

St. Joseph Parish

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Served by the Holy Cross Fathers



Pastor: Fr. Roshan Loy D'Souza, CSC
Secretary/Bookkeeper: Nerie Bernal
Custodian: Allan Cobham

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday: 9:30am to 12:00noon
Wednesday & Friday: 9:00am to 3:00pm

PARISH MINISTRIES

Altar Servers, Children's Liturgy
Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers
Fund Raising and Social Committee
Girl Guides

Music Ministry: Megan Montifar, Gail and Maarten Bomers, Daniel Mehdizadeh & Eric Fahn

St. Vincent de Paul Society: 416-546-4044

St. Joseph Catholic School :

Principal: Anne Marie Cassin
Phone: 416-393-5209

The Knights of Columbus: www.kofc9079.com

MASS TIMES:

Monday	No Mass
Tuesday & Thursday	9:00 am
Wednesday & Friday	7:00 pm
Saturday Vigil	5:00 pm
Sunday	10:00 am

CELEBRATION OF SACRAMENTS

FOR SACRAMENTS OF BAPTISM, FIRST COMMUNION, CONFIRMATION AND MARRIAGE please contact the parish to begin the process of preparation.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturday before the vigil Mass

MINISTRY TO AND ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

Please advise us if you have someone ill at home, hospital or in a nursing home so that we can minister to them.

Hall Rental: Please contact **Margaret MacDonald** at 416-463-8638

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*From the
Pastor's
Desk*



With Love beyond all telling.

Often times when we think of love we identify the emotion, the feeling of love. Emotions are spontaneous.

They are morally neutral until we do something with them. Emotions have everything to do with what we want, what we need, what we expect. Emotions often have to do with our individual values. When we make decision based on our emotions, those decision are fundamentally selfish, examining what other people do based on how it affects us.

Love, true love – the love that is the love of God, the friendship of God – This love grows over time. We take the focus off of ourselves and onto the other. It is seeking the good for the other. Decisions based on the virtue of charity are often selfless. It is about giving to the other.

So, what is God doing in your life? Where is God asking you to give of yourself; to be for others in the way that everything you are about is best for them? What is God asking of you? God is asking of you, but do you know what it is? It is different for each of you. Where is God asking you to love, to grow, to expand your heart to include all the world, because then we will know the language of love.

In the Scriptures, the language of the devil is very clear. It is any action that is “non serviam” – I will not serve. That is the whole ethos of the devil. With God it is the complete opposite – Here I am, send me. Let it be done to me according to your word. What can I do for you? Who can I be for you? Let me open my heart and my life that you may come. That is the language of love. That is the language of charity. It is very, very different from our emotions. You can see in charity, emotions have no effect on the action of the will because we will give and do, no matter what we are afraid of. The emotions lead us to an unholy trinity: me, myself, and I. The virtue of charity leads us to the most Holy Trinity: Father, Son and Holy Spirit, who gave Themselves completely to us that we might learn to give ourselves to Them and to one another.

God Bless.

Fr. Roshan Loy D’Souza, CSC

Step 1 of Ontario reopening to begin June 11 - changes to capacity for places of worship:

St. Joseph church will open for regular public masses on June 11, Friday at 7 p.m. on the Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus. Thereafter there will be regular public masses as scheduled.

No meetings will take place in parish halls or other church spaces during Step 1. The faithful are requested not to congregate in large numbers in or around the church before or after services. Thank you for your co-operation.



REMEMBERING

ST. JOSEPH’S CHURCH,

THROUGH A BEQUEST

Having a properly made will is one of the best gifts anyone can leave their loved ones in the event of their passing. It also ensures that charities and causes closest to their hearts will be sustained. By putting the parish in their will, parishioners can help the Church faithfully carry out the pastoral mission entrusted to her by our Lord, for generations to come.

For more information, please call the Parish office of **St. Joseph Church : 416 466 7815 or 416 518 0276**

The Week Ahead :

- June 19: Memorial: St. Romuald, Abbot
- June 21: Memorial: St. Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious
- June 22: Memorial: St. Paulinos of Nola, Bishop
St. John Fisher, Bishop
St. Thomas More, Martyrs
- June 24 : Memorial: The Nativity of St. John the Baptist
- June 28: Memorial: St. Irenaus, Bishop & Martyr
- June 29: Memorial: St. Peter & Paul, Apostles
- June 30: Memorial: The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church

St. Joseph, Pray For Us

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on every First Friday of the month at 6:30 pm followed by the Eucharistic celebration.

Holy Communion & Anointing of the sick & homebound:

If you wish to have communion brought to you, please contact the parish office.

St. Joseph Parish ministries: Altar Servers, Children's Liturgy, Collection Counters, Communion to the Sick, Eucharistic Ministries, Finance Council, Fundraising Committee, Girl Guides, Hospitality, Knights of Columbus, Lectors, Liturgical Planners, Music Ministry, Parish Council, Prayer Group, Refugee Sponsor, Sacristans, Seniors Group, Social Justice, St. Vincent de Paul Society, Youth Group, Ushers/Usherettes .

If you wish to be part of any of these, please call the parish office.

† MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, June 13

10:00 am † Crisanta Malunay

Req. Mel Malunay

Monday, June 14

9:00 am No mass

Tuesday, June 15

9:00 am Thanksgiving In Honor to

St. Joseph

Req. Alfredo Costa

Wednesday June 16

*7:00 pm For All the Souls in Purgatory
& Family Intentions*

Req. Alfredo Costa

Thursday, June 17

9:00 am † Leo Deveau

Req. Toni Muise

Friday, June 18

*7:00 pm In Honor to the Sacred Heart
of Jesus*

Req. Alfredo Costa

Saturday, June 19

*5:00 pm For the Intentions of
St. Joseph Parish Community*



WEEKEND COLLECTION:

June 5-6, 2021

Total Amount: \$ 860.00

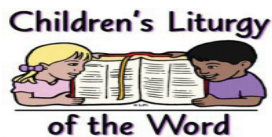
Since all our fundraising events can't be held due to pandemic,

kindly increase your donations towards our Building Fund.

Kindly contribute through Pre Authorize Giving.

Forms are available in the foyer.

Thank you for your constant support and generous contribution. A special thanks to our volunteers for your dedication during these unprecedented times.



PARENTS PLEASE NOTE:

There will be no Children's Liturgy of the Word Program at the 10:00 am mass due to Pandemic.



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