

Sunday Bulletin

August 11th, 2024

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time



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, or to sign-up for auto-debit, online through **Canada Helps** <https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/131771990RR0006-saint-joseph-parish/>

Marketplace of Opportunities:

On Sunday October 20th we will be holding a Marketplace of Opportunities, showcasing the ministries and groups of the parish. It is an opportunity to find out about the good works and the faith sharing groups that take place at St. Joe's, as well as to socialize with fellow parishioners. We hope that you will consider volunteering and participating in the life of the parish.

Along with food and hospitality we hope to have a few tables available for artisans at the cost of \$20 each. If you, or someone you know, would be interested in purchasing a table, contact Claire Cheesman at Clairecheesman31@gmail.com

Please plan to join us!

2024 Word on Fire Wonder Conference: A Conference on Faith and Science - Paul Dansereau

August 2nd-4th, 2024, Word on Fire Catholic Ministries hosted its second annual *Wonder Conference: A Conference on Faith and Science* in Rochester, MN, and I was fortunate enough to attend in person, driving back and forth to Minnesota over the weekend. This year's topic was "Nature and the Human Body," an important subject, especially today. Unpacking the philosophical and theological implications of Church's understanding of the human person made "in the image and likeness of God," (Gen. 1:27) and bringing them into dialogue with some of the most recent advances of modern science, it was an absolutely fascinating discussion....

Bishop Barron's keynote address, opening the conference on Friday night, was titled "Re-naturalizing the Body." The following morning Dr. Heather Heying gave a talk titled "Grounded in Nature: An Evolutionary Framework for the Body," which set the stage for multiple intensive sessions, including "Consciousness and the Body" with Deacon Stephen Doran, M.D., and a presentation by Dr. Selmer Bringsjord:

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MASS TIMES & RECONCILIATION

- *Week Day Mass:* Wed to Fri at 12PM
- *Weekend Masses:* Saturday 5PM
Sunday 10:30AM
- *Reconciliation:* After weekday Mass or by appt.
- *Adoration:* 1st Friday of the month after the noon Mass

Office Notes

Hours (effective August 12):

MONDAY: 9am-2pm

WEDNESDAY: 9am-2pm

FRIDAY: 9am-2pm

Please keep an eye on the bulletin schedule (last page) to confirm office hours.

Please submit bulletin announcements by end of day Wednesday. Submissions are limited to 200 words or 1/2 a page.

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Office Hours

Mon-Fri: 9am-1pm

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

... "Can AI Without a Body Be Truly Intelligent?" Obianuju Ekeocha opened the afternoon with a keynote addressing the sensitive question of "Ideological Colonization and the Body," which was followed by two more intensive sessions. After Mass with Bishop Barron on Sunday morning, Fr. Robert J. Spitzer S.J. closed the weekend with a keynote titled "The Transcendent Body."

Not only were each of the presentations exceptionally well done, but what I think I appreciated the most about attending the conference was the emphasis on how we as Catholics are called to care for the totality of the person in-front of us, recognizing their inherent dignity and worth regardless of their appearance or background—not just physically, but emotionally, intellectually, and spiritually. For, Christ himself says: "Just as you did it to one of the least of these, you did it to me," (Mt. 25:40) and that applies to each and every person we encounter—in all their glory and in all their brokenness—an important part of our mission here at St. Joseph's Parish.

St. Joe's Supper Table and Food Bank

Bytown Catering Golf Tournament



LES TRAITEURS
BYTOWN
— CATERING —

A great day in the sun to support St. Joe's Supper Table! Check out Bytown Catering's 22nd Annual Golf Tournament, taking place on Sunday September 22 at the Pineview Golf Club. Make up a team or sign up solo, come for golf or just for dinner. A

portion of the proceeds go toward St. Joe's Supper Table. More info here <https://bytowncatering.com/bytown-catering-golf-tournament/> Thank you, Bytown Catering, for your continued partnership!

We are in need of the following items to help serve our community. Please consider contributing the following. You may drop them off in the donate bins at the back of the church, or the front office during business hours.

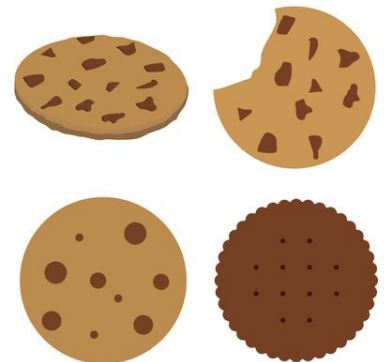
Diapers size 3, 4, 5, and especially 6. Coffee, sugar, coffee whitener, canned meat, and bread for the supper table are a necessity.

We also need empty egg cartons to repack eggs.



Hospitality Sunday—the Third Sunday of each Month

Join us after mass on Sunday, August 18. Cookies for the table are welcome. We would be pleased to have you stay!



Our Financial Stewardship

Sunday, August 4th, 2024: \$5,785

WEEKLY EVENTS AT ST. JOE'S

July 29th — August 4th, 2024

	Monday August 12th	Tuesday August 13th	Wednesday August 14th	Thursday August 15th	Friday August 16th	Saturday August 17th	Sunday August 18th
This Week				(1)AA, 7pm, Oblate Lounge		(1) Weekend Mass,(1) 5pm	Sunday Mass, 10:30am (2) Hospitality Sunday: Cookies and Coffee after
FRONT OFFICE	OPEN 9-2	CLOSED	OPEN 9-2	CLOSED	OPEN 9-2	-	-

Future



Library titles on ECOLOGY include – Davies, K. Renewing our relationship with the earth (BT695.5.D2 2002), Anglican Diocese of Canada. Earth is the Lord's: environmental prayer and liturgies (BV210.E2 2004) & Deane-Drummond, C. Eco-Theology (BT695.5.D368 2008).

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Donations to Support the Women's Centre After the Flood

If you are looking to donate items, drop-offs can be made at the Parish Office during business hours.

The Women's Centre executed a partial re-opening on Monday, July 8th. See <https://stjoeswomenscentre.org/news/> for more info and their temporary hours.

Thank you all so much for your support!



Annual Pilgrimage, Sunday August 18: For the 67th time, Our Lady of Knock Shrine at St. Malachy's Church in Mayo, Quebec, will be holding our annual pilgrimage to honour Our Lady's apparition at Knock, County Mayo, Ireland on August 21, 1879. The Eucharist will be celebrated in English by Bishop Jean-Louis Plouffe (Bishop Emeritus of Sault St. Marie and Ottawa native), assisted by Father Greg Murray of St. Malachy's parish. Info:

<http://stmalachyolv.com/pilgrimage.asp>

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Contact: Mrs. Ellen Butler 819-986-3860; Mrs. Virginia Sellers 819-281-6490. mayopilgrimage@gmail.com

OUR LADY OF KNOCK SHRINE

Mass intentions are available on Wed., Thur., and Fri. during Noon Mass for \$15.00.

Please notify the Front Desk, frontdesk@st-josephs.ca for arrangements. Thank you!

Weekday masses resume August 21.

Wed., August 14: NO MASS

Thu., August 15: NO MASS

Fri., August 16: NO MASS



To add a name to the prayers for sick or those who have died: E-mail the Front Office to add a name. We pray for those who are listed during the Prayers of the Faithful.

Prayers for those who are ill: Bēātē Bernhardt, Marjorie Lay, Jackie Maurais, Hannah Taylor, Emilie Ouellet, Deanna Dunn, Gloria Godine, Lydney Lemoyre, Jean Howard.

Prayers for those who have died: Belah Aitken, Paul Deslages, Carl Kropp.