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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.

Sunday 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 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): Request a Baptism Package from one of the priests after a Sunday Mass.

BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS: 1ST Tuesday of each month from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. Please contact the parish office to register.

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.

COUPLES AND INDIVIDUAL COUNSELING: Call the parish office to make an appointment.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: ADORATION CHAPEL

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

PARISH STAFF:

Rev. Anthony Werunga, Pastor - ext. 107

Rev. Joseph Lazar, Associate Pastor - ext. 116

Susan Scarff, Parish Secretary - ext. 101

Deacon Ron MacLellan - ext. 115

Deacon Del Allan - ext. 125

Mickie Oakes, Pastoral Associate - ext. 110

Mary Perry White, Maturing Adults Ministry - ext. 104

Clint Tyler, MSW, Registered Social Worker - ext. 114

Shannon Barks, Music Director - 705-229-7426

Sharon LaPlume, Youth Minister - ext. 118

Pat Borho, Finance - ext. 102

Rita Cyr, Sacristan

Cathy O'Connor-Horgan, Custodian of Records - ext. 102

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

St. Joan of Arc High School - 705-721-0398

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.

PARISH REGISTRATION: Registration forms are in the church foyer, on our parish website, and in our parish office. Please register before seeking other services.

Adoration Chapel: Mary Bond - 705-726-6641

Altar Servers: Rita Cyr - 705-721-5151

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: Phil Deschenes -705-730-7946

Development & Peace: Becky Johnson - 705-325-4614

Extra-Ordinary Ministers of Communion - 705-728-2985

Finance Committee: Parish Office - 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

Ministers to Shut-Ins: 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

Property Committee: Michael Lukachko - 705-487-5005

Refugee Committee: Christine Ignas - 705-770-9199

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

Rosary Apostolate - Anné Garipey - 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

Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, February 1	12:10 p.m.	† Gus Privoznik
Tuesday, February 2	12:10 p.m.	† Peter Perry
Wednesday, February 3	7:00 p.m.	† Bernadette Colaco and Dan Willison
Thursday, February 4	12:10 p.m.	† Agatha Robertson
Friday, February 5	12:10 p.m.	† Hansine Eidsaune
	7:00 p.m.	† Members of the Matys Family
Saturday, February 6	9:00 a.m.	† Antonio and Maria Capoccia; † Fred Harper
		† Michael Howard; † Margaretta Welter



HOLY HOUR AND BENEDICTION

Friday, February 5th from
6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Please remember to pray for
those who are sick
especially *Ursula Szabunio,*
Ida Manfredi, Chris McCauley and Paula Strasser.



Let us pray for the souls of the
Faithful Departed, especially
Robert Kennelly and Eva St. Croix.

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

January 30 to February 6

Our sanctuary lamp is lit –

*In loving memory of husband, father, grandfather
and great grandfather,*

† Ken Elliot

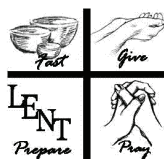
Who is forever our thoughts and prayers.
Requested by: Pat Elliot and Family



SHARELIFE LENTEN CALENDARS

Look for the 2016 Sharelife Lenten Solidarity
Calendars in the information rack next weekend.
This is an excellent tool that you and your family can
use to enhance your Lenten experience.

LENT IS COMING



Ash Wednesday and the beginning
of Lent will soon be upon us. **Ash
Wednesday, February 10th** 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 a 12:10 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.
Mass for Ash Wednesday. Throughout the season,
there will an additional Mass on Friday's at 7:00 p.m.
evening followed by the Stations of the Cross.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS



Each year, during the season of Lent,
we celebrate the Stations of the Cross
each Friday after the 7:00 p.m. Mass.
Our ideal is that different ministries,
organizations, and institutions of the
parish lead the stations. The following Fridays are
available, **February 12, 19, and March 18.** If your
group, school, or ministry can lead the Stations,
please call Susan ext. 101 and reserve a Friday
evening.

THANK YOU

*The vocation of marriage was celebrated by many
couples at a special Mass on Fri., Jan. 22nd here in
the parish. Many thanks to the social life committee
members who organized and worked on this special
parish event. Special thanks to coordinators Karen
& John Hawkins and Karen Pond.*



PARISH POT LUCK

Saturday, February 13th after the 5:00
p.m. Mass. This is our chance to
celebrate Family Day weekend.

Entertainment and an open mic will be provided. You
are invited to bring whatever you would like and
enjoy the time with your fellow parishioners. Food
can be dropped off in the parish hall before the 5:00
p.m. Mass or if you are going to Mass on Sunday,
you can bring it in shortly before 6:00 p.m.

PRAY AND SEW

Our next Pray & Sew is on **Tuesday, February 23rd from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.** Please join us for prayer, sewing and fellowship. Please bring a brown bag lunch. Coffee and tea will be provided.

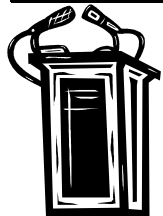


Thank you to all for your generous donations of fabric, however, at this time we do not require any more. We are however, seeking donations of notions.

Please note: If the school buses are not running, we will reschedule the meeting.

Information brochures are available on our website, in the foyer or contact Ann Cavanaugh at 705-728-0180.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE



The Mary Matthews Public Speaking Contest will take place on **Sunday, February 7th** in St. Mary's parish hall, from 1:30 p.m. until 4:30 p.m. (approx.). Students in grades 5, 6, 7 and 8 are eligible to participate. If you are a student attending public school and are interested in competing or for further information, please contact Dorothy McCallion at 705-735-9258 **before Monday, February 1st.**

PANCAKE SUPPER

The Knights of Columbus, Council 1626 will be having their Annual Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper on **Tuesday, February 9th**. 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.



BEREAVEMENT PROGRAM BEGINS THIS WEEK

Our next support group for those who are grieving the loss of a loved *begins this week* and runs 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.



2015 INCOME TAX RECEIPTS

Income tax receipts are available after Mass in the hall and every day throughout the week. Please follow the signs on the walls to the bundle where you will find your tax receipt.

MARRIAGE SUNDAY AND A CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE MASS

The Archdiocese of Toronto will celebrate Marriage Sunday in our parishes **next weekend, February 6/7th.**



On **Saturday, February 13th, at 4:30 p.m.**, couples from across the archdiocese will gather for A Celebration of Marriage with Cardinal Thomas Collins at St. Andrew Kim Parish (849 Don Mills Road, North York). A reception will follow Mass. All are welcome! Couples celebrating special milestone anniversaries – 25th, 40th or 50+ anytime throughout 2016 are asked to RSVP online at: www.archtoronto.org/marriage by February 1st to ensure reserved seating. Call (416) 964-8694 or visit the website above for more information.

A letter addressed to all married couples from Archbishop Collins is posted on our bulletin board. Copies are available at the back of the church.

MINISTRY WITH MATURING ADULTS

Lunch & Learn: Monday, February 1st after the 12:10 p.m. Mass in room 3. The current topic is **Priest, Prophet and King**. The DVD series is by Bishop Robert Barron. Feel welcome to join in the program at any time.



Neighbourhood Circle: Thursday, February 4th at St. Mary's Residence from 2-4 p.m. This is a program for maturing adults who live in the same community. The group meets for "coffee and conversation". As a sign of its faith base a simple form of prayer is part of these gatherings.

Lenten Reflection: The Ten Commandments – Laws of the Heart, is a six week progressive educational resource delivered in a DVD series. An opportunity for meaningful conversation is built into the program. Registration is required. Please see brochure at the back of the church. For more information please contact Mary Perry White at the parish office at extension 104.

BIBLE LECTURES ON PASSION NARRATIVES OF JESUS

St. John Vianney Parish on **February 15th to March 14th, 2016 with Rev. Dr. A. Joseph Lazar**. Five consecutive Mondays at 7-8:30 p.m. Freewill offering. Registration required. Signup is at the back of the church or call the parish office at ext. 116 or 101.



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