

Sunday, July 10, 2022

St. John of the Cross Parish

Served by the Carmelites



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BAPTISM

Parents are required to attend the Baptism Preparation Class. They are also encouraged to attend the class prior to the birth of the baby. Godparents are expected to attend the class. A registration package is available at the Parish Office or at our website for download. Email the completed forms to the parish office.

MARRIAGE

It is required that one of those to be married resides within the Parish boundary. Couples planning to be married must contact the Parish office at least one year in advance of their proposed date. They are required to complete a Marriage Preparation Course.

SICK AND HOMEBOUND

Please contact the office.

MASS TIMES

Mondays to Saturdays: 9:00am

Additional Mass on Wednesdays: 7:00pm

Additional Mass on 1st Fridays: 7:00pm

Sundays:

8:00am, 10:00am, 12:00pm, and 4:00pm

Sunday Vigil Mass at 5:00pm on Saturday

RECONCILIATION

6:00-6:45pm before the Wednesday 7pm Mass or by appointment.

PARISH SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday:

9:30am—3:00pm

Saturday:

9:30am—12:00pm and 3:15-6:15pm

Sunday: 9:30am—1:30pm



Click here for
Live Stream

All 9am morning masses, Monday to Saturday and the Saturday 5pm (Sunday Mass) Holy Mass will be livestreamed.

AddMe

To receive parish notifications, weekly bulletin and Sunday Mass link, click AddMe to be added to the Parish Email List.

PLEASE OBSERVE SAFETY PROTOCOLS FOR EVERYONE'S SAFETY:

1. Wear mask
2. Sanitize your hands when you come inside the church

Two Steps for E-Transfer:

1) Send donations to: admin@sjocross.org

2) Send a separate email message to

admin@sjocross.org with your Security Answer, your Name, Phone number, and purpose of this fund.

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**Have a safe and wonderful
summer!**

WEDDING

ANNOUNCEMENT

There is a promise of marriage this
Saturday, July 16th, between



**Brendon Joseph and
Elaine Genete**

Let us pray for this couple as they
prepare for their wedding.

*“In the Carmelite liturgy for the feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel
we contemplate Our Lady as being ‘near the Cross of Christ.’
This is also the place of the Church: close to Christ.” - Pope Francis*

The History Our Lady of Mount Carmel

The Carmelites are dedicated to Our Lady of Mount Carmel. Her Feast Day is July 16th. She is the inspiration of all Carmelite spirituality.

The earliest Carmelites were Crusaders from Europe who were disillusioned with the wars and violence associated with the Crusades. Some were so disappointed that they decided not to return to Europe but rather to stay in the Holy Land on Mount Carmel, the “garden of God,” the mountain of Elijah, and to seek intimacy with God and listen to the divine whisper of hope and presence.

They settled in the wadi-ein-Siah, a dry river bed, which reflected the state of their disillusioned souls. They lived as hermits in caves for a while but eventually needed the prayerful support of others in community. In the 1180s they built a chapel and named it after “Our Lady of this Place” – amid the darkness of disillusionment, they were aware that the Lady of Nazareth was so open to God’s presence that she might rekindle the spark of faith and presence in them. Naz-

areth is just across the Jezreel valley from Mount Carmel. They believed that Mary, “Our Lady of this Place,” would open them to experience Emmanuel, the God who is with us!

Carmelites understand Mary as “our Sister in faith” – she stands beside us making us more aware that where we are is holy ground. Carmelites are officially called the “Brothers of the Blessed Virgin Mary of Mount Carmel.”

In the 13th and 14th centuries, when the Carmelites, along with many other religious communities, were threatened with suppression, the tradition arose that St. Simon Stock had a vision of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, who told him that if the Carmelites wore their apron or habit in faith, that she would take care of them. The Carmelites survived and the tradition of the Brown Scapular of Our Lady of Mount Carmel developed and continues to invite people to live under Mary’s mantle and have her heart, being radically open to God’s presence.

Excerpt from <https://www.littleflower.org/carmelites/our-lady-of-mount-carmel/>



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**Our Lady of Mount Carmel
Feast Day: Saturday, July 16th**

**Blessing of St. John of the Cross Statue
at 4:45pm, before the Holy Mass**

**Procession of the Our Lady of Mount Carmel
statue after the 5pm Holy Mass**

Mark your calendar!



Novena to Our Lady of Mount Carmel

O most beautiful flower of Mount Carmel, splendor of heaven,
Blessed Mother of the Son of God and Mother of mine,
support me by your never failing love and help and protect me.

Show me that you are my Mother.

May I, unworthy as I am, come one day to exchange your scapular
that I had the privilege to wear for the wedding garment of heaven,
and dwell with you and all the saints of Carmel
in the kingdom of your Son.

(Make your petition)

Sweet Mother, I place this cause in your loving hands.
O Mary, my Mother, I consecrate myself to you forever.

I offer you my body with all its miseries,
my soul with all its imperfections,
and my heart with all its affections and desires.

I offer you all my prayers, works, joys
and sufferings, my struggles
and especially my death with all that it will entail.

I unite all of these, Mother, with your own joys and sufferings. Amen.

Our Lady of Mount Carmel, pray for us!

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OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL FEAST DAY

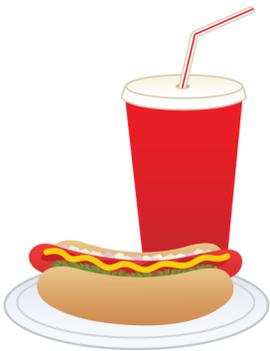
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**Registration: \$48 includes the workbook &
1-year online video access.**

Registration deadline: Monday, August 1st

To register: Come by the Parish Office, or call the office (905) 821.1331 or
email sjocrossmi@archtoronto.org.



BULLETIN DEADLINE—MONDAY AT NOON

MASS INTENTIONS

Tuesday, July 12, 9am

1. For the Repose of Leticia Pereira, requested by Louella Misquitta
2. For the Repose of Rosy Fernandes, requested by the D’Souza & Fernandes Families

Wednesday, July 13, 9am

1. For the Repose of Katherine Bobnic, requested by the Jensen Family
2. For the Repose of Agnes Sun, requested by Susanna Kwok
3. For the Repose of Leanne Rodgers, requested by Mum & Dad

Wednesday, July 13, 7pm

1. For the Repose of Cecilia Fernandes, requested by Rodly Fernandes & Family
2. In Thanksgiving, requested by Janice Manuel

Thursday, July 14, 9am

1. For the Repose of Pedro R. Visperas Jr., requested by Elizabeth Visperas
2. For the Repose of Zoilo, Irene & Jesus Figueroa, requested by Analisa Gulli
3. For the Repose of Vivian Sinanan, requested by Pamela Seegulam

Friday, July 15, 9am

1. For the Repose of Clarence Rodgers, requested by the Rodgers Family

Saturday, July 16, 9am

1. For the Repose of Leonissa Prabhu, requested by Anthony D’Souza
2. For the Repose of Amy & Albert Misquitta, requested by Elma Sastry

Saturday, July 16, 5pm

1. In Thanksgiving to Our Lady Of Mount Carmel, requested by the Nicholson Family
2. For the Repose of Panfilia Panza, requested by Nancy Zero
3. For the Repose of Samuel Chandrahasa, requested By George Mundadan & Basil Fernandes Families

Sunday, July 17, 10am

1. For the Repose of Loyola fernandes, requested by the Pearl, Lionel & Irene
2. In Thanksgiving for Blessings Received, requested by Feleciano & Elizabeth Pereira

Sunday, July 17, 12pm

1. For the Repose of Muriel Burnaby, requested by Sandra & Laura D’Cruze

Lord, hear our prayers.

DAILY MASS READINGS

July 11	Isaiah 1:10-17; Matthew 10:34-11:1
July 12	Isaiah 7:1-9; Matthew 11:20-24
July 13	Isaiah 10:5-7,13-16; Matthew 11:25-27
July 14	Isaiah 26:7-9,12,16-19; Matthew 11:28-30
July 15	Isaiah 38:1-6,21-22,7-8; Matthew 12:1-8
July 16	Micah 2:1-5; Matthew 12:14-21
July 17	Genesis 18:1-10a; Colossians 1:24-28; Luke 10:38-42

LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR



Every Friday starting
September 16th to
November 11th (9 Fridays),
7:00-9:00pm here in the
church.

Please mark your calendar!



**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
FOR SUMMER CAMP**

If you are Grade 11 and above and is able to help out in in the Summer Camp for a few days or a whole week or on both weeks, please call the office as soon as possible. ***The camp needs your help.***

Week 1: July 18-22, 8:30am—3:30pm
Week 2: July 25-29, 8:30am—3:30pm

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