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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

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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, October 23	12:10 p.m.	† Adrien Gervais
Tuesday, October 24	12:10 p.m.	† Bill Spoeltman
Wednesday, October 25	7:00 p.m.	† Leona and Paula King
Thursday, October 26	12:10 p.m.	† June Brechin
Friday, October 27	12:10 p.m.	† Aggie Murray
Saturday, October 28	9:00 a.m.	† Ann White, † Mary Dool, † Harley Kelly

Intentions of Zecharyah Jagmohan

Intentions of Hilary Bond & Christian Burgess



PRAY for the sick

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

Zecharyah Jagmohan.



In Loving Remembrance
Ken Skidmore, Noreen Egan, Elizabeth and Yvonne Scarff, and Bernard Murphy.

Please remember to pray for those who have died especially **Maria Porretta, Marie Blazek, Tom Brown,**



COFFEE SUNDAY: A big thanks to today's host, **St. Joseph's High School.** Join us in the parish hall for coffee after the 8:00 a.m.,

10:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. Masses.

MEMORIAL LAMP & SPECIAL INTENTIONS

October 21 to October 28

Our sanctuary lamp is lit—

In loving memory of a son, brother & father

† Sean Kelly

Requested by his brother, Chris Kelly



MARRIAGE REFLECTION AND RENEWAL



RENEWAL OF MARRIAGE VOWS

On **Saturday, November 11,** starting at noon and ending with the 5:00

p.m. Mass, the parish in conjunction with the Knights of Columbus will conduct an afternoon reflection for marriages followed by a Renewal of Marriage Vows at the Mass. Couples will share and interact while reflecting on thoughts presented Deacons Del & Ron on the Vocation of Marriage and Marriage in our Community. Registration is required & lunch will be provided. Contact Al MacLeod at esl2@rogers.com or 705-728-4076.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Today, we celebrate World Mission Sunday! We are called to offer our prayers and generous financial support, through the Society for the Propagation of the Faith, for the worldwide mission of Christ. We asked to reach out to the peripheries, people in removed villages, towns, and cities by using the witness and work of missionaries and local priests. Please keep all missionaries in your daily prayers.

VIGIL CANDLES

November traditionally is set aside for honouring the dead. All Souls Day is celebrated on November 2 where we commemorate all the faithful departed. Vigil or Votive Candles signify "our prayer offered in faith coming into the light of God. With the light of faith, we petition our Lord in prayer, or petition the Saint to pray with us and for us to the Lord."

The Vigil Candle symbolizes how a person desires "to remain present to the Lord in prayer even though we may depart" the premises. It reinforces the idea that candles represent our prayers before God.

Due to demand, we are expanding the number of candles which will be made available. Two new racks will be placed by the statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary and two racks will be placed either side of the Pieta in the vestibule. The suggested offering will be \$4.00 each.



ST. MARY'S CWL CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

This year we have a **Nearly New Table** and a **Used Book Sale.** Donations are welcome. For the Nearly New Table; any item that is gently used or new. Eg., *lamps, Christmas decorations, glass ware, serving dishes, new appliances and trays.*

We welcome donations of used current books for our book sale. Drop of times for both tables is Friday, November 3 from 9 am-9 pm. If you have any questions please call Catherine Webb, (705) 721-0146, Jane Srigley (705) 790-4290 or Donna Kennedy (705) 721-8614. Thank you!!



Catholic Women's League Christmas Bazaar **Saturday, November 4th from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.**

We have one of a kind craft/sewn/knitted gifts, gourmet/Italian dishes, delicious baked goods and Coffee Corner, 50/50 draw/try to win \$100, jewellery and our Nearly New table/gently used book sale and more beautiful religious Christmas articles for sale.

Please drop your food and general donations from 9 am-9 pm Friday, Nov. 3. For all jewellery donations please put in small bags or on cardboard. For food donations please mark if nuts are present.

Bring a friend and enjoy our new Coffee Corner with baked treat!



ST. MARY'S ANNUAL MEMORIAL MASS

On Thursday, November 2, All Souls Day at 7:00 p.m., we will celebrate **St. Mary's Annual Memorial Mass**. At this Mass, we remember all those who have died this past year. We invite family and friends of the deceased to light a personalized candle which is placed near the altar during the Mass. St. Mary's Bereavement Ministry sent out invitations to those families who have had funerals from St. Mary's in the past year, but we realize that this will not include any of your family or friends who have died outside of the parish.



If you did not receive a letter and you wish to attend and have your family members or friends included, the members of the Bereavement Ministry will be in the hall prior to Mass to offer you a candle and a label so that all your loved ones can be remembered at this Mass.

As there may be some congestion, it is suggested that you should come a little early to pick up your candle. The Mass will be followed by a reception in the hall. **All are welcome.**

MINISTRY WITH MATURING ADULTS



Next Chapter Network a faith-based support group for women who are widowed. **Monday, October 23 @ 7:00 p.m. in room 3.** This is not a bereavement support group. The network

is about women supporting women through a common experience. If you require a drive, please contact Mary Perry White at 705-728-2985, ext. 104

Christian Meditation: is an ancient form of contemplative prayer, based on the teaching of Fr. John Main. The group will meet on **Thursday, October 26 @ 2:00 p.m. in room 3.**

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, Oct. 24 from 7 – 9:00 p.m. in room 1.** For further information please call Mary Golds 705-737-0368.

ST. MARY'S CEMETERY PRESENTS "LOOKING AHEAD" SEMINAR



Join us at **St. Mary's Parish** on **Saturday, October 28 at 2:00 p.m. in room 3** to learn more about the peace of mind that comes from planning ahead. Learn more about Catholic teachings on cremation, burial options at St. Mary's Cemetery and the important of memorializing a loved one. All

participants will receive a free *"Estate Planning Guide"*. Refreshments will be served. Please R.S.V.P. Larry Meyer, Manager, St. Mary's Cemetery at 705-726-3931 or lmeyer@cc-fs.ca.



We are **"Calling all Superheroes"** to join us this **Friday, October 27 at 6:30**

p.m. in the parish hall for our much-anticipated Edge kick-off! EDGE is a middle school ministry for youth grades 6-8, where we meet once a month, celebrating our Catholic faith through fun and friendship! For more information, please contact stmarysyouthministrybarrie@gmail.com or call 705-229-7426. We look forward to seeing you there!

All Spring 2018 Confirmation Candidates
Please note this is the first event in your Spiritual Journey.

HALLOWEEN FUN!

STAY 'N' PLAY – HALLOWEEN PARTY

All little ghosts and goblins are invited to attend our Halloween themed morning at Stay 'n Play on **Wednesday, October 25.**

Costumes are encouraged. Bring your mom, dad, grandma, grandpa, or caregiver, out to room 3 between 10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. for some fun!



FAMILY MASQUERADE DANCE

Saturday, October 28, 7:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m. in our parish hall. Wear your favourite costume, prizes and a light meal will be served. Dance

away with a local D.J.! Tickets on sale this weekend after all Masses or from the parish office. \$5 each or \$20.00/family. Invite your friends! See you there!

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