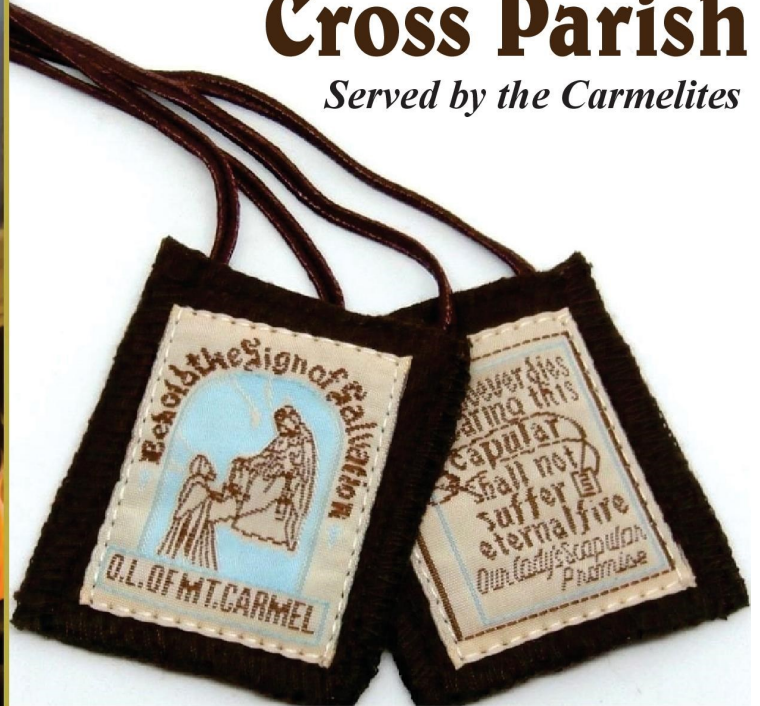



Sunday, July 16, 2023



St. John of the Cross Parish

Served by the Carmelites



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6890 Glen Erin Drive, Mississauga, ON L5N 2E1 Tel: 905.821.1331 E-mail: sjocrossmi@archtoronto.org Website: https://stjohnofthecrossmi.archtoronto.org	Monday to Friday: 9:30am - 3:00pm Saturday: 9:00am–12:00pm and 3:15- 6:15pm Sunday: 9:30 am 1:30pm
PASTORAL TEAM	MASS TIMES
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SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION	RECONCILIATION
1st Communion & 1st Reconciliation 225 Confirmation, confirmation@sjocross.org 230 Youth Group, ym@sjocross.org St. Vincent de Paul Society 305	6:00-6:45pm before Wednesday 7pm Mass or appointment.
BAPTISM	SICK AND HOMBOUND
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 completed forms to the parish office.	Please contact the office.
AddME	Two Steps for E-Transfer:
To receive parish notifications, weekly bulletin & Sunday Mass link, click AddMe to be added to the Parish Email List.	1) Send donations to: admin@sjocross.org 2) A separate email message to admin@sjocross.org with your answer, your, Tel. number, & purpose of this fund.
Live Stream	MARRIAGE
All 9am masses, Monday to Saturday, & the Saturday 5pm (Sunday Mass) Holy Mass are live streamed.	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.
 Click here for Live Stream	

BULLETIN DEADLINE—MONDAY AT NOON

**WEDDING
ANNOUNCEMENT**

There is a promise of marriage this
Friday, July 21st, between



**Michael Sironi and
Julia Duke**

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

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, July 17, 9am

1. For Birthday Blessings on Isaac Ukwu, requested by the Family
2. For the Repose of Luiza Chazoor, requested by Camillo & Family

Tuesday, July 18, 9am

1. For the Repose of Jacob John, requested by Diana & Ashwin
2. For the Repose of Camilla Mascarenhas, requested by the Family

Wednesday, July 19, 9am

1. For Birthday Blessings on Natalee, requested by Mom & Dad
2. For the Repose of Camilla Mascarenhas, requested by the Family
3. In Thanksgiving & Birthday Blessings for John Fernandes, requested by Sabrina, Children & Grandchildren

Thursday, July 20, 9am

1. For Birthday Blessings on Noble Robson, requested by the Robson Family
2. For the Conversion of Cleve, requested by the Family
3. For the Repose of Camilla Mascarenhas, requested by the Family
4. For Birthday Blessings on Benjamin & Canaan Pinto, requested by Anna & Damian Pereira

Friday, July 21, 9am

1. For the Repose of Filour Cayaba, requested by Ester Day
2. In Thanksgiving & Birthday Blessings for Sharlaine Harris, requested by Liane & Family
3. For Birthday Blessings upon Christine Robson,

Saturday, July 22, 9am

1. For the Repose of Mattheo Alonso Guevarra, requested by the Family

Saturday, July 22, 5pm

1. For the Repose of Joseph & Nanny Lau, requested by the Lau-Ranger Family
2. For the Repose of Effie Fialho, requested by Michael & Lourdes Fernandes
3. For the Repose of Leopold D'Silva, requested by the Colaco & D'Silva Families
4. For the Repose of Camilla Mascarenhas, requested by the Family

Sunday, July 23, 8am

1. For the Repose of Wilfred & Myrtle D'Costa, requested by the Rodgers Family

Sunday, July 23, 10am

1. For the Successful Surgery of Julius & Complete Healing of Lani, requested by the Valdez Family

Sunday, July 23, 12pm

1. For the Repose of Luiza Maria D'Costa, requested by the Pinto Family

PARISH BIBLE STUDY



The Parish invites all adults for a Bible Study on

REVELATIONS

By Jeff Cavins & Thomas Smith

11-week journey every Tuesday starting
September 12th, 7:00pm-8:45pm in the Hall.

\$45 registration covers study material and 1-year access to video. If interested, please register in the Parish Office soon.

CHURCH

Tues	July 18	Joyful Worship Choir—7:00-8:30pm
Wed	July 19	Band Practice 8:00pm
Thurs	July 20	Folk Choir—7:00-9:00pm

SEMINAR ROOM

Wed	July 19	Prime Time Club Crafts 1:00-3:00pm
Thurs	July 20	Rosary Apostolate 6:30-8:30pm
Fri	July 21	CWL Craft 6:30-8:30pm

NESSINGER HALL

Tues	July 18	Line Dancing 1:00-4:00pm
Tues	July 18	Parish Women's Group Tai Chi 7:00pm
Fri	July 21	PTC 4:00-11:00pm

TAI CHI EVENINGS

The SJOC Parish Women's Group is inviting all MEN & WOMEN for Tai Chi for health & relaxation on Tuesdays,



**July 25th & August 1st
7:00pm-8:15pm in the Hall**

Registration: \$10
Call the office to

register. Funds raised will go towards the Adoration Chapel.



See you!

RCIA: Do you know anyone who is curious about or wants to join the Catholic Faith? Please have them call Liane Harris, Pastoral Associate, in the office. Thank you!

Sunday, July 16, 2023



*Happy Feast of Our
Lady of Mount Carmel,
patroness of the
Carmelites!*

*Our Lady of Mount Carmel,
pray for us.*

WE ARE GOD'S FAMILY!



Carmelite Saints

Hi guys! Happy Feast to our Lady of Mount Carmel! Wow! What festivity we have. Hope to see you all tomorrow, Saturday, at 4pm for the start of the celebration!

Our parish of St. John of the Cross has always been managed by the Carmelites. We are so fortunate to be guided by them. We thank Fr. Joyson and Fr. Felix for their leadership, care, and prayers. We thank the many Carmelite priests we had in the past like Fr. Joseph, Fr. Abraham, Fr. Sebastian, and Fr. Leo. We thank God for the many Carmelite saints who are continuously praying for us, especially our dear patron saint, Saint John of the Cross. If you go to a school near the church, the name of your school would be a Carmelite saint like St. Albert of Jerusalem, St. Teresa of Avila, etc.

Let us pray, boys and girls:

Dear God, thank you for giving us our Lady of Mount Carmel as our model in obedience, prayer and humility. Thank you for the Carmelites. Bring us closer to you, Lord, and help us to see you more. Amen.

Get to know the Carmelite Saints:

On this feast day of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, see if you can identify the saint. Your choices are: St. Teresa of Avila, St. John of the Cross, St. Albert of Jerusalem, St. Therese of the Child Jesus, and St. Simon Stock. Ask Mom and Dad for help.



1. I wrote the Rule for the Carmelites to follow. Who am I? _____
2. I am commonly known as the Little Flower. Who am I? _____
3. I am the patron saint of Contemplatives, mystics, and poets. I am also the patron saint of your parish. Who am I? _____
4. I founded the Discalced Carmelites and founded many convents too. Who am I? _____
5. I wrote the song Flos Carmeli which means Flower of Carmel, in honor of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. Who am I? _____

PARISH WOMEN'S GROUP

Cupcakes for our Lady!

The Parish Women's Group will be serving coffee, juice, and cupcakes on the Feast Day of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Sunday, July 16th, after all Masses.



Come, let's continue to celebrate the feast day of our patroness together!

SUMMER CAMP 2023

Moms & Dads!

There's only a few more spots left for Summer Cross Camp.

Open to students entering Grade 1 to Grade 6 in September. Call the office to register or click the link.



<https://bit.ly/sjocsummercamp2023>

Register in one of the weeks or both.

Week 1: August 14-18

Week 2: August 21-25

Only few spots left

SUMMER CROSS CAMP VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

We are looking for volunteers 16 years old and above to help in the Summer Camp. It will be fun and well worth the experience. If you are available, please sign up in the parish office.

RCIC: Do you know any children, 7 years old and above who is not baptized yet? Please have their parents call Liane Harris in the office for more information.

Thank you!

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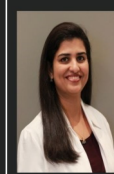
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