

Saint Joseph The Worker Parish

Oshawa, Ontario

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OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday-Thursday 9:30am - 5:00pm
Friday 9:30am - 12:00pm

MASS TIMES

Saturday – 5:00pm
Sunday – 9:00am, 11:00am
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)

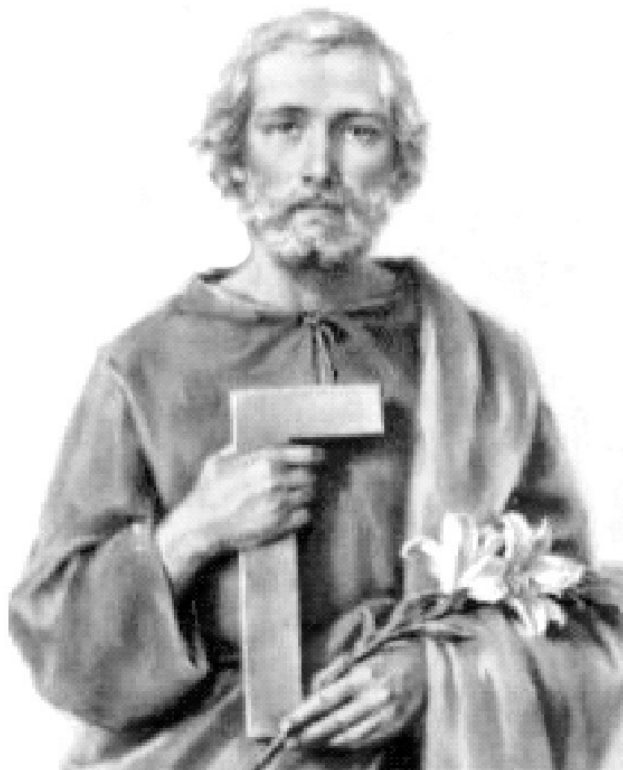
PARISH SERVICES

Society of St. Vincent de Paul - 365-688-6551
(For those in need of food and clothing)

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
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
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS	Shane James
MEN'S GROUP	Norm Lambert
PRO LIFE GROUP	Steve O' Reilly
SENIORS' GROUP	John & Julie Eastham
SQUIRES	Steve Zealand
SERRA CLUB	Fred Tuccia

October 2, 2022

MASS INTENTIONS



Monday, October 3

† James S. Mulhern

Tuesday, October 4

† Mary Belmonte req. by Paul & Charlotte Mulhern

Wednesday, October 5

† Mario & Annie Buccaro req. by Joan & Philip M.

† Holy Souls in Purgatory req. by John & Lynda Ladd

† Jack Coe req. by Pam & Mario Power

† Linda Bracken req. by Gordan & Eveline Brown

For all Parishioners of St. Joseph the Worker Parish
Chaplaincy Students of ONTech, Durham College & Trent

Thursday, October 6

Intention of Marion & Ed Jones— 60th Wedding
Anniversary

Friday, October 7

† Hernani Soares req. by his parents

† Gilda Ramirez req. by Ana Ramirez

† Colleen Jenish req. by her family

† Mary Lynch req. by Mary Hirth

† Jack Coe req. by Iolyanda Provenzano

For all Parishioners of St. Joseph the Worker Parish
Chaplaincy Students of ONTech, Durham College & Trent
7 pm † Adam Benedict Befetel

Saturday, October 8

9 am † Tadeusz & Danuta req. by their brother

5 pm Intentions of Harold, Bernadette & Dominic Cabitac

Sunday, October 9

9 am † Alex & Eleno Celetaria req. by Cosmo family

11 am For all Parishioners of St. Joseph the Worker Parish

USHERS & EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

NEEDED: Ushers and Eucharistic Ministers are needed to assist during our weekend Masses. If you feel the call are able to assist, please contact the parish office.



FIRST FRIDAY MASS -Join us for First Friday Mass on **Friday, October 7 at 7pm** followed by Adoration and Benediction. Come let us adore the Lord.



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

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Boking Der

Carl Ford

Diane Belliveau

Ella Benjamin

Frank McNulty

Karen Lundrigan

Lynda Ladd

Mary Anne Collins

Mike Hickey

Natalie Mackenzie

Nigel Boos

Philip Kwan

Pat Coe

Sebastian Edassery

Richard Elliott

Vicky Mikalauskas

Wanda Bonerak



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Mark your calendar: **"From Our Closet to Yours"**

Saturday October 22nd from 10:00am-2:00pm. A fun day shopping for Ladies!! The CWL will be taking donations of new and/ or gently used women's clothing, shoes, purses, accessories after all masses the weekend of October 1st & 2nd and October 15th & 16th in the Parish Hall.

CWL Virtual Executive Meeting, Monday, October 3rd @ 7:00 pm.

The **CWL 2023 Membership** dues have increased to \$40. Thank you to all members who have renewed their membership. If you have any questions regarding membership, please speak to Diana Petre or Maria Tuccia @ 905-576-2776 / maria_tuccia@yahoo.ca Thank you.

For more information about the CWL, please contact Diana Petre at cwl.sjtwoshawa@gmail.com.



40 DAYS PRAYER VIGIL FOR THE UNBORN

From **September 28th to November 6th** the Pro-life group will be praying outside Lakeridge Health Oshawa (#1 Hospital Court) for an end to abortion and for all the unborn who have died. If you'd like to join us, contact Steve 905-743-9975



HOLYLAND PILGRIMAGE-NOV 20-DEC 1/22

Under the Spiritual guidance of Fr. Victor Amole trace the footsteps of Jesus Christ in the Holy Land. The Pilgrimage of 10 days highlight the Lord's Life on Earth, bringing Scripture to life.

For more information please contact Clair Travel Terry DiCredico at 905 851-1512 or Pilgrimage Co-Ordinator Rose at 416 654-7087.

Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

“How long, O Lord?” (Habakkuk 1:2). That’s a question we have probably all asked God at one time or another. The prophet Habakkuk was waiting for God to rescue Israel from violence and destruction. You might be waiting for a reconciliation with a loved one, for healing from a chronic disease, or for a child to return to his faith. And the longer you wait, the more tempted you might be to get frustrated and lose hope.

But waiting doesn’t have to be a passive, dreaded time. As difficult as it can sometimes be, you can use this time to actively exercise your faith and let it grow.

For example, you can try to shift your focus from waiting for something to happen in the future to opening your eyes to what God is doing in the present moment. How is he loving you, encouraging you, and blessing you or the people you are praying for? The more you recognize the ways God is acting, the more you will realize that he has not abandoned you; he is with you even in your waiting. Another way to exercise your faith as you wait is to fight the temptation to doubt or despair. You might not know what God is doing or when he will do it. But you can place your trust and hope in the promise that he is always at work, even behind the scenes, to do something far greater than you could ever imagine. When God told the prophet Habakkuk that his vision had not reached fulfillment, Habakkuk probably thought he was referring to Israel’s liberation from its enemies (2:3). He never imagined that God’s vision was humanity’s liberation from sin and death!

So even if you’ve been waiting for a long time, don’t lose hope. God’s vision for your life is pressing on to its fulfillment. And just as he told Habakkuk, so he tells you: this vision “will not disappoint; . . . it will surely come” (2:3).

“Lord, even as I wait, I place my trust in you.”

Culled from The Word Among Us

EMAIL SCAMS With the increase in email scams please be aware no priest will email asking for electronic gift cards to be sent to another address so that they may be given to someone in need. Please be cautious when checking your email. Verify email requests for money or gift cards. If you receive a suspected scam email from someone claiming to be one of our priests, please bring it to the attention of the parish office.

SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL- Bundle Up Truck Collection

Our Truck will be in the Church Parking Lot **before & after** all weekend Masses during the weekend of **October 8th & 9th**. We accept your donations of clean usable clothing, linens, shoes. **We do not accept appliances, baby or regular furniture, books, mattresses, dishes, or video tapes.**

Donations can also be dropped to the 'Bins' located in St. Mary of the People Church parking lot on Stevenson Rd all year-round.

Thank you for your continued support.



CHILDREN’S LITURGY

Please have your children join us for the Children’s Liturgy of the Word at the 9 am Mass. Fr. David will call the children up to join the procession out in the hall following the welcome. The children’s liturgy is a developmentally appropriate programme that allows the children to listen and respond to the same gospel as their parents will be hearing in the church.



THAT MAN IS YOU- “All Things New”

Join us on Thursday, October 6, at 6:00 a.m.-7:30 am. The topic will be “The Lamb’s Supper” Speaker: Dr. Scott Hahn. All men are welcome. Registration is free. Please contact the parish office.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE

Next weekend at all masses, the Knights are holding a food drive. All food will be donated to the St. Vincent de Paul pantry.

Please consider helping with this worth-while cause as shelves are very depleted at this time of year.

Food can be dropped off in the Parish Hall entryway.

Pancake Breakfast will take place in the Parish hall after the 9 am Mass on **Sunday, October 9th**. Cost is pay what you can.

Euchre has started up again once a month on Fridays at 7 pm in the parish hall. Please check the dates.

Please consider purchasing Shopping Cards from the Knights before and after each weekend Mass.

Thank you for your generosity!



MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS 2022-CAST YOUR VOTE!

A municipal election will be held on Monday, October 24, 2022. All Catholics are strongly encouraged to exercise their democratic right to vote. To help learn more about the candidates for Catholic School Board Trustee, Cardinal Collins has given permission for these candidates to distribute literature to parishioners departing Mass on weekends from October 1/2 through October 22/23. We hope you’ll take the time to get to know those seeking elected office for this important role. To ensure your vote for Catholic School Board Trustee, at the polling booth, verify that you are registered as a separate school supporter. If your support status is incorrect ask for an Application to Amend Voters' List. This form may be completed and submitted at the polling station. Thank you for your interest and involvement in this fall’s municipal election!

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