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SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil 4:30 pm

Sunday 8:00 am, 9:30 am,
11:00 am, 12:30 pm, 6:00 pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Friday

8:30 am

1st Friday of the month:

7:30 pm Followed by
Holy Hour & Benediction

Saturday 9:00 am

Holiday Mondays

8:30 am Mass only

CONFESSION

Anytime by appointment.

1st Fridays 6:30 - 7:15 pm

Saturday 3:15 - 4:15 pm

DEVOTIONS

Our Mother of Perpetual Help

Mondays at 9:00 am in the Church

Followed by Holy Rosary

with Cenacle M.M.P.

PARISH OFFICE

Sunday: Closed

Monday: Closed

Tuesday - Friday 9 AM - 1 PM

2 PM - 4 PM

(closed for lunch from 1pm - 2pm)

Saturday: 9:30 AM - 2:30 PM

PARISH SCHOOLS

Our Lady of Good Voyage 5850 River Grove Ave
St. Herbert 5180 Fallingbrook Dr
St. Raymond 5735 Whitehorn Ave
St. Barbara 1455 Samuelson Cir

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905-286-1010
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6770 Historic Trail 905-795-2706
249 Church St 905-826-4422
5555 Creditview Rd 905-812-1376

OUR NEW EMAIL ADDRESS:

stjosephmi@archtoronto.org

PARISH TEAM

Fr Paul Dobson Parish Priest

Fr Anish Alex Associate Pastor

Rev. Mr George Jurenas Deacon

SACRAMENTS

Baptism Call the parish office or
email baptisms@stjosephstreetsville.com

First Holy Communion / Confirmation

email sacraments.stjosephmi@gmail.com or call 905-826-2766 ext 226

Anointing of the Sick For the ill and elderly. Contact the parish office.

Marriage Couples must contact the parish office (905-826-2766) or by
email stjosephmi@archtoronto.org

*** **Or refer to our website tab | Sacraments at St. Joseph |**

at <https://stjosephmi.archtoronto.org> **for more information**

MINISTRIES

Catholic Women's League Every 3rd Saturday at 9:30 am.

Rashmy Lobo: cwlrashmy@gmail.com

Divine Mercy Prayer Group Alphonsa Meyn: 416-659-1490

Email: dmpgdurie@gmail.com

Prayer Line: 905-817-1288, elsa_sa@live.com

Knights of Columbus Every 3rd Tuesday at 7:30 pm. Contact Grand
Knight Antonio D'Souza: 647-323-2797, GK8661@ontariokofc.ca

Legion of Mary For inquiries or to have Our Lady of Fatima statue to
visit your home, email stjosephlegionofmary@yahoo.ca

Rosary Apostolate Margaret: 289-914-5747, Aileen: 905-607-6851

St. Joseph's Protectors Pro-life group: stjosephprotectors@gmail.com

St. Vincent de Paul Society Call the parish office **ext. 3**

Youth Ministry Megan ym.stjosephmi@gmail.com

NEW PARISHONERS

[Request Parish Registration](#) at the Office
or on our website in the Contact Us Tab

H O C F A C I T E I N M E A M C O M M E M O R A T I O N E M

MASS INTENTIONS

SAT 11 	
4:30 pm †	Gerald & Marie Haire & Maria & John Martins
SUN 12 	The Ascension of the Lord
8:00 am †	Matilda Ritlop
9:30 am	<i>Prop Popolo</i>
11:00 am †	Josephine Quintiliani
12:30 pm †	Stella Francica
6:00 pm †	Ayary Marroquin
MON 13 	Our Lady of Fatima
8:30 am †	Afonso Botelho
TUES 14 	St. Matthias, Apostle
8:30 am †	Anna Mathew
WED 15 	
8:30 am †	Marjorie Fernandes
THUR 16 	
8:30 am †	Christopher Ferrao
FRI 17 	
8:30 am	<i>Multiple Intentions Mass</i>
SAT 18 	St. John I

THE CARPENTER CAFÉ – MAY 25

Please join us for an evening of talent, treats, and fellowship Hosted by St. Joseph LifeTeen. All proceeds will directly support our youth in attending the Steubenville Conference in Ohio! Email Youth Minister Megan for tickets and see posters for more information. Cash only!

SPIRITUAL WALK-IN MINISTRY

with *Deacon George* – Is suspended for a summer break from May to September. Contact him for a personal appointment at pureandsimple@rogers.com

TOTUS TUUS 2024 Summer Camp

Children grade 1 - 6: July 22 – July 26

Teens grade 7- 12: July 21 – July 25.

email ym.stjosephmi@gmail.com to register.

LOST & FOUND

We have numerous gloves, scarves, kids' jacket and kids umbrella, a small cell phone, sunglasses, a notebook, an earbud, a kid's notebook, etc. Inquire at the parish office or call or email us. Items will be removed by June 30.

CHRIST'S GLORY—OUR HOPE

It seems at first that as our Lord is taken from the Apostles' sight, the Ascension is the end of His closeness to them. Might it perhaps have seemed to them rather like hearing that a loved one, whose imminent death had been announced, has then happily seemed to go into remission, only to find that it was a false dawn, and our loved one has been snatched away from us after all? Yet this was not the Disciples' reaction. St. Mark, in the Gospel we hear today, tells us that at His Ascension Our Lord commanded the Apostles to "*Go into all the world and preach the gospel to the whole creation.*"

St. Mark then tells us that this is exactly what the Apostles did: "*They went forth and preached everywhere...*" Not only were they clearly not bowed down with grief, but they were also endowed with great courage. Having been locked away in the Upper Room after Our Lord's death, out of fear, they were now no longer afraid to go abroad. This was because, as St. Mark tells us: "*the Lord worked with them and confirmed the message by the signs that attended it*". So far from being taken from them, Our Lord is with them and works with them. It is only His bodily presence that has been taken from them, so that they no longer have sight of Him. He is "*with them always, until the end of the world*", as Our Lord promised according to St. Matthew (Mt.28:20), and "*will not leave them orphans*", as St. John writes (Jn. 14:18).

Interestingly, St. John tells us nothing about the Ascension. His Gospel ends with Our Lord's appearance to the Apostles on the shore of the Sea of Tiberias (Galilee). But it was on that occasion that Our Lord alluded to His future return in glory when He said of St. John "*If I want him to stay behind until I return...*". It is that yet-to-come return on the Last Day which we now await in hope, which inspires joy in us today, as the Collect (Opening Prayer) of the Mass says: "*Almighty God, make us rejoice with devout thanksgiving, for the Ascension of Christ your Son is our exaltation, and, where the Head has gone before in glory, the Body is called to follow in hope.*" *We therefore remind ourselves that this life is not our final destiny. Heaven is our true home, and Christ has gone before us to prepare us a place to be with Him for all eternity.*

~ FR. PAUL DOBSON



Pope Francis 
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Today, many countries are celebrating #MothersDay. I wish to remember all mothers with gratitude and affection, entrusting them to the protection of Mary, our heavenly Mother. Let us also remember those mothers who accompany us from Heaven.

MINISTRIES

SHARELIFE – Living the Gospel by supporting people with special needs. Through your kind support, you eased the struggles of 23,000 people by providing access to mental health care. Your compassion provides families access to counselling sessions from our Catholic family agencies. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online at the parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate!

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Mothers' Day Sale May 11 & 12 - After all Masses Happy Mother's Day to all Moms. On sale: Chocolate Roses & Teddy Bears, Jewellery, Bookmarks and so much more!

Mother's Day Afternoon Tea * fundraiser event

Saturday – May 18, 1 – 3 pm in the hall. Cost: \$25 pp,

Register at the Mother's Day sale or

RSVP for this event by April 20 →

For payment: Include CWL Tea Party in the subject or envelope title. Include full name + Telephone/Email address. e-Transfer to cwltheresam@gmail.com

Or bring cash to the parish office in a sealed envelope.



*** SERRA CLUB Vocations message***

Before the Ascension, Jesus tells His Apostles not to leave Jerusalem - to wait - to pray for the Holy Spirit to show them God's will for their future Where is the Holy Spirit leading you? The world really needs to see people who are trying to love others with all their hearts. Priests, religious and deacons can be excellent examples of this love. Call or email Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, at 416-968-0997. www.vocationstoronto.ca

DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP

Prayer Meetings Wednesdays - 7 pm in the Parish Hall

In preparation for the "PENTECOST NIGHT OF PRAYER"
9-DAY NOVENA TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

From: Friday May 10 to Saturday May 18, 2024 – 6.30 p.m.
(Except: Saturday 5.30 pm – Wednesday 6 pm)

"They devoted themselves to constant prayer" (Acts 1:14)

HOLY MASS WITH SPIRITUAL & PHYSICAL HEALING PRAYERS

Wednesday, May 22, 2024 – 6.45 p.m. (Celebrant: Fr. Anish Alex)

"The Lord heals the broken hearted and binds up their wounds". (Psalm 147:3)

"PENTECOST NIGHT OF PRAYER" - WITH HOLY MASS

Wednesday, May 29, 2024 – 6.45 p.m. (Celebrant: Fr. David Avila)

"How much more the Heavenly Father will give
the Holy Spirit to those who ask him." (Luke 11:13)

*** Everyone is welcome at all our meetings and events ***

AROUND THE ARCH

Annual ShareLife Golf Tournament

Monday, June 10 at Royal Woodbine Golf Club in Etobicoke

A day of camaraderie, friendly competition, and fantastic food. Last year, you helped us raise \$66,000 for 30+ Catholic social service agencies and we would love you to join us and bring hope and healing to those in need!

Registration for the Golf Tournament is \$475 per individual and \$1,900 for a foursome and includes golf, cart, BBQ lunch, snacks, hors d'oeuvres, 3 complimentary drink tickets for use on the course or in the club house, and dinner with wine. To confirm your participation, please register or download your registration form at sharelife.org/golf. Tax receipts will be issued for the maximum eligible amount. Registration is fills up quickly so reserve your spot early to avoid disappointment.

We welcome sponsorship and silent auction and prize donations. For more details, please contact Wendy Wong at 416-934-3400 ext. 516 / wwong@archtoronto.org or Thiviya Keethadevan at 416-934-3400 ext. 526 / tkeethadevan@archtoronto.org.

THE MARTYRS' SHRINE OF MIDLAND GALA DINNER

In support of its 100-year renewal of the church and grounds. Join Archbishop Francis Leo, the Jesuit Fathers, and the St. Michael's Boys Choir for this special event on **Wednesday, June 12th**. Tickets are available at martyrs-shrine.com/spring-gala.

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