 22

9am Intentions of Bency Thomas
5pm † Estelita Basa & Norma Galang req. by Lucero family

Sunday, August 23

9am † Helen & Frank Bradica and deceased family members req. by Novakovic family
11am Parishioners of St. Joseph the Worker
1pm † Michael Geraghty req. by E. Sinnott
3pm † Catherine Matthew

MASS TIMES



Extra Masses have been added:

Monday to Saturday— 9:00am

Saturday Vigil— 5:00pm

Sunday Mass—9:00am, 11:00am, 1:00pm, 3:00pm

Parishioners will be seated on a first come, first served basis.

Please pray for the deceased and for those who mourn for them.



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

Alicia Richardson
Angela Jones
Alfred Alevros
Amy Searchwell
Ann Vasko
Anna McCammond
Anne Way
Betty Lee
Blanch Trimm
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Christina Trovato
Dave Green
David Ross
Deborah Schmidt
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Elouise Davis
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Helmut Schnell
Ian Kudryk

Irma Palladino
Ivanka Gorec
Jean Guy Lavoie
Jennah Farnell
Jocelyn Dwyer
Joan Brennan
Johnny Van Kemp
Julie Leech
Keith Bell
Kelly Rochon
Laurette Landry
Lilly Varghese
Lorraine McDonnell
Lucy Laroche
Marc Dugas
Marcie & David
Holmes
Margaret Wheeler
Marilyn Holmes
Marjorie Smith
Mark Sherrah
Mary Green
Mary Louise McQuat
Mary Theresa Rutledge
Molly Turnbull
Monica Schmidt

Myrna Clarke
Nadia Power
Napoleon Nankil
Nicholas Watson
Nigel Boos
Noah
Patrick O'Reilly
Paul Graham
Pauline McCarthy
Paige Thompson
Ron Schmidt
Rosa Maria Santos
Ruby Wilson
Rudy Gorec
Sante Mastroianni
Shelley Wilson
Steven Lynch
Thess Murphy
Vesna Zakrajsek
Vivian Fajardo
Wanda Bonarek
Wilda Ann Delaney



COVID-19 UPDATE: SAFETY MEASURES AT MASS

In light of the current pandemic, we invite you to please observe the following measures, which have been put in place for your safety and the safety of others:

- Please maintain social distancing of at least six feet, unless you are from the same household
- A mask or face covering is highly recommended while you are in the church.
- Extra seating is available in the chapel, Fr. Gignac room, crying room, parish hall and choir loft.
- The congregation is asked to please not sing during the Mass, except for the assigned cantor.
- People with mobility issues are invited to sit close to an accessible pathway in the church so Communion can be brought to them, if required.
- Additional changes will be noted throughout the Mass and during announcements after Mass.

Thank you for your patience and understanding

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time



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ADORATION CHAPEL IS OPEN

The Adoration Chapel is now open with a capacity of 6 people at a time to ensure social distancing measures are in place. The chapel will be open **Monday to Friday from 8:00am to 5:00pm.**

We need your help to put together a list of regular adorers. If you wish to sign up for a regular spot or to be placed on the waiting list, please email the office at stjwparish@outlook.com or call at 905-432-2300.



2020 PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY

NEW DATES

Join us for a pilgrimage to Italy under the spiritual leadership of Fr. Eric Mah from **May 3-10, 2021.**

Highlights include morning Audience with the Holy Father, a visit to the Vatican Museum including the Sistine Chapel, St. Peter’s Basilica and the tomb of St. John Paul II. A day trip to Assisi, the city of St. Francis and a half day walking tour of Rome.

For more information, please contact the parish office, visit the parish Facebook event page or contact our agents at International Heritage Tours: Halina at 416-444-6666, ext. 315 or halina@ihtours.com or Stan at 416-444-6666, ext. 339 or stan@ihtours.com. The cost of the trip is \$2690.



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- By phone through the Development Office: 416-934-3411
- Through the parish, making cheques payable to: St. Joseph the Worker – Lebanon Relief Effort – Disaster Relief



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