

# Saint Joseph The Worker Parish

## Oshawa, Ontario

### PARISH STAFF

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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

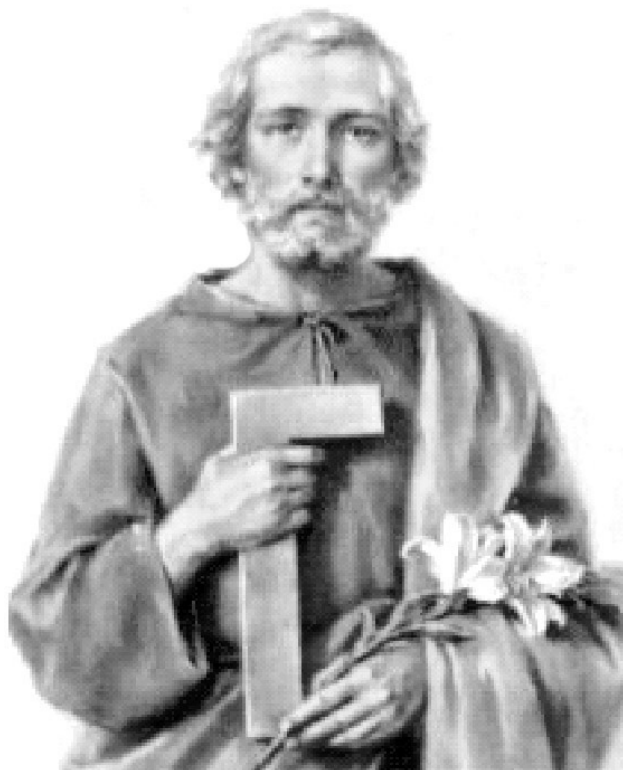
**Society of St. Vincent de Paul** - 365-688-6551

(For those in need of food and clothing)

**HALL RENTAL** - Please call Parish Office.

### SCHOOLS

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 1200 Summerwood Heights 905-725-6751  
 St. Anne Catholic School  
 2465 Bridle Road 905-723-2421  
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 1600 Clearbrook Drive 905-743-6223  
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 700 Stevenson Road N. 905-723-5255



### 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
SERRA CLUB	Fred Tuccia

# December 15, 2024

## MASS INTENTIONS



### Tuesday, December 17

Intention of Kevin Farrell req. by his family

### Wednesday, December 18

Intention of Helen Normoyle

Intentions of Nikki, Elsa & Donald Edge

Intention of Sarah Stewart req. by the Varghese family

Intention of Rosanna Minnella req. by the Varghese family

Intention of Cheryl Aspden req. by the Varghese family

† Basil Hirth req. Mary Hirth

† Ron Botell req. by the Senior's group

† Sammy Findlay req. by Kenny & Frances Paterson

† Sophie & Mittchel Walasek req. by the Pietowski family

For all unborn children req. by John & Lynda Ladd

Holy Souls in Purgatory req. by the Smagliniski family

### Thursday, December 19

† Eugenia Jaskot req. by her daughter & family

### Friday, December 20

Intention of Mike Holden req. by the Varghese family

Intention of Justina Martens req. by the Varghese family

Intention of Linda Dixon req. by Bernadette Kerrigan

† John Twaddle

† Ron Botell req. by Marian Brady

† Metez & Tkalci families

† Domenic & Tony Molinaro req. by their family

† Sheila Bell req. by Mary Brown

† Lucia & Mateo De Leon req. by their family

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

### Saturday, December 21

**9 a.m.** Intention of Deepa Christopher req. by her family

**5 p.m.** For all Parishioners of St. Joseph the Worker Parish

### Sunday, December 22

**9 a.m.** † Katherine A. MacLean req. by Paul & Charlotte Mulhern

**11 a.m.** † Stan Krupicz & Helen & Karl Faruga req. by Carol

## 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 p.m.—9:00 p.m.

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.....**



Barry Sharp	Louise Lee
Br. Clarence Blaskavitz	Lynda Ladd
Bernard Beneteau	Mena Lucdamo
Boking Der	Matthew Sabljic
Candice Stinson	Mary Therese R.
Carlo Giro	Mary Anne Collins
Chantelle Carson	Melvin Rice
Clare O'Neill	Mike Hickey
Claudine Russell-Keays	Mo Fidel
Colomba Giuga	Nancy Woods
David Hodskins	Nicolette
Deorica Hechanova	Paige Thompson
Eddie Peterson	Patrick Provenzano
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Gloria & Joe Lopez	Rosita Cruz
Gloria Smith	Ryan Fawns
Helen Smith	Shane James
Jasmine Morgan	Sr. Grace Yap OSF
Jim Franko	Tony & Pauline Wong
Joan Lonergan	Vicky Mikalauskas
James McCarthy	Vin Lee
Jim Ellis	Vince Giuga
Kerry Noel	Wanda Bonerak
Latoya Morgan	Wendy Buddy
Liz Tkalec	

## CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR'S MASS SCHEDULE

### Christmas Eve

*No 9 a.m. Mass on Tues. Dec. 24<sup>th</sup>*

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

8:30 p.m.

Midnight (12:00 a.m.)

### Christmas Day

Wed. Dec. 25 @ 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

*No 9 a.m. Mass on Thursday, Dec 26<sup>th</sup>*

### Solemnity of Mary the Mother of God

*No 9 a.m. Mass on Tues. Dec 31<sup>st</sup>*

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

### Solemnity of Mary the Mother of God

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

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

# Third 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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## OSHAWA CATHOLIC CHAPLAINCY

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## CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

**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).



## LEGION OF MARY

The Legion of Mary is an association of Catholic Laity that serve the Church on a voluntary basis with spiritual and social welfare as their priority. If you would like to grow in devotion to our blessed Mother, and like to pray the Rosary, please join us every Saturday at 10:00 a.m. in the Fr. Gignac room and consider joining Our Lady Cause of Our Joy.

For more information please email

[sjtwlegionofmary@gmail.com](mailto:sjtwlegionofmary@gmail.com).



## SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

"It is Christmas every time you let God love others through you... yes, it is Christmas every time you smile at your brother and offer him your hand." Mother Teresa.

Thank you for your tremendous generosity over this past year. You have made it possible for our society of St. Vincent de Paul to offer our brothers and sisters a helping hand and show Christ's love and compassion. Thank you very much. We wish you a Merry Christmas and a blessed New Year.



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