

St. Mary's Church

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Parish Office Hours Monday to Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. & 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Friday 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

MASSES:

Sat.: 5:00 p.m.

Sun.: 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m., 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.

The Church opens at 8:00 a.m. and closes at 5:00 p.m.

except Wednesdays when we close at 8:00 p.m.

RECONCILIATION:

Wed. 5:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m. or Sat. 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

BAPTISM INFORMATION: Contact a priest or Catherine Ecker, Parish Catechist after Mass on Sunday.

R.C.I.A. - For adults wishing to become Catholic, and for the baptism of older children (aged 7-14). Contact Catherine Ecker.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: for school aged-children attending public/private alternate schools. Contact parish office.

MINISTRIES TO THE HOSPITALIZED & SHUT-INS:

If you or a family member is admitted to the R.V.H. or are unable to attend Mass, please contact the parish office so that we may provide pastoral care.

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.

PARISH STAFF:

Rev. Larry Léger, Pastor – ext. 104

Rev. Sávio Bruto da Costa, Associate Pastor – ext. 107

Rev. Scott Young – In Residence

Deacon Del Allan – ext. 125

Susan Scarff, Administrative Assistant – ext. 101

Catherine Ecker, Coordinator of Ministry with Maturing Adults and Parish Catechist – ext. 115

Shannon Barks, Music/Youth Minister – ext. 116

or 705-229-7426

David Murdoch, Pastoral Assistant

Pat Borho, Finance – ext. 102

Cathy O'Connor-Horgan, Custodian of Records – ext. 113

Dennis Cormier, Building Manager

PARISH 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

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Monday through Friday

1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. All welcome

Adoration Chapel: Mary Bond - 705-726-6641

Altar Servers: David Murdoch - 705-728-2985

Bereavement Committee: Parish Office

Catholic Family Services: 705-726-2503

Catholic Women's League: Susan Murley - 705-252-1918

Youth Adult Ministry: Shannon Barks - 705-229-7426

Development & Peace: Becky Johnson - 705-327-9609

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

Interfaith Refugee Committee: Sheila Lewis-Watts
705-737-1880

Knights of Columbus: Al MacLeod - 705-728-4076

Lectors: Parish Office

Library: Arlene LeBlanc - 705-728-0736

Marriage Encounter: John & Daphne Jeffery-705-721-1694

Marriage Preparation: Parish Office

Maturing Adults: Catherine Ecker - ext. 115

Ministry Affirmation: (Screening): Parish Office - 705-728-2985

New Beginnings: Parish Office - 705-728-2985

Religious Articles Store: Pat Dunn - 705-718-1853

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

Rosary Apostolate - Anné Garipey - 705-305-0911

Sacramental Preparation: Catherine Ecker - ext. 115

Social Life: Parish Office

St. Mary's Cemetery: Larry Meyer 705-726-3931

St. Vincent de Paul: 705-722-0753

Youth Ministry: Shannon Barks - 705-229-7426

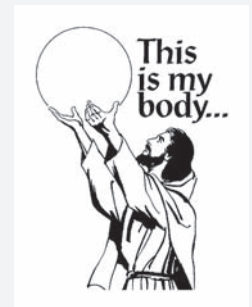
PARISH REGISTRATION

Please register with the parish before seeking any sacraments or any other services.

Registration forms are available in the church foyer and in our parish office.

Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, June 3 rd	12:10 p.m.	† Francis and Daisy Martyn
Tuesday, June 4 th	12:10 p.m.	† Bob Cowan
Wednesday, June 5 th	7:00 p.m.	† Wanda and Andrzej Ozga
Thursday, June 6 th	12:10 p.m.	† Bill Taylor
Friday, June 7 th	12:10 p.m.	† Joe and Joan Aikins
	7:00 p.m.	† Danuta and Henryk Sadowsky
Saturday, June 8 th	9:00 a.m.	† Estebana Malaran
		† Theresa LeClair
		Intentions of Valerie Glova



TODAY! Sunday, June 2nd after the noon Mass until 3:30 p.m.



You're invited to come out and enjoy fellowship and good food! The Knights of Columbus, Council 1626 will be serving hamburgers and hotdogs. There will be activities and entertainment. We ask families to bring salads or desserts as well as lawn chairs. Don't forget your sunscreen!

We look forward to seeing you at our Annual Parish Picnic!



Praying for the Sick: If you or a family member is sick please let us know and we shall add their name to our prayer list which is posted in the gathering space of the church.



We remember in prayer those who have died recently including: **Sophie Wick, Mona Sanlon, Victoria Landry and Angela Breton.**



Visiting the Hospital: if you or a family member are admitted to RVH please let them know you are Catholic and call the parish office to inform us. If you wish to receive Holy Communion please let the parish office know and one of our pastoral visitors will come to see you.

Ordinary Time



We have entered the season of Ordinary Time. The décor in the worship space has changed as we have returned to the green of Ordinary Time. Green reminds us of life. This span of Ordinary Time extends to November 24th when we celebrate the Solemnity of Christ the King.

Each Sunday (Saturday evening) when we gather with the Body of Christ to give praise to God we are nourished from the table of God's Word and the table of the Eucharist. The nourishment we receive strengthens us to live as the Body of Christ for the life of the world.

A Prayer for Ordinary Time

*God of wisdom and love, source of all good,
send your Spirit to teach us your truth
and guide our actions in your way of peace.
We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
God for ever and ever. Amen*

The Offertory Collection



We require people at each Sunday (Saturday evening) Mass to assist with the offertory collection. There is a simple protocol to follow which allows for a smooth process. There is no schedule, you are asked to sign in before Mass begins. If you

have any questions or are able to assist with this important ministry please speak with David Murdoch or send him an email at dmurdoch@archtoronto.org.

Celebrating the Liturgy of the Word with Children



We will celebrate a separate Liturgy of the Word with children today, on **Sunday, June 9th and June 23rd during the 12 noon Mass.** All children between the ages of 4 and 8 are invited to participate. The

children and leaders are sent after the Opening Prayer and they return during the Preparation of the Gifts. If you are interested in becoming a leader or have questions please contact David at dmurdoch@archtoronto.org.

Let's show we care on ShareLife Sunday

This weekend is the final ShareLife Sunday of the year. But ShareLife is more than a collection. It's how we as a community say "we care." In solidarity with Catholics throughout the Archdiocese, we provide a witness of God's love by actively supporting those in need locally and the greater world.



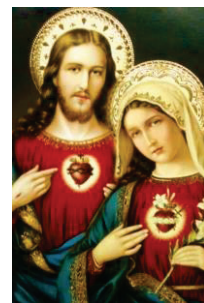
Our parish goal is \$136,500.00
We have raised over \$94,000 to date.
Please give generously through the parish or at sharelife.org.
Thank you for supporting our parish's ShareLife campaign.

Parish Feast Day Celebration!

On December 15, 1872, the new Catholic Church in Barrie was blessed by Archbishop John Joseph Lynch and dedicated to the

Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary. The Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Memorial of the Immaculate Heart of Mary are celebrated on the third Friday and Saturday after Pentecost, for this year Friday, June 7th and Saturday, June 8th, 2024.

To celebrate the Feast Day, on **Friday, June 7th after the 12:10 p.m. Mass** (the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus) Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be held in the church proper until 6:15 p.m. followed by devotions and Mass at 7:00 p.m. You are invited to sign up to spend an hour (or more) in prayer and Eucharistic Adoration. Please call Mary at 705-726-6641 or the parish office.



All Adults 55+ Ministry with Maturing Adults

All are welcome to attend the various sessions offered for those in the second half of life.



VON SMART (*Seniors Maintaining Active Roles Together*) **Exercise Program** is held on Tuesday mornings. For details regarding registration please call: VON at 705 737 5044

ext. 221.



Christian Meditation is an ancient form of contemplative prayer rooted in the Christian tradition. We will meet at 10:30 a.m. on **Tuesday, June 4th on Zoom**. All are welcome! If you

are interested in learning more about this form of prayer please contact Catherine Ecker.

(cecker@archtoronto.org or 705 728 2985 ext. 115).

June is Seniors' Month: Celebrating the Gift of Years!

All adults in the second half of life are invited to join us for lunch on **Wednesday, June 19th at 12:00 p.m.** to celebrate and give thanks for the gift of years.



We will provide soup, buns, and beverages. You are invited to bring either a salad, main course, finger food or dessert to feed four.

Join us for fellowship, good food, and door prizes as we celebrate the gift of years!

To assist with planning please sign up after Mass on June 8 / 9 or June 15 /16 or contact Catherine Ecker at cecker@archtoronto.org or call 705 728 2985 ext. 115. All are welcome!

Knights of Columbus, Council 1626 Golf Tournament - Friday, June 14th



Final reminder: Parishioners are invited to join our First-After-a-Long-Time Tournament at: Simoro Golf Links located at 1045 Penetanguishene Rd. on **June 14th**. Shotgun start at 11:30 a.m. Get a foursome together for

\$475 or join a foursome: \$125. Price Includes; *Welcome package, round of golf w/power cart, range balls, boxed lunch, burger dinner with salads and dessert, lots of prizes and silent auction.* Tournament Chairman –Tony Sacheli Email: rentals@columbushall.ca Phone: 705-728-1641 Ext. 1

Youth Ministry

You're Invited!

We would like to conclude our year in Youth Ministry by inviting all families to the parish picnic following the noon Mass **TODAY, Sunday, June 2nd**.



LIFETEEN – To wrap up our year, we wish to invite all high school teens to enjoy a bonfire and games night on

Saturday, June 15th. Contact Shannon Barks for further information or the parish office.



Theology on Tap - At the Flying Monkeys Brewery (*in the Attic Lounge upstairs*). Join us on **June 23rd from 6:00-9:00 p.m.**

For information on our Youth Ministry or Theology on Tap please email

stmarysyouthministrybarrie@gmail.com or call Shannon Barks at 705-229-7426.

Religious Articles Store



Open every Sunday between the morning Masses. Hours of operation are: **(9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m., and 1:00 p.m. to 1:15 p.m.)** We invite you to visit our parish store. We have a wonderful selection of items for First Communion, rosaries, crosses, jewelry, books, unique items, greeting cards and lots more! *Why not think ahead and buy that special gift for the next special occasion?* For further information please call Pat Dunn at 705-718-1853.

Preauthorized Giving

One of the advantages of Pre-Authorized Giving is that we know that your support for our parish is there when you are spending time at the cottage or away from home travelling. Pre-Authorized Giving Forms are available in the church foyer, parish office or you can download the form from our website.



<https://stmarysba.archtoronto.org/siteassets/media/files/pag-st-marys-barrie.pdf>

Please put your completed form in the collection basket or it can be dropped in at the parish office. **Thank you again for your support!**

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