

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

Social Life: Ted Land - 705-720-2802

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, May 14	12:10 p.m.	† Dionisio DeMelo
Tuesday, May 15	12:10 p.m.	† Maywood and Josephine Michael
Wednesday, May 16	7:00 p.m.	† Nora Stebnar
Thursday, May 17	12:10 p.m.	† Renate Couturier
	2:30 p.m.	Woods Park, 110 Lillian Crescent
Friday, May 18	12:10 p.m.	† Guiseppa DeGasperis and Family
Saturday, May 19	9:00 a.m.	† Stanley Laurencic



Ascension



PRAY
FOR THE SICK

Please remember to pray for those who are sick especially
David Ferrier, Sandra Juneau, Rigo Ongaro, Antonella Tibbits, Linda Roy-Leblanc,

Beryl Fairchild, Doreen Johnson, Bob Selinger, Antonio Fava, Walter Chavez and Lori Hunt.

Please remember to pray for those who have died especially
Mike Fountain and Karen Crocker.



PARISH FEAST DAY CELEBRATION JUNE 8 AND 9, 2018



IN OUR PARISH

On December 15, 1872, the new Catholic Church in Barrie was blessed by Archbishop John Joseph Lynch and dedicated to the Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary. The Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Memorial of the Immaculate Heart of Mary are celebrated on the third Friday and Saturday after Pentecost; (June 8/9th, 2018).

As our parish was dedicated on this feast day it seems appropriate that we commemorate the event annually with prayer, reflection and celebration.

Commencing with the noon Mass on Friday, June 8th (the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus) and concluding with the 9:00 a.m. Mass on Saturday, June 9th (the Memorial of the Sacred Heart of Mary) a vigil of prayer before the Blessed Sacrament will occur throughout the day and all night. Further details will be forthcoming and a sign-up schedule will be made available to all parishioners.

Bishop Wayne Kirkpatrick will celebrate the 5:00 p.m. Mass Saturday evening to officially conclude the event and a light social will follow in our parish hall. Please mark your calendars! All are welcome!

MEMORIAL LAMP & SPECIAL INTENTIONS

May 12th to May 19th



Our sanctuary lamp is lit –
**In loving memory of dear husband,
Father and grandfather**

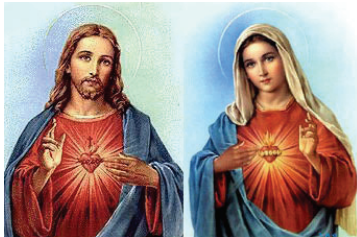
† **Dionisio DeMelo**
who is forever in our hearts and prayers.

Requested by: Odette, his wife and family



May 11th – 18th

The sanctuary lamps in our adoration chapel are lit:-



**In loving memory of
our Families and
Friends who are with
the Lord and are
forever in our
thoughts and prayers
and Special**

**Intentions for the Morning of Prayer for Palliative
Care and National Hospice Week.**

**Requested by: Members of the Catholic
Women's League**

SEEING WITH HEART – A Day of Reflection

A relaxed and supportive atmosphere for Catholic parents of lesbian daughters and gay sons. Facilitated by Fr. Roger Brennan, S.F.M. and John Montague. **Saturday, June 2nd from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.** at the MANRESA Jesuit Spiritual Renewal Centre in Pickering. Registration fee is \$40.00/pp which includes lunch. For information and to register please contact John Montague at 416-523-6449.

SHARE LIFE

**To-date we have collected \$86,247.00
which is 59% of our goal.
Our Parish Goal this year is \$144,500.
May 27 is the next ShareLife Sunday.
Please give generously.**

**CALL FOR CONSCIENCE 2018
AN INVITATION FROM CARDINAL COLLINS**

Cardinal Thomas Collins, Archbishop of Toronto, recently issued a call to action in advance of the June 7 provincial election to promote palliative care, conscience rights and the protection of faith-based facilities. His Eminence has asked Catholics to visit canadiansforconscience.ca/ontario to send a letter directly to all candidates in their riding for the June 7 election. A pre-written letter is provided which people can amend as they choose. If you did not receive Cardinal Collins' emailed letter and you would like to receive them in the future, please visit bit.ly/archtosignup Thank you for advocating on these important issues!

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

The CWL General Meeting is this **Tuesday, May 15th at 7:00 p.m. in the parish hall.** Guest speaker: Patricia Olesen from Telecare Reassurance Call Program. Telecare reaches out to our elders, relieving loneliness, providing peace of mind, sharing stories and making connections. All are welcome to come and learn more.

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 or call Shannon Barks at 705-229-7426.



*God Bless All
Our Mothers
Happy Mothers
Day!*

Regrettably, Birthright will not be selling roses this weekend. For donations, please visit

<https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/birthright-of-barrie/> or leave a cheque at the church office.



**Ordinations into the Priesthood
of Jesus Christ in the
Archdiocese of Toronto.**

On Saturday, May 12th, 2018

Cardinal Collins ordained

Rev. Raymond So

and

Rev. Alexander MacDonald

to the Priesthood of Jesus Christ.

*Please pray for them and
for an increase in vocations*

CONFIRMATION



On **Sunday, May 27th at 4:00 p.m.**

Bishop Kirkpatrick will be with us to celebrate confirmation with the students of our six parish schools and our public school religion program.

Thank you to their families for their good efforts in preparation, and for those of the parish who assisted with the preparation process. Let us keep these young people in our prayers as they move towards greater responsibility in their own lives.

MINISTRY WITH MATURING ADULTS



A Day of Retreat: "Exploring Our Baptism" will be held on **Wednesday, May 16th, 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.

Parish Prayer Companions are men and women in our parish community who are not able to be fully engaged in active ministry yet who continue to have the desire to be of service within the parish. They are commissioned by the pastor to pray for the ministries of the parish; both those who minister and those who are recipients of the ministry. They make a commitment to pray each day for a specific group within the parish community. This commitment is for one year, renewable if appropriate. If you are already a parish prayer companion you will be contacted to renew your commitment for another year.

For more information on the above, please contact Mary Perry White at the parish office at ext. 104.

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