

St. Joseph Parish

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Pastor: Fr. Francis Noronha, C.S.C.
Secretary: Megan Montifar
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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

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
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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
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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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MESSAGE OF HIS HOLINESS POPE FRANCIS FOR THE CELEBRATION OF
THE 53rd WORLD DAY OF PEACE 1 JANUARY 2020



**PEACE AS A JOURNEY OF HOPE:
DIALOGUE, RECONCILIATION AND ECOLOGICAL CONVERSION**

1. Peace, a journey of hope in the face of obstacles and trial

As I observed during my recent Apostolic Journey to Japan, our world is paradoxically marked by “a perverse dichotomy that tries to defend and ensure stability and peace through a false sense of security sustained by a mentality of fear and mistrust, one that ends up poisoning relationships between peoples and obstructing any form of dialogue. Peace and international stability are incompatible with attempts to build upon the fear of mutual destruction or the threat of total annihilation. They can be achieved only on the basis of a global ethic of solidarity and cooperation in the service of a future shaped by interdependence and shared responsibility in the whole human family of today and tomorrow”.

Every threatening situation feeds mistrust and leads people to withdraw into their own safety zone. Mistrust and fear weaken relationships and increase the risk of violence, creating a vicious circle that can never lead to a relationship of peace. Even nuclear deterrence can only produce the illusion of security.

We cannot claim to maintain stability in the world through the fear of annihilation, in a volatile situation, suspended on the brink of a nuclear abyss and enclosed behind walls of indifference. As a result, social and economic decisions are being made that lead to tragic situations where human beings and creation itself are discarded rather than protected and preserved. How, then, do we undertake a journey of peace and mutual respect? How do we break the unhealthy mentality of threats and fear? How do we break the current dynamic of distrust?

We need to pursue a genuine fraternity based on our common origin from God and exercised in dialogue and mutual trust. The desire for peace lies deep within the human heart, and we should not resign ourselves to seeking anything less than this.

Part 2 of 5



**Celebration of Marriage Mass with
Cardinal Collins
February 9, 2020 at 3 p.m.**



As part of Marriage Sunday 2020 celebrations, Cardinal Thomas Collins will preside at a special Mass to honour couples celebrating milestone anniversaries in 2020. If you (or a couple you know) are celebrating a 25th, 40th, 50th or 60+ wedding anniversary in 2020, they are invited to join in this special celebration. The Mass will take place at **3pm on Sunday, February 9 at St. Isaac Jogues Parish (1148 Finch Ave., Pickering)**. A reception will follow Mass. The Mass is open to all, but due to space restrictions those wishing to attend are asked to register online or by phone. Milestone anniversary celebrants will be assured of reserved seating.

Registration and other important information can be found at:

www.archtoronto.org/marriage or by calling (416) 934-3400 ext. 523

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2020
Unusual kindness

Ecumenical Prayer Service to celebrate Week of Prayer for Christian Unity
Sunday, January 26, 2020 7:00 p.m.
Yorkminster Park Baptist Church
1585 Yonge Street, Toronto On M4T 1Z9

Every year, Christians around the world are invited to celebrate a Week of Prayer for the unity of all Christians, to reflect on scripture together, to participate in jointly-organized ecumenical services, and to share fellowship.

Come join us to celebrate with His Eminence Cardinal Thomas Collins, Archbishop of Toronto, as he will be reflecting on the Word of God with other Christian leaders.

For more information, please contact:
ecumenical@archtoronto.org or 416-934-3400, ext. 527



THEOLOGY ON TAP CENTRAL

DISCERNMENT:
Listening to God's voice when you are facing a decision

WHEN: JANUARY 27, 2020 7-9PM
WHERE: DUKE OF YORK PUB
(39 PRINCE ARTHUR DR.)



GUEST SPEAKER:
Kevin Kelly, SJ

For talk description and speaker bios, please visit Facebook: Faith Connections and check under "Events"!

If you have any questions please email faithconnections@csj-to.ca or call 416-467-2645

MASS INTENTIONS †

Sunday, January 19

10:00 am † **Manuel Costa**
Req. Alfredo Costa

Monday, January 20

9:00 am † **All Souls in Purgatory**
Req. Rafaela Mairena

Tuesday, January 21

9:00 am † **Ronald Aube**
Req. Bro. Fernando

Wednesday, January 22

7:00 pm † **Fortunato Perez**
Req. Laura & Allan Selman

Thursday, January 23

9:00 am *Weekday Mass*

Friday, January 24

7:00 pm *Weekday Mass*

Saturday, January 25

5:00 pm For the people of
St. Joseph Parish

SUNDAY JANUARY 12, 2020

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