

# 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.

**BAPTISMS (2ND & 4TH SUNDAYS):** Please pick up a Baptism Package from the parish office.

**BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS:** 1ST Tuesday of each month from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.

**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.

**CONFIRMATION & 1st COMMUNION:** Contact the parish for information.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: Parish Office

**R.C.I.A.** - For adults wishing to become Catholic.

**R.C.I.C.** - For the baptism of older children(aged 7-14).

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

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: ADORATION CHAPEL

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

## PARISH STAFF:

Rev. Msgr. Marco Laurencic, Pastor - ext. 107

Rev. Jeremias Inoc, Associate Pastor - ext. 116

Rev. Gustave Mombo Mabiala, Assoc. Pastor - ext. 126  
(Chaplain to the Barrie French Community)

Susan Scarff, Administrative Assistant - ext. 101

Deacon Ron MacLellan - ext. 115

Deacon Del Allan - ext. 125

Sherry Chapman, Adult Faith Moderator - ext. 111

Mickie Oakes, Pastoral Associate - ext. 110

Mary Perry White, Minister with Maturing Adults - ext.104

Shannon Barks, Music/Youth Minister - 705-229-7426

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

**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.

**Adoration Chapel:** Mary Bond - 705-726-6641

**Altar Servers:** Parish Office - 705-728-2985

**Bereavement Committee:** Parish Office - 705-728-2985

**Birthright:** 109 Bayfield Street - 705-737-3550

**Catholic Family Services:** 705-726-2503

**Catholic Women's League:** Anne Marie Martyniuk-728-0109

**Cenacle:** Audrey Belcourt - 705-792-0489

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

**Development & Peace:** Becky Johnson - 705-325-4614

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

**Knights of Columbus:** Dan Dooley - 728-1641 (Hall)

**Simcoe Sojourners:** Frank Kewin - 705-720-2492

**Lectors:** Ted Land - 705-720-2802

**Library:** Leola Chiasson - 705-728-1451

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

**Marriage Preparation Registration:** 705-728-2985

**Maturing Adults:** Mary Perry White - 705-728-2985

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

**New Beginnings:** Mary Golds - 705-737-0368

**Out of the Cold:** Carol Forget - 705-726-1036

**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 - 705-737-5263

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**Stay 'n Play:** Mickie Oakes - 705-728-2985

**St. Mary's Cemetery:** - 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, April 30	12:10 p.m.	† Frank and Carmela Camilleri, Lucy, Jean and Wendy
Tuesday, May 1	12:10 p.m.	† Renate Couturier
Wednesday, May 2	7:00 p.m.	Intentions of Teachers in our Parish Schools
Thursday, May 3	12:10 p.m.	† Jim Melady
Friday, May 4	12:10 p.m.	Intentions for Respect for Life at All Stages
	7:00 p.m.	† Marion Timmins
Saturday, May 5	9:00 a.m.	† Joaquim Mendes; † Bruno Aita
		† Raymond and David Fenech, and Joseph Agius

## Prelude to Education Week

Catholic Education week this year begins Sunday, May 6<sup>th</sup>. *All those who are teaching in our Catholic*

*School Board are invited to attend a Mass on Wednesday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7:00 p.m.*

*followed by a reception in our parish hall.* As Christian educators you reflect the face of Jesus for the children in our Catholic schools and for their families. The "Prelude to Catholic Education Week" evening is an event to celebrate this collaborative ministry within which we share.



Please remember to pray for those who are sick especially **Colin Baker, David Ferrier, Anne Peebles, Sandra Juneau, Rigo Ongaro, Reg Driscoll and Matheson Desbiens.**



Please remember to pray for those who have died especially **Blanche Beaudoin, Eileen Campeau, Ryan Morris, Gerry Beesley and Wladyslaw Labuz.**

**HOLY HOUR AND BENEDICTION**  
Friday, May 4<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

### MEMORIAL LAMP & SPECIAL INTENTIONS

April 28 to May 5

Our sanctuary lamp is lit –

**In loving memory of dear wife and mother,  
† Barbara Taylor**

**who is forever in our hearts and prayers.  
Requested by: The Family**



### CENACLE – PRAY FOR PRIESTS

The Cenacle meets every Monday morning in the adoration chapel at 10:30 a.m. (except holiday Mondays) to pray for our priests. We are currently seeking new members. Please call Audrey Belcourt at 705-792-0489 for more information.



**Living the Gospel by helping newcomers to Canada.....**Angie moved to Canada to marry a man she met online. He was not who he seemed; she endured emotional and physical abuse. While he was at work, she started attending language classes at Catholic Crosscultural Services. Staff at CCS connected her with a settlement worker in the women's program. Angie received the support she needed to exit her violent relationship and live independently, free from abuse. Angie is one of over 3,000 clients helped annually by CCS programs funded by ShareLife.

**To-date we have collected \$79,737.00 which is 55% of our goal.**

**Our Parish Goal this year is \$144,500. May 27 is the next ShareLife Sunday.**

### 12 HOURS OF PRAYER FOR PALLIATIVE CARE



The Catholic Women's League invites all people of faith to join in a **Morning of Prayer for Palliative Care** on **Tuesday, May 8, 2018** during National Hospice Palliative Care Week, as a profound witness to the sanctity of human life.

All parishioners, family and friends are invited to join in prayer and solidarity any time from 8:00 a.m. to the conclusion of the 12:10 p.m. mass in our church. Coffee and tea will be available in the parish hall throughout the morning. For more information, please call Ann Nason at 705-726-8462. Those unable to attend are encouraged to join in prayerful support at home.

**ALL ARE INVITED!**

St. Mary's Parish is offering an XLT (*Exalt*) Adoration with powerful speaker, David Patterson, on **Friday, May 4th at 7:00 p.m.**

Exalt (XLT) is a powerful night that strives to bring people into a deeper encounter with Christ through Eucharistic Adoration, praise and worship, silence, a witness talk, and fellowship.

This form of adoration is offered at Conferences throughout the world to create a unique prayer environment to experience and adore our Lord Jesus Christ in the Eucharist. This is for everyone - all are invited to come and attend this wonderful encounter with Christ! Please contact Shannon Barks at 705-229-7426 should you have any questions.

**YOUTH MINISTRY**



**M.E.R.C.Y. (Ministry to Educate Roman Catholic Youth)** for grades S.K.-4. Gathers once/month on Friday nights, 6:30-8:30 p.m. where we explore our faith in a dynamic way through activities, games, crafts and music. Our next M.E.R.C.Y. is on **Friday, May 18th!** For questions on the Youth Programs offered in the parish, please email [stmarysyouthministrybarrie@gmail.com](mailto:stmarysyouthministrybarrie@gmail.com) or call Shannon Barks at 705-229-7426.

**ST. MARY'S BIBLE CAMP – 2018  
REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!**



Yes, we will have Bible Camp again this summer. Please mark your calendars for **July 3<sup>rd</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup>** – registration deadline is June 11<sup>th</sup>. Registration forms are available from the parish office or in the vestibule. Open to SK to Grade 6, cost is \$40/child or \$60/family. Please contact Theresa Rodman at 705-728-9142 should you have any questions.

**HAVE YOU THOUGHT OF  
BECOMING CATHOLIC?**



**R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)** will begin this fall for those who are considering becoming Catholic or for those Catholics who are in need of fairly extensive catechesis (teaching) about their faith. Please call the parish office at 728-2985.

**R.C.I.C. BAPTISM FOR OLDER CHILDREN**

Children aged 7 or older can study to become a Baptized Catholic through the *Rite of Christian Initiation for Children* also beginning this fall.

**MINISTRY WITH MATURING ADULTS**



**Next Chapter Network:** A support group network for women who are widowed. The next meeting will be held on **Monday, April 30** in room 3 at 7:00 p.m. This is not intended to replace the Bereavement Support Program. If you need a drive please contact Mary Perry White at 705-728-2985, ext. 104.

**Advisory Committee: Wednesday, May 2** at 1:30 p.m. in room 3.

**Neighbourhood Circle** at St. Mary's Residence on **Thursday, May 3 at 2:00 p.m.** This gathering is a parish-based support group of maturing adults who live in the same neighbourhood.

**A Day of Retreat: Exploring Our Baptism**, will be held on **Wednesday May 16**, 10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. All maturing adults are invited to come together for a day of reflection with Sr. Eileen Power, a member of the Congregation of Notre Dame of Montreal. Sr. Eileen is a teacher, retreat facilitator and spiritual director and will guide us to a deeper understanding of the impact of Baptism in our lives. The retreat begins at 10:30 a.m. in our parish hall. Bring a bag lunch, coffee and tea provided no registration is required. For more details see the brochure or contact Mary Perry White at 705-728-2985 ext. 104.

**DO YOU WISH PRAYERS FOR THE SICK OR  
DECEASED AT SUNDAY MASS?**



If you know people who are sick that you would like prayed for at the Sunday masses, please notify the parish office by noon on Friday. Their names will be left on the list for two weeks and will be renewed if you call again. Likewise for those who have died, please call during the week and the parish will gladly include them in the Prayers of the Faithful at Sunday Mass.

*Sincere Thanks!*

The parish wishes to extend our sincere thank you to the staff and owners of Wrights Cleaners located at 103 Bayfield Street, Barrie.

Wrights Cleaners have donated their services of dry cleaning the priest's vestments and parish Altar cloths for many years.

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