

St. Mary's Church

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Parish Office Hours: Monday to Friday 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.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: ADORATION CHAPEL

Monday to Friday: 1:00 p.m.- 9:00 p.m. All welcome.

PARISH STAFF:

Rev. Msgr. Marco Laurencic, Pastor - ext. 107

Rev. Joseph Lazar, 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

Mickie Oakes, Pastoral Associate - ext. 110

Mary Perry White, Minister with Maturing Adults -ext.104

Shannon Barks, Music Director - 705-229-7426

Pat Borho, Finance - ext. 102

Cathy O'Connor-Horgan, Custodian of Records-ext102

Dennis Cormier, Custodian

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.

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: Paul Gamble - 728-1641 (Hall)

Simcoe Sojourners: Frank Kewin - 705-720-2492

Lectors: Parish Office - 705-728-2985

Library: Leola Chiasson - 705-728-1451

Marriage Encounter: John & Daphne Jeffery-705-721-1694

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

Parish Council: Barry Martyniuk - 705-728-2985

Refugee Committee: Christine Ignas - 705-770-9199

Religious Articles Store: Pat Dunn - 705-720-2483

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

Rosary Apostolate - Anné Gariépy - 705-737-5263

Share Life Committee: Tom Bolland 705-321-7803

Social Life: Parish Office - 705-728-2985

Stay 'n Play: Mickie Oakes - 705-728-2985

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

St. Vincent de Paul: - 705-722-0753

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, February 13	12:10 p.m.	Intentions of McConvey Family
Tuesday, February 14	12:10 p.m.	† Peter and Pia Chiuch
Wednesday, February 15	7:00 p.m.	† Cecilia Pollesel
Thursday, February 16	12:10 p.m.	† Maureen Hreljac
	2:30 p.m.	Woods Park Care Centre, 110 Lillian Crescent
Friday, February 17	12:10 p.m.	† Linda Saunderson
Saturday, February 18	9:00 a.m.	† Patricia and Hubert Bond

Today is Marriage Sunday!

This weekend, the Archdiocese of Toronto celebrates **Marriage Sunday**. To learn more about

Marriage Sunday and for resources on marriage enrichment, FAQ's about marriage and preparing for the sacrament, visit: www.archtoronto.org/marriage.



Please remember to pray for those who are sick especially **Catherine Byrne, Elizabeth Bader, Bill Baldwin and Ursula Szabunio.**



Please remember to pray for those who have died especially **Josie McGrath, Ruth Lusito, Anita Heard and Lionel Jessome.**

COFFEE SUNDAY - Join us for Coffee after the 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. Masses. A big thanks to this week's host **Development and Peace.**



MEMORIAL LAMP & SPECIAL INTENTIONS

February 11th to February 18th

Our sanctuary lamp is lit –

In loving memory of our dear brother,

† Joop Duivenvoorde
who is forever in our thoughts and prayers.

Requested by: John Duivenvoorde



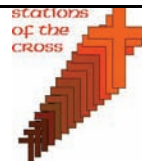
MARRIAGE PREPARATION

Marriage preparation will be running in the parish in the winter months ahead. Our parish preparation program will begin **March 7th and runs through to and inclusive of April 25th.** It is held every Tuesday evening from 7 – 9:00 p.m. Please call the parish office to register.



Ash Wednesday and the beginning of Lent will soon be upon us. **Ash Wednesday, March 1st** is a day of fast and abstinence when those over fourteen and under sixty are asked to refrain from eating meat and to limit food to one full meal and two smaller collations. At St. Mary's there will be an 8:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. Mass for Ash Wednesday. Throughout the season, there will be an additional Mass on Wednesday's at 12:10 p.m.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS



Each year, during the season of Lent, we celebrate the Stations of the Cross each Friday at 7:00 p.m. Our ideal is that different ministries, organizations, and institutions of the parish lead the stations. There are two Fridays available, **March 3rd and 17th.** If your group, school, or ministry can lead the Stations, please call Susan ext. 101 and reserve a Friday evening.

PARISH BEREAVEMENT PROGRAM

Our next support group for those who are grieving the loss of a loved one will begin soon. The group will run for eight weeks. **Pre-registration is required.** Please call the parish office and a member of the bereavement committee will call you back with further details.



PANCAKE SUPPER

The Knights of Columbus, Council 1626 will be having their Annual Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper on **Tuesday, February 28th.** The supper will be in the parish hall from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Tickets are \$5.00/person or \$15.00/family and will be sold at the door.





Today is our Parish Pot Luck!

Saturday, February 11th after the 5:00 p.m. Mass. Bring your favourite dish to share! This is a wonderful opportunity for us to come together as a parish community for a time of fellowship. Hope to see you there! Food can be dropped off in the parish hall before Mass.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER



World Day of Prayer is a worldwide movement of Christian women of many traditions who come together on the first Friday of March each year to observe a common day of prayer.

We will come together on Friday, March 3rd at 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. in our church proper. Through World Day of Prayer, we affirm our faith in Jesus Christ and engage with the whole world. We are enriched by the faith experience of Christians of other countries and cultures, share the burdens of other people by praying with them and for them, and use our own talents in the service of God's world. Prayer and action are inseparable and both have immeasurable influence in the world. This year's featured country is the Philippines.

We would very much like to involve the Philippine women of our parish in this special day of prayer. If you wish to participate, please contact Yvonne Hargreaves at 705-728-8236 or e-mail at yhargreaves@hotmail.com.

MINISTRY WITH MATURING ADULTS



Christian Meditation: is an ancient form of contemplative prayer, based on the teaching of Fr. John Main. The group will meet on **Tuesday February 13th at 10:30 a.m. in room 1.**

General Session: A movie presentation and discussion will be held on **Wednesday, February 22nd at 2:00 p.m. in the parish hall.** The goal of this program is increased awareness and insight into the opportunities and challenges offered during the maturing years. The movie **'On Golden Pond'** will be presented and is a film to treasure. It is about strong characters, their relationships, and transitions of aging while witnessing human growth and change. A movie worth watching again.

4th ANNUAL EASTER EGG HUNT



St Mary's Parish, in conjunction with **The Knights of Columbus Council 1626** invite you to their 4th Annual Easter Egg Hunt! **Saturday, April 1st, 2017 here in**

our parish. Stay tuned for more details in the coming weeks. Save the date!

BOOK AND MEDIA FAIR



The Daughters of St. Paul will be with us on the weekend of **March 11/12th** for a Catholic Book and Media Fair. They will bring a selection of Bibles, books, music CD's, and DVD movies for all ages from their Pauline Centre in Toronto. This is a great opportunity to get something for yourself or others during Lent. You can find more information about the life and mission of the Daughters of St. Paul/Pauline Books & Media can be found at www.pauline.org.

DAYS FOR GIRLS

Days for Girls, Barrie, Ontario in conjunction with St. Mary's CWL, will be holding another workshop this **Wednesday, February 15th, 2017** in the parish hall, to make items for sustainable sanitary kits. One kit will keep a girl in school 3-4 years in developing countries. The Team also needs donations of 100% cotton fabrics in medium to dark in botanical or geometric patterns and 100% flannel in medium to dark patterns. *Please, no faces, animal, glam or bug patterns.* We are also in need of hotel bar soap which is included in the kits.

We have completed 40 kits and our goal is 200. Our first kits are going to Togo, Africa. Each kit costs \$15 to assemble and financial donations are appreciated. These kits bring empowerment and dignity to the girls. Brown bag lunch. Tea and coffee will be provided. If you are interested in this workshop or have any questions please contact Ann Cavanaugh at barrieon@daysforgirls.org or call 705-331-0635. *Please mark your calendar for the next workshops, March 22 and April 12.*

MISSING ENVELOPE NAMES

The church office has the following offertory envelopes being used without a name. In order to receive proper credit for your 2017 donations please call the office if one of these numbers belongs to you. **Envelope Numbers: 472, 122, 75, 455, 55, 504, 285, 253.**

NEW BEGINNINGS

A support group for separated, divorced and widowed persons. Join us **every 4th Tuesday** of each month. The next meeting is on **Tuesday, Feb. 28 from 7 – 9:00 p.m. in room 1.** For further information please call Mary Golds 705-737-0368.

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