

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: Contact the parish office.

CONFIRMATION & 1st COMMUNION: Contact the parish office.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: Contact the 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.

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. 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

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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: 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

Birthright: 109 Bayfield Street - 705-737-3550

Catholic Family Services: 705-726-2503

Catholic Women's League: Dianne Hunter - 705-725-9007

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

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

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

Rosary Apostolate - Anné Garipey - 705-737-5263

Social Life: Parish Office - 705-728-2985

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 15	12:10 p.m.	† Frank Young
Tuesday, April 16	12:10 p.m.	† Iris Reddy
Wednesday, April 17	12:10 p.m.	† John Ponikvar
	7:00 p.m.	† Licia Spiteri
Thursday, April 18	7:00 p.m.	MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER
Friday, April 19	12:00 & 3:00 p.m.	GOOD FRIDAY SERVICES
Saturday, April 20	8:00 p.m.	EASTER VIGIL MASS



Please remember to pray for those who are sick especially **Hilda Pivinnenzo, Tibor**

Toth, Robert Thomson, Aileen LeBlanc, Jeannie Overink, Marion Rawding, Betty Brassard, Bev Gomez, Summer Bradford, John Truen, Mary Cahill, Irene Spoeltman, Lino Odorico and Fran Cadeau.

Rest in Peace

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

Shoreman, Edith Black.

MEMORIAL LAMP & SPECIAL INTENTIONS

April 13 to April 20

Our sanctuary lamp is lit: –

In loving memory of:

† **David Raizenne**

Dearly loved brother and uncle
who is forever in our hearts.

Requested by: **Anne, Gordon, Olivia and Liam Hay**

PONTIFICAL COLLECTION ON GOOD FRIDAY

Our Gifts and Tithes

The Pontifical Collection for the benefit of the Holy Places is scheduled this year on Good Friday, April 19, 2019. Each year on Good Friday, our parish is called to support Christians in the Holy Land. Many Christians in the Holy Land depend on the collection for their lives.

As a Pontifical collection requested by Pope Francis, the annual Good Friday Collection helps to maintain not only the Holy Places above all, but also the pastoral, welfare, educational and social works that the Church carries out to the benefit of the Christian brothers and sisters and the local population.

Share...Life!

Living the Gospel by supporting vocations

Martin Dicuango had a life-changing encounter when he visited Serra House, a residence run by St. Augustine's Seminary for those discerning a priestly vocation. He is now a third-year theology student at St. Augustine's. "I thank ShareLife for supporting St. Augustine's Seminary," says Martin, "where young men like myself, after experiencing the love of Christ, are joyfully preparing for ordination to the priesthood."

To-date we have collected **\$39,311**
which is **28%** of our goal.

Our Parish Goal this year is
\$140,000.00

May 5 is ShareLife Sunday.
You Can Work Wonders!

ANNUAL EASTER FOOD DRIVE



Bags will be distributed by the Knights of Columbus after all Masses this weekend. **Please return the bags to the parish hall sometime during this week or next weekend.**

All food collected will be directed to the Barrie Food Bank who are in need of the following necessities: **powdered skim milk, jam, mayonnaise, formula, canned vegetables/stew/pasta/salmon & tuna, sugar, flour, pancake mix, syrup, cereal, jam, peanut butter and large size diapers #5/#6.**

Thank you to the Knight of Columbus, Council 1626 for overseeing this important parish effort.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

The parish office will be **closed** on Good Friday and Easter Monday.

Holy Week and the Paschal Triduum



Each year our Lenten journey concludes in the Triduum. Over three days we mark the passion, death and resurrection of Christ. You are invited to join in this journey. It's important that when we consider these three days we try our very best to look at them as one event calling us back to the central truths of our faith.

HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 18 -

Mass at 7:00 p.m. (*there is no noon Mass*). As is the tradition of the Church, there is only one Mass on Holy Thursday. It will include foot washing. All parishioners will be offered the opportunity to participate in this wonderful ritual of service and humility.



The church will be open for veneration of the Blessed Sacrament until 12:00 midnight on Holy Thursday.



GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 19

At both 12 noon and 3:00 p.m. there will be the celebration of the Good Friday liturgy (*this is not a Mass*). *The Passion Reading, Good Friday Intercessions, Communion and Veneration of the Cross.*

EASTER VIGIL MASS

SATURDAY, APRIL 20

AT 8:00 P.M., (*there is no 5:00 p.m. mass and no confessions today*). This central celebration of the Eucharist calls all of the faithful to be present as Christ in the Eucharist is restored to the tabernacle and to the midst of the Church. This is a Mass of Sunday observance and will include our regular collection.



EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 21

For those who are unable to attend the vigil, Masses will be at the regular time: 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m.



MINISTRY WITH MATURING ADULTS



VON SMART (*Seniors Maintaining Active Roles Together*) held every Monday at 9:30 am in the parish hall. Please note pre-registration is required.

Lunch and Learn - is an ongoing life-long learning series of DVD lectures held on Mondays following the 12:10 p.m. Mass in room 3.

Life Writing Program registration is at capacity, we will no longer be accepting registration at this time. Due to the high interest in this program we hope to offer it again in the fall. Please check the website and bulletin in the fall for more information.

THE PARISH GARDENS

St. Mary's is blessed with outstanding flower beds at the entrance to the church, and in the centre with the statue of The Blessed Virgin Mary. With the spring season, we call on those who like to garden to come forward and volunteer of their time and talent. We are looking for volunteers to water, weed and maintain our beautiful gardens. If you can help please let us know by calling the office. *Many hands make light work.*



YOUTH MINISTRY STATIONS OF THE CROSS

A Re-Enactment of the Passion of Christ will be presented on **Good Friday, April 19 at 7:00 p.m.** in the church by EDGE and LIFE TEEN Youth.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE



General Meeting: All ladies of the parish are invited to attend the CWL general meeting at 7:00 p.m. on **Tuesday, April 16.** Our guest speaker

will be the winner of our public speaking contest, **Riley Howe**, from Monsignor Clair School. We will also be voting on disbursement of funds to various charities. Come out to hear our speaker and have a say regarding our charitable donations.

Spring Tea: The CWL Spring Tea will be held on **Saturday, May 11 at 1:00 p.m.** Tickets will be \$15.00/each and will include not only great food, but a presentation from an Image Consultant. Watch for ticket sales soon.

FRAUDULENT TEXT/EMAIL MESSAGES

If anyone receives a text message or email from Msgr. Marco soliciting for donations, or requesting assistance for family members or friends, please do not respond. Please block and delete immediately. These are fraudulent messages.

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