# St. Mary's Church

65 Amelia Street, Barrie, Ontario L4M 1M7 Telephone: 705-728-2985 Fax: 705-728-2989 Email: secretary@stmarysbarrie.com Website: www.stmarysba.archtoronto.org 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 (2ND & 4TH SUNDAYS): Please pick up a Baptism Package from the parish office. BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS: 1ST Tuesday of each month from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.

**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.

**CONFIRMATION & 1st COMMUNION:** Contact the parish for information.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: 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.

EUCHARISTIC 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: Anne Marie Martyniuk-728-0109 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: Ted Land - 705-720-2802 Library: Leola Chiasson - 705-728-1451 Marriage Encounter:John & Daphne Jeffery-705-721-1694

#### PARISH STAFF:

Rev. Msgr. Marco Laurencic, Pastor - ext. 107 Rev. Jeremias Inoc, Associate Pastor - ext. 116 Rev. Gustave Mombo Mabiala, Assoc. 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 Shannon Barks, Music/Youth Minister - 705-229-7426 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

**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 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 Out of the Cold: Carol Forget - 705-726-1036 Refugee Committee: Christine Ignas - 705-770-9199 Religious Articles Store: Pat Dunn - 705-720-2483 Retrouvaille: (for troubled marriages) - 416-281-6007 Rosary Apostolate - Anné Gariepy - 705-737-5263 Social Life: Ted Land - 705-720-2802 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 **†** Colleen Bottineau 12:10 p.m. Monday, April 9 Tuesday, April 10 10:00 a.m. St. Monica's School at the church 12:10 p.m. † Manno Family Wednesday, April 11 7:00 p.m. **†** Mary Jacqueline Roste Thursday, April 12 **†** Mary and Bob Fournier 12:10 p.m. Friday, April 13 12:10 p.m. **† Andrew Matys** Saturday, April 14 9:00 a.m. **†** Barry Turnbull; **†** Stella Lesperance Please remember to pray for WELCOME



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those who are sick especially Lola Pickard, Heidi Minuti, Peter Kavanagh, Bernard Nadeau, Colin Baker, Matthew

Demy, Lynda Williams and David Ferrier.



Please remember to pray for those who have died especially Renate Couturier, Dora Jackson, Alex Banski,

Jim Melady and Clalia Gover.

### MEMORIAL LAMPS **& SPECIAL INTENTIONS**

April 7<sup>th</sup> to April 14<sup>th</sup> Our sanctuary lamp is lit -For the Special Intentions of



**†** Wanda Poirier

Requested by: George and Agnes Watson





April 6<sup>th</sup> to April 13<sup>th</sup> Our sanctuary lamp dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus in our adoration chapel is lit:-

## For the Special Intentions of: Mitch Dawson

Requested by: The Smith Family

#### ST. MARY'S BIBLE CAMP – 2018 **REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!**

Yes, we will have Bible Camp again this summer. Please mark your calendars for July 3rd to 6th -



registration deadline is June 11<sup>th</sup>. Registration forms are available from the parish office or in the vestibule. Open to SK to Grade 6, cost is \$40/child or \$60/family. Please contact Theresa Rodman at 705-728-9142 should you have any questions.



In the spirit of the risen Christ, we welcome the following adults who were received into the church

through Baptism, or Profession of Faith, Confirmation and First Communion at this Easter Vigil; Melissa Berenguer, Amanda Brereton, Kayne Coles, Christina D'Andrea, Joseph Hargreaves, Ivana Ilic, Alannah Kettela, Nicole Kettela-Mansfield, Robert Knight, Bailey Mascioli, Xiqiang Tang, Honghui Wang.

We also welcomed a number of children through Baptism and First Communion.

....A sincere thank you to Deacon Del Allan for facilitating the program. Thank you also to Ryan and Wendy Breedon who assisted the process as sponsors, and to the presenters, Fr. Jeremias Inco, Deacon Ron MacLellan, Sherry Chapman, Yvonne Hargreaves and Mary Perry White.



Many have commented on the solemnity of the Easter Liturgies beginning with Palm Sunday and continuing through the Holy Week.

Thank you to our musicians, folk choir members led by Richard Paté and traditional choir members led by Shannon Barks, ministers of the Word, communion ministers, altar servers, ushers and all who assisted

in making it a memorable Holy Week. Thank you to Yvonne Hargreaves for her talented work with the Easter flowers and the wonderful altar decoration and thank you also Ted Land of our Social Life Committee and to the members for the giving of their time to coordinate and assist with the Easter Vigil Welcome Reception.



To-date we have collected \$42,696 which is 29% of our goal. Our Parish Goal this year is \$144,500.

April 22 is the next ShareLife Sunday. Please give generously.

#### TODAY IS THE FEAST OF DIVINE MERCY



This afternoon there will be a Holy Hour at 2:00 p.m. with: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Confessions, **Divine Mercy Chaplet and** Benediction. Jesus told St. Faustina: "On that day [the Feast of Divine Mercy] the

very depths of My tender mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the Fount of My Mercy. The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment." (Diary, 699). Reception to follow in the parish hall.

#### CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE



Have you ever wondered what you would do if a loved one suffered heart failure while in your presence?

All parishioners are invited to take part in AED/CPR training being held in the church hall on Saturday, April 28<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 a.m. This will take approximately 4 hours and a certificate will be provided for all who complete the training. If interested, please contact Dianne Hunter at 705-725-9007 or dihun04@gmail.com.



#### PAPAL BLESSINGS

An Apostolic Parchment Papal Blessing may be granted for the following occasions: Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation, Marriage, Marriage Anniversaries (10, 25, 40, 50, and 60 years),

Catholic individuals or families (with the name and surname of the spouses united in a religious marriage), Birthdays (18, 50, 60, 70, 80, 90, 100) Priestly Ordination, Religious Profession, Secular Consecration and Ordinations of Permanent Deacons.

A Papal Blessing scroll is available directly from the Office of Papal Charities at the Vatican website at: http://www.vatican.va/roman curia/institutions conn ected/elem apost/index.htm

They may be ordered in eight different languages. The granting of a Papal Blessing is absolutely free and the payment requested is only a contribution towards the cost of the parchment and to defray the expenses of wrapping and postage. All money paid for the blessing is used for the Holy Father's works of charity.

### MINISTRY WITH MATURING ADULTS



VON, Seniors Maintaining Active Roles *Together* is a gentle fitness program designed for people 55+. Held every Monday at 9:30 a.m. in the parish hall. Registration is required Please call 705-

#### 737-5044 x 221.

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. This series is Priest, Prophet King by Bishop Robert Barron. Bring your lunch if you wish. Coffee and tea provided. All are welcome.

Christian Meditation: Fr. John Main a Benedictine monk was one of the 20th Century's great spiritual masters, he pioneered the practice of Christian meditation. The Christian Meditation Group meets twice per month. Meeting times are the second Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. and the fourth Thursday and at 2:00 p.m. in room 3. The next meeting is this Tuesday, April 10.

Writing Circle Alumni: Thursday, April 12th, at 1:00 p.m. in room 3. This group is for all those who have completed the Life Writing Program.

Speakers Bureau: Wednesday April 18th at 2:00 p.m. 'Powers and Duties of Attorney and Guardians of Property and Personal Care', presented by Mr. Graham Webb, Executive Director and Lawyer, for The Advocacy Centre for the Elderly. Mr. Webb will also address your questions following his presentation.

Faith Friends Visiting Program for adults in the second half of life who are called to service. We do this by visiting those who are isolated, housebound or who are no longer able to participate fully in the church community in person. If you would like to become a Faith Friend or would like to receive a visit. or for information on any of the programs listed above, please contact Mary Perry White in the parish office at 705-728-2895, ext. 104.

#### MARYGROVE GIRLS AND OZANAM BOYS SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATION



Registration for summer camps will be held at St. Mary's on Saturday, April 28 and Saturday, May 5, 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. in Room 1. Registration is for Camp Ozanam for boys aged 6-13 and Marygrove for

girls aged 5-13. You MUST have a PHOTOCOPY of your child's VALID HEALTH CARD at the time of registration. Only children who live in the St. Mary's Parish catchment area can be registered. For further information please call The St. Vincent de Paul Society at 705-722-0753.

