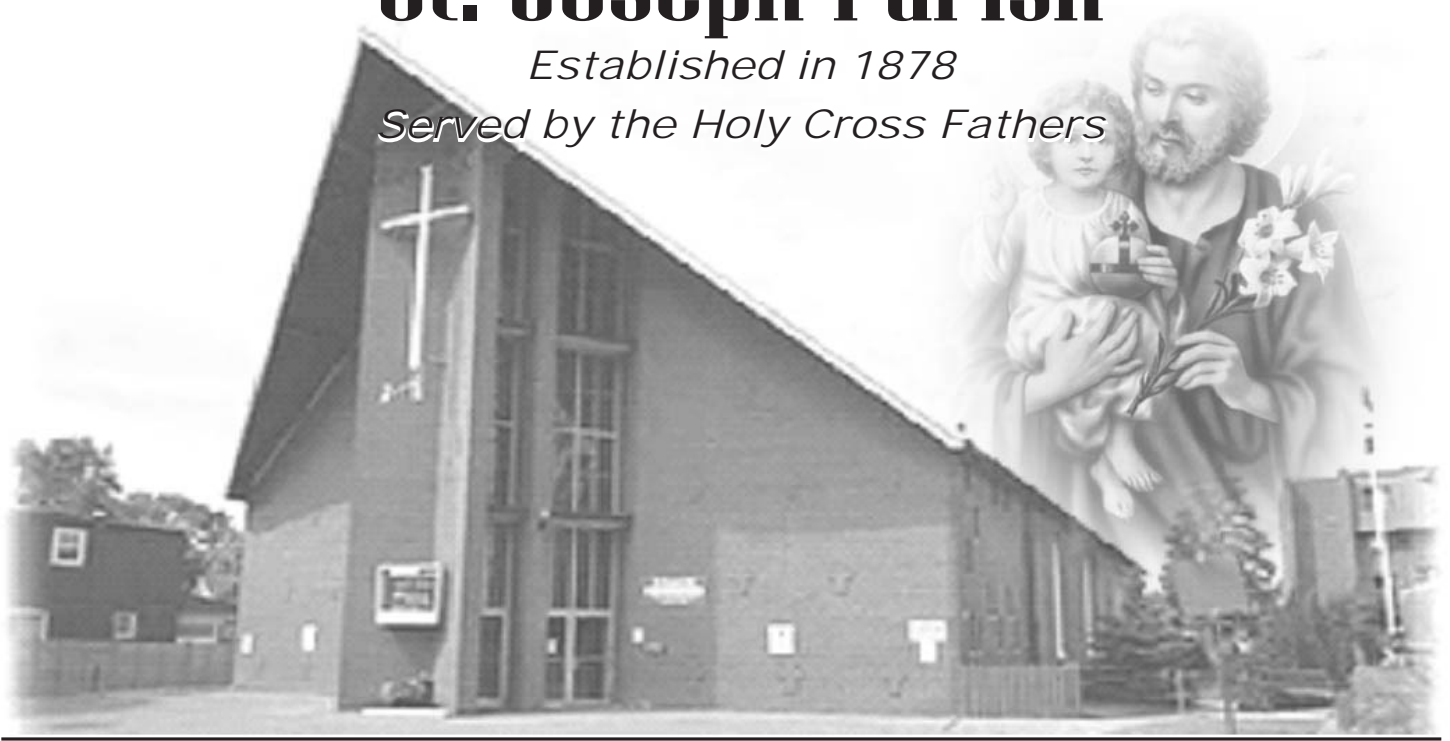


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OFFICE HOURS:
Monday to Friday: 9:00 am to 12:00 pm

Music Ministry: Megan Montifar & Eric Fahn

PARISH MINISTRIES

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*If you feel called to
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St. Vincent de Paul Society:
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Phone: 416-393-5209

MASS TIMES:

Monday	No Mass
Tuesday, & Thursday	9:00 am
Wednesday & Friday	7:00 pm
Saturday Vigil	5:00 pm
Sunday	10:00 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.

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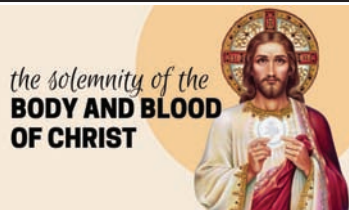
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THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST : JUNE 22, 2025



"By the Eucharistic Celebration we already unite ourselves with the heavenly liturgy and anticipate eternal life, when God will be all in all" (CCC 1326).

The Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ popularly known as Corpus Christi, was introduced in the late 13th century to encourage the faithful to give special adoration to the Holy Eucharist. Later, it was extended to the entire Latin Church by Urban IV in 1264 and became a mandatory feast of the universal Church in 1312.

Traditionally, this solemnity is celebrated on the Thursday after Trinity Sunday. However, where it is not a day of obligation, it is celebrated on the Sunday following the Trinity Sunday. As the priest, Christ offered himself to God for our salvation. So, it is important to note that whenever we celebrate the Holy Eucharist, Christ is fully present both as the priest and as the victim.

He accomplishes his priesthood through the actions of the human priest, who is alter Christus (another Christ) and, who acts "in persona Christi (in the person of Christ)." On the other hand, he accomplishes his role as a victim in the form of bread and wine. All these put together is what we refer to as an "action of grace."

The church teaches us that: "The Eucharist is the source and the summit of the Christian life...For in the blessed Eucharist is contained the whole spiritual good of the Church, namely Christ himself...The Eucharist is also the culmination both of God's action, sanctifying the world in Christ and, of the worship men offer to Christ... In brief, the Eucharist is the sum and summary of our faith... " (CCC1324-5). Therefore, today's celebration is a celebration of life, salvation and grace. It teaches us that as real food, the Eucharist is the true body and blood of Christ which nourishes our soul. It is a concrete way through which Christ is divinely present with us every day.

So, when we share in the celebration of the Eucharist, we share in the life of Christ the head and, in the life of the church, his body. This means that we must pay more attention to the Holy Eucharist by spending more time in His divine presence. If we present ourselves before him daily, he will fill us with wisdom and show us the best way to approach life. This means that we should adore and offer Christ the reverence due to him. Any moment spent in the presence of the Most Holy Sacrament is both a golden moment and a moment of grace. *Let us adore Christ saying: "Oh Sacrament Most Holy; Oh, Sacrament Divine, all praises and all thanksgiving be yours in every moment and time."*

God Bless. Fr. Roshan Loy D'Souza, CSC



**REMEMBERING ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH,
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**A Five-day Silent Retreat for
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Monday, July 07, 2025 04:00 PM - Friday, July 11, 2025 01:30 PM
Psalm One tells us that happy is the person who walks in the way of the Lord. Each day we are on the road again – seeking that happiness as we seek to avoid the 'path of the sinner' (Ps. 1). The Evil one obviously will put up roadblocks, detours, no u-turns, forks in the road, even no entry signs. In the Exodus from Egypt, the Hebrews were led by God with a pillar of cloud during the day and a pillar of fire through the night. That same God walks with us day and night. 'Procedamus in Pace' – Let us go forth in peace. Facilitated by Fr. Michael Coutts, SJ.

This retreat, begins on Monday afternoon with dinner and ends with lunch on Friday. Fr. Michael will lead us each day with conferences, Eucharistic celebration and opportunities for individual spiritual direction with our retreat team.

The suggested offering is \$600 per person which includes four night's accommodation with all meals.

CONTACT: Manresa Jesuit Spiritual Renewal Centre

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THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST : JUNE 22, 2025

The Pope's Monthly Intentions for June, 2025:



That the world might grow in compassion:

Let us pray that each one of us might find consolation in a personal relationship with Jesus, and from his Heart, learn to have compassion on the world.

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Dates: July 07 to July 24:

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Contact: Lin (416- 837-9306) Email: lt098bright@gmail.com



Office Of Catholic Youth: Our Vision & Mission:

Our vision is to guide youth and young adults, to Encounter, Love, and Serve, Jesus Christ.

Please Join the St. Joseph Youth Group.



Karaoke Night: August 09, 2025

Volunteers Appreciation: August 24, 2025

International Food Fest: September 28, 2025

Dinner & Dance: November 22, 2025

Bake Sale: December 21, 2025



WEEKEND COLLECTION:

June 14-15, 2025 : \$ 1,222.70

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† MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, June 22:

10:00 am : † Domingos Oliveira

Req. Maria Carmo Oliveira

† Augusto Abiles & Thanksgiving Intentions

Req. Art & Lorna Edquila

Monday, June 23: NO MASS

Tuesday, June 24:

9:00 am :

Wednesday, June 25:

7:00 pm :

Thursday, June 26:

9:00 am :

Friday, June 27:

7:00 pm:

Saturday , June 28:

5:00 pm : St. Joseph Parish Community

† Judith & Jesus Menaling

Birthday Blessings to Jiann Plazo

Req. Plazo Family

Special Collections: 2025

Mission Coop— July 26-27

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