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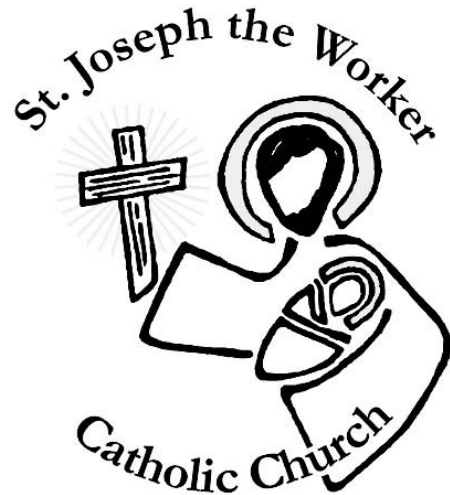
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New parishioners please register at office.

OFFICE HOURS

Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri: 10:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
(Closed 12:00 noon - 1:00 p.m.)
Thursday: 10:00am - 2:00pm
Saturday: 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
(Closed 12:00 noon - 1:00 p.m.)
Sunday: 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.



SUNDAY MASSES

ENGLISH: Sat. 5:00 p.m.
ITALIAN: Sun. 9:00 a.m.
ENGLISH: Sun. 10:30 a.m. & 12:30 p.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday - Wed. & Fri.: 7:00 p.m. English
Saturday: 9:00 a.m. Bilingual

Adoration/Holy Hour: Every Thursday 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Adorazione/Ora Santa: Ogni Giovedi 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

PERPETUAL ADORATION: Chapel open 24 hours, 7 days a week.
Please contact the office to register for adoration.

CONFESSIONS: Saturday: 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. or please call the office for an appointment.

BAPTISMS: Four preparation classes required. Please contact the parish office for dates.

MARRIAGE: 12 Months in advance. Preparation Course required.

HOLY COMMUNION AT HOME: On request

PARISH GROUPS

Altar Servers: Every 1st Wednesday 4:30 p.m.; 1st Thursday 5:00 p.m.; 1st Saturday 1:30 p.m.

Bible Study Every Monday at 7:30 p.m.

Catholic Women's League: 2nd Wed. at 7:00 p.m.

Eucharistic Apostles of the Divine Mercy (EADM): Every Saturday at 7:00 p.m.

Knights of Columbus: 3rd Tue. at 7:30 p.m.

Maintenance Group: Contact maintenance@stjw.ca

Precious Blood Devotion Group: Every Thursday 10pm-1am; Every 3rd Thursday & 3rd Friday 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Youth Group: Please contact sjwyouthgroup@gmail.com

RESOURCE CENTRE Open for 30 minutes after each weekend mass. Contact stjwrc@stjw.ca

SCREENING COMMITTEE Contact stjwscrncom@stjw.ca

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Mass This Week

March
4 - 10

Sunday March 4	9:00am	Salvatore Prioriello
	10:30am	Souls in Purgatory
	12:30pm	Souls in Purgatory
Monday March 5	7:00pm	Francisco & Enrica Canlas; Loereta Quizon; Carmelita Navarro; Teresa, Modesto & Apolinario B. Pilar; All Souls in Purgatory;
Tuesday March 6	7:00pm	Salvatore, Carmela & Rafaele Giraldi; Emilia Nudo
Wednesday March 7	7:00pm	Paul Georgopoulos
Thursday March 8	7:00pm	Community Holy Hour
Friday March 9	7:00pm	Needs & Intentions of the Parishioners of SJW
Saturday March 10	9:00am	Souls in Purgatory
	5:00pm	Jose Chiu (3 yrs)

Events This Week

March
4 - 10

Sunday March 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Good Shepherd • Mass & Children's Liturgy • 2:00pm Baptisms (Church) • 2:30pm Passion Play Practice
Monday March 5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 7:00pm Bible Study (Hall)
Tuesday March 6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Events Taking Place
Wednesday March 7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10:00am Senior Program (Hall) • 6:30pm Perpetual Novena (Church) • 7:30pm Paul, Apostle of Christ Series (Church)
Thursday March 8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 7:00pm Lector's Meeting (St. Joseph Room) • 10:00pm Precious Blood Devotion Adoration (Chapel)
Friday March 9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 7:00pm Eucharistic Ministers Meeting (St. Joseph Room) • 7:45pm Stations of the Cross (Church)
Saturday March 10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4:00pm Confessions • 5:00pm Mass • 7:00pm-9:00pm EADM Prayer Meeting (Church & Hall)

Bible Study

EVERYONE IS WELCOME - JOIN US THIS WEEK

TORAH – PENTATEUCH DAY 15
Ministry of Jesus in the Four Gospels
Everyone is welcome!
Bring your own Bible.

ST. PAUL, APOSTLE OF CHRIST LENT SERIES

Registration for our new Lent Series, “**St. Paul, Apostle of Christ**” is still open. The talk will be for **every Wednesday of Lent** (Feb. 28, Mar. 4, 21, 28 - excluding March Break) from 7:30pm – 9:30pm. The fee is \$10 per person. Sign up in the foyer or in the office after all weekend masses.

- Session 1 – Persecutor to Preacher
- Session 2 – The Letters of Paul
- Session 3 – The Mercy of Jesus
- Session 4 – The Power of the Spirit

The sessions include a 40 minute talk by Vlad followed by a one hour small group discussion.

REMINDER:

- **Tax Receipts** are available for pick up after all weekend masses in the foyer or in the church office during the week.

REMINDER:

- **Stations of the Cross** will take place every Friday evening of Lent after the 7pm mass.

UPCOMING EVENTS

FIRST COMMUNION CLASSES

First Communion classes for Catholic School students begin **Saturday, January 13th at 10am**. All classes will be held in the hall located in the basement of the Church. Attendance to all classes is **mandatory**.

NO CLASS	March 10	NO CLASS
NO CLASS	March 17	NO CLASS
NO CLASS	March 24	NO CLASS

REMINDER FOR PARENTS

- 1) FIRST CONFESSION
→ Tuesday, March 20 at 7:00pm
- 2) PARENTS' MEETING
→ Saturday, April 7 at 10:00am

CONFIRMATION CLASSES

Confirmation classes begin **Saturday, January 13th at 2:30pm**. Please meet in the Main Church. Attendance to all classes is **mandatory**.

NO CLASS	March 10	NO CLASS
NO CLASS	March 17	NO CLASS
NO CLASS	March 24	NO CLASS

REMINDER FOR PARENTS & SPONSORS

- Meeting #1
→ Saturday, April 21 at 2:30pm
- Meeting #2
→ Wednesday, April 25 at 7:45pm

EASTER 2018 SCHEDULE

- Please see insert for mass schedule.
- The mass schedule can also be checked via telephone by calling **905-660-1253** then **1** for Mass Schedule, then **3** for Holiday Mass Schedule.

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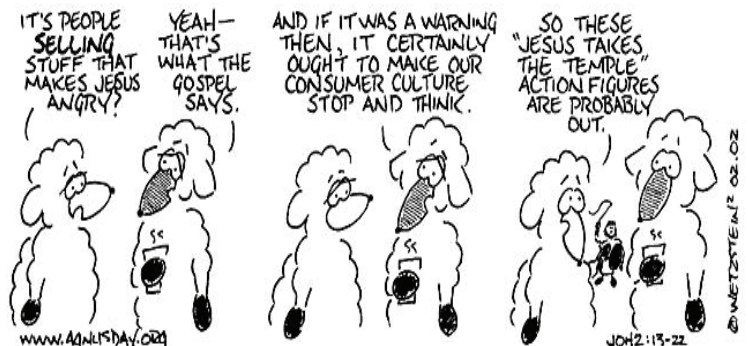
Tickets are **\$15 each** and can be purchased after all weekend masses or in the office during the weekdays. The show is recommended for the ages of **10 & older**.

STEUBENVILLE 2018

Registration for Steubenville 2018 Boston is still open. A \$150 deposit is required to secure a spot. Full registration fee is \$550. The dates are **July 10 to July 15, 2018**. Please go to the main office to sign up.

COME AND SEE WEEKEND

Come and See Weekend- Friday, March 23 (begins at 6:30 p.m.) to Sunday, March 25 (ends at 1:30 p.m.), at St. Augustine's Seminary: Inviting single Catholic men 17 years and older, to cultivate a deeper prayer life and relationship with Jesus Christ; leading to be a better discernment of God's call for their lives. Time for prayer, reflection and information on the process of becoming one of Christ's disciples as a Catholic priest. Register online at www.vocationstoronto.ca. Registrants 17 years old require parental consent. For more information, please contact (the Parish Priest) or the Office of Vocations at: 416 968 0997; email: vocations@archtoronto.org.



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