

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, July 20	12:10 p.m.	† Peter Schenher
Tuesday, June 21	12:10 p.m.	Intentions of the Respect for Life from Conception to Natural Death
Wednesday, July 22	7:00 p.m.	† Duilio Antonioni
Thursday, July 23	12:10 p.m.	† Manuel DaSilva
Friday, July 24	12:10 p.m.	† Peter Mulder
Saturday, July 25	9:00 a.m.	† Fatima Rodrigues

*Please
pray for
the sick*

Please remember to pray for those who are sick including **David Samuel, Mickie Oakes, infant Paisley Carter, Jean McCormick, Rosita**

Kavanaugh, Teresa Perry, Irene Sanderson, Bert Grasman, John den Hoed and Joe Wylie.



*In Loving
Remembrance*

Please remember to pray for those who have died including **Walter Chevez.**

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.

THANK YOU TO OUR VOLUNTEERS!

We are grateful to the many people who are assisting with sanitizing the pews and welcoming people before each Sunday (Saturday evening) Mass.

If you are between the ages of 18 and 65 and are able to assist with sanitizing the pews after one of the Sunday Masses (Saturday at 5 p.m.) please email Catherine at caecker@archtoronto.org or call the parish office and leave a message.

Thank You!

NEW BY-LAW REQUIRES MANDATORY USE OF MASKS AT CHURCH

I want to thank all of you for your co-operation and kindness as we have returned to church over these past weeks. It has been so great to see parishioners once again and I thank everyone who has been so helpful in this re-opening stage, especially our wonderful staff and volunteers. *Thank you!*



As you may have heard in recent days, a new by-law has been passed that makes the use of masks or face coverings inside all public places mandatory. This includes churches and our own parish. I would ask that all those coming to church bring a mask or face covering and wear it upon entering the church. I recognize that this may be an inconvenience yet I know that we are all committed to caring for our neighbour and those around us. While a number of restrictions have been lifted in recent days, we are still in the middle of a pandemic and need to take the appropriate steps to minimize any potential spread of Covid-19. So, while the Archdiocese of Toronto had highly recommended wearing a mask while in church and I know that most of you have been doing so, it is now a by-law that we must follow. *Thank you in advance for your co-operation as we do all that we can to take care of one another and keep our community safe and healthy.* Fr. Larry, Pastor

“The Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought...” For five minutes today rest with Jesus and ask Him what He requires of you. If God is calling you, to the priesthood, diaconate or consecrated life, contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997 or email vocations@archtoronto.org.

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 to meet throughout the summer each Tuesday morning 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.

SUPPORT SHARELIFE IN PRAYER



ShareLife-funded agencies continue to help people in need during COVID-19. We ask you to pray for their vital work and for the success of our parish's ShareLife campaign. The ShareLife parish campaign ends on July 31. More people than ever are depending on our support. If you're in a position to give, please do so securely online at sharelife.org/donate.

**Our Parish Goal this year is \$115,000
To-date we have raised \$62,310!**

***Thank you to all those who are dropping off donations to ShareLife at the parish office.
This kind of sacrificial caring for the most vulnerable has been truly magnificent!***

HELP FOR HURTING MARRIAGES



Retrouvaille began in the Province of Quebec in 1977 and was developed by a group of Marriage Encounter couples and priests. Retrouvaille has helped thousands of married couples experiencing disillusionment or misery in their marriage relationships rediscover each other and experience their lives together in a new and positive way. Retrouvaille is a program consisting of a live-in weekend followed by a number of post-weekend sessions. For confidential information or how to register for a live-in weekend please call 416-281-6007 or visit www.torontoretrouvaille.com.

ANNUAL MASS FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED - CANCELLED



Unfortunately, this year, due to the protocols surrounding the COVID-19 pandemic, it has been decided to cancel the Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed at all seven cemeteries. His Eminence Thomas Cardinal Collins will celebrate and livestream a special Mass in honour of our faithful departed on **Wednesday, August 12, at 7:00 P.M. at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica.**

The Mass can be viewed at this link:
www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live.

Here in the parish, the Mass on **Wednesday, August 12th at 7:00 p.m.** will be offered for the souls of the Faithful Departed of the parish in this past year.

Thank you for your continued support of Catholic Cemeteries and Funeral Services and for your continued prayers.

A Coronavirus Prayer

Loving God, Your desire is for our wholeness and well being.
We hold in tenderness and prayer the collective suffering of our world at this time.

We grieve precious lives lost and vulnerable lives threatened.
We ache for ourselves and our neighbours, standing before an uncertain future.

We pray: may love, not fear, go viral.
Inspire our leaders to discern and choose wisely,
aligned with the common good.

Help us to practice social distancing and reveal to us new and creative ways to come together in spirit and in solidarity.

Call us to profound trust in your faithful presence,
You, the God who does not abandon.

Sister Christine Koelhoeffer, IHM

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