

# Sunday Bulletin

November 20, 2022

Thirty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time



**Date:** Saturday December 10<sup>th</sup> at 7pm

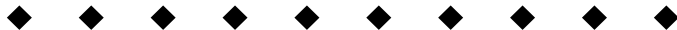
**Location:** St Joe's Parish Hall

**Tickets:** \$70 per person (with a \$30 tax receipt) or \$50 concession (students, seniors, low income)

**Dress code:** Smart Casual

Tickets can be purchased through our CanadaHelps page at the following link:  
<https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/131771990RR0006-saint-joseph-parish/events/christmas-party-fundraiser>

Ticket price includes a three-course meal by Chef Ric and his team, a complimentary glass of wine, and an evening full of entertainment!  
Live music, silent auction, Christmas goodies and other surprises!!



## Update on Construction at 174 Wilbrod St. entrance

At the end of the second week of construction, Waterton Ltd., the contractors hired to rebuild the front steps, entrance area and accessibility ramp of the church have made good progress. The demolition of the old steps and excavation work have been completed. A temporary accessibility ramp was installed on the Cumberland side of the church. The next step in the project will be the masonry work. We have asked the contractors to use as much of the old stone as possible in the construction of the new entrance. Not only is this a more environmentally conscious approach, but it also incorporates parts of our heritage and helps to control the costs of this \$300,000+ capital project.

The Parish is working closely with the engineer consultants at J. Cooke & Associates. They are responsible for the on-going monitoring and quality control of the project. We also continue to use the services of architects at Juxta Inc. We have tasked them with developing a secondary accessibility ramp on the parking lot side to provide easier access to the church. For capital projects of this scope, the Parish retains the services of professional consultants to advise us and to manage our relationship with contractors working on-site. We will continue to provide you with regular updates on this project. Thank you for your patience during the period of construction!

--Christopher Adam, Parish Executive Director

## Welcome!

**New Parishioners** and Visitors Welcome! **Registration** Forms can be found through the Front Office ([frontdesk@st-josephs.ca](mailto: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 Helps**.

## 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

## STAFF ANNOUNCEMENT + WELCOME

We are pleased to welcome Olivia Harvey to the Parish staff team this week.

Olivia, a parishioner and cantor at St. Joe's, now works as the front office coordinator Monday to Friday, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., and is reachable by email at [frontdesk@st-josephs.ca](mailto:frontdesk@st-josephs.ca) or by phone at 613-233-4095 x251.

## PARISH CONTACTS

### PASTORAL

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#### Parish Pastoral Council

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#### Women's Centre Director

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#### Maintenance Manager

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### HOURS & LOCATION

#### Church & Hall

174 Wilbrod St.

#### Office Entrance

151 Laurier Ave. E.

#### Office Phone

613-233-4095

#### Office Hours

Mon-Fri: 9am-1pm

## St. Joe's Outreach Ministries

### Collaborative Network to End Exploitation Petition

Formerly known as the Faith Alliance to End Human Trafficking, the Collaborative Network to End Exploitation has put forward a petition to the Government of Canada to eliminate the employer-specific work permit. All are encouraged to read and sign the petition online at <https://petitions.ourcommons.ca/en/Petition/Details?Petition=e-4138>.

Run by the Sisters of St Joseph in Toronto, the CNEE is committed to inspiring action for societal and structural change to prevent trafficking and mistreatment. More information can be found at their website, [cnee.ca](http://cnee.ca).

### St. Joe's Women's Centre Update



#### *Bits, Bites, and Bids* A Quality of Life Event in support of St Joe's Women's Centre Celebrating Dennis Jackson

Thursday November 24<sup>th</sup>, 2022

5:00 - 7:30pm

St. Joseph's Church Hall

174 Wilbrod, Ottawa Ont

(corner of Cumberland & Wilbrod)

Ticket Price: \$75

Sponsorships Available

Tickets can be purchased at [events.ely.com/2022qualityoflife](https://events.ely.com/2022qualityoflife)

#### **About St. Joe's Women's Centre:**

St. Joe's Women's Centre is a day program and registered charity, that is dedicated to the needs of low income/homeless women and their children, in a supportive and safe environment. Social and educational programs are offered to promote empowerment, autonomy, and dignity in a non-judgmental atmosphere.

<https://stjoeswomenscentre.org/>

For more information please contact, Jennifer Clark [jclark@st-josephs.ca](mailto:jclark@st-josephs.ca)

As the colder weather approaches, **St. Joe's Women's Centre** is seeking donations of blankets and socks for our participants.

The Women's Centre toiletry program also continues to run low on essential items including toothpaste, deodorant, shampoo, toothbrushes, pads, and tampons.

We thank you kindly for your continued generosity and support.

Donations can be dropped off to the Women's Centre

Monday – Friday, 9:30am – 3:30pm.

For more information, please contact Jennifer [jclark@st-josephs.ca](mailto:jclark@st-josephs.ca), 613-231-6722.

Thank you!

Faith Formation & Young Adult Programming



Young Adult Ministry:

St. Joseph's young adult group is currently over half-way through Season 1 of The Chosen, watching one episode every Sunday evening following the 7pm University Mass. However, you don't have to be a "young" adult to join us! See https://watch.angelstudios.com/thechosen, for more information, or to catch up on previous episodes at home.



RCIA:

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is held Wednesday evenings in the Oblate Lounge, currently featuring the critically acclaimed Catholicism series, an epic 10-part documentary hosted by Bishop Robert Barron and produced by Word on Fire. Anyone interested in learning about the process by which people are able to join the Catholic Church is welcome to attend. Please contact Paul at pdansereau@st-josephs.ca for

more information.

New Eucharistic Ministers Needed

Would you be interested in becoming a Eucharistic Minister to serve Communion at one of the weekend Masses? It's a beautiful way to volunteer - sharing the bread with our fellow parishioners. The time requirement is during Mass, approximately once a month. Training is provided. For more information, contact Angela McCanny angela.mccanny6@gmail.com or (613) 324-7157



Library News — Books about ST JOSEPH'S CHURCH, OUR HISTORY (pt 2) Carley, D.E. To be continued... stories of Father Fred Magee, OMI (P27 C2 1996), St. Joseph's Parish Liturgical Environment. Synergy: Installations, 2004 - 2019, Vol. 1 - VII, 7 vols.

2023 Missals are available for purchase, \$5 cash, or cheque at the Front Office. Please contact the Front Office if you would like to purchase one, frontdesk@st-josephs.ca

Volunteers Needed — English Conversation Group

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 sessions on Tuesday evenings (7pm to 8:30pm) and in-person sessions on Wednesday evenings (7pm to 8:30pm). We welcome any parishioners who would like to be a volunteer or a participant.

For further info contact Michaelrichard2008@hotmail.com

Join us for Taizé!



Taizé prayers are held each month at Sacré-Coeur Parish across the street from St. Joe's. The next one is scheduled for Thursday November 24th at 7:15 p.m. For more info, contact Sr. Marie-Pierre taize@le460.org 613-241-7515.

Our Financial Stewardship COLLECTION: Nov 14: \$6,989

Parking

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

Ministry Contacts

Christian Meditation:

George Martin: (Mon) george.c.martin377@gmail.com

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

Beth Smith: 613-563-7091(Fri.)

Liturgical Environment Committee: Wayne Moyle waynemoyle8@gmail.com

Refugee Outreach Committee (ROC): Dona Bowers (dona-bob@rogers.com).

English Conversation Group for newcomers: Michaelrichard2008@hotmail.com

Missing information? To add or update Ministry info, please contact Front Office at frontdesk@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.

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# WEEKLY EVENTS AT ST. JOE'S

November 21st — November 27th, 2022

	Monday November 21st	Tuesday November 22nd	Wednesday November 23rd	Thursday November 24th	Friday November 25th	Saturday November 26th	Sunday November 27th
<b>This Week</b>	(1) Christian Meditation, 9:30am, Library		(1) RCIA 7pm, Oblate lounge  (2) Christian Meditation, 3pm, Library	(1) Bits, Bites and Bids— Quality of Life Event, 5pm, Church Hall  (2) Marriage Prep 7pm, Oblate Lounge  (3) Taizè, 7:15pm, Sacre Coeur	(1) Christian Meditation 7pm, Oblate Lounge	(1) Drum Circle, 10am, Oblate Lounge	(1) Children's Liturgy 9:30am Mass
<b>Future</b>						(1) St. Joe's Supper Table Christmas Fundraiser, 7pm, Parish Hall, Dec 10	

## PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **FOOTFALLS: POEMS OF THE CAMINO : Nov. 23, 1-3pm**

Join us for a journey of the heart prepared by Suzanne Doerge, for those who have walked the Camino de Santiago, dreamed of walking it, or are seeking nourishment to walk our own pilgrimages. "While carrying the weight of a lifetime, pilgrims ponder what to leave behind and what to take up in the rest of their lives." There will be a reading between 1 and 3 pm, offering an opportunity to reflect on what pilgrimage means in our own life. Copies of Footfalls: Poems of the Camino will be available for purchase for \$20. Come early and walk our outdoor or indoor labyrinth, or the trails on Galilee's serene grounds. A light lunch will be available at noon for \$10.

To let us know you are coming so we can prepare please contact us at: 613-623-4242 EXT 21 or at [info@galileecentre.com](mailto:info@galileecentre.com). You may also register online by going to <https://forms.gle/Z41zGo9RP57bW1Kf9>

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**St. Patrick's Christmas Craft Fair:** Over 130 local vendors. Includes maple syrup, pickles, candles, woodworking, art, children's books, knitting, sewing, jewellery, body care, soaps, bags, Christmas decor and ornaments and so much more. **Nov. 26, 10 am-3 pm.** \$2 entry for adults. There will be a Cafe and a Raffle Table for your enjoyment.

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### **Mass Intentions:**

Wed. November 23th, 2022: Gerry Morris  
Thu. November 24th, 2022: Celestine D'Souza  
Fri. November 25th, 2022:



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](mailto:frontdesk@st-josephs.ca) for arrangements. Thank you!

**To add a name to the prayers for Sick or those who have died:** Email the Front Office, [frontdesk@st-josephs.ca](mailto:frontdesk@st-josephs.ca). We pray for those who are listed during the Prayers of the Faithful.

**Prayers for those who are ill:** Andrea Beauregard, Fr. Roy Boucher OMI, Penny Coghlan, Robert Orser, Taylor Pigeon, Carmel Shales, Vilma Awad, Patrick Morris, Gene Patterson, Catherine McDaid

**Prayers for those who have died:** Richard Anderson, Ann Wiggers, Sr Cecile Paquette