

# St. Joseph The Worker Parish

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## Parish Office Team

### Parish Priest

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### Office Manager/Secretary

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### Media Coordinator

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## Office Hours

Monday	Closed
Tuesday to Friday	10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Saturday	10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Sunday	10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

## Parish Groups

### Choirs Groups

5:00 p.m. Mass: Ldefacendis@rogers.com  
10:30 a.m. Mass: Stefania.arizo@gmail.com  
12:00 p.m. Mass: Ldefacendis@rogers.com

### Catholic Women's League

Mary Lynn Porto: jandml@rogers.com

### Hospitality Team

stjwparish@stjw.ca

### Knights of Columbus

Grand Knight: Mike Demedicis  
Mike.demicis@rogers.com

### St Vincent de Paul

For assistance call 647-303-2621  
ssvpsjwc@gmail.com

## MASS SCHEDULE

### Sunday Masses

ENGLISH	Saturday	5:00 p.m.
ITALIAN	Sunday	9:00 a.m.
ENGLISH	Sunday	10:30 p.m.
ENGLISH	Sunday	12:00 p.m.

### Weekday Masses

Tuesday & Thursday	9:00 a.m.
Wednesday & Friday	7:00 p.m.
Saturday	9:00 a.m.

## CONFESSIONS

Saturday 3:00 p.m.- 4:00 p.m. or email msgrkeenan@stjw.ca for an appointment.

## ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Call the office in emergency or serious illness.

## BAPTISMS

Please contact the Parish Office for an appointment.

## MARRIAGE

Please contact the Parish Office at least 12 months in advance.

## HOLY COMMUNION AT HOME

Please call the Parish Office.

## ADORATION CHAPEL

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday 9:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.  
Friday 9:00 a.m. – 7:30 p.m.  
Saturday 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

## RESOURCE CENTRE/GIFT SHOP

Open for 30 minutes after each weekend Mass.  
stjwrc@stjw.ca

## PARISH SCHOOLS

### St Joseph the Worker C.E.S.

475 Brownridge Dr. 905-738-5703

### Our Lady of the Rosary C.E.S.

206 Glenshields Ave. 905-669-6690

### St Elizabeth C.H.S.

525 New Westminster Dr. 905-882-1460

### York Catholic School Board Trustee

Jennifer Wigston 416-835-0307  
Jennifer.wigston@ycdsb.ca

## MASS READINGS

**First Reading:** Isaiah 66.10-14

**Second Reading:** Galatians 6.14-18

**Gospel:** Luke 10.1-12, 17-20

## MASS INTENTIONS

**Sunday, 3 July, 9:00 AM (Italian)**

+ Fiorella & Enzo Quattrini

**Sunday, 3 July, 10:30 AM**

For all parishioners

**Sunday, 3 July, 12:00 PM**

Special Intentions for the Ariganello & Newton Family

**Tuesday, 5 July, 9:00 AM**

+ Freny Patell

**Wednesday, 6 July, 7:00 PM**

+ Tony Escolar

**Thursday, 7 July, 9:00 AM**

+ For all parishioners

**Friday, 8 July, 7:00 PM**

+ John Robertson,

Special Intentions for Sharon Ahlan

**Saturday, 9 July, 9:00 AM**

+ Moises & Julieta De Los Santos

**Saturday, 9 July, 5:00 PM**

+ Vladimir Jurki

The parishioners of StJW would like to give a warm welcome to Fr Victor Amole as our newly appointed parish priest.

We thank the Lord for the gift of your faith-filled life and your dedicated service, and we pray that the Holy Spirit will sustain and strengthen you as you serve our parish. God bless you!

## STJW T-SHIRT ORDERS

Order forms and sample sizes can be found in the foyer after Mass. The sizes range from Toddler T2 - Adult 2XL. Adult (men and women) sizing is \$20 and youth sizing (toddler and youth) is \$15.

## PAPAL VISIT TO CANADA:

### Indigenous & The Church: Forward Together

Pope Francis will make a pastoral visit to Canada in 2022, focused on Indigenous Healing and Reconciliation. This will be the fourth papal journey to Canada and the first since Saint John Paul II's visit in 2002. The pilgrimage will provide an opportunity for the Holy Father to address the impact of colonization and the Catholic Church's role in the operation of residential schools in Canada. As shepherd of the world's 1.2 billion Catholics, the Holy Father will also have an opportunity to connect with the Catholic community in Canada. Donations through this page will support the Papal Visit to Canada, separate from fundraising taking place locally to support the Indigenous Reconciliation Fund. Visit [papalvisit.ca](http://papalvisit.ca) for more information.

Please Continue to pray for truth, reconciliation and healing within and between our Indigenous brothers and sisters and our Church and country. St Kateri Tekakwitha: Pray for us!

## FEAR-LESS RETREAT

Interested in deepening your relationship with Christ, and building life-long friendships? The Fear-Less Retreat is designed for all youth in grade 7 - 12, and will take place from Friday 15 July to Sunday 17 July. Registration will take place after Mass in the foyer. For more information email [stjwyouth@gmail.com](mailto:stjwyouth@gmail.com).

## STREET PATROL

Our upcoming trip to Street Patrol is on Saturday 9 July 2022. We will meet downstairs in the Church Kitchen at 9:30 a.m. to make meal packages before we head downtown. In the days leading up to our deliveries, we welcome the following donations:

- Food items such as sliced bread, deli meat, sliced cheese, juice boxes and peanut-free granola bars.
- Gift Cards to shop at Walmart, No Frills, McDonalds and Tim Hortons.

All Donations can be dropped off at the Church Office.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## PASSION PROCESSION MEETING

We are planning to organize a Passion Procession on Good Friday of next year. There will be a meeting held for anyone interested in participating on Wednesday 6 July after the 7:00 p.m. Mass.

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## MASS FOR THE FAITHFULLY DEPARTED

Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services will celebrate their annual Mass for the Faithful Departed on Wednesday 17 August 2022 at 7:00 p.m. Masses throughout the GTA and Barrie will take place at all of the Catholic Cemetery Locations. Find below the list of cemeteries and the corresponding Celebrant for each Mass.

- Assumption Cemetery Mississauga - Most Rev. Ivan Camilleri
  - Christ the King Cemetery, Markham - Most Rev. Robert Kasun
  - **Holy Cross Cemetery, Thornhill - His Eminence Thomas Cardinal Collins**
  - Mount Hope Cemetery, Toronto - Rev. Msgr. Paul Zimmer
  - Queen of Heaven Cemetery, Woodbridge - Rev. Msgr. John Borean
  - Resurrection Cemetery, Whitby - Most Rev. Vincent Nguyen
  - St. Mary's Cemetery, Barrie - Most Rev. John A. Boissonneau
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## YCDSB ELEMENTARY SCHOOL REGISTRATION

Register your child at a York Catholic District School Board elementary school for the 2022 - 2023 school year during the months of July and August by visiting [www.ycdsb.ca/admissions](http://www.ycdsb.ca/admissions). More information can be found on the website.

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"Your peace will rest upon them"  
- Luke 10:6

## CONFIRMATION SCHEDULE FOR 2022-2023

### Parent Meeting:

**Thursday, 13 October 2022 at 7:00 p.m.**

- Registration Forms will be available on our website starting in August 2022
- Registration will be completed via Google Forms
- Parents must visit the office to submit the necessary documentation/fees by Sunday, 11 December 2022.
- Note: Confirmation Preparation Course for ALL Confirmandi will be offered by the parish. Attendance is mandatory for all Confirmandi.

### Confirmation Masses:

**Our Lady of the Rosary C.E.S. & Other Schools:  
27 May 2023 at 10:00 a.m.**

**St. Joseph the Worker C.E.S.:  
27 May 2023 at 1:00 p.m.**

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## FIRST HOLY COMMUNION SCHEDULE FOR 2022-2023

### Parent Meeting:

**Thursday, 6 October 2022 at 7:00 p.m.**

- Registration Forms will be available on our website starting in August 2022
- Registration will be complete via Google Forms
- Parents must visit the office to submit the necessary documentation/fees by Sunday, 11 December 2022.
- Note: FHC Preparation Course for ALL Communicants will be offered by the parish. Attendance is mandatory for all Communicants.

### The Celebration of Holy Mass with 1st

#### Communicants:

**Saturday, 22 April 2023 - 5:00 p.m.**  
**Sunday, 23 April 2023 - 12:00 p.m.**  
**Saturday, 29 April 2023 - 5:00 p.m.**  
**Sunday, 30 April 2023 - 12:00 p.m.**

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