

# Saint Joseph The Worker Parish

## Oshawa, Ontario

### PARISH STAFF

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### OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday—Friday 9:30 am to 5:00 pm

### 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

Open 24 hours. A code is required to enter the chapel after  
7pm on weekdays and on weekends.  
Please contact the Parish office for code.

### RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 4:00pm – 4:30pm or by appointment

### BAPTISM

Please contact the Parish Office.

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

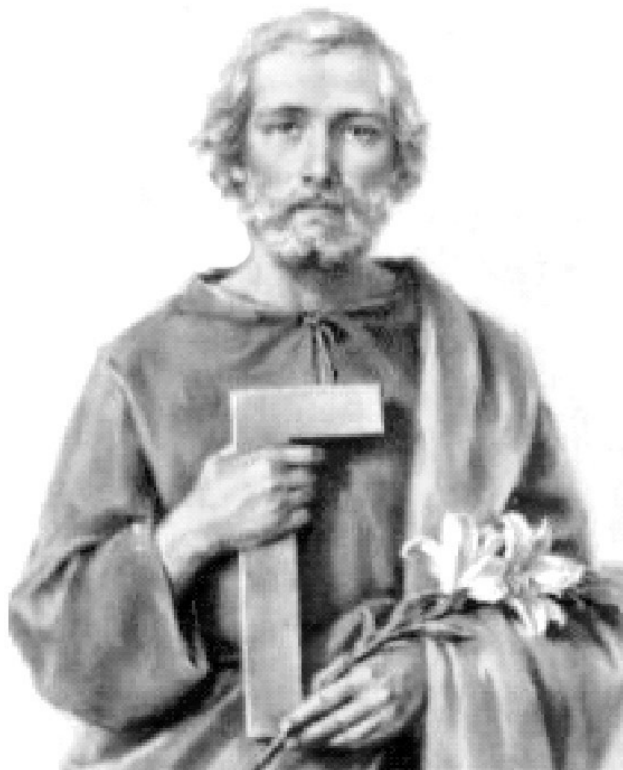
### PARISH SERVICES

**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  
St. Anne Catholic School  
2465 Bridle Road 905-723-2421  
Msgr. Paul Dwyer High School  
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### PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

ALTAR SERVERS	Michael Ethier
CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE	Diana Petre
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# February 28, 2021

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Monday, March 1

† Prayer Group req. by Rose McInlvish

### Tuesday, March 2

Intentions of Lisa & Richard Chang

### Wednesday, March 3

Intentions of Grace Varghese req. by the Varghese Family

Intentions of Rajesh Matthew req. by the Varghese Family

Intentions of Conversion of Sinner

Intentions of Vince, Julia, Vince, and Anthony Barrese

† Holy Souls in Purgatory req. by the Varghese Family

† Fr. Evan Harlan

† George Fleming req. by Jean O'Donnell

† Deceased members of D. Mastroianni Family req. by family

Parishioners of St. Joseph the Worker

Chaplaincy Students of ONTech, Durham College & Trent

### Thursday, March 4

Intention of Michael Hollis req. by his family

### Friday, March 5

9am † Frank Lallemand req. by Amber Gormley

† Joranni & Divina Molinaro req. by Carmela Molinaro

† Jean Vaniet req. by Varghese Family

† Isabella Ziatas req. by Varghese Family

† Katharina and Charles Mecure req. by Varghese Family

† Guiseppe Chiodi req. by Jean O'Donnell

7pm Intentions of the vocations to the priesthood and Religious Life

### Saturday, March 6

9am † Anne Vasko req. by George & Helen Vasko

5pm Intentions of Tom Mikalauska req. by Vicky Mikalauska

### Sunday, March 7

9am † Basil Hirth req. by Pam & Mario Power

11am All Parishioners of St. Joseph the Worker Parish

1pm & 3pm All Parishioners of St. Joseph the Worker Parish



Please pray for the deceased, especially for Mario Pullo, Father Amedeo Nardone and for those who mourn for them.



We are compiling a new list for 2021. Please let the office know if you would like a name to be included.



## CHURCH IS NOW OPEN FOR PRIVATE PRAYER

- All weekday Masses at 9 am are resumed
- Our regular weekend schedule has resumed including **Saturday Mass** at 5 pm; and **Sunday Masses** at 9 am, 11 am, 1 pm and 3 pm.
- **Saturday confessions have resumed** at 4 pm. Confessions will be held in the waiting area just outside the parish office where a confessional screen will be provided to maintain anonymity. Someone will clean this space after each penitent leaves.

## PRIVATE PRAYER

- The main church will be open for private prayer from 8 am to 4 pm on Sundays, Mondays through Fridays from 7:30 am to 5 pm, and Saturdays from 8 am to 10 am, and 3:30 pm

## WEDDINGS, FUNERALS & BAPTISMS

- Weddings, baptisms & funerals are also permitted at 30% capacity. Baptisms are restricted to one family at a time, although the family can invite guests up to 30% capacity of the church following the 5pm mass.

## THEOLOGY ON TAP



The Catholic Student Association for ON-Tech & Durham College invites you to their next Theology On Tap Durham online event on

**Tuesday, March 30th at 7:00pm-9:00pm.** To register online, visit our

Facebook Page or on Eventbrite. If you have any questions or would like assistance with registration, please feel free to contact the Parish Office by email at [stjwparish@outlook.com](mailto:stjwparish@outlook.com) or by phone at 905-432-2300. The

topic for the evening is, "**The Gift of Chastity**" presented by **Fr. Kevin Belgrave** who is currently on the teaching and formation faculty of St. Augustine's Seminary, where he serves as the Director of the Institute of Theology and teaches a number of courses in moral theology, including bioethics, foundations of moral theology, human sexuality, and Catholic social teachings."

The evening will begin with fellowship followed by a thought provoking talk, discussion and a Q&A session.



## CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE



CWL Virtual General Meeting via ZOOM, **Monday, March 8<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00 pm.**

**World Day of Prayer 2021-Vanuatu:** Westminster United Church in Whitby will be hosting the World Day of Prayer on **Friday, March 5, 2021 at 2:00 PM Via Zoom.** The zoom link (tba later).

For more information about the CWL, please contact Diana Petre at [cwl.sjtwoshawa@gmail.com](mailto:cwl.sjtwoshawa@gmail.com).

## THAT MAN IS YOU RETURNS



Join us **Thursday, March 4th at 6am on Zoom.** This weeks topic is "**Physics and faith: Beauty beyond description.**" To register, please contact the Parish Office at : 905-432-2300 or by email at [stjwparish@outlook.com](mailto:stjwparish@outlook.com).

For those who wish to have a copy of the Parish 2020 financial report please contact or email the parish office at: 905 432-2300 [stjwparish@outlook.com](mailto:stjwparish@outlook.com) or

# Second Sunday of Lent



We are pleased to share with you a new Lenten series from our Pastor, Fr. Eric Mah!

For the 40 days of Lent, Fr. Eric will share short reflections each day. These reflections will offer wisdom that we can apply to our lives to enter more deeply into this season and journey together for Lent.

These reflections can be found on **You tube, Facebook, and Instagram.**

## COVID-19 UPDATE: SAFETY MEASURES

### FOR PRIVATE PRAYER IN THE ADORATION CHAPEL

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:

- **A mask or face covering is mandatory while you are in the church building.**
- Please maintain social distancing of at least six feet, unless you are from the same household
- A maximum of 6 people are allowed in the Chapel and 4 people in the Crying Room at any one time
- Please sanitize the area you were in before you leave
- The foyer, Adoration Chapel and Crying Room are under 24 hour video surveillance

### Adoration Chapel

- The Adoration Chapel and crying room will be open on a 24/7 basis with a limit of ten people with social distancing, including six people in the chapel and four people in the crying room. A security code is required to enter the chapel during the weekend and outside of office hours during the week. Please contact the parish office if you require this code.

## PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING (PAG)



Would you like to do automatic monthly donations to our parish? To obtain a form send an email to [stjwparish@outlook.com](mailto:stjwparish@outlook.com) or visit the link below. Contributions are withdrawn from your bank account on the 20th of each month. For more info on pre-authorized giving, please visit: [www.archtoronto.org/covid19/Documents/PAG%20Brochure-fillable.pdf](http://www.archtoronto.org/covid19/Documents/PAG%20Brochure-fillable.pdf)

## Serra Club of Durham

**Due to the Pandemic, this year the 2021 Annual Ordinandi Dinner** will be made available for viewing on the Archdiocese of Toronto

- You Tube channel at <https://www.youtube.com/archtoronto> on **Tuesday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> @ 7:00pm.** Hope you will be able to join the virtually celebration. This is a unique opportunity to meet these 7 fine men and to hear about the unique faith journey that lead them to this most noble commitment.
- If you would like to make a donation to help a seminarian (100% tax deductible) the Office of Vocations and Serra House in the work that they do, or obtain further information on this event, please visit: [www.serracanada.com/2021-ordinandi-dinner](http://www.serracanada.com/2021-ordinandi-dinner).

There is no cost to view this event.



## BUILDING FUND NEXT WEEKEND



The building fund collection takes place next weekend. A number of ongoing parish projects are supported by the monthly contributions.

**Thank you for your generosity!**

## Knights of Columbus Food Drive

For the duration of Lent, the K of C, Council 9989 will be holding our annual "**Food for Families**" drive.

All food and donations will be in support of the St. Vincent de Paul Society.

Being under restrictions, all donations will be accepted at all **weekend masses only** and will be received by someone at the door.

Make out any cheques to the "**Knights of Columbus**"

## KEEP IN TOUCH WITH US VIA EMAIL & TEXT



We would like to invite you to join the parish on Flocknote, if you are not already on the list. It's a free platform through which the parish can send you updates over email, including the most up to date information on each stage of the reopening of the church. It's completely free and you can cancel at any time.





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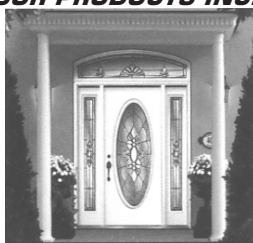
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