St. Mary's Church

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Email: secretary@stmarysbarrie.com 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 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 WEEKENDS): Contact the parish office.

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.

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: Parish Office - 705-728-2985 **Library**: Leola Chiasson - 705-728-1451

PARISH STAFF:

Rev. Msgr. Marco Laurencic, Pastor - ext. 107
Rev. Jeremias Inoc, Associate Pastor - ext. 116
Rev. Gustave Mombo, Associate 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
Clint Tyler, MSW Counsellor, ext. 101
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

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION: ADORATION CHAPEL

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

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

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 - 705-737-5263

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

12:10 p.m. † Frank and Carmela Camilleri, Lucy Jean and Wendy Monday, October 29 Tuesday, October 30 12:10 p.m. † Bernice Chulumovich Wednesday, October 31 7:00 p.m. **† Kevin Nicol** Thursday, November 1 12:10 p.m. † John McCafferty Friday, November 2 12:10 p.m. No Intentions 7:00 p.m. **Annual Memorial Mass**

Saturday, November 3 9:00 a.m. † Stefan Adamski; † Stella Lesperance;





HOLY HOUR AND BENEDICTION

Friday, November 2 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.



Please remember to pray for those who are sick especially Victoria Simpson, Donald

Breault and Mary Scareti.

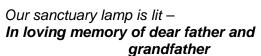
Please remember to pray for those who have died especially *Marek*

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MEMORIAL LAMP & SPECIAL INTENTIONS

October 27 to November 3



† John McCafferty who is forever in our hearts and prayers.

Requested by: The McCafferty Family

VIGIL CANDLES

November traditionally is set aside for honouring the dead. All Souls Day is celebrated on November 2 where we commemorate all the faithful



departed. Vigil or Votive Candles signify "our prayer offered in faith coming into the light of God. With the light of faith, we petition our Lord in prayer, or petition the Saint to pray with us and for us to the Lord."

The Vigil Candle symbolizes how a person desires "to remain present to the Lord in prayer even though we may depart" the premises. It reinforces the idea that candles represent our prayers before God. Suggested offering is \$4.00 each and burn for 72 hours approximately.

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

Book of Remembrance

The Book of Remembrance is available on November 1 so that you may inscribe the names of those who have gone before you

marked with the sign of faith. Throughout the month of November, the month of holy souls, it will be a focus of awareness as we pray for the dead.

ST. MARY'S ANNUAL MEMORIAL MASS

n Friday, November 2. All Souls

Day at 7:00 p.m., we will celebrate St. Mary's Annual Memorial Mass. At this Mass, we remember all those who have died this past year. We invite family and friends of the deceased to light a personalized candle which is placed near the altar during the Mass. St. Mary's Bereavement Ministry sent out invitations to those families who have had funerals from St. Mary's in the past year, but we realize that this will not include any of your family or friends who have died outside of the parish.

If you did not receive a letter and you wish to attend and have your family members or friends included, the members of the Bereavement Ministry will be in the hall prior to Mass to offer you a candle and a label so that all your loved ones can be remembered at this Mass. As there may be some congestion, it is suggested that you should come a little early to pick up your candle. The Mass will be followed by a reception in the hall.

All are welcome.

Please note: As the Annual Memorial Mass is on the first Friday of November, the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed in the Chapel.

COME AND SEE WEEKEND Nov. 2 – 4, 2018 at St. Augustine's Seminary

Inviting single Catholic men 17 years and older. Time for prayer, reflection and information on the process of becoming one of Christ's disciples as a Catholic priest. Register www.vocationstoronto.ca or call 416-968-0997 or email vocations@archtoronto.org.

Catholic Women's League Christmas Bazaar Saturday, November 10th from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

We have awesome one of a kind crafts, sewing, knitted items, gourmet and Italian dishes baked goods and pies. Try your luck at our 50/50 draw, Raffles and take a chance to win a \$100 bill. We will also have our Jewellery table, Nearly New table, Used Books sales and Fruit Cakes.

Please drop your food and general donations to the Hall on Thursday, Nov. 8 from 6 pm to 8 pm and Nov. 9 from 9 am until 8 pm. Food donations, please mark if nuts are present.

Bring a friend and enjoy the Coffee Bistro around the Christmas Tree!

ST. MARY'S CWL CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

We are having a **Nearly New Table** and a **Used Book Sale** at the Bazaar. We require donations for both tables. For the Nearly New, we would like items that are gently used or new. Some examples are: lamps, Christmas decorations, glassware, serving dishes, new small appliances and trays.

We also need used current books for our book sale. Drop off times for the **Nearly New** and **Book Sale** is from 9:00 am to 9:00 pm on Friday, November 9, 2018. Someone will be in the hall to accept your items. If you have any questions, call Catherine Webb at (705) 721-0146, Jane Srigley at (705) 790-4290 or Donna Kennedy at (705) 721-8614.

VETERANS APPRECIATION MASS



Sunday, November 11 at 10:00 a.m. we will make a special effort to honour our veterans. After the announcements we offer the veterans who are here a special blessing. Veterans are encouraged to wear

their blazers and medals. Regular and Reserve Force personnel and Cadets are invited to attend in uniform.

Please invite all of the men and women of our surrounding communities so we, as a parish can thank them and acknowledge their service to our country and to freedom.

STAY 'N' PLAY - HALLOWEEN PARTY!

All little ghosts and goblins are invited to attend our Halloween themed morning at Stay 'n Play on **Wednesday**, **October 31st.** Costumes are encouraged. Bring your favourite snack and your mom, dad, grandma, grandpa, or caregiver, out to room 3 between 10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. for some fun!

CHILDREN'S LITURGY- VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are seeking volunteers to help this ministry at the 4:00 p.m. Mass. Individuals must take part in the Archdiocesan Screening Program. Training will be provided. Please contact Alyssa Hendy at 705-562-4423.

MINISTRY WITH MATURING ADULTS

Lunch and Learn: the 36-week DVD program on 'The Catholic Church History: offers a view of the Roman Catholic Church 2,000 years of unbroken tradition. The DVD Lectures are presented by William R. Cook, Ph.D. Held Monday's following the 12:10 Mass in room 3. Bring your lunch, if you wish, coffee will be provided.

A new Life Writing program begins Tuesday, Oct 30 at 1:00 p.m. in room 3. The five-session program is a prerequisite to the Writing Circle program. See brochure at the back of the church.

<u>Neighbourhood Circle:</u> a parish-based support group of maturing adults who live in the same neighbourhood. Meets at St. Mary's Residence on Thursday, November 1 at 2:00 p.m. in the community room.

<u>Friendly Visiting:</u> We would like to draw your attention to a growing need of the more elderly population in the parish. These folks have a strong desire to stay connected with the parish.

One way you can help is through friendly visiting. If you have the time and are willing to be of service, please consider taking on this ministry through the Faith Friends program. The time commitment is minimal and flexible. Please contact Mary Perry White or Deacon Ron at the parish office for more information.

GIFTS THAT GIVE

The 2018 GIFTS THAT GIVE FAIR is coming Nov. 17 from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm and Nov. 18 from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm. There'll be Gifts that Give twice to suit everyone! For more information check the bulletin board or contact Becky at 705-325-4614 or beckerooski@sympatico.ca.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

If you missed the Parent Meeting for your child to make either the **Sacraments of First Communion / Reconciliation or Confirmation**, contact Mickie Oakes at ext. 110 in the parish office to make an appointment.

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