

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

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| Monday, September 13 | 12:10 p.m. | † Elizabeth Gainey |
| Tuesday, September 14 | 12:10 p.m. | † Healey and Hunter Families |
| Wednesday, September 15 | 7:00 p.m. | † Stan Simon |
| Thursday, September 16 | 12:10 p.m. | † Barbara McBride |
| Friday, September 17 | 12:10 p.m. | † Al and Mary Bethune |
| Saturday, September 18 | 9:00 a.m. | † Bill Rattray |
| | | † Bev, Bill and Mark Vincer |



PRAYING FOR THE SICK



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 pray those who have died recently including

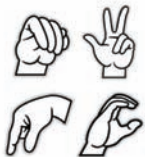
Yvonne MacDonald, Sister Marjorie Casey gsic, Susan Hambrook Bailey, Anthony Zimbalati, Sharon Poachman, David Hurtibese and Catherine Haley.

MINISTRY TO THE HOSPITALIZED



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

AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE



We are looking for someone who knows ASL and would be available to bring Holy Communion to a parishioner. If you are able to assist please contact the parish office or email

stmarysba@archtoronto.org

BAPTISM FOR SCHOOL AGE CHILDREN

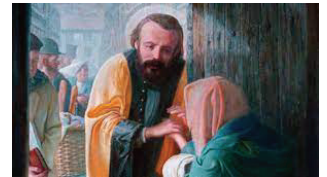


If your child is not baptized or was not baptized in the Catholic Church and

he or she wishes to celebrate a sacrament please contact Catherine Ecker at 705 728 2985 ext. 115 or email cecker@archtoronto.org

THE SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

This month, The Society of St. Vincent de Paul celebrates our founder, Blessed Frederick Ozanam.



Our annual collection (*green envelopes*) is **next weekend, September 18/19, 2021.** We are able to serve our clients only through the generosity of our parishioners. We continue to provide gift cards from Giant Tiger on Cundles Road where clients are able to purchase their groceries.

Donations can be made by cheque payable to: Society of St. Vincent de Paul, St. Mary's Conference. (*This is a bank requirement.*) or through E-transfer to

ssvpoffice@gmail.com or use the poor boxes in the church. Tax receipts for green envelopes will be included in your St. Mary's receipt. Other receipts will be issued by SSVP. Please be sure to include your name and address on all donations.

On behalf of our Ministry and our clients thank you for your continued support and prayers.

PARISH LINEN VOLUNTEERS

We are seeking volunteers who are willing to take home the small linens used at Mass (*not the large altar cloths*), to launder and iron. The commitment is for one month throughout the year. Full training will be provided. Please notify Susan in the parish office by phone at 705.728.2985 or email stmarysbarrie@archtoronto.org. Thank you!

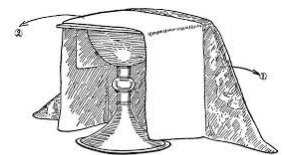


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**YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN US FOR
FAITH NOURISHMENT**
Second Tuesday of Every Month



Tuesday, September 14th:

*Celebrating the Feast of the
Triumph of the Cross.*

The Church calls all people to
continue to grow in
understanding and knowledge of
our faith. To assist all members
of the parish we are offering an

evening of prayer, catechesis (teaching) and
discussion on the second Tuesday of each
month.

This session will be in person in the parish hall
on Tuesday, September
REMEMBER! 14th at 7:30 p.m. All are
the date for... welcome to join Father
Larry and Catherine Ecker for a time of faith
nourishment! *Please remember to wear your
mask!*

YOUTH MINISTRY

A big thank you to all of the volunteers,
families and campers for making this year's
Edge camp at Camp White Pine such a
success! We are looking forward to continuing
to foster the friendships made at camp
throughout the school year.

Please save the following dates!



**M.E.R.C.Y. (Ministry to Educate
Roman Catholic Youth)** is for
youth grades S.K.-4 and gathers
once a month on Friday nights from
6:00-7:30 p.m. where we explore

our faith in a dynamic way through activities,
games, crafts and music. **Our Kick-Off night is
Friday, September 17th!**



EDGE is a youth ministry
program for youth grades 5-
8 to come together once a

month on a Friday from 6:00-7:30 p.m. EDGE
is a safe, fun place for youth to find solid
Catholic community, to get answers to their
questions about faith and most importantly, to
experience Jesus in a profound and personal
way. **Our Kick-Off night is Friday, September
24th.**



LIFE TEEN – for high school
teens to explore their faith
through talks, prayer and

friendship meeting monthly on Sunday nights.

Our Kick-off Night is Sunday, September 26th

at 4:00 p.m. For information on our Youth

Ministry please email

stmarysyouthministrybarrie@gmail.com or call

Shannon Barks at 705-229-7426.

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. Programs are
open to everyone.

**CELEBRATING AUTUMN AND RE-
CONNECTING DURING COVID -Wednesday,
September 22nd from 2:00 – 3:30 p.m.** We are

excited to host an afternoon

of conversation, simple

refreshments and music. If

you are ready to re-connect

with members of St. Mary's Parish please plan

on attending this afternoon session. Weather

permitting, we will meet at the front of the

church, chairs will be provided. If we need to

move indoors you will be asked to wear a mask.

If you have any questions please contact

Catherine Ecker at 705 728 2985 ext. 115 or

email: cecker@archtoronto.org.



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.

CHRISTIAN MEDITATION meets on Tuesday
mornings at 10:30 a.m. The next session on



Tuesday, September 14th will be online

at 10:30 a.m. If you are interested in

learning more about this form of prayer

please contact Catherine Ecker.

(cecker@archtoronto.org or 705 728

2985 ext. 115). **All are welcome.**

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