# St. Joseph Parish

Established in 1878



Pastor: Secretary: Finance: Custodian: Fr. Francis Noronha, C.S.C. Megan Montifar Erma Relunia 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 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, Tuesday & Thursday Wednesday & Friday Saturday Vigil Sunday 9:00 am

7:00 pm

5:00 pm 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

# Pope Francis' Easter 'Urbi et Orbi' Message 2019

May the Risen Lord shed his light on the efforts made in Nicaragua to find as rapidly as possible a peaceful negotiated solution for the benefit of the entire Nicaraguan people.

Before the many sufferings of our time, may the Lord of life not find us cold and indifferent. May he make us builders of bridges, not walls. May the One who gives us his peace end the roar of arms, both in areas of conflict and in our cities, and inspire the leaders of nations to work for an end to the arms race and the troubling spread of weaponry, especially in the economically more advanced countries. May the Risen Christ, who flung open the doors of the tomb, open our hearts to the needs of the disadvantaged, the vulneral



of the tomb, open our hearts to the needs of the disadvantaged, the vulnerable, the poor, the unemployed, the marginalized, and all those who knock at our door in search of bread, refuge, and the recognition of their dignity.

Dear brothers and sisters, Christ is alive! He is hope and youth for each of us and for the entire world. May we let ourselves be renewed by him! Happy Easter!



## Mission Appeal July 6/7

At the invitation of the Archbishop, His Eminence, Thomas Cardinal Collins, and the Archdiocese of Toronto, the Basilian Fathers Missions are grateful to Father Francis Noronha and the parishioners of St. Joseph's Parish for hosting Rev. Joseph Redican CSB on Saturday, July 6th and Sunday July 7th, 2019. Please visit to hear his appeal for the support of the Basilian Fathers' work in Mexico and Colombia. Funds support over 700 student tuitions at INSA in Cali, Colombia - a Basilian institution ranked among the top 40 schools in the country. Along with your help, the Basilian Fathers Missions also work to feed, cloth, teach, and evangelize in Mexico, improving the lives of thousands living in San Lorenzo and Mexico City.



# UPCOMING EVENTS

**Grade 8 Graduation celebration:** Friday, June 21 at 6:30pm.

Parish BBQ hosted by the Knights of Columbus: Sunday, June 23, 2019 after the 10:00am Mass



MASS INTENTIONS **†** 

Sunday, June 16

10:00am	Thanksgiving Mass for
	Chantal, Angelina and
	grandmother Oliveira and
	Family Intentions
	Req. Maria Oliveira

### Monday, June 17

9:00am Family Intentions of Alfredo & Maria Costa Req. Alfredo Costa

### Tuesday, June 18

9:00am **† Leo Deveau** Req. Toni Muise

Wednesday, June 19

7:00 pm *††* Antonia and Jose Canito

Req. Gloria Gomes and family

*† Lynn Fernandes* Req. Family

Thursday, June 20

9:00 am Weekday Mass

Friday, June 21

9:00am Thanksgiving Mass to our Mother of Perpetual Help Req. Nicolas & Angeles Blanco

### Saturday, June 22

5:00pm **30th Wedding Anniversary of Tem & Cely Carpio** Req. Tem & Cely Carpio

### **Sunday June 9 Collections**

Offertory: 1053.75

ShareLife to date: 8703.05

**COME JOIN US** 

On Saturday, July 13th, our parish will host pilgrims from the United States as they journey through southeastern Canada to pray for healing at St. Joseph's Oratory, learn the rich history of the Church in Canada, discover the beauty and culture of our country, and experience the mission and spirituality of Holy Cross. The pilgrims are led by Verso Ministries and accompanied by Br. Carl Sternberg, C.S.C., and Fr. David Scheidler, C.S.C. Their group of 36 pilgrims will join our community for the 5:00pm Mass on Saturday, July 13th.

We are excited to welcome this group of travelers as they embark on their week-long pilgrimage to encounter St. Andre and St. Joseph, experience the Holy Cross family, and contemplate how to respond to God's invitation in their lives to "come, follow me" (Matthew 19:21).

To learn more about their pilgrimage, please visit <u>www.VersoMinistries.com</u>.

Please join us following the 5:00pm Mass for a potluck dinner at the parish hall after the Mass. The main dish and drinks will be provided by Verso Ministries. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share. All are welcome!

