

Saint Joseph The Worker Parish

Oshawa, Ontario

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OFFICE HOURS

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

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)

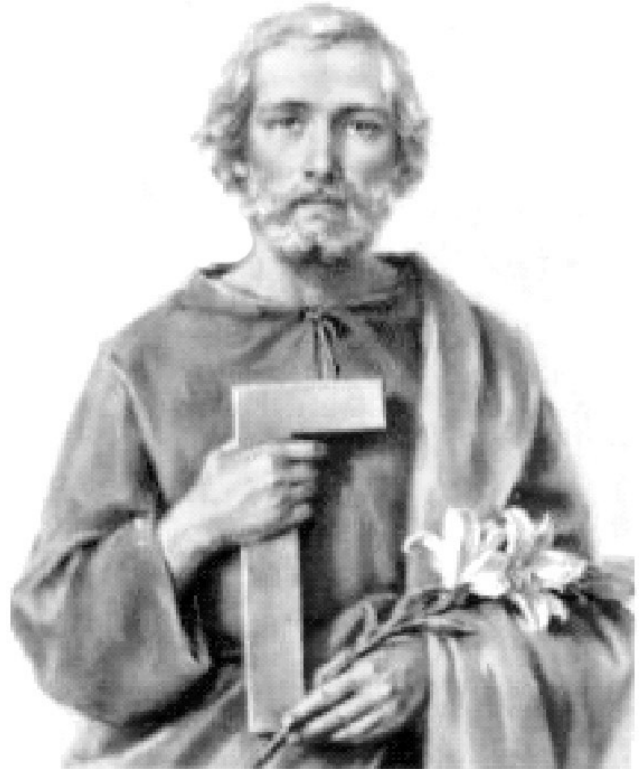
PARISH SERVICES

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	Sharon van Beers & Darlene Asselin
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

November 13, 2022

MASS INTENTIONS



Monday, November 14

† Alojz Metez req. by his wife

Tuesday, November 15

† Ron Boissoin req. by Jean O'Donnell

Wednesday, November 16

† Jack Coe req. by Terry Ewring
† Merely Kwan req. by her family
† Erika Weigel req. by her family
† Julia & Valadimar Wiczorek req. by Pietowski family
Holy Souls in Purgatory req. by John & Lynda Ladd
Intention of Hilde Schmind req. by Colleen Coe
Intention of Ami Baker req. by Smaglinski family
Conversion of Sinners req. by Varghese family
For all Parishioners of St. Joseph the Worker Parish
Chaplaincy Students of ONTech, Durham College & Trent

Thursday, November 17

† Frank & Helen Bradica & deceased children of the Novakovic family

Friday, November 18

† Wanda Czekaj req. by Sophie Pietowski & family
† Mrs. Maria P Figueiredo req. by Mascarenhas family
† Deceased members of the Pietowski family
† Deceased members of the Polec family req. by Pietowski family
† Marianna & Figueiredo Zoigniev req. by Pietowski family
For all deceased members of the Legion of Mary
For all Parishioners of St. Joseph the Worker Parish
Chaplaincy Students of ONTech, Durham College & Trent

Saturday, November 19

9 am † Sebastian Edassery
5 pm For all Parishioners of St. Joseph the Worker Parish

Sunday, November 20

9 am † Adam Benedict Befetel
11 am † Joan & Bill Vekasi req. by Anne & Teresa

COME & SEE - WEEKEND RETREAT

November 18 to 20 at St. Augustine's Seminary
The Office of Vocations will be hosting a Come & See Weekend Retreat for men 18 years and older at St. Augustine's Seminary on Friday, November 18 (6:30 p.m.) until Sunday, November 20 (2 p.m.). This retreat offers a way for men to discern a possible call to priesthood at our seminary.

Registration must be done online at www.vocationstoronto.ca/comesee. For more information, please email: vocations@archtoronto.org.



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.....

Br. Clarence Blaskavite	Mary Anne Collins
Bernard Beneteau	Mike Hickey
Boking Der	Mo Pardel
Carl Ford	Natalie Mackenzie
Diane Belliveau	Nigel Boos
Frank McNulty	Philip Kwan
Hilda Dyas	Richard Elliott
Karen Lundrigan	Vicky Mikalauskas
Leonardo Dela Cruz	Wanda Bonerak
Lynda Ladd	



ST. JOSEPH'S CHOIR

St. Joseph the Worker is starting a Choir for our 11 am Sunday Mass. All previous and new members are welcome.

Our choir practices will take place in the church on **Thursdays at 7 pm**. The choir will start on Sunday, November 20th at 11:00 am.

Please contact the parish office form more information.



CATHOLIC MOMS GROUP

Join us for our next meeting on **Thursday, November 24 at 7:30 pm** in the Fr. Gignac room.

For more information please contact the parish office at 905 432-2300.

Also check out www.catholicmomsgroup.com



THAT MAN IS YOU- "All Things New"

Join us on Thursday, November 17 at 6:00 a.m.-7:30 am. The topic will be "Why God?" Speaker: John Bergsma. All men are welcome. Registration is free. Please contact the parish office.



CONFIRMATION ENROLLMENT MASS

Saturday, November 19 5:00 pm (public, virtual or other Catholic schools)

Sunday, November 20 9:00 am (St. Anne)

Sunday, November 20 11:00 am (St. Joseph)



KEEP IN TOUCH WITH US FOR PARISH EVENT UPDATES VIA EMAIL AND TEXT WITH FLOCKNOTE

Thirty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Apocalyptic readings in Scripture can be frightening, but passages like today's Gospel can also fill us with hope. Today, we read about Jesus teaching in the Temple, surrounded by all its grandeur. For the Jewish people, the Temple was a sacred place. It stood as a reminder that God had chosen Israel as his own. So when Jesus warned, "There will not be left a stone upon another stone," his message troubled his listeners (Luke 21:6).

But Jesus wasn't just predicting the destruction of Jerusalem (which actually took place in AD 70). He was also unveiling a spiritual reality. Like the prophet Jeremiah centuries before him, Jesus was warning the people not to place all their confidence on the Temple alone (see Jeremiah 7:1-7). Rather than placing their hope in bricks and mortar, they needed to look to the God who inhabits the Temple.

It wasn't just the Temple, either. Jesus also foretold earthquakes, famines, wars, and persecutions. Nations would fall; good health, peace, and stability would collapse. Everything the people relied on—everything we rely on—would one day pass away. Only God lasts forever.

So where's the hope? By exposing the lie that says security comes from money, status, or well-being, Jesus is pointing us to what does last: heaven. Because he loves us, he is warning us not to rely on fleeting things that will only disappoint us. As much as we enjoy the consolations and blessings of life on earth, they can't possibly compare to heaven!

That's the hope: Jesus is showing us the greatness of our God and the glory of the life to come. He's opening our eyes to the only One who lasts: our faithful God. With him, we find everlasting life. That's why, as we persevere and cling to him, we will "secure [our] lives" (Luke 21:19).

"Lord, my hope is in you!"

Culled from The Word Among Us

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SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL Christmas Appeal

'World Day Of The Poor'.. Sunday November 13th.. is Pope Francis' initiative to encourage us to care for our less fortunate sisters and brothers. Please help us to assist our Neighbours in Need this Christmas with extra food vouchers.

'Christmas Envelopes' will be in the pews for your kind donations.

Tax Receipts will be issued for amounts over \$10.

Gift Cards are not requested this year.

Your generosity makes a difference to those who are struggling at this time.

On their behalf we thank you sincerely and may God Bless you.



FORMED

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Scrabble– Thursday, November 17th 6:30 in the Fr. Gignac room.

Euchre- Friday November 18th 7:00 pm in the parish hall.

Annual Children's Christmas party will be held on Sunday December 4th from 1-4pm. All Knights with children or grandchildren 12 years of age and under are eligible to attend. Santa will be there as well as Zoo2you and a magician too! If you have a child or grandchild over the age of 12, they can help out if they like. To register, please contact Dennis Pecarskie – 905-579-5486.

Deadline for registration is **Wednesday November 23, 2022.**



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

A Huge **Thank You** to everyone who donated and helped with our Annual Christmas Bazaar. We are truly blessed with overwhelming support from all who attended and a very special thank you for the extraordinary efforts of all the CWL Members and the Knights who helped to make this Christmas Bazaar a very successful event!!

CWL In-person General Meeting Monday, November 14 @ 7:00pm in parish hall. An e-mail will be sent out to all members whose e-mail is on file. If you do not receive an e-mail, please contact Maria Tuccia @ 905-576-2776 / maria_tuccia@yahoo.ca

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



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