

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 Gariepy - 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, September 27	12:10 p.m.	† Caterina Marino
Tuesday, September 28	12:10 p.m.	† Don Perry
Wednesday, September 29	7:00 p.m.	† Norma Lalonde
Thursday, September 30	12:10 p.m.	† Raymond Arbor
Friday, October 1	12:10 p.m.	† Bill Spoeltman
	7:00 p.m.	† Cidaliza Paiva
Saturday, October 2	9:00 a.m.	† Maria Nguyen Thi Hien
		† Nelia Scheeres
		† Flavia Wong, † Fred Tiffin, † George M.V.



HOLY HOUR AND BENEDICTION



Friday, October 1
6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

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 **Sharon Poechman, Sean Hinds and Annette Trim.**

SHARELIFE SUNDAY IS NEXT WEEKEND



Your gift to ShareLife facilitated the arrival of 528 refugees through the Office of Refugees of the Archdiocese of Toronto last year. They are among the 150,000 people helped by generous donors like you. As we emerge from the pandemic, let's not forget the plight of those facing hardship and persecution, and continue our efforts to welcome them to Canada.

Next Sunday, October 3 is the next ShareLife Sunday. Please give generously. Thank you!

SPECIAL COLLECTION TODAY

Today there is a special collection for the **Needs of the Church in Canada.** Your gifts are used by the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops to represent Canadian Catholic in national and international pastoral activity. **Thank you for your support of this important work.**

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

DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE

People and Planet First

Saturday, October 2nd on zoom from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. The most vulnerable members of our human family are experiencing the worst impacts of climate change, being overlooked in top-down climate "solutions" and being threatened and/or criminalized for speaking out. As we develop national and global policies to mitigate climate change and transition to a just economy, we must focus on the most vulnerable. Canada can do better. Register here <https://us02web.zoom.us/join/register/tZludOmtrjMqGda6pGBZN91S7h1FKbRjTcq>



THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 30TH NATIONAL DAY FOR TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION

This day provides an opportunity for all Canadians to recognize and commemorate the legacy of residential schools, and commit to working for truth and reconciliation in the relationship between Indigenous and non-Indigenous peoples in Canada. At 10:00 a.m. we will live stream a Celebration of the Word to all of our schools, you are invited to join us in this time of prayer. We encourage our whole Catholic community to take up the work of prayer and reflection, of learning and listening, of reaching out and reaching forward toward a new relationship of healing and reconciliation with Indigenous peoples of this land.

ST. MICHAEL'S COLLEGE SCHOOL

The Office of Admissions is now considering applications for September 2022. St. Michael's is Ontario's only independent Catholic school for young men from Grade 7-12. Virtual Open Houses will be held on Tues., Oct. 26 & Thurs., Oct. 28 at 7:30 p.m. Please register at ApplySMCS.com. The school offers a generous bursary programme that provides financial aid to qualifying students. Call 416-653-3180 or www.stmichaelscollegeschool.com

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.

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 28th* online via Zoom. If you are interested in learning more about this form of prayer please

contact Catherine Ecker at cecker@archtoronto.org or 705 728 2985 ext. 115. All are welcome.

The Next Chapter Network is a faith-based support network for women who are widowed. The network encourages and empowers widows to move forward into a positive future. This group is not a bereavement support group and is not intended to replace the Bereavement Support Group at St. Mary's Church. The next meeting will be online on *Monday, September 27th* from 7:30 – 8:30 p.m. To get the link or more information please contact Catherine Ecker at cecker@archtoronto.org.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

The Catholic Women's League of the Toronto Diocese invites you to attend the 4th Moira Ste. Marie Memorial online lecture: Catholic Education "*Rebuild, Restore, Renew Together*" on Wednesday, October 20 via zoom from 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Register by October 12 at <https://www.cwltoronto.ca>.



YOUTH MINISTRY

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 **TONIGHT - Sunday, September 26th** after the 4:00 p.m. Mass. Dinner provided.



M.E.R.C.Y. (Ministry to Educate Roman Catholic Youth) is for youth grades J.K. to Gr. 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 next gathering is **Friday, October 8th**. Registration required.



YOUTH MINISTRY CONTINUED.....



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, October 22nd**. For information on our Youth Ministry please email stmarysyouthministrybarrie@gmail.com or call Shannon Barks at 705-229-7426.

PREPARING FOR SACRAMENTS!

**Important Information Meetings for Families!
Preparing for Confirmation in Eastertime 2022:**
An Information Meeting for Parents and Young People



There will be an information meeting for parents and young people who are currently in grade 7 or older, baptized in the Roman Catholic Church and would like to prepare for the Sacrament of Confirmation. Participation in an information meeting is essential. Details regarding the preparation process, registration and the celebration of Confirmation will be shared at the meeting. The meeting will be in the church, masks are required and physical distancing will be maintained. You may attend on either **Thursday, October 7th or Tuesday, October 19th**. The meeting begins at 7:30 p.m. and will conclude at 8:30 p.m.

Preparing Young People for first Holy Communion:

An Information Meeting for Parents



There will be an information meeting for parents of children who are currently in grade 2 or older, baptized in the Roman Catholic Church and would like to prepare their child to begin to share in Holy Communion. The meeting will be in the church, masks are required and physical distancing will be maintained. You are asked to arrange for childcare so you may participate fully. You may attend on either **Tuesday, October 5th or Thursday, October 21st**. The meeting begins at 7:30 p.m. and will conclude at 8:30 p.m. Questions regarding the preparation process for Confirmation or first sharing in Holy Communion please contact the parish catechist: Catherine at 705 728 2985 ext. 115 or Email: cecker@archtoronto.org.

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