

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: Parish Office - 705-728-2985

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

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

Interfaith Refugee Committee: Sheila Lewis-Watts
705-737-1880

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

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

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

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

Rosary Apostolate - Anné Gariepy - 705-305-0911

Simcoe Sojourners: Jacinta Kewin - 705-720-2492

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, August 17	12:10 p.m.	† Duilio Antonioni
Tuesday, August 18	12:10 p.m.	† Al and Mary Bethune
Wednesday, August 19	7:00 p.m.	† Mary Hawco
Thursday, August 20	12:10 p.m.	† Mickie Oakes
Friday, August 21	12:10 p.m.	Intentions of Maria Vatri
Saturday, August 22	9:00 a.m.	† Mickie Oakes



Please pray for the sick

Please remember to pray for those who are sick including: **infant Paisley Carter, David Samuel, Barry Fielding, Maria Demarco, Teresa Perry, Irene**

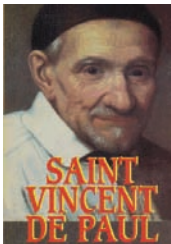
Sanderson, John den Hoed, Joe Wylie, Maria Cuzmich, Jason Smith, Mary Martin, Carole Barks, Tony Petrovich, Emily Kelly, Francesca Arrigo, Edward Gelfand, Ameila Da Silva, Jeff McGibbon, Don Gruchy, Lorraine Moore, Reg Driscoll and Myriam Swan.

Rest in Peace

Please remember to pray for those who have died including

Mary MacLellan, Catherine Quick, Shirley Chew, Maria Vasquez and Noel Petersen.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



Fellow Parishioners, The Society of St. Vincent de Paul continues to serve our clients during this pandemic.

As we are not able to see clients face to face, we have been working with Giant Tiger on

Cundles since April. They have been a great support for us by distributing gift cards, through appointments only, on our behalf.

We would like to thank all parishioners who have continued to support us financially during this difficult time.

CANADIAN MISSIONS COLLECTION



OFFERING

This weekend is a special collection in support of Canadian Missions. If you have forgotten your envelope, you may put it on next weekend.

Thank you for your support!

CELEBRATING INITIATION!



During July and August with great joy and gratitude to God we celebrated the

sacraments of initiation with seven adults who have been journeying for many months. We welcome them as full members of our parish community and invite you to pray for them as they continue to grow in wisdom and knowledge.

We welcome **Monica, Kathy, Jen, Chris and Colin** who celebrated Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist and **Joan and Sue** who were received into full Communion, Confirmed and joined us at the table of the Lord.

We give thanks to God for their sponsors and catechists.

CELEBRATING CONFIRMATION OR FIRST SHARING IN HOLY COMMUNION



If your child was preparing to celebrate Confirmation or First Holy Communion during the Easter season of 2020 and you would like to complete the

preparation and schedule the celebration, please contact Catherine Ecker by email caecker@archtoronto.org or call and leave a message 705 728 2985 ext. 115.



CARDS FOR DEACON RON

You are invited to return your completed card for Deacon Ron to the parish office or drop it in the basket in the foyer.

August 30th will be Deacon Ron's last Sunday as an active Deacon.

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 **Christian Meditation** will continue meet on Tuesday, August 25th and September 1st at 10:30 a.m. This meeting is held online, you may join using your telephone or computer, Smartphone, Laptop, I-Pad.

If you wish to participate please email Catherine Ecker at caecker@archtoronto.org and details will be sent to you.

COUNSELLING OPPORTUNITY

Clint Tyler, MSW, is on staff in the parish to provide individual and couple counseling, each Thursday. Due to the current pandemic, all appointments are administered over the phone.



Telephone
Counseling

To make an appointment please call Susan in the parish office at ext. 101 or email stmarysba@archtoronto.org.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION



Commencing **Tuesday, August 4th** adoration will take place in the church on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays after the 12:10 p.m. Mass until 3:00 p.m. For information or if you have any questions, please call Mary Bond at (705) 726-6641.

BAPTISM FOR INFANTS AND YOUNG CHILDREN

Parents of infants and children up to the age of 6 are invited to speak with one of the priests **after** a Sunday (Saturday evening) Mass to receive a baptism preparation package.



If you have any questions about the preparation please email Catherine at caecker@archtoronto.org.

SENIORS' CENTRE WITHOUT WALLS: A FREE PROGRAM FOR THOSE WHO ARE 55 PLUS!



The City of Barrie continues to offer programs for seniors. **Seniors' Centre Without Walls (SCWW)** is a free interactive telephone-based program that connects seniors and enables them to be social, informed and connected during difficult times. Participants join in for free on general conversations and make new and meaningful friendships – all from the comfort of their home! It works just the same as attending a class or a lecture at the centre, but instead it is facilitated over the telephone. For information call 705 739 4233 or visit barrie.ca/SeniorsCentres.

TEEN CAMPFIRE LAST ONE !

Calling all teens to our final campfire!!!

Please join us **Friday, August 21st, 2020 at 7:00 p.m.** at the back of the church for the last of our Lifeteen campfires. Please bring your own chair, roasting sticks if you have them, and get ready for some fun challenges. We look forward to seeing you there!



HUMANITARIAN RELIEF

An enormous explosion devastated the city of Beirut, Lebanon, on Tuesday, August 4, 2020.

The situation in Lebanon is dire. At least 154 people died in the explosion and 5,000 were injured.

At this time, we ask the faithful to please donate to the Lebanon relief effort, if they are able.

The Archdiocese of Toronto will send donation to the Catholic Near East Welfare Association (CNEWA), a papal agency with extensive on-the-ground networks in Lebanon.

For those who can help:

- Online through the Archdiocese of Toronto website (click on the "Donate Now" button at the top of the page): www.archtoronto.org
- By phone through the Development Office – 416-934-3411
- Or through the parish making cheques payable to: St. Mary's Church – Lebanon Relief Effort – Disaster Relief.

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