

# ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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#### **PASTOR**

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#### **OFFICE HOURS**

## Tuesday to Friday

10:00 am to 5:00 pm

#### Saturday

10:00 am to 5:00 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**

7:00 pm

#### **Thursday& Friday**

9:00 am

#### 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

#### 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 in person.

#### **SOCIETY OF ST VINCENT DE PAUL**

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# **Mass Readings**

First Reading Ecclesiastes 1.2; 2.21 - 23

**Second Reading** Colossians 3. 1 – 5, 9 - 11

**Gospel** Luke 12. 13 - 21

#### **Mass Intentions**

#### Saturday August 2, 2025

#### 5:00 PM

+ Jenny Pasek

#### Sunday August 3, 2025

#### 9:00 AM (Italian)

+ Giovanni & Teresa Capisciolti

#### 10:30 AM

For all Parishioners

#### 12:00 PM

+ Carlito Gonzales

#### Tuesday August 5, 2025

#### 7:00 PM

- + Esther Gonzales
- + Fiorella & Enzo Quattrini

#### Wednesday August 6, 2025

#### 7:00 PM

- + Giuseppe & Francesca Quintino
- + Ida & Giulio Romano

Family Blessing for The Trinidad – Lentini Family

#### Thursday August 7, 2025

#### 9:00 AM

+ Leticia Nolasco

#### Friday August 8, 2025

#### 9:00 AM

+ Andrew Sibbald

# 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.



### **Summertime Prayer**

May we make our homes places of relaxation, joy, love, peace and safety.

May we be generous and considerate, not thinking only about ourselves, but helping others enjoy the blessings of the summertime.

Lord God, Creator of all things, guide our steps and strengthen our hearts during these months of summer and vacation days.

May we constantly strive to make a meaningful difference in the lives of our loved ones and in the world around us.

Amen

#### **PARISH REMINDERS**



Save the Date - Street Patrol Saturday August 16, 2025 @ 9:00 AM

We gather at 9:00 AM in the parish hall to prepare bagged lunches. We then travel downtown to distribute the food, returning to the parish by 3:30pm

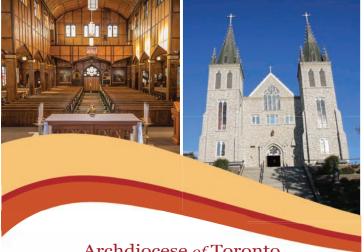


Adoration will be on Friday September 5th, 2025, at 7:00 PM Let us pray together



#### PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

For this parish community, Pilgrims of Hope; may we lovingly accompany the youth of our community as they discern their vocation in Christ and the ways to contribute to the building up of the Kingdom



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## **Jubilee Pilgrimage** to Martvrs' Shrine

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Sunday August 24<sup>th</sup>, 2025





### **Annual Mass for the** Faithful Departed

Wednesday, August 13, 2025, at 7:00 p.m.



Cemetery locations and Celebrants for this year's Annual Mass are as follows:

- Christ the King Cemetery, Markham
- Holy Cross Cemetery, Thornhill
- Queen of Heaven Cemetery, Woodbridge

In the event of rain, masses will be held in:

- Cemetery Office Reception Centre at Christ the King Cemetery
- Holy Family Mausoleum at Holy Cross Cemetery
- St. Anthony's Mausoleum Chapel at Queen of Heaven Cemetery

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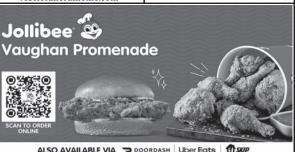
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