# 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 hours. 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.

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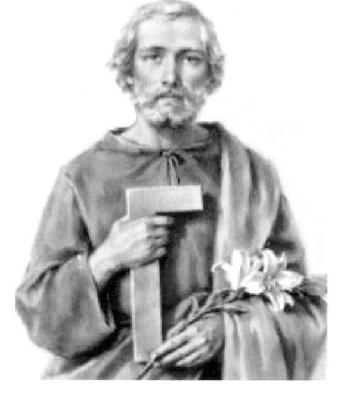
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#### PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

**ALTAR SERVERS** Michael Ethier

CATHOLIC MOM'S GROUP Samantha Sullivan

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE Mary Brown

CHILDREN'S LITURGY Sharon van Beers &

Darlene Asselin

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Shane James

**LEGION OF MARY** Christina & Stephen O'Reilly

MEN'S GROUP Norm Lambert

PRO LIFE GROUP Steve O' Reilly

SENIORS' GROUP John & Julie Eastham

**SQUIRES** Steve Zealand

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## **December 8, 2024**

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**



#### Tuesday, December 10

† Rit Mastroianni req. By Don Mastroianni & family

#### Wednesday, December 11

Intentions of Cindy, Terry, Tristan & Reba Moore Intention of Mary Therese Varghese req. by her family Intention of Matthew Dufresne req. by the Varghese family Intention of Theresa Owen req. by the Varghese family Thanksgiving for blessing received req. by the Anjana family

† Ron Botell req. by the Senior group

† William Malnick req, by Francis & Brenda Tomiczek

† Frank & Frances DePalma

For all unborn children req. by John & Lynda Ladd Holy Souls in Purgatory req. by the Varghese family

#### Thursday, December 12

Intention of Anne P.

#### Friday, December 13

Intention of Rick Christopher req. by the Varghese family

† Ron Botell req. by the Brideau family

† Joseph Stanislaus Gillard req. by Margaret Gillard

† Alice & Robert Watson req. by Chris & Marian & family

† Tony Iannit req. by the Varghese family

† Lucy Jean Pietrzyk Patrick

† Marianna & Andrew Pietowski reg. by their family

† Cathy & John Pietowski req. by their family

Holy Souls in Purgatory req. by

#### Saturday, December 14

**9 a.m.** † Patrick Montgomery req. by Gordon & Eveline Brown & family

**5 p.m.** † Michael & Jane Gormley reg. by Mary Sinclair

#### Sunday, December 15

**9 a.m.** For all Parishioners of St. Joseph the Worker Parish **11 a.m.** † Adam Benedict Befetel req. by his family

#### ADVENT DAY OF CONFESSIONS

Our parish Advent Day of Confessions will take place on **Thursday, December 19<sup>th</sup>** from 9:45 a.m.—12:00 p.m. and 7:00 pm—9:00 pm

Please take advantage of this day as we will have several priests available and this will be your last major opportunity before Christmas at our parish.



Please pray for the deceased for those who mourn for them.

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

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Br. Clarence Blaskavitc
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Boking Der
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Elaine Cote
Faye Gosling
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Gloria Smith

Jasmine Morgan Jim Franko

Helen Smith

Joan Lonergan James McCarthy

Jim Ellis Kerry Noel Latoya Morgan Liz Tkalec Louise Lee Lynda Ladd Mena Lucdamo Matthew Sabljic

Mary Therese R.
Mary Anne Collins
Melvin Rice
Mike Hickey

Mike Hickey Mo Fidel Nancy Woods Nicolette

Paige Thompson
Patrick Provenzano
Richard Elliott
Rita Flintoff
Rosita Cruz
Ryan Fawns
Shane James
Sheila Bell

Sr. Grace Yap OSF Tony & Pauline

Wong

Vicky Mikalauskas

Vin Lee Vince Giuga Wanda Bonerak Wendy Buddy

# CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR'S MASS SCHEDULE

#### **Christmas Eve**

Sun. Dec. 24 @ 5:00 p.m.

8:30 p.m.

Midnight (12:00 a.m.)

#### **Christmas Day**

Mon. Dec. 25 @ 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. No morning Mass on Tues. Dec 26<sup>th</sup>

#### **Feast of the Holy Family**

Sun. Dec 31@ 5:00 p.m.

No morning Mass on Tues. Dec 31st

#### **Solemnity of Mary the Mother of God**

Mon. Jan 1@ 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

The office will be closed from Tuesday,
December 24<sup>th</sup> at 12 noon and will reopen
Thursday, January 2<sup>nd</sup> at 9:30 a.m.

## **Second Sunday of Advent**

#### ADDITIONAL PARKING

Our parish has permission with the City of Oshawa to use the parking lot at North Oshawa Park on **Sunday mornings.** This is located north of the parish and on the east side of Mary Street. It is a two minute walk to the parish.

**Do not park blocking a fire route.** Please only park in designate parking spots. Thank you for your co-operation.

## CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE IN THE ARCHDIOCESE OF TORONTO

MASS WITH BISHOP IVAN CAMILLERI Sunday, February 9, 2025–2:30 p.m. Mass St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica 65 Bond Street, Toronto ALL ARE WELCOME!

Special recognition for married couples celebrating 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, or 60+ anniversaries in 2025. Everyone is required to register as seating is limited. Designated seating is available for milestone anniversary couples only.

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#### **CELEBRATION OF ARCHBISHOP LEO**

The faithful of the Archdiocese of Toronto offer our prayers and best wishes for the newest members of the College of Cardinals, including our chief shepherd, the Archbishop of Toronto, Frank Cardinal Leo. This weekend, Cardinal Leo is in Rome as one of the 21 new cardinals from around the world gathered with Pope Francis. Please pray for our new cardinal as he begins this important role of service to the Church.

The celebrations will be broadcast and livestreamed on **Saturday, December 7**<sup>th</sup> **at** 10:00 a.m. (Toronto time) on Salt & Light Catholic Television and accessible by visiting: **www.slmedia.org**. Updates will also be posted on the archdiocesan website: **www.archtoronto.org**.

Regional Masses to celebrate Cardinal Leo and the beginning of the Jubilee Year will take place early in 2025. More details will be shared in the coming weeks.

#### CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

CWL General Meeting- Monday December 9<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. Christmas Pot Luck Dinner. Join us in the parish hall, bring a friend and have a nice evening with your sisters in the league. Please bring your favorite dish and Christmas mug.

**2025** CWL Annual Membership renewal of \$40 is now due. Membership renewal can be submitted by using the envelope found in your Sunday offering box or using a plain envelope with your name and contact information on the front along with the \$40 membership fee (cash or cheque).

### OSHAWA CATHOLIC CHAPLAINCY

**December Events:** 

Our last **CAMPUS MASS** is December 4<sup>h</sup> at 12:15 p.m. followed by Coffee & Boardgames until 2 p.m. in the SHA hall Rom 20 in the lower level. Join us as we enter the Advent season, a time of renewal and hope as we pause from our studies to spend time with Jesus, our ultimate source of Peace!

**SOCIAL**: December 14<sup>th</sup>, 6 p.m. in the Student Centre/Hall. Join us for our last social of the year- our Christmas Social!

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