

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
 Tuesday – 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)

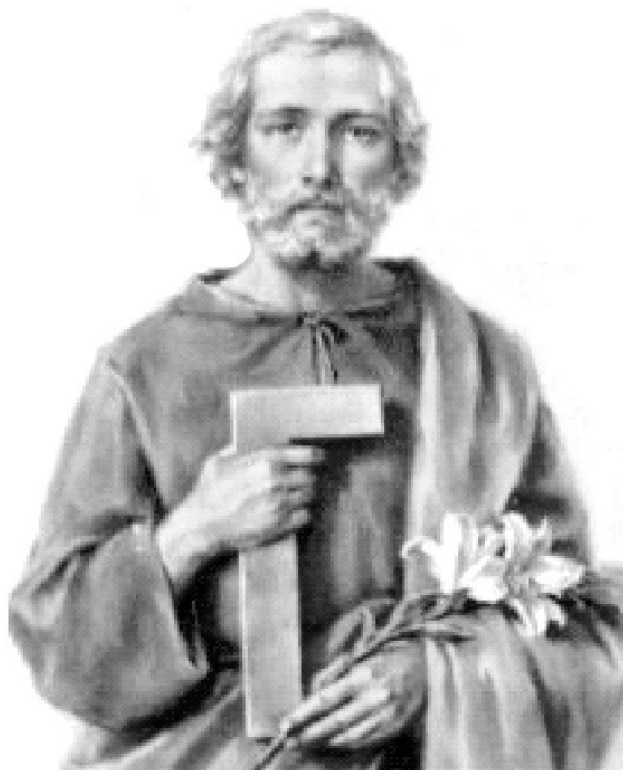
PARISH SERVICES

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
 St. John Bosco Catholic School
 1600 Clearbrook Drive 905-743-6223
 Msgr. Paul Dwyer High School
 700 Stevenson Road N. 905-723-5255



PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

ALTAR SERVERS	Michael Ethier
CATHOLIC MOM'S GROUP	Kim Carson, Mary Lou Barrese & Ana Rameriz
CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE	Mary Brown
CHILDREN'S LITURGY	Sharon van Beers & Darlene Asselin
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

February 25, 2024



MASS INTENTIONS



Tuesday, February 27

† Rita Mastroianni req. by Don Mastroianni & family

Wednesday, February 28

Intention of Fr. David Twaddle

Intention of Fr. Eric Mason req. by the Varghese family

Intention of Helen Smith

Intention of Melvin Rice req. by Mary Brown

Thanksgiving for Charmaine Beton (birthday) req. by her mother

† Cammie Gillis req. by Miriam MacKinnon

† Paul O'Connor req. by Ron & Ann Botell

† Doreen Hickey req. by Ron & Ann Botell

† Maurice & Marjorie Kwan req. by Jaimie Kwan & family

Holy Souls in Purgatory req. by the Varghese family

Thursday, February 29

† Alfredo Zablan Sr. req. by his family

Friday, March 1

Intention of Nikki, Elsa, & Donald Edge

Intention of Roberto Mateo req. by the Varghese family

Intention of Dionne Nelson req. by the Varghese family

Intention of Colleen Coe

† Michele Barr req. by Nikki

† Zenaida Victorino req. by her family

† Alan DesRoches req. by Marian Brady

† Cec Williams req. by Ed & Marion Jones

† Spencer Cameron req. by Gerry & Barbara McLeish

7 p.m. † Adam Benedict Betefel req. by his family

Saturday, March 2

9 am † James B. Mulhern req. by Paul & Charlotte Mulhern

5 pm Intentions of Julia & Vince Barrese

Sunday, March 3

9 a.m. For all Parishioners of St. Joseph the Worker Parish

11 a.m. † Francisco Rosales req. by his daughter & family

FIRST FRIDAY MASS & ADORATION

Join us on **Friday, March 1st at 7:00 pm** for First Friday Mass followed by Adoration, Benediction and Confession.



THE BUILDING FUND

The building fund collection will take place next weekend. A number of ongoing parish projects are supported by your monthly contributions. **Thank you in advance for your continuous support.**

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.....



Barry Sharp

Br. Clarence Blaskavite

Bernard Beneteau

Boking Der

Carlo Giro

Clare O'Neill

Colomba Giuga

David Hodskins

Elaine Cote

Gloria Smith

Jasmine Morgan

Joan Beaton

Joan Lonergran

James McCarthy

Jim Ellis

Joyce Noel

Kerry Noel

Latoya Morgan

Lynda Ladd

Matthew Sabljic

Mary Therese R.

Mary Anne Collins

Melvin Rice

Mike Hickey

Mo Pardel

Nicolette

Richard Elliott

Rosita Cruz

Sister Grace Yap

Suzanne Cyr

Vicky Mikalauskas

Wanda Bonerak

Wendy Buddy

TOTUS TUUS SUMMER CAMP 2024

The Totus Tuus summer camp will be taking place here at St. Joseph the Worker Parish from July 28th – August 2nd for students in grades 1-12. An announcement will be coming soon as to when registration will begin and how you can help volunteer. Please see the following link for more information about the camp:

<https://www.totustuutoronto.ca/>

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Join us every Friday during Lent for Stations of the Cross at **7:00 p.m.** **Please note on Friday March 1st Stations of the Cross will begin at 6:30 pm instead of 7:00 pm.**



ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE & KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS #9989 ARE JOINTLY SPONSORING ST. PATRICK'S DINNER AND DANCE

March 16, 2024 in the parish hall.

Tickets: \$35 each

Doors open at 6:15 p.m. until 11:00 p.m.

Live music, Irish stew, dessert, coffee & tea


CASH BAR, DRAWS & PRIZES

Tickets sold after each weekend Mass starting Feb. 16 or contact Diane Woods-416 671-7748 to Reserve.



Second Sunday of Lent

Support our vulnerable youth through ShareLife

In this time of Lent, we ask you to think of our brothers and sisters in need – especially our vulnerable youth who call the streets their home. 

“Your gift ensures youth experiencing or at risk of homelessness have access to individualized support and variety of programs and services to meet their complex and diverse needs,” says Mark Aston of Covenant House Toronto. “With your caring support, youth have a safe space to turn to and a supportive team to help them plan their own path.”

Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.



MOP MISSION TRIP – KINGSTON, JAMAICA

April 1 – 8, 2024

Are you looking for a life-changing experience by helping the less fortunate? I have arranged 12 open spots for missionaries to volunteer at the Missionaries of the Poor mission in Kingston, Jamaica. The mission was started in 1981 by The Very Reverend Fr. Ho Lung. This mission in Kingston, Jamaica consists of seven mission homes for destitute persons, including abandoned sick, disabled, or dying men, women, infants, and children. When you return home from this mission trip you will truly understand how God has blessed your life. The cost of attending this life-changing trip is your return airfare to Kingston (via WestJet) and also a \$200.00 donation to the mission to help cover the costs of your meals. Please visit www.missionariesofthepoor.org for more information. If you would like more information about this mission trip please call: Joe Bodnar 905-242-3511.

CATHOLIC MOMS GROUP

Did you know we have a Catholic Moms group who meet once a month. Join us in the Fr. Gignac room on Thursday, March 7th at 7:00 p.m. For more information email us at: sjw@catholicmomsgroup.com



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COME & SEE DISCERNMENT DAY RETREAT

Friday, March 15-17, 2024

St. Augustine's Seminary. For men ages 18+

Holy Mass, Confession & Eucharistic Adoration, Communal Prayer, Discernment Stories, Fellowship & special Address & Q & A with Archbishop Francis Leo
Visit the link below to register:

www.vocationstoronto.ca/comesee

OSHAWA CATHOLIC CHAPLAINCY

Campus Mass returns every Wednesday 12:00 p.m.-12:30 p.m., followed by coffee & boardgames 12:30 p.m.-2:00 p.m. Confessions at 11:40 a.m.
Durham College Student Centre RM 217 (second floor)

For more information please contact our Campus Ministers James Sullivan or Stephanie Paglia at oshawacatholic@archtoronto.org
[instagram@oshawacatholic](https://www.instagram.com/oshawacatholic)

THAT MAN IS YOU-Year 7 “ Thy Kingdom Come”

Join us on Thursday, February 29th at 6:00 a.m.-7:30 a.m.
The topic will be “A Tale of Two Cities”



CATHOLIC WOMEN’S LEAGUE

Regional Mary Matthews Public Speaking Contest
Sunday March 3rd at St. Joseph the Worker Parish Hall from 12:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. We are in need volunteers to help with coffee, tea, cookies, etc. For more information, please contact Mary Brown at 905-728-3480 / marycara@gmail.com

A friendly reminder the CWL 2024 Membership is now due (\$40). If you have any questions regarding membership, please speak to Mary at 905 728-3480 / cwl.sjtwoshawa@gmail.com



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