St. Joseph Parish

Established in 1878 Served by the Holy Cross Fathers

UNITY IN DIVERSITY

"Moved by the Good News of Jesus Christ... We Journey with St. Joseph"

Pastor:Fr. Roshan Loy D'Souza, CSCSecretary/Bookkeeper:Nerie BernalCustodian:Allan Cobham

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday to Friday: 9:00 am to 12:00 pm

Music Ministry:

Megan Montifar & Eric Fahn

PARISH MINISTRIES

Altar Servers Children's Liturgy Collection Counters Communion to the Sick Lectors & Eucharistic Ministries Social Action Committee Parish Council Finance Council Girl Guides

If you feel called to serve the church through any of these ministries, please call the parish office.

St. Vincent de Paul Society: 416-546-4044 **The Knights of Columbus:** www.kofc9079.com

St. Joseph Catholic School:

Principal:Principal: David ComacchioPhone:416-393-5209

MASS TIMES:

MondayNo MassTuesday, & Thursday9:00 amWednesday & Friday7:00 pmSaturday Vigil5:00 pmSunday10:00 am

CELEBRATION OF SACRAMENTS

Sacrament of Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation and Marriage: Please contact the office to begin the process of preparation.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday before the vigil mass or on request anytime.

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.

New members please register at the office.

Hall Rental: Please contact Margaret MacDonald at 416-463-8638

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What We See In Others Is A Reflection

Life is a delicate process of working to better ourselves. Sometimes this entails healing pieces of ourselves to allow that betterment to unfold. Oth-

er times, it means stretching ourselves into new levels by shining light and bringing forth our good qualities. Everything we see brings with it the opportunity to see ourselves inside of it if we are willing to look closely. The reflections we see from other people even if only subconsiously, can strike chords in side of us are sometimes faint and other times roar very loudly.

With each mirror comes the divine chance to dig deeper into ourselves to call forth something better within us or to bandage a broken piece of us. Every person in our lives has the opportunity to be a great teacher and each is likely mirroring something back to us. The mirror could be displaying a quality that we desire to acquire more of or it could be showing us characteristics that make us uncomfortable. Either way, it reflects something that exists inside us. The reflection is the call to bring it forth, good or bad, and resolve to work through the lesson inside of it.

Let us not forget that we are also mirrors to others and things that they see inside of us give them their own reflections to admire & grow from.

Everyone we meet is reflecting something back to us. Each person that comes into our life is placed there for beyond our knowing. Sometimes it takes a little while for us to recognize what exactly it is that they are reflecting to us, but in time and as long as were paying attention to it, we can begin to recognize the reflections that we need to see.

Ironically, the darkest corners of someone else can actually shine a light into areas of our lives that we need to work on. This could be to bring forth something stronger inside of us like confidence or to summon us to work on a weakness.

Reflections come in the form of triggers. When we see a negative reflection of ourselves, we may feel anger and sadness. When we see a positive reflection of something we desire, we tend to feel excited or motivated. Pay attention to the emotional clues and learn the language of reflective triggering. The closer we look, the more our perspective changes and the higher we are able to elevate ourselves.

God Bless.

Fr. Roshan Loy D'Souza, CSC



REMEMBERING ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH, MAKING A CHARITABLE BEQUEST:

Having a properly made will is one of the best gifts anyone can leave their loved ones in the event of their passing. It also ensures that charities and causes closest to their hearts will be sustained. By putting the parish in their will, parishioners can help the Church faithfully carry out the pastoral mission entrusted to her by our Lord, for generations to come. For more information, please call the Parish office of St. Joseph Church : 416 466 7815 or 416 518 0276

The Week Ahead :

May 18: Memorial: St. John I, Pope & Martyr

May 20: Memorial: St. Bernardine of Siena, Priest

May 21: Memorial: St. Christopher Magallanes, Priest and Companion, Martyr

May 23: Memorial: Victoria Day

May 25: Memorial: St. Bede the Venerable, Priest & Doctor of the Church

St. Joseph, Pray For Us



Sacrament of Confirmation:

Parents meeting for the Confirmandi: on June 04, 2022, at 10:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

(in the Church)

Session for Confirmandi:

h on June 04, 2022, at 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon.
Celebration of the Mass of Confirmation:

on June 11, 2022 (Saturday): 10:00 am

Our Lady of the Cape Pilgrim Statue Tour 2022 Wednesday, May 18 – 7 p.m. St. Joseph's Parish 5440 Durie Rd., Mississauga. Sponsored by the Marian Devotional Movement. Everyone is welcome to visit & venerate the Pilgrim Statue. A special Mass honouring Our Lady of the Cape will be held at 7 p.m. The Pilgrim Statue will also visit the following parishes: • May 19 – St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica, 65 Bond St, Toronto – 1 p.m. • May 20 – St. Aidan's Parish, 3501 Finch Ave. E., Scarborough – 7 p.m. • May 21 – St. Timothy's Parish, 21 Leigh Hill Rd., North York – 7 p.m. CONTACT: Enza Fenech PHONE: 905-301-3376 EMAIL: nefrep@gmail.com



Pope Francis Prayer Intention for May 2022: FAITH-FILLED YOUNG PEOPLE: We pray for all young people, called to live life to the fullest. May they see in Mary's life the way to listen, the depth of discernment, the courage that faith generates, and the dedication to service.

Special Collection: Pope's Pastoral Works – May 22, 2022

From: Peter Okonski, Manager of Planned Giving & Personal Gifts The Pope's Pastoral Works collection was established by the bishops of Canada in 1970. The Papal Charities allow the Pope to contribute to various charitable causes around the world, particularly toward aiding the victims of war, famine and natural disasters. By contributing to the Pope's Pastoral Works, the faithful of Canada give a universal dimension to their charity.

FREE WEBINAR!!!

ESTATE PLANNING FROM A CATHOLIC PERSPECTIVE

Saturday, May 28, 2022 at 9:00 am

Join this webinar and learn about the importance of a Will, Powers of Attorney & Estate Planning as well as Catholic teachings and traditions around cremation. The Archdiocese of Toronto estate planning team & Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services will share:

- How to protect your loved ones with a proper Will
- How to ensure that your wishes are legally protected
- About Powers of Attorney
- Estate Trustee selection
- Finding lawyers and estate planning advisors
- Our Catholic traditions around wills, cremation, burial and funeral

To register, send an email to: development@archtoronto.org

Please include **"Webinar May 28" in the subject line** & provide your name in the body of a message. Also would be grateful if, for the sake of statistics, let them know whether planning to watch the webinar alone or together with a family member. You will receive a link to the webinar.



WEEKEND COLLECTION:

May 07-08, 2022

Total Amount: \$1544.05

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The Knights of Columbus have been called "the strong right arm of the Church" in our country. The charitable work of the Knights of Columbus includes support of the Church's

evangelizing mission. St. Joseph Parish community sincerely thanks KofC council 9079 for their continued support. God Bless You.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, May 15

10:00 am Osmondo Cavada

Req. Nick & Angie Blanco

Monday, May 16

No mass

Tuesday, May 17

9:00 am Birthday Blessings to Henedina Mavrommatis

Req. Nick & Angie Blanco

Wednesday May 18

7:00 pm Birthday Blessings to Myrna Ramos

Req. Jhosie Carino

- Thursday, May 19
- 9:00 am *†* Juan & Luz Blanco

Req. Angie & Nick Blanco

Friday, May 20

7:00 pm **† Jeffrey Tan & Johnwell Salvador**

Req. Jocelyn Salvador

Saturday, May 21

5:00 pm For the Intention of St. Joseph

Parish Community



ST. JOSEPH , PRAY FOR US



