# St. Joseph Parish

Established in 1878



**Pastor:** Fr. Francis Noronha, C.S.C.

Secretary & Finance: Erma Relunia Custodian: Allan Cobham

#### **OFFICE HOURS:**

Monday, Tuesday and Thursday: 9:30am to 12:30pm 5:00pm to 7:00pm Wednesday:

Office is closed on Fridays

### **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

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#### **MASS TIMES:**

Monday, 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.

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### THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C: JANUARY 27, 2019

Now the body is not a single part, but many.

Being a Christian is not just about "me and Jesus". Being a Christian means recognizing that our own lives are bound up with the other members of the Mystical Body of Christ. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, more often than not, flows into your life through the Communion of Saints: that is, through your fellow members within the Body of Christ. This is by God's design.

God promises to give us always the grace we need to face any situation, but sometimes we refuse His grace because we refuse the means by which He wills to give us that grace. Within the body of the Church, God strengthens us through each other. How many members of your parish family do you not yet know? How many of them does God want to use as your brothers and sisters in Christ in order to bear His grace to you, and vice versa?

### **HELPING OUR COMMUNITY**



St Joseph parish is organizing a sock and children's mitten drive. Please bring new pairs of socks (adult or children) and children's mittens and put them in the red boxes at the entrance of the church.



# Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers:

Our Parish is looking for 2 or 3
Extraordinary
Eucharistic Ministers.
These Ministers will be taking communion to parishioners who are homebound, in nursing homes and in hospitals. If you are interested kindly talk to Fr. Francis. Thank you for considering this request.

### **SENIORS GROUP**

We would like to begin a senior's group in the parish. I am inviting all seniors to come to a meeting on February 13 after 7:00pm Mass. This meeting will be to explore some ideas how as a parish we can help our seniors. Kindly spread the word. Thank you

### <u>Liturgical</u> Publications!

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in March 2019 & will support the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service.

Call Liturgical Publications at 905-624-4422.

# Offerings

Sunday, January 20, 2019

Sunday Offertory | \$670.25 Building Fund | \$ 10.00 Initial Offering | \$ 10.00 Total \$ 690.25

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### MASS INTENTIONS T

(January 27 - February 2)

Sunday, January 27
10:00am For the people of St. Joseph
Monday, January 28
9:00am All souls in Purgatory and for
those who are dying

Req. Alfredo Costa

Tuesday, January 29

9:00am Weekday

Wednesday, January 30

7:00pm Weekday Thursday, January 31

9:00am **Saint John Bosco** 

Friday, February 1

7:00pm First Friday

Saturday, February 2

5:00pm 60th Birthday of Medy Carpio

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### **Grief Therapy...**

Are you grieving? Are you or anyone you know looking for grief support? St. Joseph parish will have a grief group starting in April 2019. Please call Fr. Francis for more information.

### Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2019 Ecumenical Prayer Service

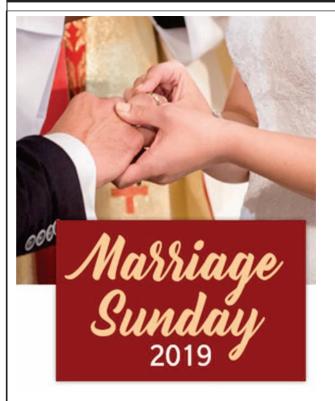
January 18-25, 2019 marks the annual celebration of the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. This year's theme, "Justice, only justice, you shall pursue" is taken from Deuteronomy 16:20. Come and join us in an ecumenical prayer service led by Catholic, Anglican and Orthodox bishops along with Leaders from Christian Churches in GTA.

When: Sunday, January 27, 2019 at 4:30 p.m. Where: St. James Anglican Cathedral (106 King

St. East)

please contact The Ecumenical and Interfaith Affairs Office at 416-934-3400 ext. 344 or ext.

527 or ecumenical@archtoronto.org



## Marriage Sunday February 10, 2019

Marriage Sunday highlights the importance of the sacrament of marriage and complements World Marriage Sunday celebrations that take place across North America.

The Celebration of Marriage Mass will take place on Sunday, February 10, 2019 at St. Clare of Assisi Parish (150 St. Francis Avenue, Woodbridge). Cardinal Thomas Collins will preside over this special Mass where couples celebrating their milestone 25th, 40th, 50th and 60+ wedding anniversaries will be honoured.

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