

St. Joseph The Worker Parish

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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 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

Occasionally times of liturgical celebrations & parish activities must be adjusted,
please do not hesitate to call the office to verify these events.

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

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Mass This Week

March
10 to 16

Sunday March 10	9:00am	Anna & Amerigo Filippi
	10:30am	Enzo Cardillo
	12:30pm	Isagani Naco
Monday March 11	7:00pm	Juan Manuel Mijares; Americo Santos; Lindaflor Orquiola; Cristeta Diaz Esplana; Blessings for healing Luisito Bernardez, Amos Dumpit and Edd Banez;
Tuesday March 12	7:00pm	Rosita Lambino; Antonio Mario Magagna; Blessing for Baby Tobias Gerritsen;
Wednesday March 13		Souls in Purgatory
Thursday March 14	7:00pm	Community Holy Hour
Friday March 15	7:00pm	Ghodsieh Mostaghim, Celedonia Labayen, Lindaflor Orquiola, Virginia Bulatao;
Saturday March 16	9:00am	Souls in Purgatory
	5:00pm	Souls in Purgatory

Events This Week

March
10 to 16

Sunday March 10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mass & Children's Liturgy 2:30pm Passion Play Rehearsal (Church & Hall)
Monday March 11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 7:30pm Bible Study (St. Joseph's Room)
Tuesday March 12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No events taking place
Wednesday March 13	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10:00am Seniors' Program (Hall) 6:30pm Perpetual Novena (Church)
Thursday March 14	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10:00pm Precious Blood Devotion Adoration (Chapel)
Friday March 15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 7:30pm Stations of the Cross (Church)
Saturday March 16	<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 47 Ministry of Jesus in the Four Gospels

Please bring your own Bible
If you would like course material, please e-mail:
bible.stjw@gmail.com

FIRST COMMUNION CLASSES

All classes will be held in the hall located in the basement of the Church. Attendance to all classes is **mandatory**.

NO CLASS	March 16	MARCH BREAK
Class #8	March 23	10am – 12pm
Class #9	March 30	10am – 12pm

REMINDER FOR PARENT' MEETING

Saturday, March 30 @ 10:00am-12:00pm

CONFIRMATION CLASSES

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

NO CLASS	March 16	MARCH BREAK
Class #8	March 23	2:30 – 4:30pm
Class #9	March 30	2:30 – 4:30pm

REMINDER FOR PARENTS & SPONSORS

Meeting #2
Tuesday, March 26 @ 7:45pm

UPCOMING EVENTS

STJW LENT SERIES

We will be hosting a four part series this Lent about **FINDING JOY: The Bible's Harsh Truths about Life that you need to hear.** All sessions will be conducted by Fr. Steven Kwon from 8:00pm-9:00pm.

- **Session 1: Monday, March 25, 2019.**
Topic: Suffering shows your true character
 - The first five of the ten commandments
- **Session 2: Monday, April 1, 2019.**
Topic: It's not about you
 - The last five of the ten commandments
- **Session 3: Monday, April 8, 2019.**
Topic: Your feelings aren't everything
 - The first five sayings of the savage Jesus
- **Session 4: Monday, April 15, 2019.**
Topic: Suffering is not optional
 - The last five sayings of the savage Jesus

The registration fee is \$20.00. Register in the Foyer after weekend masses or in the Parish Office. For more information, please pick up a flyer in the church foyer or visit www.stjw.ca.

LENT RECONCILIATION

Lent Confessions will be heard on Wednesday, March 27th, 2019, starting at 7pm. Priests will be stationed in the Church & Hall to hear confessions. There will be no 7pm mass.

1 JOHN 1:9

“If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us *our* sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.”

SAVE THE DATE:

LADIES AFTERNOON HIGH TEA

The Catholic Women's League (CWL) of St. Joseph the Worker is hosting a “Ladies Afternoon High Tea” on **Sunday, May 26** from 2:00pm-5:00pm. Limited number of tickets will be sold starting April 27 & 28. All ladies of the parish are welcome to join in the fun and fellowship – invite your friends too! For more information contact **Mary Lynn Porto** at **(905) 417-2929** or, email: jandml@rogers.com.

RETROUVAILLE WEEKEND: HELP FOR TROUBLED MARRIAGES

If you are thinking of separation or divorce or you are already separated, but want to try again then Retrouvaille can help. This is a program to help married couples through difficult times in their marriage relationships and get back on track. It will give you the opportunity to rediscover one another and examine your lives together in a new and positive way. Although Retrouvaille follows the teachings of the Roman Catholic Church, couples of other faith expressions are also welcome. This event will take place in Mississauga, from **Friday, April 26, 2018 at 6:00 pm to Sunday, April 28, 2018 at 2:00 pm**. For more information please contact (416)-281-6007, email: info@torontoretrovaille.com or visit their website www.torontoretrovaille.com.

REMINDERS:

- **Passion Play Rehearsals** take place every Sunday from 2:30pm-5:30pm.
- **Stations of the Cross** will take place every Friday evening of Lent after the 7pm mass.

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