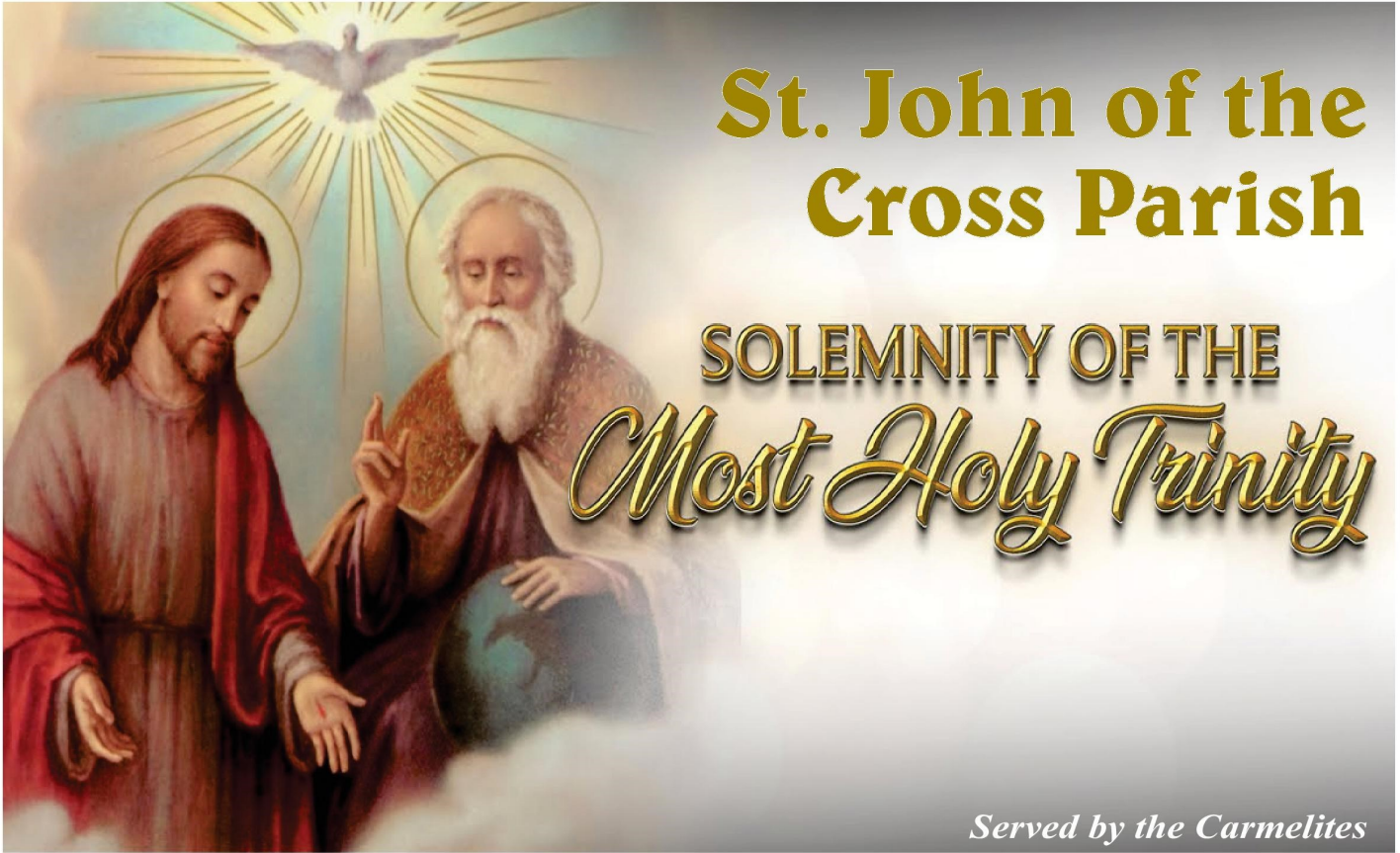



Sunday, May 26, 2024



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<b>SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION</b>	<b>RECONCILIATION</b>
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<b>BAPTISM</b>	<b>SICK AND HOMEBOUND</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.	Please contact the office.
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	<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>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**

Sunday, May 26, 2024

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Tuesday, May 28, 9am**

1. For the Repose of Cajetan Fernandes, requested by the Rodrigues & Tavares Families
2. For the Repose of Paul Alan Sciberras, requested by the Family

**Wednesday, May 29, 9am**

1. For the Repose of John Benjamin, requested by the Benjamin Family
2. For the Special Intentions of Nadine, requested by the Family

**Wednesday, May 29, 7pm**

1. For the Repose of Steve Almeida, requested by the Van Parys Family
2. For the Repose of Natty D’Souza, requested by the D’Souza, Fernandes & Colletas Families
3. In Thanksgiving & Birthday Blessings for Kevin Tavares, requested by the Rodrigues & Tavares Families

**Thursday, May 30, 9am**

1. For the Repose of Maria Della Riza Fernandes, requested by the Family
2. For the Repose of Trinidad, Irenia & Basilio Encallado, requested by the Family
3. In Thanksgiving & Birthday Blessings for Kevin Neil Varias, requested by the Alejandro Family

**Friday, May 31, 9am**

1. In Thanksgiving & Birthday Blessings for Isaiah De Souza, requested by the De Souza Family
2. For the Deceased Members of the Rasquinha & Gulati Families, requested by the Gulati Family

**Saturday, June 1, 9am**

1. For the Birthday Blessings of Ian, requested by Ivy Carmelino
2. For the Souls in Purgatory & Unborn Babies, requested by the Chaves Family
3. For the Repose of Wanda Antao, requested by the Antao Family

**Saturday, June 1, 5pm**

1. For the Repose of William & Rose Pereira, requested by Bonnie Perez
2. For the Repose of Melenciana Faller Chao, requested by the Family
3. For the Repose of Clara & Salas Cherian, requested by the Cherian Family

**Sunday, June 2, 8am**

1. In Thanksgiving & Birthday Blessings for Gabriel Somera, requested by the Querubin-Somera Family

**Sunday, June 2, 12pm**

1. For the Healing of Andres Eduardo Mendez Chacin, requested by Jessy & Carlos Mendez
2. In Thanksgiving & Birthday Blessings for George Guerrero, requested by the Alejandro Family
3. For the Repose of Filomena & Antonio Sbroochi, requested by the Del Grosso Family

**Sunday, June 2, 4pm**

1. For the Repose of Michael Pereira, requested by Goretti Miles

**Happy Feast  
of the  
Most Holy Trinity!**



**WEDDING  
ANNOUNCEMENTS**

There is a promise of marriage this Saturday, June 1st, between



**Jonathan Rattos &  
Esther Ng’ang’a**

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

**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 1: July 15-19      Week 2: July 22-26

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 and for those who attend both weeks.

Registration forms may be picked up from the parish office or downloaded from the website.

**CHURCH**

Mon	May 27	Adult Choir 7:00-8:45pm
Tues	May 28	Joyful Worship Choir 7:00pm-8:30pm
Wed	May 29	Band Choir 8:00pm
Thurs	May 30	Folk Choir 7:00pm-8:30pm

**NESSINGER HALL**

Tues	May 28	Line Dancing 1:00-4:00pm
Tues	May 28	Women’s Group Made by God 7:00pm
Fri	May 31	Parish Women’s Group 5:00-8:00pm

**BASEMENT LISIEUX ROOM**

Tues	May 28	Bereavement Ministry 5:30-8:00pm
Wed	May 29	CWL Crafts 7:00-9:00pm
Sat	June 1	Children’s Choir 10:00am

**ST. JOHN OF THE CROSS ROOM**

Wed	May 28	PTC Crafts 1:00pm-3:00pm
Sat	June 2	Lay Carmelites 9:00am-3:00pm

**BASEMENT CARMEL A ROOM**

Mon	May 27	CWL Council Mtg 6:00pm
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**Coffee Sunday next Weekend!**

We thank the Music Ministry for hosting the Coffee Sunday on the Solemnity of the Corpus Christi. Come, let’s celebrate and know another parishioner!



**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BBQ**



The Knight of Columbus will be having a BBQ after the **5 PM** mass on Saturday, May 25th and after the **12PM** mass on Sunday, May 26th. Cost of a hamburger (no hotdogs) and pop/water will be

\$5. Tickets will not be pre-sold in advance.

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## SOLEMNITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION



The Corpus Christi Procession is a centuries-old tradition of the Catholic faith to process the Real Presence of Jesus—the Eucharist—in public.

After the 5pm Mass on Saturday, June 1st, we will process the Blessed Sacrament/Eucharist outdoors, around the church. *Please come!*

## SUMMER INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

We are very happy to inform you that our parish has been approved for three internship positions through the Canada Summer Jobs Program. The internship will be starting on July 02, 2024 to Aug 23, 2024 for a period of 8 weeks. If interested, please email your resume by noon on Sunday, May 26 to the Parish Office, [sjocrossmi@archtoronto.org](mailto:sjocrossmi@archtoronto.org). We thank you for your interest. Only those who will be considered for interview will be contacted.

### Canadian Summer Job Role Description

Title: Camp Coordinator ( Jobs:3)

Start date: July 02, 2024 No. of weeks per job: 8

Hourly rate : \$16.55 Hrs per week : 35

### Summer Intern Job Description:

St. John of the Cross Parish is looking for a summer job intern to help in the Parish Youth Ministry Program – Summer Cross Camp. This will be a great opportunity for a motivated and organized individual to work in a church setting, contributing to meet its many needs.

### Qualifications:

- The ideal candidate must be knowledgeable in excel, trustworthy, and hardworking.
- Good work ethic, able to work alone or in a team setting.

### Requirements:

- Candidates must be between 15-30 years of age
- Tasks are to be performed at the parish
- The successful applicant must have a laptop available to for work purposes

### Other Information:

- Start Date/ End date for these positions: **Tuesday, July 02 – Friday, August 23, 2024**
- Hourly rate of pay: **\$16.55/hour**
- Application Deadline: **Sunday, 26 May 2024**

## Our Beautiful Catholic Faith

### FEAST OF THE HOLY TRINITY

Today's feast invites us to live in the awareness of the presence of the Triune God within us: the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.



The mystery of the most Holy Trinity is a basic doctrine of faith in Christianity, understandable not with our heads but with our hearts. It teaches us that there are three distinct persons in one God, sharing the same divine nature. Our mind cannot grasp this doctrine which teaches that 1+ 1+ 1 = 1 and not 3. But we believe in this mystery because Jesus who is God taught it clearly, the evangelists recorded it, the Fathers of the Church tried to explain it and the Councils of Nicaea and Constantinople defined it as a dogma of Christian faith.

The New Testament clearly shows this doctrine:

a) The Annunciation (Luke 1: 26-38) describes how God the Father sent the angel Gabriel to Mary, to announce to her that God, the Holy Spirit, would "overshadow" her, and that God, the Son, would be made flesh in her womb. b) During the baptism of Jesus (Matthew 3: 16-17), the Holy Spirit was shown descending on Jesus in the form of a dove, while the voice of God the Father was heard from the clouds. c) The Gospel of John (Chapters 15 through 18), presents the detailed teaching of Jesus on the Persons of the Holy Trinity. d) In the preaching mission given by the risen Lord to the disciples, Jesus commanded them to baptize people "in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit" (cf. Matthew 28:19; John 10:30).

### Some Life Messages for us:


- 1). We need to respect ourselves and others.
- 2). We need to be aware of God as the Source of our strength and courage.
- 3). We need to see the Trinity as the model for our Christian families
- 4) We are called to become more like the Triune God through all our relationships. We are made in God's image and likeness. Just as God is God only in a Trinitarian relationship, so we can be fully human only as one member of a relationship of three partners 'I-God-neighbor'. The self needs to be in a horizontal relationship with all other people and in a vertical relationship with God.

### Let us pray St. Francis favorite prayer:

*"Most Holy Trinity, who lives in me, I praise you, I worship you, I adore you and I love you." Let the Son lead us to the Father through the Spirit, to live with the Triune God forever and ever. Amen."*

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