St. Mary's Church

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Email: stmarysBA@archtoronto.org Website: www.stmarysba.archtoronto.org 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 Friday7:00 p.m. Saturday & Holidays9:00 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 - ext113
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

EUCHARISTIC 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: Alba Aray – 705-719-0429

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
Retrouvaille: (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.

Monday, November 18 Tuesday, November 19 12:10 p.m. † Mrs. E. Grassl Wednesday, November 20 7:00 p.m. † Jean McConvey Thursday, November 21 12:10 p.m. † Manuel DaSilva

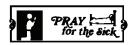
Friday, November 22 12:10 p.m. Respect for Life at all Stages † Melissa Fava and Marc Caputo Saturday, November 23 9:00 a.m.

† Rosaria Manno † Peter Chiuch † Savaryn and Adamski Family and Friends

Intentions of Rosalie and Mario Grazanio

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Please remember to pray for those who are sick especially Tibor Toth, May Flynn, Mike

Carbone, Cynthia Dwyer, Sean Doherty, Simone Ried, Rosita Bearisto, Joe Hargreaves, Joshua Hettinge, Marg McGrath, infant Joseph LaPoint and all those mentioned in our Book of Remembrance.



Please remember to pray for those who have died especially Jerome Sullivan and Albina Sicard.

CONSECRATION TO THE HOLY FAMILY PRESENTED BY THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 1626

As we prepare for the Advent and the Christmas Season and to help families live out the joy of Christ, the Supreme Chaplain of the Knights of Columbus Archbishop William Lori has composed a prayer through which families will come together to consecrate themselves under the protection of the Holy Family. In this prayer, we ask for the aid or intercession of the perfect son Jesus Christ, Mary the perfect mother, and Joseph who is a model for every father. Please join us for this celebration and Mass on Wednesday, November 20th at 7:00 p.m. in the church. Father Jeremias the Chaplain of our 1626 Council will be the presider. For information contact Bill French 416-587-7030.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS **ANNUAL PARISH BREAKFAST**

Sunday, November 24th the Knights of Columbus will be hosting their parish breakfast after the 8:00 and 10:00 a.m. masses in our

parish hall. Tickets will be sold at the door only and are \$5.00 each or \$15.00 per family.

MEMORIAL LAMPS & SPECIAL INTENTIONS

November 16th to November 23rd

Our sanctuary lamp in the church proper is lit -

In loving memory of dear grandsons

† Willem Vasey & † Benjamin Robertson

Who are forever in our hearts and prayers. Requested by: Rosemary Vasey

<u>November 15th to November 22nd</u> Our sanctuary lamp in our chapel dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus is lit:--

In loving memory of:

† Deceased Members of the Monteleone & **Bumbanca Families**

Who are forever in our hearts and prayers. Requested by: Theresa & Antonio Monteleone

November 15th to November 22nd

The sanctuary lamp in our chapel dedicated to the Immaculate Heart of Mary is lit:-

In loving memory of:

† Qara Maristella Clemente and t Remedios Bacalla

Who are forever in our hearts and prayers. Requested by: The Clemente Family

DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE WORKSHOP FOR OUR COMMON HOME

Learn about the vital role the Amazon plays for the entire planet and the importance of standing alongside those who protect the Amazon. Saturday, November 30th, 9 a.m.-1 p.m., room 3.

Contact Becky Johnson at beckerooski@sympatico.ca or (705) 327-9609.

LIVING WITH CHRIST SUNDAY MISSALS



Sunday Missals for the new liturgical year are available for purchase. It is helpful to remember that the Sunday or weekday missalette is intended to assist us in

preparing for the liturgy.

We are invited to read the scriptures for the day before we gather for Mass. The Church reminds us that "When the Sacred Scriptures are read in the Church, God himself is speaking to his people, and Christ, present in his own word, is proclaiming the Gospel. Therefore, the readings from the Word of God are to be *listened to reverently by everyone* ... the Word of God is addressed to all people of whatever era and is understandable to them." *General Instruction of the Roman Missal, Canadian Edition, CCCB, 2011, par. 29.* In addition to the readings and prayers for each week, the Sunday Missal includes suggestions for using the missal, and an extensive section on prayer and an introduction to St. Matthew's Gospel.

AN ADVENT RETREAT: COME AND PREPARE FOR A NEW SEASON: SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23RD.



The retreat will be cofacilitated by Murray Watson, Adult Faith Formation Animator, SMCDSB and Catherine Ecker, coordinator of Ministry with Maturing

Adults and Parish Catechist. Refreshments will be available at 9:15 a.m. with welcome and opening prayer at 9:45 a.m. Lunch will be included. We shall conclude by 2:00 p.m. To assist with preparations, you are asked to register by **Monday, November 18**th. Please call the parish office at 705 728 2985 ext.101 or email: stmarysba@archtoronto.org. **Cost: free will offering.**

ADVENT BIBLE LECTURES

You are invited to join *Rev. Dr. A. Joseph Lazar* as he discusses his new book, "*Forgiveness in the Bible and in Contemporary Times.*" This five-part lecture series will be held in our parish hall on Thursday nights from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. on November 21st, 28th (Rm. 3), December 5th, 12th and 19th, 2019. Please contact the parish office at 705-728-2985 ext. 101 or email stmarysba@archtoronto.org to register. Fr. Lazar's book will be available for purchase at \$20/copy. Participants are asked to bring a copy of their bible.

YOUTH MINISTRY

<u>EDGE</u> for youth grades 5-8. Next gathering is on Friday, November 22nd from 6-8:00 p.m.

MINISTRY WITH MATURING ADULTS

The Ministry with Maturing Adults seeks to support the lifelong faith development of women and men throughout all phases of the pre-retirement and retirement years.

The various programs are open to all members of St. Mary's who are in the second half of life.

YOU ARE INVITED TO LUNCH AND A MOVIE Wednesday, November 20th



You are invited to gather for a



For further information on the **Ministry with Maturing Adults** please contact Catherine, the coordinator at 705 728 2985 ext. 115 or by email: caecker@archtoronto.org.

PREPARING FOR CONFIRMATION OR FIRST SHARING IN HOLY COMMUNION



All families who have registered may consult the list posted in the parish hall for the date of Confirmation or first sharing in Holy

Communion. The list includes the dates for all meetings. If there is a spelling error or If you have questions please email Catherine Ecker, parish catechist at caecker@archtoronto.org

THANK YOU'S!

<u>Gifts That Give Fair</u>: Thank you to all those who came out to support the 2019 Gifts That Give Fair which took place last weekend. Thank you to the parish for hosting this event and to the participants and their volunteers for providing us with the opportunity to purchase gifts while supporting some of the good work happening in our community. Look for Gifts That Give in 2020!

Catholic Women's League Bazaar: Thank you to those who prepared and worked at the bazaar and to all who donated items of food, prize baskets, crafts, sewing, knitting and time. A reminder, all are invited to the *Mini Bazaar* held after the 8 a.m. and 10 a.m. Masses. CWL members; come on out on Tuesday, November 19th at 7:00 p.m. for a CWL games night. The general membership business meeting will be short so that we can spend time enjoying each other's company and sharing a few laughs while enjoying good food after the busy weekend.

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