


Sunday, August 11, 2024

St. John of the Cross Parish

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<p>PASTORAL TEAM</p>	<p>MASS TIMES</p>
<p>Fr. Joyson George, O.Carm, Pastor Ext. 228 Fr.JGeorge@archtoronto.org Deacon Mark Romeo, 222 mromeo@archtoronto.org Deacon Ferdinand D’Souza, fdsouza@archtoronto.org Liane Harris, Pastoral Associate 226 LHarris@archtoronto.org Violanta Nicholson, Secretary 223 VNicholson@archtoronto.org Diane Mejia, Reception 221</p>	<p>Mondays to Saturdays: 9:00am Additional Masses on Wednesdays & 1st Fridays: 7:00pm Sundays: 8:00am, 10:00am, 12:00pm, and 4:00pm Sunday Vigil Mass at 5:00pm on Saturday</p> <p>RECONCILIATION 6:00- 6:45pm before Wednesday 7pm Mass or appointment.</p> <p>SICK AND HOMEBOUND Please contact the office.</p>
<p>SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION</p>	<p>Two Steps for E-Transfer:</p>
<p>1st Communion & 1st Reconciliation 225 Confirmation, confirmation@sjocross.org 230 Youth Group, ym@sjocross.org St. Vincent de Paul Society 305</p>	<p>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.</p>
<p>BAPTISM</p>	<p>MARRIAGE</p>
<p>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.</p>	<p>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.</p>
<p>AddME</p>	<p>Live Stream</p>
<p>To receive parish notifications, weekly bulletin & Sunday Mass link, click AddMe to be added to the Parish Email List.</p>	<p>All 9am masses, Monday to Saturday, & the Saturday 5pm (Sunday Mass) Holy Mass are live streamed.  Click here for Live Stream</p>

BULLETIN DEADLINE—MONDAY AT NOON



Feast of the Assumption of Mary

Holy Mass

Thursday, August 15th

9:00am and 6:30pm

Mark your calendar!



Excerpt from the Apostolic Constitution of
Pope Pius XII

MUNIFICENTISSIMUS DEUS

Defining the Dogma of the Assumption

November 1, 1950

40. Hence the revered Mother of God, from all eternity joined in a hidden way with Jesus Christ in one and the same decree of predestination,(47) immaculate in her conception, a most perfect virgin in her divine motherhood, the noble associate of the divine Redeemer who has won a complete triumph over sin and its consequences, finally obtained, as the supreme culmination of her privileges, that she should be preserved free from the corruption of the tomb and that, like her own Son, having overcome death, she might be taken up body and soul to the glory of heaven where, as Queen, she sits in splendor at the right hand of her Son, the immortal King of the Ages.(48)

Source: https://www.vatican.va/content/pius-xii/en/apost_constitutions/documents/hf_p-xii_apc_19501101_munificentissimus-deus.html

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CHURCH

Tues	Aug 13	Joyful Worship Choir 7:00pm-8:30pm
Wed	Aug 14	Band Choir 8:00pm
Thurs	Aug 15	Folk Choir 7:00pm-8:30pm

NESSINGER HALL

Tues	Aug 13	Prime Time Club Line Dancing 1:00-3:00pm
Thurs	Aug 15	Horizons of Hope Presentation 7:00-9:00pm
Fri	Aug 16	Rosary Apostolate 6:30pm-9:00pm
Sat	Aug 17	Knights of Columbus 8:30am-2:00pm

ST. JOHN OF THE CROSS ROOM

Mon	Aug 12	CWL Exec. Meeting
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BASEMENT LISIEUX ROOM

Wed	Aug 14	CWL Crafts 7:00-9:00pm
Thurs	Aug 15	Parish Prayer Group 6:30pm

CARMEL A & B ROOMS

Wed	Aug 14	Rosary Apostolate 6:00-9:00pm
Thurs	Aug 15	Horizons of Hope Presentation 7:00-9:00pm

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, August 12, 9am

- For the Repose of Carlos Lorenzana Lopez, requested by Rozario Lopez & Family

Tuesday, August 13, 9am

- For the Repose of Leanne Rodgers, requested by Mom & Dad
- In Thanksgiving & Birthday Blessings for Icasiano Alejandro, requested by the Alejandro Family
- For the Repose of Bobby Ramirez, requested by Arlene Ramirez & Family
- For the Repose of Susan Ann Casey-Fusco, requested by Mom, Dad & Family
- For the Repose of Gwen Valladares, requested by Elma Sastry & Family

Wednesday, August 14, 9am

- For the Healing of Theresa & Clayton D'Souza, requested by the D'Souza Family
- For the Repose of Eda Avelina Truant, requested by the Family
- For Thanksgiving to the Lord for Miracles, requested by Ximena Sagueta

Wednesday, August 14, 7pm

- For the Repose of Maria Apolonia Gomes, requested by Neela Gomes

Thursday, August 15, 9am

- In Thanksgiving & Wedding Anniversary Blessings for Jordan & Jana DeSouza, requested by the DeSouza Family
- For Special Intentions and Blessings of James Harrison, requested by his Family
- For the Repose of Clarence Rodgers, requested by the Rodgers Family
- For the Repose of Leon D'Silva, requested by Lorraine D'Silva & Family

Friday, August 16, 9am

- For the Repose of Julieta Fernandes, requested by Jane & Tony Fernandes & Family
- For the Birthday Blessings of Alastair Manuel, requested by Janice Manuel

Saturday, August 17, 9am

- For the Healing of Sarah Hall, requested by her Family

Saturday, August 17, 5pm

- For the Repose of Juliette Da Costa, requested by all her children
- For the Repose of Anthony Valladares, requested by Karen Moniz
- For the Repose of Yvonne Fernandes, requested by the Fernandes Family
- In Thanksgiving & Birthday Blessings for Ezra & Marilyn, requested by the Fernandes & D'Souza Families

Sunday, August 18, 12pm

- For the Repose of Custodio & Bella Pereira, requested by the Family
- For the Repose of Lauro D. Velarde, requested by the Cruz Family
- In Thanksgiving & Birthday Blessings for Jigger Cruz, requested by the Cruz Family

Sunday, August 18, 4pm

- In Thanksgiving for Sarah, requested by the Mascarenhas Family

Outdoor Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed

Wednesday August 14, 2024 at 7 p.m.

Celebrant: Bishop Ivan Camilleri

Location: Assumption Cemetery in Mississauga
In case of rain, Mass will be held indoors, Our Lady of Fatima Mausoleum at Assumption Cemetery.

Sunday, August 11, 2024

A hearty welcome to

Fr. Joby Joseph O. Carm.,

Associate Pastor

St. John of the Cross Parish



Fr. Joby will arrive this Tuesday,
August 13th, 2024.

RCIA PARISH PROGRAM

A Journey of Faith to Encounter God



Do you know anyone who is curious to know about God, the Catholic Faith, and the Church teachings? Or thinking about joining the Church? RCIA is a program for adults to help them in this journey. They may contact Liane Harris, 905.821.1331 x 226 for details

or they can leave their contact information in the office. RCIA Program starts in September.

OLDER CHILDREN BAPTISM

Mom and Dad, if your child is not baptized yet and is now 7 years old and above, please contact the parish office. The parish has an RCIA program adapted for children (RCIC) to help prepare your child for baptism.

SACRAMENTS OF CONFIRMATION/ 1ST COMMUNION FOR ADULTS

You have not received the Sacrament of Confirmation and/or 1st Communion yet? Please contact the parish office. Program starts soon.

Give thanks with a grateful heart!

CWL ROSARY SUNDAY



Bus Ticket \$50.00/Person
Bus pick up and drop off at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Secondary School Parking Lot
3700 Torrey Circle, Mississauga ON, L4W 5G7
The bus leaves at 8:00 AM sharp and Returning at 8:00 PM
Bring your own lunch box and non-alcoholic drink.
If interested contact CWN: 5100 at sjocross@archtoronto.org
or call Sabrina Fernandes at (647) 883-5968, Norma Patterson at (416) 276-4522

Trip to Martyr's Shrine Sunday, September 8th

Bus departs from Our Lady of Mount Carmel Secondary School parking lot at 8am and returning at 8pm.

Ticket is \$50/person.

If interested, please call:

Sabrina, 647.883.5968 / Norma, 416.276.4522 or
Email sjocrosscwl@archtoronto.org

Tickets will be sold after each Sunday Mass this weekend.

Our Beautiful Catholic Faith

Q&A for Faith Formation

Q: *What are the criteria for the proper use of singing and music in liturgical celebrations?*

A: Since song and music are closely connected with liturgical action, they must respect the following criteria: (1). They should conform to Catholic doctrine in their texts, drawn preferably from Sacred Scripture and liturgical sources. (2). They should be a beautiful expression of prayer. (3). The music should be of a high quality. (4). Song and music should encourage the participation of the liturgical assembly. (5). They should express the cultural richness of the People of God and the sacred and solemn character of the celebration.

"He who sings, prays twice." - Saint Augustine



Q: How is the liturgy celebrated?

A: The celebration of the liturgy is interwoven with signs and symbols whose meaning is rooted in creation and in human culture. It is determined by the events of the Old Testament and is fully revealed in the Person and work of Christ.

VOCATION SEEDS

"I am the living bread that came down from heaven."

Each of us must be a living sign and symbol of God's presence within us. If you are willing to witness Christ with your life as a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto @ 416.968.0997.



SEASON OF CREATION 2024


The annual event of the Season of Creation begins on September 1 (the World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation) and ends on October 4 (the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi, patron saint of ecology). This year's theme is "To hope and act with Creation" and the symbol is "The first fruits of hope," inspired by Romans 8:19- 25. An introductory video and resources to observe this season at home, church and school may be found at the following links:

RESOURCES: <https://drive.google.com/file/d/12M3weSD4D2mvjCiI3Mxen3lQZ5Rrazz3/view>

VIDEO: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vLI5cT-56Y>

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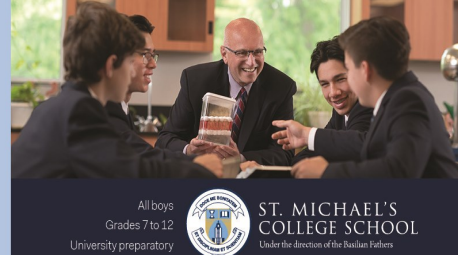
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