

Sunday Bulletin

July 31, 2022

Eighteen Sunday in Ordinary Time

WELCOME FR. ROBERT!

Welcome!



New Parishioners and Visitors Welcome! **Registration** Forms can be found through the Front Office (frontdesk@st-josephs.ca) or at the back of the Church

Donations

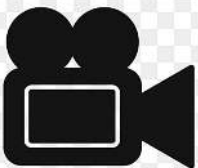
Register with the Parish either to receive envelopes, sign-up for auto-debit, online through **Canada**

MASS TIMES & RECONCILIATION

- *Week Day Mass*: Wed to Fri at 12PM
- *Weekend Masses*: Saturday 5PM
Sunday 9:30AM (Family Mass) & 11:30AM
- *University Mass (Sept-Apr)*: Sunday 7PM
- *Reconciliation*: After weekday Mass or by appt.
- *Adoration*: 1st Friday of the month after the noon Mass

Our new Pastor, Fr. Robert Laroche OMI, joins us this weekend at all the Masses. While Fr. Jim will preside and we will offer a blessing for him as his ministry here comes to an end, we will also be hearing from Fr. Robert for the first time as a homilist. We look forward to his homily at the Saturday 5:00 p.m. and the Sunday 9:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. Masses. We extend a warm welcome to Fr. Robert as he begins his pastoral ministry at St. Joe's. Please also note that Archbishop Marcel Dampousse will celebrate an Installation Mass for Fr. Robert on Sunday, August 14th, 2022 at 11:30 a.m. At this time, the Parish will host a reception after the liturgy to which all are welcome.

FAREWELL TO FR. JIM: ST. JOE'S GOLDEN NUGGETS ENSEMBLE



This Thursday evening in the rectory, the newly formed "St. Joe's Golden Nuggets" ensemble performed an original song as a farewell to Fr. Jim. It was quite an evening and we are pleased to share this video with you:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XDHbN1JTgFs>

St. Joe's Supper Table: Items Needed



St. Joe's Supper Table is currently looking for some grounded coffee (not instant) and granulated white sugar for our daily clientele at the window. Any brand is most welcomed. Thank you for thinking of us!

PARISH CONTACTS

PASTORAL

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Pastor

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HOURS & LOCATION

Church & Hall

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Office Entrance

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Office Phone

613-233-4095

Office Hours

Mon-Fri: 8am-4pm

AT AND AROUND ST. JOE'S

FR. JIM'S FAREWELL BBQ

St. Joe's Parish held a farewell barbecue for Father Jim Bleackley last night, thanking him for his service to the community as pastor over the past three years. He will be moving out west, to live in an Oblate community in BC. During these three challenging years, Jim was the first pastor at St. Joe's to give regular video-recorded homilies and to find creative ways to serve the community during the various cycles of lockdowns and in a maze of restrictions. Last night's party was spearheaded by parishioner Terry Byrne with lots of help from Kathleen Allan, Colleen Kerr, Dianne and Tom Taylor, Marion Kizas and many others! Join us at all the weekend Masses as we offer Fr. Jim a blessing and give him the many cards that you have signed!



REFUGEE OUTREACH COMMITTEE UPDATE

Thank you, St. Joseph Parishioners and friends, for your generosity, in support of our Refugee Outreach Committee's (ROC) June collection. We are presently seeking sponsorship for a mother and daughter, in refugee circumstances, in Amman, Jordan. They are seeking permanent residency here, with their family in Ottawa. \$4,180.00 was raised from the collection and we are now within \$2,500.00 of meeting the \$33,000.00 required for the start-up and monthly living expenses required for their first settlement year. Should you be able to help fund our ROC projects, please contact John Weir jhnwr99@yahoo.ca. We are grateful for your continued support in helping people who seek refuge, finding asylum as our neighbours.

St. Joe's Ministry News & Updates

Parish & Ministry Information

Volunteers Needed — English Conversation Circle

The English Conversation Group enables participants to have a one on one conversation with a volunteer who speaks English fluently. The Group's goal is to enable English language skills to be improved in a supportive, friendly and enjoyable way. We hold Zoom and in person sessions each Wednesday from 7pm to 8:30 pm. We welcome any parishioners who would like to be a volunteer or a participant.

For further info contact Michaelrichard2008@hotmail.com

Christian Meditation Update—Monday Morning Group

Monday morning Christian Meditation continues during the summer at 9:30. Exceptions are: Monday, August 1 and Monday September 5. These are Civic Holidays, and the parish facilities will be closed. If you have any questions, please contact George Martin at morris-martin@rogers.com. All are welcome.

Our Financial Stewardship COLLECTION for July 24: \$5,075

New Children's Choir and a New Staff Member

St Joe's is happy to announce the launch of a new children's choir program! Starting September 2022, all children ages 6 to 15 are invited to join the choir. No experience necessary! Fun-filled rehearsals will take place weekly after the 9:30am mass, and the choir will sing during 9:30am mass one Sunday per month.

The choir will be directed by Andrea MacWilliams who completed her Bachelor of Music in Composition at the University of Ottawa in 2017. In addition to her participation in St. Joe's Music Ministry since 2012, she has sought choral leadership opportunities with positions such as Assistant Conductor of the Ottawa Catholic School Board children's choirs and Apprentice Conductor of the Capital Chamber Choir. She is delighted to join the staff at St. Joe's as Associate Music Director, to launch the brand new Children's Choir in September 2022, and to continue developing the Young Adult Music Ministry at the University Mass. Reach out to her through the Front Office at frontdesk@st-josephs.ca to ask questions or get involved.

YOUNG FAMILIES LOOKING TO SUPPORT ONE ANOTHER

Young families in our parish are hoping to get to know one another. Over the past 2 years many young families have not been able to attend in person events at St Joe's for many reasons. People are talking about moving forward together and would like to meet other families. If you are interested in meeting other young families, please contact Kathleen Strader at kstrader@st-josephs.ca and leave your name and contact information with her.



Library News — July 24, 2022 - Titles about SPIRITUAL LIFE include - Skinner, C. *Joy of keeping the faith, thriving in the Church after RCIA* (BX2350.3.S76 2020), Welch, S. *How to be a mindful Christian, 40 simple spiritual practices* (BV4813.W36 2016), Jensen, E. *Ignatius Loyola and you, Learning to become a Reflective Christian* (BX2179.L8J3 2018).

Parking

Parking is free during weekend Mass & 30 mins after. Or park in UofO Lot B only on Sundays from 8am-2pm

Ministry Contacts

Christian Meditation:

George Martin: (Mon)
morris-martin@rogers.com

Rick Gariepy:
613-265-1652 (Wed.)

Beth Smith
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Financial Coaching

Ministry:

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Liturgical Environment

Committee: Wayne Moyle

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Refugee Outreach Committee (ROC):

Dona Bowers
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English Conversation Group for newcomers :

Michaelrichard2008@hotmail.com

Missing information?

To add or update Ministry info, please contact Kathleen Strader at kstrader@st-josephs.ca or extension 251.

Front Office

(613-233-4095, ext. 251)
frontdesk@st-josephs.ca.)

2021 Tax Receipts have been mailed. If you not received your Tax Receipt, please contact the Front Office.

2022 Church Envelopes: If you have not yet picked up your box of 2022 church donations envelopes, you can do so by contacting the Front Office.

2022 Missals are available for purchase, \$5 cash, or cheque. Please contact the Front Office if you would like to purchase one.

WEEKLY EVENTS AT ST. JOE'S

July 25th, 2022 – July 24th, 2022

Monday
August 1st

Tuesday
August 2nd

Wednesday
August 3rd

Thursday
August 4th

Friday
August 5th

Saturday
August 6th

Sunday
August 7th

This Week Civic Holiday:
Main Office
closed

Adoration: after
12pm Mass

Future

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Friday Night Christian Meditation will return to the Oblate Lounge on September 9, 2022. If you have any questions, please contact Beth Smith at bborris59@gmail.com.

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COVID RAPID ANTIGEN TAKE HOME TEST KITS AVAILABLE

Tests are available at **the FRONT OFFICE** and can be picked up between Monday to Friday between 8am-4pm while supplies last. If you have any questions, please contact Kathleen, kstrader@st-josephs.ca or 613-233-4095 ex 251.

Mass Intentions:

Wed. August 3rd, 2022: Available

Thur. August 4th, 2022: Available

Fri. August 5th, 2022: Available



during the Prayers of the Faithful.

Prayers for those who are ill: Peter Schleihauf

Mass intentions are available on Wed., Thur., and Fri. during Noon Mass for a \$15.00 donation. Please notify the Front Desk, frontdesk@st-josephs.ca for arrangements. Thank you!

Prayers for those who have died: Mervyn Tripp

To add a name to the prayers for Sick or those who have died: Email Kathleen in the Front Office, kstrader@st-josephs.ca. We pray for those who are listed