

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 a.m., 10:00 a.m. (livestreamed),
12:00 p.m., 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.

(All daily Masses are livestreamed.)

CHURCH HOURS - OPENING/CLOSING

WEEKEND - Open 20 minutes prior to each Mass and closed directly after each Mass.

WEEKDAY - Open at 11:00 a.m. - Closed at 3:00 p.m.

Wednesday's - Open at 4:00 p.m. - Closed at 8:00 p.m.

RECONCILIATION:

Wed. 5:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m. or Sat. 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

BAPTISM INFORMATION: Contact a priest or Catherine Ecker, Parish Catechist 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. Neyomal Liyanage Silva, Associate Pastor, ext. 107
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

PARISH 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 THE CHURCH PROPER

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday

After the 12:10 p.m. Mass to 3:00 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: : Bob Tinkess - 705-220-9103 Cell

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 - ext. 115

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

New Beginnings: Mary Golds - 705-737-0368

Religious Articles Store: Pat Dunn - 705-718-1853

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

Rosary Apostolate - Anné Garipey - 705-305-0911

Sacramental Preparation: Catherine Ecker - ext. 115

Simcoe Sojourners: Jacinta Kewin - 705-720-2492

Social Life: Parish Office - 705-728-2985

St. Mary's Cemetery: Larry Meyer 705-726-3931

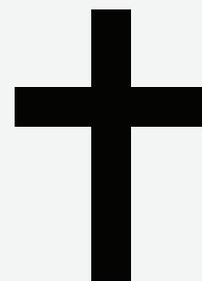
St. Vincent de Paul: 705-722-0753

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, August 23	12:10 p.m.	† Michael Gellegan
Tuesday, August 24	12:10 p.m.	† Raymond Arbour
Wednesday, August 25	7:00 p.m.	† Maria Vatri
Thursday, August 26	12:10 p.m.	† Maria Calvert
Friday, August 27	12:10 p.m.	† Joan Campling
Saturday, August 28	9:00 a.m.	† JoAnne Leroux
		† Luz Coloquio

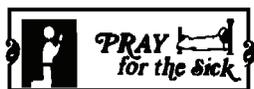
As the baptized we all share in the ministry of prayer. If you or a family

member is sick please let us know and we shall add their name to our prayer list which is posted in the gathering space of the church.



We remember in prayer our family, fellow parishioners and friends who have died including William Rattray and Ted Germaine.

Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.



MINISTRY TO THE HOSPITALIZED

Hospital Ministry



If you or a family member are hospitalized please contact the parish so you or they may receive a pastoral visit.



VON SMART (*Seniors Maintaining Active Roles Together*) **Exercise Program** is held on Tuesday mornings. For details regarding beginning dates and registration please call: VON at 705 737 5044 ext. 221.

CELEBRATING CONFIRMATION AUGUST 26, 2021

Candidates and sponsors are reminded to arrive at 6:30 p.m. There is designated seating for candidates and sponsors. Please remember to maintain physical distancing, wear your mask and practice good hand hygiene.

We invite you to pray for our candidates, their sponsors and families.



confirmation

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES Living and Celebrating the Sacrament of Marriage

The expression a "*wedding lasts a day a marriage lasts a lifetime*" highlights the importance of celebrating and living



marriage vows day after day. The married couples in our parish are a sign to us of God's faithfulness and through their witness we are strengthened. If you celebrated a wedding anniversary in August we shall pray with you and share in your joy at all Sunday (Saturday evening) Masses on **August 28 and 29th**. Please join us in thanking God for the gift of the married couples in our midst.

YOUTH MINISTRY

We would like to say a **big thank you** to all **Mighty Big Thanks!** those who participated and helped with our Walking Pilgrimage last week. Walking in the footsteps of our ancestors awakened all who participated both spiritually and physically, giving a new awareness of Christ living in each of us. *Thank you!*

VOCATIONS

St. Paul reminds us that we are "*created in Christ Jesus for good works.*" If you think God's plan for you could be to be a priest, religious, permanent deacon, sister or brother, contact the Director of Vocations, Fr. Matthew McCarthy, at 416-968-0997 or email vocations@archtoronto.org. Social media: Instagram, Facebook, Twitter + YouTube @vocationsto.



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays after the 12:10 p.m. Mass until 3:00 p.m. in the church proper.

MINISTRY WITH MATURING ADULTS



Christian Meditation meets weekly, online. If you are interested in learning more this form of prayer please contact Catherine Ecker. (cecker@archtoronto.org or 705 728

2985 ext. 115) The next session is on **Tuesday, August 24th at 10:30 a.m.** All are welcome.

Life Story Writing Program: September

2021 - *"The Life Story Writing Programme provides an opportunity to stop, take stock, and look back over the process of life in order to gain deeper*

understanding, clearer perspective and a more integrated view. Undertaken from a faith perspective, it is a search for evidence in your life that God has been with you and is still with you. Such discovery nourishes one's inner being, renews one's spirit and energizes for the journey ahead."

Dr. Richard Johnson

We will offer this six-week program beginning **Monday, September 20th**. The sessions will be held from 2:00 – 3:30 p.m. Registration is required. For details please contact Catherine Ecker at cecker@archtoronto.org or call 705 728 2985 ext. 115.

PARISH FAMILY SING ALONG Wednesday, August 25 at 2:00 p.m.

You are welcome to join us at our ***First Ever Family Sing Along!***

Back by popular demand, our singing trio from St. Mary's Bible Camp – ***Shannon, James and David*** – will lead us in an hour-long family singalong, with a ***special appearance by our pal Albert!*** Pack up a lawn chair and your singing voices and join us outside in front of the church! (*Note: this is not a drop off program, but a singalong for everyone!*) Masks are not required outside but physical distancing should be maintained.



For those who want to see what our pal Albert has been up to this year, check our replays at: <https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLPzHeyMySmky1G0TvBfFQH1aPuZOQqgrn>
<https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLPzHeyMySmkw-OkHracsXBv2wj2xnerqd>

PRAYER FOR RECONCILIATION

*Holy One, Creator of all that is, seen and unseen,
of story and of song, of heartbeat and of tears
of bodies, souls, voices and all relations:
You are the God of all truth and the way of all reconciliation.
Uphold with your love and compassion all who open their lives
in the sacred sharing of their stories
breathe in us the grace to trust in your loving forgiveness,
that we may face our histories with courage;
touch us through the holy gift of story
that those who speak and those who listen may
behold your redeeming presence;
guide us with holy wisdom to enter through the gates of remorse
that our feet may walk gently and firmly on the way of justice and healing. Amen.*



Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada Call to Action # 59

"We call upon church parties to the Settlement Agreement to develop ongoing education strategies to ensure that their respective congregations learn about their church's role in colonization, the history and legacy of residential schools, and why apologies to former residential school students, their families, and communities were necessary."

Recommended Resources:

Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada: Calls to Action

http://trc.ca/assets/pdf/Calls_to_Action_English_2.pdf

We Were Children National Film Board available online through the National Film Board or CBC Gem

Colonization Road a CBC documentary
<https://gem.cbc.ca/media/firsthand/season-2/episode-9/38e815a-00b9abca4fc>

TVO First Contact

<https://www.tvo.org/video/documentaries/first-contact-ep-1>

Archdiocese of Toronto:

<https://www.archtoronto.org/en/offices-and-ministries/sub-sites/residential-schools/home/>

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