


Sunday, July 7, 2024



# St. John of the Cross Parish

## Solemnity of Our Lady of Mount Carmel

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<b>PASTORAL TEAM</b> Fr. Joyson George, O.Carm, Pastor Ext. 228 <a href="mailto:Fr.JGeorge@archtoronto.org">Fr.JGeorge@archtoronto.org</a> Deacon Mark Romeo, 222 <a href="mailto:mromeo@archtoronto.org">mromeo@archtoronto.org</a> Deacon Ferdinand D'Souza, <a href="mailto:fdsouza@archtoronto.org">fdsouza@archtoronto.org</a> Liane Harris, Pastoral Associate 226 <a href="mailto:LHarris@archtoronto.org">LHarris@archtoronto.org</a> Violanta Nicholson, Secretary 223 <a href="mailto:VNicholson@archtoronto.org">VNicholson@archtoronto.org</a> Diane Mejia, Reception 221	<b>MASS TIMES</b> Mondays to Saturdays: 9:00am Additional Masses on Wednesdays & 1st Fridays: 7:00pm <b>Sundays:</b> 8:00am, 10:00am, 12:00pm, and 4:00pm Sunday Vigil Mass at 5:00pm on Saturday <b>RECONCILIATION</b> 6:00- 6:45pm before Wednesday 7pm Mass or appointment. <b>SICK AND HOMEBOUND</b> Please contact the office.
<b>SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION</b> 1st Communion & 1st Reconciliation 225 Confirmation, <a href="mailto:confirmation@sjocross.org">confirmation@sjocross.org</a> 230 Youth Group, <a href="mailto:ym@sjocross.org">ym@sjocross.org</a> St. Vincent de Paul Society 305	<b>Two Steps for E-Transfer:</b> 1) Send donations to: <a href="mailto:admin@sjocross.org">admin@sjocross.org</a> 2) A separate email message to <a href="mailto:admin@sjocross.org">admin@sjocross.org</a> with your answer, your, Tel. number, & purpose of this fund.
<b>BAPTISM</b> 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.	<b>MARRIAGE</b> 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.
<b>AddME</b> To receive parish notifications, weekly bulletin & Sunday Mass link, click <b>AddME</b> to be added to the Parish Email List.	<b>Live Stream</b> All 9am masses, Monday to Saturday, & the Saturday 5pm (Sunday Mass) Holy Mass are live streamed.  <a href="#">Click here for Live Stream</a>

**BULLETIN DEADLINE—MONDAY AT NOON**

## SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT!



Our Lady of Mount Carmel Feast Mass will be on Saturday, July 13th, @4pm followed by an outdoor procession. There will not be a 5pm Mass next Saturday, July 13th. After the procession, different ministries will be hosting fun activities for everyone, food, music, & games in the parking lot.

Come! Bring your family.

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

### Is there a Carmelite Order for the laity?

Yes, there is. Third Order Carmelites (TOC) are lay people who are over 17 years of age and who are Catholics in full communion with the Church. They are called to live more deeply their baptismal promises. The lay Carmelite follows the mission of Carmel (which is also the mission of the Church) which is to transform the secular world after the teachings of Jesus. This is accomplished through the Carmelite charism and dedication to prayer, community and service. Being a Lay Carmelite is not just a devotion. It is a way of life — a vocation. ([www.ocarm.org](http://www.ocarm.org))

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus will be holding their empty beer bottle/alcohol bottle campaign from June 29th through to August 5th. There will be a bin placed outside the church, to collect the empty bottles.

This campaign is run to support ShareLife.

## SUMMER CAMP

Summer Camp registration for all children in the parish who are entering Grades 1 to 6 in September is now open.

Camp weeks are: Week 2 is FULL!

Week 1: July 15-19

The camp runs daily during these weeks, from 9:00am-3:30pm. Camp registration is \$150 per child per week.

Discounts are available for siblings who register together. Registration forms may be picked up from the parish office or downloaded from the parish website.

## CAMP VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Our summer Cross Camp requires more volunteers to support our children during the weeks of July 15-19 and July 22-26. If you are a current secondary school student or adult and are free to assist for half days, full days, one week, or both weeks, please consider this great opportunity! Interested individuals are asked to provide their name, phone number, and email address to the parish office (in-person or via email [sjocrossmi@archtoronto.org](mailto:sjocrossmi@archtoronto.org)) and our camp coordinator will reach out to you for next steps.

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Monday, July 8, 9am

- For the Repose of Leonissa Prabhu, requested by the Family

### Wednesday, July 10, 9am

- In Thanksgiving & Birthday Blessings for Denis Otteson & Family, requested by the Family
- For the Healing of Anthony & Leslie Toste Marchao, requested by the Family

### Wednesday, July 10, 7pm

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

### Thursday, July 11, 9am

- For the Repose of Pius Goveas, requested by Doris Goveas

### Friday, July 12, 9am

- For the Repose of Faiz Rahman, requested by Sharma

### Saturday, July 13, 9am

- For the Repose of Cecilia Fernandes, requested by Rodly Fernandes & Family
- For the Repose of Leanne Rodgers, requested by Mom & Dad

### Saturday, July 13, 4pm

- For the Repose of Ezlinda & Estrelita Dsouza, requested by the Family

### Sunday, July 14, 8am

- For the Healing of Theresa & Clayton D'Souza, requested by the D'Souza Family

### Sunday, July 14, 12pm

- For the Healing of Andres Eduardo Mendez Chacin, requested by Jessy & Carlos Mendez

### Sunday, July 14, 4pm

- In Thanksgiving & Birthday Blessings for Brendan, requested by the Perera Family



There will be a Building Fund Collection this weekend for the ongoing projects in the church.

*Thank you for your generosity!*

### CHURCH

Tues	July 9	Joyful Worship Choir 7:00pm-8:30pm
Thurs	July 4	Folk Choir 7:00pm-8:30pm

### NESSINGER HALL

Mon	July 8	CWL Stretching Exercise 4:00-5:00pm
Tues	July 9	Line Dancing 1:00-3:00pm
Tues	July 9	Parish Bible Study: Hebrews 7:00pm
Thurs	July 11	ABC Men's Retreat 7:00-9:30pm
Fri	July 12	Parish Women's Group: SUMMER BASH 7pm

### ST. JOHN OF THE CROSS ROOM

Mon	July 8	CWL Exec Meeting 7:00pm
Wed	July 10	PTC Crafts 1:00pm-3:00pm

### BASEMENT LISIEUX ROOM

Tues	July 9	Cross Camp Training 6:00pm
Wed	July 10	CWL Crafts 7:00-9:00pm

### BASEMENT CARMEL A ROOM

Thurs	July 11	St. Vincent de Paul Society 7:30pm
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### BASEMENT CARMEL B ROOM

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PARISH WOMEN'S GROUP

Summer Bash



For all ladies in the parish. Come for an evening of fun, games, and laughter on:

Friday, July 12th, 6:45-9:00pm, Hall

Sign up after any of the Sunday Masses this weekend or email

[sjocwomensgroup@archtoronto.org](mailto:sjocwomensgroup@archtoronto.org)

See you all, ladies!

Let's celebrate our sisterhood!

Bring a dish to share (potluck)!



KNIGHTS JULY 13TH BBQ

The Knights of Columbus will be hosting a BBQ on Saturday, July 13th, after the 4pm Our Lady of Mount Carmel Feast Mass. \$5 for hotdog or hamburger along with pop or water. Tickets will be sold after each Sunday Mass this weekend.



We welcome Fr. Nelson Mathew O. Carm. from India who will be preaching this weekend for the Carmelite Mission.

There will be a collection next weekend for the Carmelite Mission. Thank you for responding to the need of the mission. Your generosity goes a long way!

RCIA .... 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 children 7 years old and above who are not baptized yet? They may contact Liane Harris about the RCIA/RCIC Program, or they can

leave their contact information in the office.

SUMMER PARISH OFFICE HOURS

(Canada Day to Labour Day)

Monday to Friday: 9:30am—3:00pm

Saturday:

9:30am -12:00pm and 3:15-6:15pm

Sunday: 9:30am—1:30pm

Novena Prayer to Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Feast Day: Tuesday, July 16th

Feast Mass: Saturday, July 13th, at 4pm followed by an outdoor procession

Community Celebration: Sat, July 13, after the Procession

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.

The Brown Scapular

As Our Lord taught us to say the Our Father, our Blessed Mother taught us the value of the scapular.

When we use it as a prayer, Our Lady draws us to the Sacred Heart of Her Divine Son. It is especially in time of temptation that we need the powerful intercession of God's Mother. The evil spirit is utterly powerless when the wearer of a scapular faces temptation, calling upon the Holy Virgin in this silent devotion.

In the year 1251, in the town of Aylesford in England, Our Lady appeared to St. Simon Stock, a Carmelite. She handed him a brown woolen scapular and said, "This shall be a privilege for you and all Carmelites, that anyone dying in this habit shall not suffer eternal fire."

True devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary consists in three things: VENERATION, CONFIDENCE AND LOVE. By simply wearing the Scapular, we can tell her every moment of the day that we venerate her, love her and trust in her protection.

Source: <https://www.sistersofcarmel.com/brown-scapular-information.php>

Our dear priests, Fr. Joyson and Fr. Marvin, will be distributing the brown scapulars after the procession.

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