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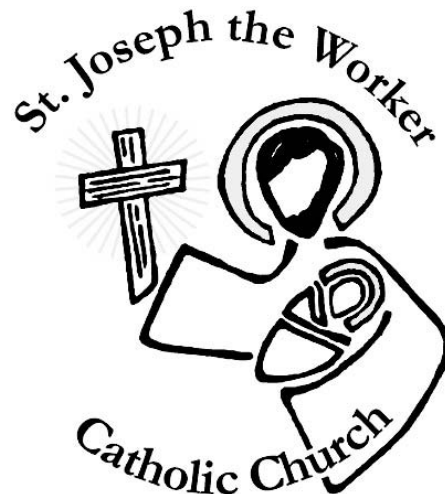
OFFICE HOURS

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 Giovedì 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

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL: For assistance call 647-303-2621.

FERTILITY CARE TORONTO: For assistance call 416-465-2868 or visit www.fertilitycare.ca

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

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Mass This Week

December
9-15

Sunday December 9	9:00am	Leo & Luigino Bravo
	10:30am	Thanksgiving for Monika's Teaching Vocation & to stop Abortion worldwide
	12:30pm	Hoane Vu
Monday December 10	7:00pm	Thanksgiving; Baby Jesus;
Tuesday December 11	7:00pm	Vittorio Silvestri; John Ferreira; Maria Adriana & Antonio Tavres; St. Lucia; Blessings for the Gerritsen Family;
Wednesday December 12	7:00pm	NO MASS
Thursday December 13	7:00pm	Community Holy Hour
Friday December 14	7:00pm	Manuel Sousa
Saturday December 15	9:00am	Lerru Desamero
	5:00pm	Sandra Yu

Events This Week

December
9-15

Sunday December 9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mass & Children's Liturgy
Monday December 10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 7:00pm Bible Study (Hall)
Tuesday December 11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No events taking place
Wednesday December 12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 7:00- 9:00pm Confession Night
Thursday December 13	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10:00pm Precious Blood Devotion Adoration (Chapel)
Friday December 14	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No events taking place
Saturday December 15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 9:00am Mass • 4:00pm Confessions • 4:40pm Novena (Church) • 5:00pm Mass & Children's Liturgy

Bible Study

EVERYONE IS WELCOME - JOIN US THIS WEEK

TORAH – PENTATEUCH DAY 39 Ministry of Jesus in the Four Gospels

Please bring your own Bible

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UPCOMING EVENTS

2019 MASS INTENTIONS

The office will now be taking Mass Intentions for 2019. Please fill out a Mass Offering Request Form to request your mass intentions. Once you have filled out the form, return it to the office where we will book the masses for you. Families may offer multiple names for each mass they request.

REMINDER – Each household may offer:

- **2 weekend Single Intention Masses (Saturday or Sunday)***
- **4 weekday Multiple Intention Masses (Monday or Tuesday 7:00pm mass)**

*Note: *Single Intention Masses on Wednesdays & Fridays at 7:00pm, and Saturdays at 9:00am are designated for Special Death Anniversaries: 1 month, 30 days, 40 days, 1 year, 5 years, 10 years, etc.*

PLEASE NOTE: WE DO NOT HAVE PRIVATE MEMORIAL MASSES – Single Intention Masses on Wednesdays & Fridays at 7:00pm and Saturdays at 9:00am are for Special Death Anniversaries (1 month, 30 days, etc.), are **open to be attended by anyone in the congregation and the homilies for all masses are based on the gospel of the day.**

PASSION PLAY 2019

If you would like to be part of our Passion Play 2019, sign-up sheets are available in the foyer for acting, dancing, singing and instruments. We are looking specifically for more male actors and anyone who plays string instruments: Violin, Cello and Viola. Lastly, all ages are welcome to join the choir.

CONFESSIONS NIGHT

Our **Advent Confessions Night** will be on **Wednesday, December 12th** starting at **7:00pm**. There will be several priests in attendance to hear confessions in a variety of languages. *Mark your calendars!*

SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT

DE PAUL FOOD DRIVE

DECEMBER 15-16, 2018

The St. Vincent De Paul Society will be doing a food drive to replenish the bare shelves of the St. Augustine Food Bank in the Jane/Finch area. Please bring the following items:

- Canned Beans, Chick Peas and Luncheon Meat
- Flour, Oil and Sugar
- Baby Food
- Cereal & Cookies
- Canned Tuna & Tomatoes

NEW YEAR'S EVE

DINNER/DANCE

On **Monday, December 31, 2018** come and celebrate the New Year of 2019 with us in the parish hall!!! Enjoy a sit-down dinner, wine, beer, door prizes, raffle, champagne and panettone at midnight and much more!!! Reception at 6:00PM and Dinner at 7:00PM. **Tickets are \$70 for adults, \$35 for children 6 – 12 years old, and kids 5 & under are free.** Tickets can be purchased in the office during regular office hours or by contacting **Tony at 416-505-9219** or **Mike at 416-508-5283.**

The last date to purchase tickets is December 30, 2018. We will not be selling tickets at the door on the day of this event.

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