

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
Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers
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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

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

2. Peace, a journey of listening based on memory, solidarity and fraternity

The *Hibakusha*, the survivors of the atomic bombs dropped on Hiroshima and Nagasaki, are among those who currently keep alive the flame of collective conscience, bearing witness to succeeding generations to the horror of what happened in August 1945 and the unspeakable sufferings that have continued to the present time. Their testimony awakens and preserves the memory of the victims, so that the conscience of humanity may rise up in the face of every desire for dominance and destruction. "We cannot allow present and future generations to lose the memory of what happened here. It is a memory that ensures and encourages the building of a more fair and fraternal future".

Like the *Hibakusha*, many people in today's world are working to ensure that future generations will preserve the memory of past events, not only in order to prevent the same errors or illusions from recurring, but also to enable memory, as the fruit of experience, to serve as the basis and inspiration for present and future decisions to promote peace.

What is more, memory is the horizon of hope. Many times, in the darkness of wars and conflicts, the remembrance of even a small gesture of solidarity received can lead to courageous and even heroic decisions. It can unleash new energies and kindle new hope in individuals and communities.

Setting out on a journey of peace is a challenge made all the more complex because the interests at stake in relationships between people, communities and nations, are numerous and conflicting. We must first appeal to people's moral conscience and to personal and political will. Peace emerges from the depths of the human heart and political will must always be renewed, so that new ways can be found to reconcile and unite individuals and communities.

Part 3 of 5

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WORLD DAY FOR CONSECRATED LIFE

There will be a special Mass on **Sunday, February 2, 2020, at 3 p.m.** at St. Paul's Basilica, Toronto, in celebration of the vocation and witness of religious men and women who are such a vital and important part of the **life and ministry of the Church in our archdiocese.** There are more than 900 religious working in our Diocese. In our parish we have the **Sisters of life and the Holy Cross Fathers.** Please attend this special Mass next Sunday so show your gratitude and appreciation to all the religious.

All are welcome to attend.

Please email your RSVP to:
northern.region@archtoronto.org.



MONDAY, MARCH 9, 2020

7:00 P.M.

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MASS INTENTIONS †

Sunday, January 26

10:00 am *All Families of St. Joseph
Parish*

Req. Alfredo Costa

Monday, January 27

9:00 am † *Romana Alas-As*

Req. Tecson Family

Tuesday, January 28

9:00 am † *Yvon Doucet*

Req. Bro. Fernando

Wednesday, January 29

7:00 pm † *David Oanes*

Req. Dulce

Thursday, January 30

9:00 am *St. Joseph, St. Andre &
Perpetual Mother*

Req. Alfredo Costa

Friday, January 31

7:00 pm *Weekday Mass*

Saturday, February 01

5:00 pm † *Francisco Medeiros*

Req. Maria Noemia Medeiros

SUNDAY JANUARY 19, 2020

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