

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)

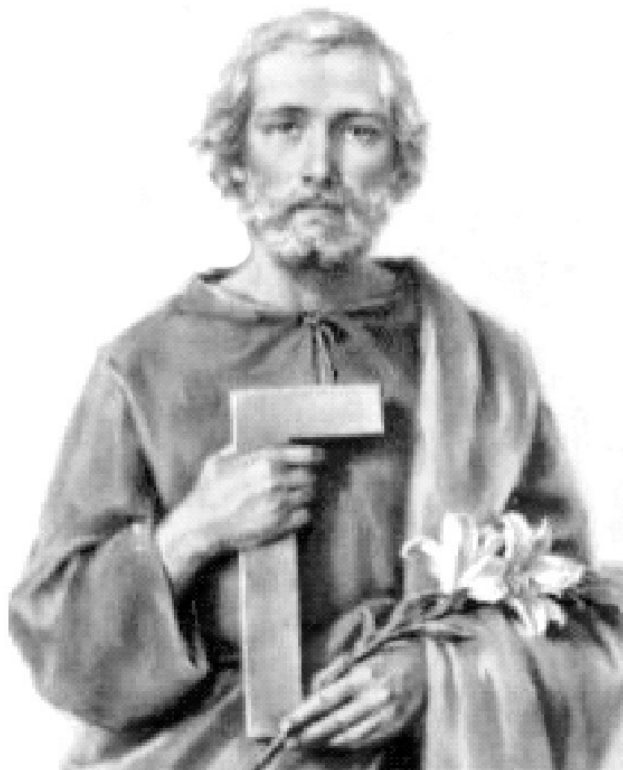
PARISH SERVICES

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
LEGION OF MARY	Bea Ghiringhello
MEN'S GROUP	Norm Lambert
PRO LIFE GROUP	Steve O' Reilly
SENIORS' GROUP	John & Julie Eastham
SQUIRES	Steve Zealand
SERRA CLUB	Fred Tuccia

May 14, 2023

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, May 15

† Manuel, Eugenia & Armino Desousa req. by their children



Tuesday, May 16

† Cameron Creighton req. by Mirian

Wednesday, May 17

Intention of Anna & Adrian Keet req. by Varghese family

Intention of Isabella Ziatis req. by Varghese family

Intention of Fr. Eric Mason req. by Varghese family

Intention of Reynaldo de Asis req. by Marita & Napoleon

† Sybil Kaer req. by Varghese family

† Richard Dode req. by Varghese family

† Domenic Molinaro req. by his mother

† Wendell Anthony Phillip req. by Jasmin Garraway

Holy Souls in Purgatory req. by John & Lynda Ladd

Thursday, May 18

Thanksgiving for blessings received req. by Pablo & Geginia Batac

Friday, May 19

Intention of Jacqui & Brian Latimer req. by Varghese family

Intention of Adrian Keet req. by Varghese family

Intention of Anna Keet req. by Varghese family

Intention of Nicole Keet req. by Varghese family

Intention of Matthew Hilton req. by John & Lynd Ladd

† Barbara Wong req. by the Wong family

† Nicolo & Nadina Scovino req. by Carmela Molinaro

Conversions of Sinners req. by Varghese family

All religions req. by Varghese family

Holy Souls in Purgatory req. by Varghese family

Saturday, May 20

9am † Bert Meraw req. by St. Joseph's Catholic Women's League

5pm † Dionisio Cuadra

Sunday, May 21

9 am † George Thibideau req. by his family

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

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Please have your children join us for the Children's Liturgy of the Word at the 9 am Mass. 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.

PARISH GIFT SHOP

We carry religious items. All funds raised will go towards our church to support our growing parish. The gift shop is located in the parish office entrance.

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 Blaskavits
Bernard Beneteau
Boking Der
Carl Ford
Clare O'Neill
Diane Belliveau
Elaine Cote
Frank McNulty
Joan Loneran
James McCarthy
Karen Lundrigan
Karen Lougheed
Lesley Ann Gilbert

Lynda Ladd
Matthew Sabljic
Mary Therese R.
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Mike Hickey
Mo Pardel
Natalie Mackenzie
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Wanda Bonerak



ANOTHER WAY TO DONATE TO OUR PARISH

Pre-Authorized Giving Plan—Pre-Authorized Giving is a very simple procedure. When you participate in Pre-Authorized Giving, your offering will be withdrawn from your account on or about the 20th of the month. This amount will then be deposited to the Parish's account.

This amount will be receipted at the end of the year for tax purposes. Thank you for your support.

SHARELIFE

Share your love on Mother's Day

On Mother's Day, all moms deserve to be celebrated and supported. Did you know that our parish's ShareLife campaign is helping young women with an unexpected pregnancy? One such mother is Nikki, who was able to continue her education and receive practice assistance through a ShareLife-funded agency called Rose of Sharon.

"If it wasn't for you and for ShareLife, I don't know where we would be today," says Nikki. "We will always and forever be grateful for your support!"

Thus far we have raised **\$28,234.00** toward our goal of **\$74,400.00** Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.



 ShareLife

Sixth Sunday of Easter

They laid hands on them and they received the Holy Spirit. (Acts 8:17)

Philip was having great success in Samaria. As the result of his preaching and ministry, many Samaritans came to believe in the Lord. Not only that, but unclean spirits were being routed and people were being healed of all kinds of afflictions. Crowds of people were being baptized into Jesus' death and resurrection and were experiencing the joy of their redemption.

So why did the apostles in Jerusalem even bother to send Peter and John to Samaria? What more could the people possibly need?

The Holy Spirit, that's what! Just as he had made all the difference for the apostles on the day of Pentecost, so did he make all the difference for the people of Samaria—and for us.

What is that difference? Here are some examples.

It is clearly amazing to witness a miraculous healing as the Samaritans did—or even to receive one yourself as some of the Samaritans did. But when the Spirit comes to dwell in you, he can bring healing to your wounded memories and free you from lifelong patterns of sin and guilt and shame.

It's a good thing to be able to memorize prayers or passages from Scripture. But it's even more wonderful to have the Spirit alive in you, breathing new life and joy into your heart through these prayers and passages and giving you new insights into his love.

It's one thing to muster what strength you have to fight sin, but it's another thing altogether to experience the indwelling Spirit giving you his own grace to say no to temptation and keeping your faith alive in times of difficulty.

The truth is, we need the Holy Spirit to renew our minds, to fill our hearts, and to keep us connected to Jesus.

Pentecost is just two weeks away. What do you need the Holy Spirit to do in you?

"Come, Holy Spirit, and fill the hearts of your faithful. Come, fill my heart!"

Culled from The Word Among Us

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

YARD SALE - May 20, 2023.

Do you have extra stuff that you would like to donate to the KOC annual Yard Sale?

To arrange a pick-up, please call John at 289-240-3968.



SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

Your generosity has given enormous relief to our Neighbours in Need providing them with food vouchers and clothing.

During the month of **April**, we helped **'48 Families, 71 Adults and 32 Children'**: totaling **\$4,675.00 in food vouchers**.

As Vincentian Volunteers we strive to see the 'Face of Christ' in those we serve with Love, Respect, Justice & Joy and never forget the blessings we receive from visiting them.

We invite you to join us at our meeting on **Monday, May 15th at 10.00 a.m.** in St. Joseph's Hall.

For more information please call us at: **365 688 6551** or visit our website: www.ssvptoronto.ca

Donations 'on-line' can be directed to us via this website. "It is Jesus who uses us to be His Hands, His Heart and His Voice to serve and love His people."

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

CWL Virtual Executive Meeting **Monday, June 5th, @ 7:00 pm.**

CWL In-person General Meeting **Monday, June 12th, @ 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 / mariargtuccia@gmail.com

Mark your Calendar: **Friday, June 23rd** – CWL Installation of the CWL Executive. Mass at 7:00pm followed by the Installation of Executive Officers. Everyone is welcome.



A PRAYER FOR ALL MOTHERS

O God the Father, Creator of all Life, Lifespring of all Mothers and Fathers, you who chose Mary to be the Mother of your Divine Son, bless now with your love and protection all Mothers, that they may treasure the lives and spiritual well being of their children.

O God the Son, Jesus our Lord and Redeemer, you who gave us your Mother as our own Mother, bless my own Mother, she who gave me the great gift of life that I may continue to be a loving and grateful child.

O God the Holy Spirit, poured out on Mary and on all followers of Jesus, bless all who have had a mother's influence on my own life, bless all those close to me who are mothers, and especially bless all those who carry life within as expectant mothers.

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!

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