## 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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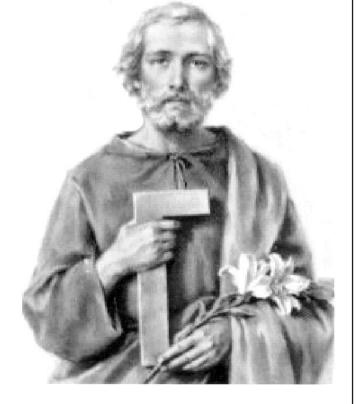
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#### PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

**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 Ikenna Anyaehie

**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

## **August 3, 2025**

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

#### Tuesday, August 5

Intentions of Stephen O'Reilly req. by his wife



#### Wednesday, August 6

Intentions of Gloria Keet req. by the Varghese family Intentions of Anne Keet req. by the Varghese family Intentions of Nicole Keet req. by the Varghese family Intentions of Cindy, Terry, Gavin, Tristan & Reba Moore † Mary & Martin Niedzwiecki req. by the Pietowski family

† Peter McLean req. by John & Lynda Ladd

† Lectecia E. Maregmen req. by Napoleon & Marita

† Albert Archambault req. by Joe Cornacchia & Jess Switalsky

† Collin Hannah req. by his family

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

#### Thursday, August 7

† Cecelia Loubert req. by Christine Castaldo

#### Friday, August 8

† Shirley Cousins req. by the Varghese family

† Chinnamma Man

† Peter McLean req. by John & Lynda Ladd

Holy Souls in Purgatory req. by John & Lynda Ladd

Saturday, August 9
9 a.m. Intentions of Lilia & Romulo Victorino req. by the Torres family

**5 p.m.** † Paul Laliberte req. by Ed & Marion Jones

#### Sunday, August 10

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

11 a.m.† Stephen Jones req. by Margaret Jones

#### **FAREWELL**

St. Joseph the Worker,

It has been such a great blessing to be involved here at St. Joseph the Worker Parish this summer. As a visiting seminarian I have received many graces through you all. Your piety and kindness inspire me to seek my own growth in virtues and gifts. Thank you all for welcoming me and making me feel at home! It has been wonderful to meet so many of you and to see so many familiar faces! I will be keeping you all in my prayers! In a few weeks, all of us seminarians will go back to St. Augustine's seminary in Scarborough for our next year of studies and formation. I will be starting my third year of seminary. Please keep us in your prayers as we continue our pursuit towards the priesthood. Wishing you all a blessed rest of the summer!

Ashik Valookaran

Please pray for the deceased especially **Helen** McLaren and those who mourn for them. Please pray for those who are sick and those who love and minister to them.....

Andrea Ramjattan BoKing Der Br. Clarence Blaskavitc Charlotte M. Mulhern Carlo Giro Donald Thompson Eddie Peterson Francis Luckasavitch Joan Lonergan Jasmine Morgan Harry Der Helen Smith Hilton Smith Kerry Noel

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Louise Lee Latoya Morgan Mary-Lou Collins Mena Lucadamo Patrick Provenzano Paul J. Mulhern Rita Flintoff Tony Wong Vicky Mikalauskas Vince Giuga Violet Chen Yin Lee Wendy Buddy

## **2025/26 SACRAMENTAL CLASSES** – Save the

If you have a child in grade 2 or above, or grade 7 or above, who will be receiving the sacraments of First Communion or Confirmation in the upcoming year, please make note of the registration meeting in the Fall. There will be a MANDATORY registration meeting in the church hall for First Communion on Tuesday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> at 7:00 p.m. and on Wednesday, September 24<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. for Confirmation.

More information regarding registration, and the days and times of the preparation classes will be coming shortly. If you have questions, please contact Anne at aperdue@archtoronto.org

#### RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF **ADULTS**

If you, or someone you know in our community would like to become Catholic, please speak to Fr. David. Our RCIA program will begin in the Fall.

#### SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

You can continue to support us through the poor boxes that we hold up at the end of each Mass, or by going online: https://ssvptoronto.ca We continue to volunteer during the summer months. Please consider "trying us out" as a meaningful way to volunteer with our Neighbours in

Need. Just call our helpline number 365-688-6551.



## **Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

#### **CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE**

The Catholic Women's League thanks everyone for all their continued support and wishes everyone a healthy and safe summer. CWL meetings are held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. in the parish hall. There are no meetings held during the month of July and August. For more information regarding CWL contact Mary Brown at marycara@gmail.com

#### 41st Annual Rosary Sunday – "Mother Mary Pilgrim of Hope" at Martyrs' Shrine, Midland, ON. Sunday, Sept 14, 2025

Join us for a day of faith and fellowship on our parish pilgrimage organized by St. Joseph the Worker CWL! A 55 seat coach bus has been booked. Please register ASAP as bus is almost full. Bus departs at 8:00 a.m. The bus departs from Martyrs' Shrine at 5:00 p.m.

Mass at Noon. Living Rosary & Procession at 2:30 PM. Open to all parishioners!

To reserve your seat and for more information please contact Mary Brown at marycara@gmail.com or Maria Tuccia at mariargtuccia@gmail.com



#### ANNUAL MASS FOR THE FAITHFUL **DEPARTED**

Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services within the Archdiocese of Toronto invites all families to participate in the Annual Mass of the Faithful Departed on Wednesday, August 13<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. with Reverend Monsignor Edgardo Pan at Resurrection Cemetery in Whitby. In the event of rain, the Mass will be held at Our Lady of the Assumption Mausoleum at Resurrection Cemetery.

#### **UNASSIGNED DONATION ENVELOPE #**

If you have donation envelope box number 131, 436 or 284 please contact the parish office. These box number's have not been assigned to a donor.

#### **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. For more information on the Legion of Mary please visit the link below:

https://www.legionofmarydurham.ca/ or email sitwlegionofmary@gmail.com

#### OSHAWA CATHOLIC CHAPLAINCY

Summer Break!

Although our events on Campus take a break, our **Second** Saturday Socials continue all summer long at St. Joseph the Worker. Our next social will be on August 19<sup>th</sup> at 6:00

Our Student Centre Remains open Tuesday-Friday 9:30-5:00 p.m. (Doors outside close at 3) \*Code upon request. Stop by for a coffee, a study place, a lunch break from work, a meet up place with friends.... Free WIFI!

Stay connected through our Instagram for other events during the week: @ oshawacatholic

#### FIRST FRIDAY MASS AND ADORATION

There will be **NO 7:00 p.m.** First Friday Mass and Adoration during the summer.

#### PARISH OFFICE SUMMER HOURS

The parish office will be closed on Friday during the summer. Regular office hours will resume in September.



#### **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS- Christmas Tree Sale**

Come get your real 7ft. Christmas trees here at St. Joseph the Worker. The K of C will be selling fir and spruce trees starting on Nov. 22<sup>nd</sup>.

To pre-order your tree please contact Dillon Baker at 416-938-9623.

The cost is \$75 per tree.



#### ARCHDIOCESE OF TORONTO'S JUBILEE PILGRIMAGE TO THE MARTYRS' SHRINE IN **MIDLAND**

During this Jubilee Year join Frank Cardinal Leo, Metropolitan Archbishop of Toronto, on Sunday, August 24<sup>th</sup> for a pilgrimage to the Martyrs' Shrine, a national holy and historic space honouring the lives of the Canadian Martyrs. The program will include opportunities for the Sacrament of Reconciliation, Holy Mass with Cardinal Leo, a Rosary Procession, Eucharistic Adoration, Benediction and Fellowship. All are welcome and encouraged to attend.

For more information, visit: www.archtoronto.org/jubilee

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