

St. Mary's Church

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Parish Office Hours: Monday to Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. & 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Friday 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

MASSES:

Sat.: 5:00 p.m. Sun.: 8:00, 10:00, 12:00 & 4:00 p.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES: 12:10 p.m. (except Wed.)

Wednesday & 1st Friday.....7:00 p.m.

Saturday & Holidays.....9:00 a.m.

RECONCILIATION:

Wed. 6:15 to 6:45 p.m. or Sat. 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

BAPTISM INFORMATION: Contact a priest after Mass on Sunday.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: Contact the Parish Office

R.C.I.A. - For adults wishing to become Catholic, and for the baptism of older children (aged 7-14)

Public/Private School Program - for school aged children not attending Catholic Schools.

MINISTRIES TO THE HOSPITALIZED & SHUT-INS: If people are in the hospital or are unable to come to mass because of age or other limitations, contact the parish so that they may receive communion regularly.

MARRIAGE: Contact the parish priest one year prior to the anticipated date of marriage. Couples are reminded not to book a banquet hall before meeting with the Pastor.

PARISH STAFF:

Rev. Larry Léger, Pastor - ext. 104

Rev. Jeremias Inoc, Associate Pastor - ext. 107

Deacon Ron MacLellan - ext. 110

Deacon Del Allan - ext. 125

Susan Scarff, Administrative Assistant - ext. 101

Catherine Ecker, Coordinator of Ministry with Maturing Adults and Parish Catechist - ext.115

Shannon Barks, Music/Youth Minister - ext. 116 or 705-229-7426

Clint Tyler, MSW Counsellor - ext. 101

Pat Borho, Finance - ext. 102

Cathy O'Connor-Horgan, Custodian of Records - ext.113

Dennis Cormier, Building Manager

SCHOOLS:

St. Mary's School - 705-726-1843

St. Monica's School - 705-726-8221

Monsignor Clair School - 705-737-2812

St. Marguerite d'Youville School - 705-726-5849

The Good Shepherd School - 705-728-2302

Sister Catherine Donnelly - 705-726-1221

St. Joseph's High School - 705-728-3120

Board Office - 705-722-3555

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION IN OUR ADORATION CHAPEL

Monday to Friday: 1:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

All welcome.

Adoration Chapel: Mary Bond - 705-726-6641

Altar Servers: Parish Office - 705-728-2985

Bereavement Committee: Parish Office - 705-728-2985

Catholic Family Services: 705-726-2503

Catholic Women's League: Dianne Hunter - 705-725-9007

Cenacle: Audrey Belcourt - 705-792-0489

Children's Liturgy: Alyssa Hendy - 705-562-4423

Development & Peace: Becky Johnson - 705-327-9609

Extra-Ordinary Ministers of Communion - 705-728-2985

Knights of Columbus: Dean Beaudry - 728-1641 (Hall)

Simcoe Sojourners: Jacinta Kewin - 705-720-2492

Lectors: Parish Office - 705-728-2985

Library: Arlene LeBlanc - 705-728-0736

Marriage Encounter: John & Daphne Jeffery-705-721-1694

Marriage Preparation Registration: 705-728-2985

Maturing Adults: Catherine Ecker - 705-728-2985

Ministry Affirmation: (Screening):Parish Office - 705-728-2985

New Beginnings: Mary Golds - 705-737-0368

Refugee Committee: Christine Ignas - 705-770-9199

Religious Articles Store: Pat Dunn - 705-720-2483

Retrouaille: (for troubled marriages) - 416-281-6007

Rosary Apostolate - Anné Gariepy - 705-305-0911

Social Life: Parish Office - 705-728-2985

Stay 'n Play: Parish Office - 705-728-2985

St. Mary's Cemetery: Larry Meyer 705-726-3931

St. Vincent de Paul: - 705-722-0753

Youth Ministry: Shannon Barks - 705-229-7426

PARISH REGISTRATION

Please register with the parish before seeking any sacraments or any other services. Registration forms are available in the church foyer, on our parish website, and in our parish office.

Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, October 7	12:10 p.m.	† Manuel DaSilva
Tuesday, October 8	12:10 p.m.	† Paula King
	1:30 p.m.	St. Monica's School at the church
Wednesday, October 9	9:30 a.m.	The Good Shepherd School at the school
	7:00 p.m.	† Gizela Jadwiga Witt
Thursday, October 10	12:10 p.m.	† Tina Lamantia
Friday, October 11	12:10 p.m.	† Members of the Paulina and Caracci Families
Saturday, October 12	9:00 a.m.	† Edith Driscoll, † Frank and Loretta Sheridan
		† Marjorie Gail Oliveira
		Intentions of Rosalie and Mario Graziani

Please remember to pray for those who are sick especially **John Truen, John Murphy, Peter Palmer, Mike Carbone, Joe Hargreaves, Sean Doherty, Rosita Bearisto.**



Please remember to pray for those who have died especially **James MacAuley.**

COFFEE SUNDAY: A big thanks to today's host, **The Good Shepherd Catholic School.** Join us in the parish hall for coffee after the 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. Masses.



COFFEE & DONUTS

MEMORIAL LAMP & SPECIAL INTENTIONS

October 5th to October 12th

Our sanctuary lamp is lit –

In loving memory of a dear husband

† **Alick Paguandas**

Who is forever in our hearts and prayers.

Requested by: Sharm Paguandas



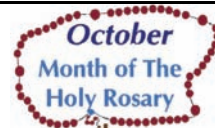
NATIONAL CATHOLIC HEALTH CARE WEEK October 6 – 12, 2019

We give thanks for the courageous gift of Catholic health care. Whether it be in hospitals, community health centres, nursing homes, and long-term care homes, Catholic health care works to provide purpose-driven care with compassion and innovation. Each year, Catholic health care providers serve more than five million people in need. Every person who contributes to working in Catholic health care is living out the healing ministry of Jesus Christ and we give thanks for the thousands of physicians, nurses, employees, and volunteers who give of themselves to care for all in need.

OCTOBER IS THE MONTH OF THE ROSARY

Did you know that before all weekday Masses the rosary is prayed here in the parish?

Monday to Saturday, one half hour before the beginning of Mass those gathered, pray the rosary. Your presence is welcome, especially in the month of October.



BAPTISM FOR SCHOOL AGE CHILDREN

If your child is not baptized or was not baptized in the Catholic Church and he or she wishes to celebrate a sacrament please contact Catherine Ecker at 705 728 2985 ext. 115 or email Caecker@archtoronto.org.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, COUNCIL 1626

LIFE CHAIN – TODAY, SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6: Northwest corner of **Cundles & Bayfield Streets** (Kozlov corner) between **2 & 3:00 p.m.** Signs available for display. Everyone is welcome.



THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE

Non-perishable food items only please. Please be vigilant in checking the expiry date. Needless to say, no open packages. All donations go to the Barrie Food Bank. *Please return your bags to the parish hall.*

The greatest needs are pork & beans, crackers, cookies, jam, canned vegetables, fruit, and meat (tuna, ham); canned pasta (ravioli, alpha-ghettie), rice, sugar, school snacks (granola bars, fruit cups); drinking boxes, cereal, peanut butter, Kraft Dinner, baby food jars, baby formula, coffee/tea. **Please NO dry pasta.**



Saturday, October 19 in our parish hall from 6:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.

Includes a German style meal, door prizes and a live ten-piece band "**Harmony Brass.**" **Early bird tickets \$30/pp – after today tickets are \$35/pp.** For further information contact oktoberfestbarrie@gmail.com.

MINISTRY WITH MATURING ADULTS



Christian Meditation is an ancient form of contemplative prayer rooted in the Christian tradition. The group meets twice a month. The next session is on **Tuesday, October 8th at 10:30 a.m. in meeting room 3.** All are welcome. No prior experience is needed.

Writing Circle Alumni Group: this is a gathering for those who have already completed the Life Story Writing program. Meeting will be held on **Thursday, October 10th at 1:00 p.m. in room 3.**

Neighbourhood Circle: A parish-based support group of maturing adults who live in the same neighbourhood. A group will meet on **Thursday, October 10th at Collier Place in the TV room at 2:00 p.m.** All are welcome.

Speaker's Bureau: Fostering a Healthy Lifestyle: Caring for Our Minds

"A healthy outside starts from the inside."

Robert Ulrich

Join **Amanda Fellows from Catholic Family Services** on **Wednesday October 16th at 2:00 p.m.** for refreshments, conversation and discussion as we explore ways to foster a healthy lifestyle. All are welcome.

For further information on the **Ministry with Maturing Adults** please consult the bulletin board or the parish website

(<https://stmarysba@archtoronto.org>) or contact the coordinator, Catherine at 705 728 2985 ext. 115.

CHOOSING A GOVERNMENT AND CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING

Come and learn more about Catholic Social Teaching and how the teaching of the Church is connected to current issues that affect all Canadians. This series continues tomorrow, on **Monday October 7th from 1:00 – 2:30 p.m.** and **Tuesday October 8th from 7:30 – 9:00 p.m.** If you are of voting age you are invited to attend these sessions. Participation at all sessions is encouraged, not required. We will meet in room 3.

CELEBRATING THE LITURGY OF THE WORD WITH CHILDREN: IMPORTANT MEETING



There will be a meeting for all current and potential leaders of the Liturgy of the Word on **Saturday, October 26th from 9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.** in room 3. Participation in this meeting is essential for all leaders. Please call the parish 705-728-2985 to confirm your attendance.

PREPARING FOR CONFIRMATION: AN INFORMATION MEETING FOR PARENTS



All parents of young people born in 2007 (grade 7 or older) and baptized in the Roman Catholic Church are invited to attend an important information meeting on **Thursday, October 10th, 2019 from 7:30 – 9:00 p.m.** OR **Sunday, October 20th, 2019 from 1:30 – 3:00 p.m.** Participation in one of the meetings is essential. Details regarding the preparation process, registration and the celebration of Confirmation will be shared at the meeting.

PREPARING YOUNG PEOPLE FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: AN INFORMATION MEETING FOR PARENTS

All parents of children born in 2012 (grade 2 or older) and baptized in the Roman Catholic Church are invited to attend an important parent information meeting **TODAY, Sunday October 6th, 2019 from 1:30 – 3:00 p.m.** OR **Tuesday October 15th, 2019 from 7:30 – 9:00 p.m.** To allow for your full participation you are encouraged to arrange child care. It is **essential** that you attend the information meeting because details will be provided regarding registration, future gatherings and the celebration of both Reconciliation (Confession) and first sharing in Holy Communion.

YOUTH MINISTRY



M.E.R.C.Y. (Ministry to Educate Roman Catholic Youth) is for youth grades S.K.-4 and gathers once a month on Tuesday nights from 6:00-7:30 p.m. where we explore our faith in a dynamic way through activities, games, crafts and music. **Our Kick-Off night is Tuesday, October 8th!** Come out for some "Fall Fun" in our parish hall!



EDGE is a youth ministry program for youth grades 5-8 to come together once a month on a Friday from 6:00-8:00 p.m. EDGE is a safe, fun place for youth to find solid Catholic community, to get answers to their questions about faith and most importantly, to experience Jesus in a profound and personal way. **Our Kick-Off night is Friday, October 25th for a "Minute to Win It Game Night!"**



LIFE TEEN – for high school teens to explore their faith through talks, prayer and friendship meeting monthly on

Sunday nights. **Our Kick-off Night is Sunday, October 27th at 4-8:00 p.m.** For information on our Youth Ministry please email stmarysyouthministrybarrie@gmail.com or call Shannon Barks at 705-229-7426.

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