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Email: secretary@stmarysbarrie.com Website: www.stmarysbarrie.com 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.

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: 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: Pia Elston - 705-726-3744

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

PARISH STAFF:

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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.

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
Retrouvaille: (for troubled marriages) - 416-281-6007
Rosary Apostolate - Anné Gariepy - 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, November 16th
Tuesday, November 17th
12:10 p.m. † Ivy Rivett
12:10 p.m. † Marcie Manco
Wednesday, November 18th
7:00 p.m. † Ruth Germaine
Thursday, November 19th
12:10 p.m. † Annette Marie Auger

Woods Park Care Centre, 110 Lillian Crescent

Friday, November 20th 12:10 p.m. † Thomas and Marie Scarff Saturday, November 21st 9:00 a.m. † Family IJpelaar-v.Loon

† Jozef Domaradzki, † Antonio Lima



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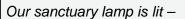


Please remember to pray for those who are sick especially **Gabrielle Van Goalen, Levi**

Beaudoin, Elva Stone and Bernice Taylor.

MEMORIAL LAMP & SPECIAL INTENTIONS

November 14 to November 21



In loving memory of our dear mother:

† Philomena Murphy

Requested by: Pat and Marc Brenner

CONGRATULATIONS

ongratulations to the seven couples who have completed the most recent marriage preparation course here at St. Mary's. We wish them well as they continue plans for their upcoming marriage. The next marriage preparation course is held Tuesday evenings, 7-9:00 p.m., March 1st to April 19th, 2016. Cost is \$75.00/couple. Call the parish office to register.

SIMCOE SOJOURNERS – FRIENDS OF L'ARCHE

Simcoe Sojourners: Friends of L'Arche and Camphill are hosting a meeting on **Sunday**, **Nov. 29 from 1:30 - 3:00 p.m.** We are a group of people working to create employment and housing opportunities for adults with intellectual disabilities. We have a very interesting business model to share. We would like to see it here in Barrie. Check out this video clip and please join us in this adventure https://vimeo.com/140230307. Questions? Please call Frank Kewin at 705-720-2492.

CONFIRMATION

The Confirmandi of our parish, Grade 7 and Grade 8 students, have been preparing for this special event in their spiritual life throughout the month of November.

There is one additional Mass next weekend. You are invited to attend Confirmation Mass on

either Saturday, November 21st at 2:00 p.m. for Grade 7 students or Sunday, November 22nd at 4:00 p.m. for Grade 8 students.

The Celebrant is

Most Rev. Bishop Wayne Kirkpatrick.

Please keep these young people
in your prayers.



HEALING YOUR FAMILY TREE



Rev. Terrence McKenna,
Archdiocesan Spiritual Director of
Cursillo, Director of North Zone
Healing Apostolate and Member of
the Association of Christian
Therapists is presenting a Healing
the Family Tree workshop on
Saturday, December 12th, 2015

from 9:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. at St. Joseph's Catholic High School, 243 Cundles Road East, Barrie.

Admission at the door is \$25/person or \$35/couple, brown bag lunch. Early bird discount available if registering before December 1st. To register, please call Fr. McKenna at 416-414-2497 or 1-888-261-5059. Please see the parish bulletin board for further details.



Gifts that Give Fair

The 2015 GIFTS THAT GIVE FAIR will be taking place from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, November 21st and from 9:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. on Sunday, November 22nd in our parish hall. Come and talk to the participating groups about their work and select gifts from tables featuring fair trade products and foods, arts and crafts, books, cards, clothing, gift

certificates, goats, rabbits and much more. This year the participants are Chalice, Pray and Sew for Canadian Food for Children, Simcoe Sojourners Friends of L'Arche, Grandmothers and Grandothers, Camphill, Candlelighters Simcoe Parents of Children with Cancer, Birthright, Fair Trade Barrie, DreamyZ, Sleeping Children Around the World, CasaNicnac, Project Hope and TEN THOUSAND VILLAGES.

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YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS



EDGE invites Grades 5-8 to join us for our "BULLSEYE" event. Note that this event

will take place **THIS FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20, from 6:00 TO 8:00 P.M.** Come ready for some target games and to learn about making Christ the center of our lives!

PRAY AND SEW

We remind you, the *Tuesday, November 24th* meeting has been cancelled. <u>Our next meeting is</u>
<u>Tuesday, February 23, 2016</u>. Due to



limited storage please save your fabric donation for our February meeting. At this time we are in need of elastic, thread and zippers for sewing thru the winter. Your donations are gratefully received. Please leave them in the mail/storage room in the main foyer with *Pray & Sew* written on the bag. For further information please contact Ann Cavanaugh at 705-728-0180

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY



Mark your calendars! **Sunday, December 6**th in our parish hall from 2:30 – 4:00 p.m. There will be crafts, music, food and a visit from Santa. More information in next weekend's bulletin!

ST JOHN VIANNEY CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

Sat., November 21, from 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Enjoy lunch for \$6.00. Shop early for knitted and crocheted winter wear, handmade Christmas ornaments, crafts, home baking, preserves, nearly new table and silent draw. For more information call Susan Mays @ 705 456 7836 or Val Egerton 705 727 4902.

MINISTRY WITH MATURING ADULTS

Next Chapter: Monday, November 23 at 7:00 p.m. in room 3. This monthly network is a gathering for women who share a common experience of widowhood. It is not meant to be a bereavement support group. The topics

for each month are Women of the Bible.

Speakers Bureau: Making Good Choices! A presentation on good nutrition for the mind body and soul. Wednesday November 25 at 1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. in parish hall. Katherine Parent RNCP, will be speaking on the topic of Nutrition. Katherine's focus is on educating people on the benefits of healthy nutrition and lifestyle. Katherine's motto is, "There is no time like the present to make good choices". Please join us to learn more.

Advent reflection: Unveiling the Mystery of Iconography, on Wednesday December 2, from 1:00 to 3:30 p.m. in parish hall. Ria Kinghorn, Iconographer will bring a deeper understanding of this sacred form of art. She will give special focus on the icon of Our Lady of Perpetual Help. For more information please contact Mary Perry White, Maturing Adults Minister, in the parish office at 705-728-2985 ext. 104.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE



All ladies of the parish are invited to join us on **Tuesday**, **November 17**th at **7:00 p.m.** in the church hall for our *CWL General Meeting*. There will be a brief meeting followed by refreshments and

BINGO. The evening will close with the presentation of the Divine Mercy Picture to Father Werunga. Please bring a friend for a relaxing evening following a hectic but most productive Bazaar weekend. Please call Anne Marie Martyniuk if you require a ride at 705-728-0109.

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