

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
Wednesday: 5:00pm to 7:00pm
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
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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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God's Unconditional Love

God loves Satan as much as God loves Mary. The difference is not in how God loves them, but in how they, each in turn, love God. God loves each of them in the same way, namely, perfectly. But obviously Mary's response is very different from Satan's.

God just loves us, pure and simple. God cannot be offended. God's love cannot be driven away. God does not reward or punish us on the basis of whether we have been good or bad. God simply loves us.

Our response makes a big difference, but not in terms of giving God offense, driving God away, or making God punish or reward us. It makes a difference in how we stand and feel in the face of love. We cannot offend against God, but we can offend against others and ourselves. We can, like Satan, live in bitterness and unhappiness right within love itself and we can deeply hurt others.

Trying to be still good should not be an attempt to somehow earn love or heaven, but rather an acknowledgement, a humble one, that one still needs a lot of help in knowing how to live in the face of love.

By: Fr. Ron Rolheiser

Blessing of Throats

The Blessing of Throats will take place on all Weekend Masses of February 2nd and February 3rd.

HELPING OUR COMMUNITY



The 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.

Seniors Group



Calling All Seniors!

We would like to begin a senior's group in the parish. I am inviting all the 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

Liturgical 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 27, 2019

Sunday Offertory | \$ 1,196.00

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C: FEBRUARY 3, 2019

MASS INTENTIONS †

(Feb 3rd – Feb 9th)

Sunday, Feb 3

10:00am *In honour of St Joseph*
Req. Alfredo Costa

Monday, Feb 4

9:00am *In honour of the
Blessed Sacrament*
Req. Alfredo Costa

Tuesday, Feb 5

9:00am *Weekday Mass*

Wednesday, Feb 6

7:00pm *For the Unborn*
Req Marilyn Roberts &
Toni Muisse

Thursday, Feb 7

9:00am † *Maria Madalena and
those who have died*
Req Alfredo Costa

Friday, Feb 8

7:00pm *Weekday Mass*

Saturday, Feb 9

5:00pm †† *Maria Alexandrina &
Manuel Pavao*
Req Maria Noemia Medeiros



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



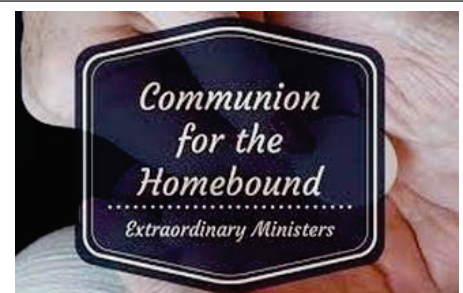
St Joseph's Fundraising Committee will be holding a Pancake breakfast on Sunday, March 3, 2019, commencing at 11:15am. Tickets will be available for sale at all weekend Masses commencing February 9, 2019. Tickets cost \$10.00 per adult and \$5.00 per child, and we ask that you purchase tickets in advance, if possible. Please come and join us for a delicious breakfast. All proceeds will be applied to parish projects.



THEME: "You received without payment; give without payment".

Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers:

Our Parish is looking for 2 to 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.



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