



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.

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

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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, March 21	12:10 p.m.	† Tam Vuong
Tuesday, March 22	12:10 p.m.	† Peter Welter
Wednesday, March 23	7:00 p.m.	† Louise Marr
Thursday, March 24	7:00 p.m.	MASS OF THE SEE BELOW



Holy Week and



the Paschal Triduum

Each year our Lenten journey concludes in the Triduum. Over three days we mark the passion, death and resurrection of Christ. You are invited to join in this journey. It's important that when we consider these three days we try our very best to look at them as one event calling us back to the central truths of our faith.

HOLY THURSDAY - March 24th (No noon Mass) **7:00 p.m. The Lord's Supper**

From the conclusion of Holy Thursday Mass until midnight you are invited to make your way back to church to spend some time with the Lord in the Blessed Sacrament.

GOOD FRIDAY- March 25th

8:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. The church is open for personal Stations of the Cross

11:30 a.m. Divine Mercy Novena

12:00 Noon and 3:00 p.m.

Good Friday liturgy (this is not a Mass). There will be the liturgy of The Word, Communion, and Veneration of the Cross.

2:30 p.m. Divine Mercy Novena

HOLY SATURDAY- March 26th

(No 9:00 a.m. or 5:00 p.m. Mass and no confessions today)

7:00 p.m. Divine Mercy Novena

8:00 p.m. Easter Vigil Mass

EASTER SUNDAY – March 27th

8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. Mass

11:30 a.m. Divine Mercy Novena

12:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. Mass

EASTER MONDAY – March 28th

9:00 a.m. Mass

9:30 a.m. Divine Mercy Novena

THE DIVINE MERCY NOVENA OF CHAPLETS



A novena is typically nine days of prayer in preparation of a celebration of a feast day. At St. Mary's we will be praying the **Divine Mercy Novena of Chaplets** beginning on Good Friday (March 25th) until the Saturday, April 2nd in preparation for the Feast of Divine Mercy on Sunday, April 3rd, 2016. Our Lord promised: *"By this Novena (of Chaplets), I will grant every possible grace to souls."*

Please join in praying the novena publicly as a parish at the following times:

Good Friday, March 25th	11:30 a.m.
	2:30 p.m.
Holy Saturday, March 26th	7:00 p.m.
Easter Sunday, March 27th	11:30 a.m.
Monday, March 28th	9:30 a.m.
Tuesday, March 29th	12:45 p.m.
Wednesday, March 30th	7:30 p.m.
Thursday, March 31st	12:45 p.m.
Friday, April 1st	12:45 p.m.
Saturday, April 2nd	9:30 a.m.

PONTIFICAL COLLECTION ON GOOD FRIDAY

Our Gifts and Tithes

The Pontifical Collection for the benefit of the Holy Places is on Good Friday, March 25th, 2016. Our parish, once a year on Good Friday, is called to support Christians in the Holy Land. Many

Christians in the Holy Land depend on the collection for their lives. As a Pontifical Collection requested by Pope Francis, the annual Good Friday Collection offers a direct link for parishioners to be witnesses of peace and to help protect the Holy Places. When you donate on Good Friday, you are supporting Christians in the Holy Land.

"He, who does acts of mercy, let him do them with cheerfulness." Rm. 12, 8.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Knights of Columbus are hosting Open House Pub Knight on **Tuesday, March 29th at 7:00 p.m.** at the Knights Hall (93 Berczy Street.) Come out and enjoy games/sports. All welcome.

2016 NATIONAL CATHOLIC MISSION



The Annual National Catholic TV Mission 2016, "**Merciful Like the Father**", with Fr. Tom Rosica, CSB will be broadcast during Holy Week on the following dates/times: **LORD'S SUPPER**

Vision TV: Part 1: Mon., March 21 & Part 2 on Tues., March 22 at 5:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m.

Salt + Light TV: Part 1: Tues., March 22 and Part 2: Wed., March 23rd at 7:00 p.m. and 11:00 p.m.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HOST PASSOVER SEDER – TODAY !



March 20 at 4 p.m., 93 Berczy St., Council 1626 present its Seder Dinner that includes a salad, main course & dessert, wine for toasting, song and prayer. We will follow a traditional PASSOVER HAGGADAH adapted for Catholic interpretation of the celebration. \$20.00/pp seating is limited to 40 participants. For further info. call Al MacLeod at (705) 728-4076 or macleod@rogers.com.

SPRING CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION



Sat., May 14th at 2:00 p.m. for Grade 8 students and Sun., May 15th at 4:00 p.m. for Grade 7 students. Registration Forms

are available now after Saturday evening and Sunday Masses through to April 9/10th.

ANNUAL EASTER FOOD DRIVE

Once again, St. Mary's will have its annual Easter Food Drive. All food collected will be directed to the Barrie Food Bank who are in need of the following necessities: **canned vegetables/meat/fruit and pasta like Zoodles, tuna, Kraft Dinner, Side Kicks, Mr. Noodles, soups, pancake mix and syrup, cereal and jam.** Please return your filled bags to the parish hall sometime during this week or next weekend. **Thank you to the Knights of Columbus for overseeing this important parish effort.**



NEW BEGINNINGS

**** NEW DATE AND TIME FOR MARCH ****

A support group for separated, divorced and widowed persons. Join us **every 4th Tuesday** of each month however, for March only, we will meet on **Tues., March 29th, 6:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. in room 1.**

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

The parish office will be **closed** on Good Friday, Easter Sunday and Easter Monday.

MINISTRY WITH MATURING ADULTS



Lenten Reflection: "*Laws of the Heart*" -

Tues. March 22, room 3 @ 1:30 p.m. - sixth and final session rescheduled from last week.

General Session: A movie presentation and discussion will take place on **Wednesday, March 23 at 1:30 p.m. in the parish hall.** Movie presentation: "**GOD IS NOT DEAD**" is profound and powerful.

Christian Meditation: will be held on **Thursday March 24, at 2:00 pm. in room 1.** For more information, please contact Mary Perry White at ext. 104 in the parish office.

EDGE YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS



Sunday, April 3: 2:00-4:00 p.m. in the parish hall- "*Light the Fire.*" Join us for this social event as we get into the summer spirit a little early and enjoy some classic summer camp fun!

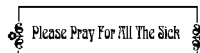
EDGE CAMP 2016 Registration (August 29 to September 2/16) is now open! Please contact Sharon at youthgroup@stmarysbarrie.com or 705-728-2985 ext. 118 for details on how to register.

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, **The Knights of Columbus, Easter Egg Committee.**



Please remember to pray for those who have died especially **Joseph Glascoe and Terri Nelson.**



Please remember to pray for *those who are sick especially* **Gerald Marleau, Paula Strasser, Chris McCauley, Norm Fuller, Paul Stringer, Nellie Humphries and Kathleen Lennon.**

MEMORIAL LAMP & SPECIAL INTENTIONS

March 19th to March 26th

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