

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday to Friday 10:00 am to 5:00 pm

Saturday 10:00 am to 6:00 pm

Closed for Lunch 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Monday, Sunday and Statutory Holidays CLOSED

We celebrate Memorial, Clubs, and Groups Masses according to the parish schedule as a regular intention. We <u>DO NOT</u> celebrate Private Masses. MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday & Wednesday 9:00 am

Thursday & Friday 7:00 pm

> Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am (Italian) 10:30 am 12:00 pm

RECONCILIATION Saturdays 4:00 – 4:45 pm and upon appointment

SOCIETY OF ST VINCENT DE PAUL Lay Catholic organization whose mission is to live the Gospel message by serving Christ in the poor with love, respect, justice and joy. For assistance, please contact: 647-303-2621

SCHOOLS ASSOCIATED TO THE PARISHSt Joseph the Worker C.E.S. 475 Brownridge Dr.905-738-5703Our Lady of the Rosary C.E.S. 206 Glenshields Ave.905-669-6690St Elizabeth C.H.S.525 New Westminster Dr.905-882-1460

ADORATION CHAPEL Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Tuesday to Saturday from 9:30 am to 5:00 pm

BAPTISM

To baptize your child at our Church, it is necessary for you to be registered with the Parish and attend Mass regularly. Baptisms are held most Saturdays of the month at 3:00 pm. For more information, please contact the office or visit our website.

MARRIAGE

Please contact the office at least one year in advance. Weddings are held at 12 pm on most Saturdays of the month.

NEW PARISHIONERS Please visit our website download the fillable registration form, and kindly submit it to the parish office.

Mass Readings

First Reading: Nehemiah 8.2-4, 5-6, 8-10 **Second Reading:** 1 Corinthians 12.12-14, 27 **Gospel:** Luke 1.1-4, 4.14-21

Mass Intentions

Saturday 25 January, 5:00 PM

+ Carlito & Romaldine Misquita

Sunday 26 January, 9:00 AM (Italian) + Francesco Presta

Sunday 26 January, 10:30 AM For all Parishioners

Sunday 26 January, 12:00 PM + Fiorella & Enzo Quattrini

Tuesday 28 January, 7:00 PM + Domenico & Stella Giovinzazzo + Stephanie Tang Blessings for C. Tang

Wednesday 29 January, 7:00 PM + Marcello Concetta Bruni + Domenic & Concette Pedote

+Santa Giovanna Chiaramida

Thursday 30 January 2025, 9:00 AM + Minda Morado

Friday 31 January 2025, 9:00 AM + Lindaflor Pangilinan Orquiola

Jubilee Prayer

Father in heaven, may the *faith* you have given us in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother, and the flame of *charity* enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, reawaken in us the blessed *hope* for the coming of your Kingdom.

May your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel. May those seeds transform from within both humanity and the whole cosmos in the sure expectation of a new heaven and a new earth, when, with the powers of Evil vanquished, your glory will shine eternally.

> May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, *Pilgrims of Hope*, a yearning for the treasures of heaven. May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth. To you our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise for ever. Amen.

Celebration of Marriage Mass with Bishop Ivan Camilleri – Feb. 9, 2025, at 2:30 p.m.

As part of Marriage Sunday 2025 celebrations, Bishop Ivan Camilleri will preside at a special Mass to honour married couples, with special recognition for those celebrating 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th and 60+ wedding anniversaries in 2025. The Mass will take place at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, Feb. 9, 2025, at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica (65 Bond St., Toronto). All married couples will have an opportunity to renew their marriage commitment during the Mass. All are welcome to attend. Couples celebrating a 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th or 60+ anniversary in 2025 may register for reserved seating. Reserved seating is limited, so please register early. All other seating is on a first-come, first served basis. Those who are unable to attend at the Cathedral are invited to join the celebration via livestream Mass. Registration and other important information can be found at <u>www.archtoronto.org/marriage</u>.

For more information and registration please visit www.archtoronto.org/marriage

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The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time (January 26 – February 1)

LIVE FROM NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA



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FOOD ITEMS

Roast Pork | BBQ Chicken | Chili | Rice | Potatoes | Salads | Sweets Soft Drinks | Water | Coffee | Tea Beer & Wine - \$5.00 {ID Required}

COST

\$30 Per Person | Children 8 and Under are Free Price Includes Buffet Dinner, and Hot & Cold Beverages Contact: Mike De Medicis - (416) 508-5283 | Mark Clow - (416) 826-9131

<u>Ministry of Hospitality</u>

We are looking for volunteers to join the Hospitality Ministry (Ushers). If interested, please contact the Parish Office during office hours or email

First Friday Adoration

Friday February 7, 2025, at 7:00 p.m.

Mass will be at 9:00 a.m. Come and let us pray together!

Bible Study

Wednesday January 29, 2025

To deepen your understanding of this powerful Gospel, we invite you to join us for a Bible study with Mr. John Campanella.

Sessions will take place every Wednesday after the 7:00 pm Mass in the church hall. Everyone is warmly welcome to attend. Come, and journey with us.

<u>MANDATORY</u> <u>CONFIRMATION PARENT</u> <u>& SPONSOR MEETING</u> <u>RESCHEDULED</u> To Thursday January 30, 2025 from 7:00 – 9:00 pm

<u>A Message from</u>

the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul

Thank you for your generous donations to our Christmas collection. We raised \$6128 of which \$3753 has already been given to our neighbours in need. You will receive a tax receipt from the SSVP before the end of February if you provided your envelope number or name and address and donated over \$25.

To learn more, join our mission, or donate to our group, please send us an email at <u>ssvpsjwc@gmail.com</u> or call our help line at 647-303-2621 and leave a message.

To learn more about the work of the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul across the Archdiocese and beyond please visit <u>www.SSVPToronto.ca</u>.

