



Archdiocese
of Toronto

St. Mary's Church

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Parish Office Hours: Monday to Thursday 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. & 1 p.m. to 4 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. 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.

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: 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

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: 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

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

Monday, November 6	12:10 p.m.	† Janina Janowski
Tuesday, November 7	12:10 p.m.	† Fred Harper
Wednesday, November 8	7:00 p.m.	† Sieglinde Pigeon
Thursday, November 9	12:10 p.m.	† Carmen Genovese
Friday, November 10	12:10 p.m.	† Anne Healy
Saturday, November 11	9:00 a.m.	† Wayne Foster; † Cynthia Smith; † Helen Rivers



Please remember to pray for those who are sick especially especially **Marilyn Phelan,**

Jean Paul Payeur, Mary Webb, Tim Kennedy, Rosaria Janita Agreda, Daryl Belcourt, Cassy Campbell, Jeannette McIver, Sandy Mortley, Sharon Wihelm, Archie DeGaub, James Reddy, John Welter, Andrew Ribidoux and Pat Taurasi.



In Loving Remembrance

Please remember to pray for those who have died especially **Aldo Granata, Cynthia Smith, Judy Buchanan and those in our Book of Remembrance.**

MEMORIAL LAMP & SPECIAL INTENTIONS

November 4 to November 11

Our sanctuary lamp is lit –

In loving memory of our dear mother,

† Josie McGrath

Requested by: The McGrath Family



THE GIFTS THAT GIVE FAIR 2017

Saturday, November 18 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Sunday, November 19 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

in the parish hall.



Visit and speak with the participating groups about their work in social justice, not-for-profit and aid and development projects and select gifts from tables featuring fair trade products and foods, arts and crafts, bed kits for children, gift certificates, overseas sponsorships and more. This year's participants are Days for Girls, Candlelighters Simcoe Parents of Children with Cancer, Camphill, Freeset, Sleeping Children Around the World, Grandmothers and Grandothers, Casaninac, Simcoe Sojourners: Inspired by L'Arche, Chalice, Fair Trade Barrie and **Ten Thousand Villages.**

Discover how the gift you give can give twice!

For more information contact Becky at beckerooski@sympatico.ca or 705-325-4614.

VETERANS APPRECIATION MASS



Sunday, November 12 at 10:00 a.m. we will make a special effort to honour our veterans. After the announcements we offer the veterans who are here a special blessing. Veterans are encouraged

to wear their blazers and medals. Regular and Reserve Force personnel and Cadets are invited to attend in uniform.

Please invite all of the men and women of our surrounding communities so we, as a parish can thank them and acknowledge their service to our country and to freedom.

MINISTRY WITH MATURING ADULTS



A RETREAT DAY:

Wednesday, November 15
from 10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. in the parish hall.

Theme '**You Belong**' Exploring Belongingness as Maturing Adults. We are delighted to welcome back Fr. Roger Pascall the retreat facilitator. We will explore the theme of '**Belongingness**' and the antithesis Abandonment as maturing adults. There will also be time for personal reflection. Bring a bag lunch, refreshments will be provided. We will conclude the retreat with the celebration of Mass. All are welcome and invite your friends to this wonderful opportunity. For more information contact Mary Perry White at the parish office at ext. 104 or email: maturingadults@stmarysbarrie.com.

WRITING CIRCLE ALUMNI will meet on Thursday in Room 3 at 1:00 p.m. The group is for those who have completed the Life Story program.

FAITH FRIENDS VISITING PROGRAM is 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. Faith Friends visiting benefits all those involved, both the visitor and the recipient. If you are curious and may be considering this opportunity of service, please call Mary Perry White at the parish office. We need visitors to help at this time.

SHEPHERDS' TRUST



As members of our Catholic community, we regularly benefit from the tireless service of our priests. As we celebrate the 175th anniversary of our Archdiocese, we honour the men who have been instruments of the

"Foundations of our Faith". Called by God and ordained to care for His people, our priests serve our families, in churches, schools, hospitals, nursing homes, missions and on the streets. The Shepherds' Trust ensures our priests can live their retirement years with dignity.

The Shepherds' Trust collection will take place in all parishes in the Archdiocese during the weekend of November 18/19. Envelopes will be available in the pews and at the back of the church next weekend.

This fund does more than just support our priests in their retirement years; it is a tangible way to care for those who always cared for us and give thanks for the blessings we have received through them.

Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

DO YOU WISH PRAYERS FOR THE SICK OR DECEASED AT SUNDAY MASS?



If you know people who are sick that you would like prayed for at the Sunday masses, please notify the parish office by noon on

Friday. Their names will be left on the list for two weeks and will be renewed if you call again. Likewise for those who have died, please call during the week and the parish will gladly include them in the prayers of the faithful at Sunday Mass.

DO YOU WANT YOUR MARRIAGE BLESSED?



Many couples for various reasons are opting not to be married in the church. It is important that you recognize that you can remediate this choice by coming and having your marriage blessed. Please call the parish office

to arrange an appointment with the priest to begin the process. Part of the meeting with the priest will be a discussion about the sacramentality of marriage which is at the heart of why the church wishes to be part of couples' marriages.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

Sundays at 10:00 a.m. – for children ages 4-8. To volunteer please call Alyssa Hendy at 705-562-4423.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY



The Children's Christmas Party will be held in St. Mary's Church on **Sunday, November 26th** in our parish hall from 2:00 – 4:00 p.m.

There will be crafts, music, food and a visit from Santa! Children of all ages from the parish are invited to attend.

Everything will be provided free of charge and this is open to all children of the parish. For information please contact Richard Lalonde at r.lalonde@rogers.com. (No reservations required).

NOON HOUR SURVISORS NEEDED



School News

Two schools in our parish need to fill the position of Noon Hour Supervisor in both permanent and casual

positions. The position is one hour everyday Monday to Friday or as a daily supply (on call). All applicants must submit a resume and a **current** Criminal Background Check. This is a paid position with the Simcoe Muskoka Catholic District School Board. This would be an excellent position for a stay at home parent or for a retiree.

Monsignor Clair School: one permanent Noon Hour Supervisor and two casual Noon Hour Supervisors. Contact: Mr. Bill Ray, Principal at 705-737-2812.

St. Marguerite D'Youville: one casual Noon Hour Supervisor. Contact Mr. Cam Morrison, Principal at 705-726-5849.



Many thanks to all the families who came out to support the Family Masquerade Dance held last Saturday.

A special thanks to Theresa Rodman, Coordinator and to those members of the Social Life Committee for their hard work for a successful and enjoyable evening!

TAIZÉ PRAYER SERVICE



Friday, November 10th at 7:30 p.m., at Holy Spirit Church, 650 Essa Road. We invite you into reflection and meditation through prayer, song, Scripture and silence. This service is hosted by The Barrie Taizé

Community—A partnership of Christian Churches. For more information, please call Susan Stott-Hood at 705-716-4030 or email sstotthood@gmail.com.

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