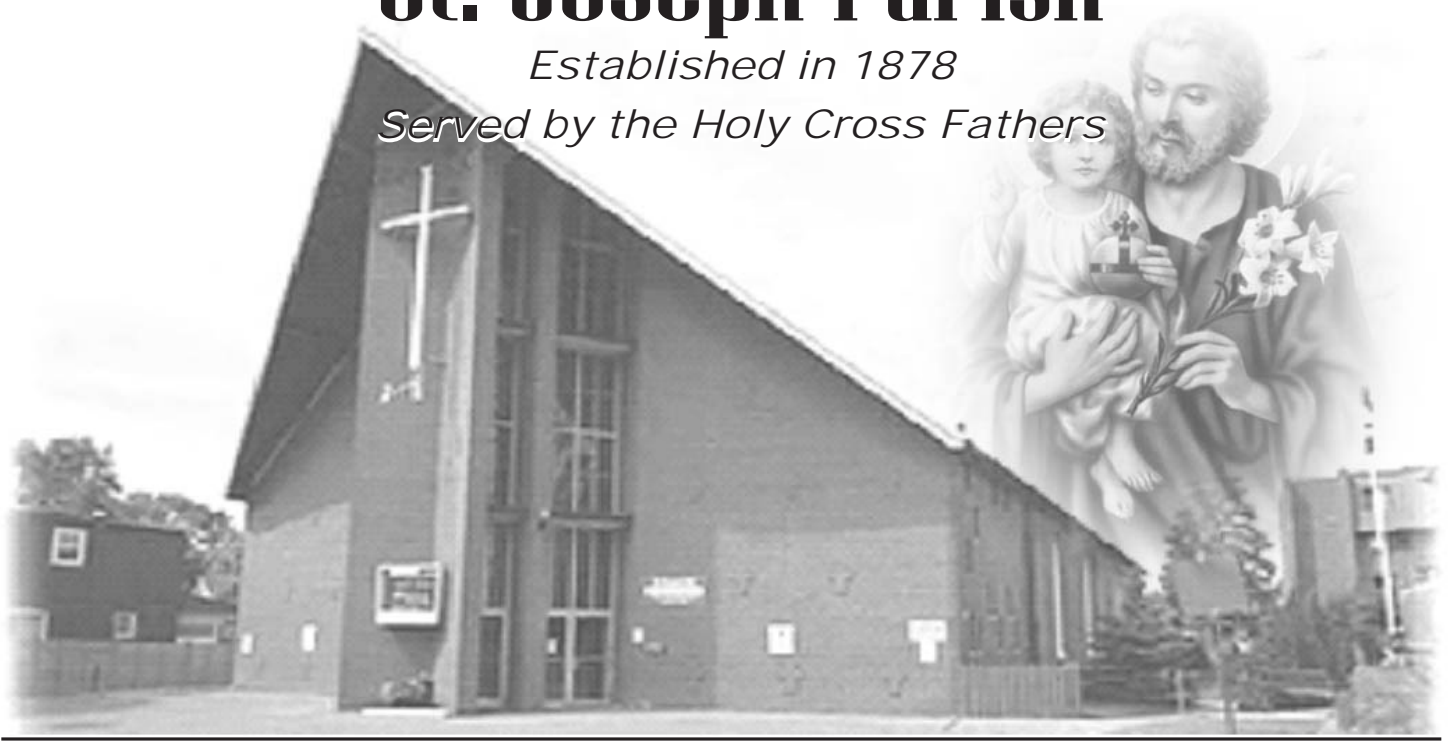


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Pastor: Fr. Roshan Loy D’Souza, CSC
Secretary/Bookkeeper: Nerie Bernal
Custodian: Allan Cobham

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
Legion of Mary
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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:
The Knights of Columbus: 647-885-7299

St. Joseph Catholic School:
Principal: Eoghan Morishita-Miki
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.

Hall Rental: Please contact the parish office at
416-466-7815.

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THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST : JUNE 07, 2026



Corpus Christi

The Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ, traditionally known as Corpus Christi, celebrates one of the greatest treasures of our Catholic faith: the Eucharist. On this special day, the Church invites us to reflect on Jesus' gift of Himself as the Bread of Life and to deepen our appreciation of His real presence among us.

In the first reading from Deuteronomy, Moses reminds the Israelites of their journey through the desert. During those difficult years, God provided manna from heaven to sustain them. Through this experience, they learned that life depends not only on physical food but also on trusting in God's word and providence. The manna was a sign of God's loving care, but it also pointed forward to a greater gift. Just as God fed His people in the wilderness, Jesus now feeds us with His own Body and Blood in the Eucharist. As we journey through the challenges and uncertainties of life, the Eucharist becomes our spiritual nourishment and strength.

In the second reading, Saint Paul the Apostle emphasizes the unity that comes from sharing in the Body and Blood of Christ. He teaches that the bread we break and the cup we bless unite us with Christ and with one another. The Eucharist is not simply an individual act of devotion; it is the sacrament that makes us one family in Christ. Every time we gather for Mass, we are reminded that we belong to a community of believers. Receiving Holy Communion calls us to live in harmony, to forgive others, and to care for one another as members of Christ's body.

The Gospel recounts the miracle of the multiplication of the loaves and fishes. Faced with a large and hungry crowd, the disciples saw only a lack of resources. Jesus, however, took the small offering of bread and fish, blessed it, and multiplied it so that everyone had enough to eat. Not only were the people satisfied, but there were also leftovers. This miracle reveals God's abundant generosity and foreshadows the Eucharist. In every Mass, Jesus continues to feed His people, offering Himself as spiritual food for the life of the world. The Eucharist satisfies a deeper hunger than physical food can ever meet. Every human heart longs for love, peace, forgiveness, and lasting happiness. Jesus responds to these desires by giving Himself completely to us. In Holy Communion, we encounter the living Christ, who strengthens us in times of weakness and guides us on our journey of faith.

This feast also challenges us to live what we celebrate. Having received Christ in the Eucharist, we are called to become His presence in the world.

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

*From the
Pastor's
Desk*



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, Contact:**
St. Joseph Church office : 416 466 7815 / 416 518 0276.



Archdiocese of Toronto

**Men & Women 5-day Retreat: "Illuminating the
Darkness." Navigating Dark and Tumultuous Times
with the Tools of the Spirit,**

**Monday, June 08, 2026 04:00 PM - Friday, June 12, 2026
01:30 PM Manresa Jesuit Spiritual Renewal Centre**

Men & Women 5-day Silent Retreat: These are trying times for many people. Surrounded by darkness, negativity, uncertainty, hatred and violence, many surrender to despair and hopelessness. But the people of God – the Israelites and Christians – have faced all of these challenges many times in the past. We will revisit their stories in Scripture and discover the spiritual tools that they used in their quest for renewal and hope.

This 5-day retreat, begins on Monday afternoon with dinner and ends with lunch on Friday.

Fr. Scott Lewis, SJ will lead us each day with conferences, Eucharistic Celebration, and an opportunity for individual spiritual direction with our retreat team.

The suggested offering is \$650 per person which includes four nights' accommodation, meals, spiritual direction and retreat program. Facilitated by: Fr. Scott Lewis, SJ. REGISTER: Via email at manresaregistration@outlook.com, online at <https://manresa-canada.ca> or call 905-839-2864.

**Rediscover the joy in your marriage...make your marriage
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Marriage Encounter Weekend #11, June 13 & 14, 2026, 8:30
a.m. St. Marcellinus Catholic Secondary School (Chapel)

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Presiding Priest: Rev. Armand Galay, M.Afr.

Online Registration: <https://forms.gle/Zgei6UaZdzNKBE7b8>

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The Pope's Monthly Intentions for June 2026:

For the Value of Sports : Let us pray that sports be an instrument of peace, encounter and dialogue among cultures and nations, and that they promote such as respect, solidarity and personal growth.



Children's Liturgy of the Word

"Let the little children come to me..." (Matthew 19:14) The goal of the Children's Liturgy is to help young children celebrate the Liturgy of the Word in a way that is meaningful and appropriate for their age.

We warmly invite parents to bring their children to the Sunday 10:00 am Mass at St. Joseph's Church and encourage them to take part in this special liturgical experience.

Calling All Children! Join Our Altar Servers and Children's Choir!

We warmly invite all children to become part of two very special ministries in our church community:



Altar Servers: Would you like to help at Mass in a special way? Altar serving is a wonderful opportunity for children to grow in faith, learn more about the Mass, and serve God and the parish. Training will be provided.



Children's Choir: Do you love to sing? Join our joyful Children's Choir and help lead the parish in worship through music! Choir members learn new songs, develop their musical gifts, and make new friends.



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.



Confirmation Schedule:

June 20, 2026 Saturday 10:00 am
Celebration of the Sacrament of Confirmation.



First Communion Schedule:

June 27, 2026 Saturday 10:00 am
Celebration of the Sacrament of Holy Communion.



WEEKEND COLLECTION:

May 30-31, 2026: \$ 1,112..00

Thank you for your constant support and generous contribution.

Kindly contribute through Pre - Authorized Giving.

Forms are available in the foyer.

A Big thanks to Knights of Columbus, Council 9079.



† MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, June 07:

10:00 am : † **Domingos Oliveira**

Req. Maria Carmo Oliveira

Monday, June 08: NO MASS

Tuesday, June 09:

9:00 am : † **Brenda Malone**

Req. Justin MacNeil

Wednesday, June 10:

7:00 pm : † **Federico Arrarte**

Req. Arrarte Family

Thursday, June 11:

9:00 am :

Req.

Friday, June 12:

7:00 pm:

Req.

Saturday, June 13:

5:00 pm: **St. Joseph Parish Community**

ST. JOSEPH, PRAY FOR US.

O Holy Saint Joseph, protector of the Holy Family, we place our home under your loving care. Grant us the



gifts of deep peace, patience, and unconditional love.

Protect us from all physical and spiritual harm, and provide for our daily needs. Teach us to live in perfect unity and guide our family safely to your heavenly home. Amen.

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