St. Mary of the people parish



SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday 5:00 P.M.

Sunday 9:00 A.M., 11:00 A.M.

DAILY MASSES

Tuesday to Saturday 8:30 A.M.

ROSARY

Daily recitation following morning Mass at approx 9:00 A.M.

HOLY HOUR & BENEDICTION

Thursdays 7:00 P.M. - 8:00 P.M. Fridays 9:15 A.M. - 10:15 A.M.

ALL DAY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

First Friday of Each Month concluding with 7 P.M. Mass.

CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY

Tuesday - Saturday following morning Mass

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTION

Wednesday during morning Mass

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 3:30 - 4:45 P.M. or by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Contact the office for information

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Notice must be received one year in advance. Couples must attend a marriage preparation course.

PASTOR

Fr. David Bollo - Pastor

RECTORY OFFICE

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday 9:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.

SCHOOLS

St. Christopher's	(905) 725-7672
Paul Dwyer Catholic High	(905) 723-5255

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

Catholic Womens League	(905) 728-2212
Knights of Columbus	(905) 728-2212
St. Vincent de Paul	(905) 213-3860
Natural Family Planning (Rose)	(905) 683-9055
Catholic Cemeteries (Resurrection)	(905) 668-8912

BULLETIN

Copy must be in to office no later than Monday 4:00 P.M.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Please register using forms at back of Church or at Office.

Mass for the Intentions Week

Sat Sept 3 5:00 Sheila Power req Teresa Russo & Family Sun Sept 4 9:00 **Multiple Intention Mass** Salvatore Porco Sheila Power Fr. Richard Love Anna & Michael Etere Betty & Jim Joule George & Helena Dunham Souls in Purgatory All Parishioners of St Mary of the People Parish 11:00 Tues Sept 6 8:30 Marina Fornasier req Anne Pietrow 7:00 Living & Deceased Members of the Catholic Women's League especially Sheila Power Marina Fornasier req Jeanette & Julian Bussanich Wed Sept 7 8:30 Thur Sept 8 **Multiple Intention Mass** Tomo Juras Maureen, Sarah & Francis Porter Tom & Mary Pigden & Family Bernard & Annie Freeman & Family Sarah Varnum Fri Sept 9 Lucia, Vincenzo & Mario Romano 8:30 req Rita Romano Sat Sept 10 8:30 All Parishioners of St Mary of the People Parish 5:00 Gord Richardson req Paul & Sheila Power Sun Sept 11 9:00 All Parishioners of St Mary of the People Parish 11:00 Multiple Intention Mass Gord Richardson Lucia Saccone Lisa Stabile Tina & Rinato Vidulich Donato & Maria Fusco Patrick & Margaret McDaniel Carmela & Franco Bruni

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES: RE-ENGAGE, RENEW, RESPOND:

The office of Formation for Discipleship is pleased to offer a morning of re-engagement in liturgical ministries on **Saturday, September 17, from 10:30 to 12 p.m.** Volunteers are invited to attend, including lectors, music ministers, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, altar servers and ministers of hospitality. Register for virtual attendance at: bit.ly/LM-RegisterVirtualSept2022. There is no cost to attend, but registration closes on September 16th. Please see poster on bulletin board.

ROSARY APOSTOLATE: has been faithfully visiting our classrooms once a month to pray the Rosary with our students for 7 years. They are a great inspiration to our students! They are seeking people who have a great love for the Rosary and who are willing to visit our schools to pray the Rosary with the children once a month for a total of only 8 days. Training, screening and manuals will be provided. If you are interested please contact Rosa de Mello 905-743-0758 email demello_rm@yahoo.ca Text 905-925-4041or Josephine Gangemi 905-576-3386 email joseg@rogers.com or cell 905-439-9047



From the Pastor's Desk

TODAY'S GOSPEL: St. Luke leads with the harshest of Jesus' demands: "If you want to be my disciple, you must bear your own cross and follow me." Because Luke wrote after the year 70, he wasn't depicting a one-time event in the life of Jesus, but the cruciform life of all Jesus' followers. Jesus carried a cross and died on it once. Luke warns would-be followers that their life's journey will be constantly marked by the sign of the cross. To carry one's own cross is to follow Jesus in his life of free self-giving, a death to self that led him to become the victim of powerful people who truly did hate him. Like the good Samaritan, the need that appears on our road must trump our other priorities. (If you want to calculate the cost of that, imagine how that Samaritan explained to his wife what had happened to the oil, the wine and the money he was supposed to bring home!)

<u>SHARE LIFE:</u> The pandemic placed many of Share Life agencies funded by Share Life under stress as they continue to support the needs of clients. The needs are great. Our diocesan campaign continues until the end of December. Monthly giving is a convenient way to spread your Share Life contribution throughout the year. You can earn more about this at sharelife.org. Donations can be made through the Sunday Offertory.

<u>PLANNING A BAPTISM:</u> If you or someone you know is planning to have an infant baptized in our church in September, October or November 2022, please contact the church office and inquire about our next Baptismal Preparation Session. We ask that couples be **registered** with the parish and that Catholic parents be in **regular attendance** at Sunday Mass.

<u>CATHOLIC MISSIONS IN CANADA:</u> Our Special Collection taken up on August 13/14 totalled \$1,852.50. Thank you for your generosity.

VOCATIONS: Having a loose grasp on those things that rightly belong to God is required of every follower. The open hands you are left with will be filled by God and overflowing. Can you let go? If God is calling you, to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997. www.vocationstoronto.ca.

STEWARDSHIP: Jesus says "whoever of you does not give up all their possessions cannot be my disciple," The Lord doesn't mean to suggest that all of us should have no possessions, but rather to live with a lens that gratefully views everything as gifts from God, that are meant to be used for His glory and the good of the Church. As the new school year is beginning and many ministries in the parish are starting up, we should ask ourselves, how can we lend our time and gifts to serve others?

THE LIGHTER SIDE – POINTS TO PONDER: "At twenty, we worry what others think of us...At forty, we don't care what they think of us...At sixty, we discover they haven't been thinking of us at all." - Ann Landers



EXECUTIVE MEETING: Tuesday September 6 at 7 in the board room

GENERAL MEETING: Tuesday September 20. Mass at 7 meeting to follow.

EXECUTIVE FOR 2022-2023

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PREVIOUS TOTAL \$38,823 COLLECTED THIS PAST WEEK \$100 TOTAL COLLECTED TO DATE: \$38,923

PARISH GOAL: \$55,000 PERCENTAGE COLLECTED OF GOAL 71.0 %

DONATIONS: One of the most financially sound ways to support the Archdiocese of Toronto is with the gift of securities (stocks, bonds, mutual funds). When you donate securities to a registered charity, you pay **no capital gains tax** and receive a tax receipt for the full amount of the gift. It means a great tax break for you and an increased support of various archdiocesan charities such as your parish, ShareLife, St. Augustine's Seminary, The Shepherds' Trust, Office for Refugees and many others. For further information, contact the Development Office at 416-934-3400 Ext. 519/561 or send an email to development@archtoronto.org.



SEPTEMBER GENERAL MEETING: Tuesday, September 6 - Mass at 7:00 p.m. followed by the meeting in the hall. Raffle tickets will be available. Returns may be brought to the meeting.

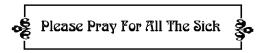
BAZAAR RAFFLE TICKETS - Books of raffle tickets are available at all church doors. Returns may be brought to the Religious Articles Room or placed in the collection basket. Thank you for your continuing support of the Bazaar which will be held on Saturday, November 12.

<u>THANK YOU</u> to everyone who contributed so generously to Dr. Simone's **Canadian Food for Children** School Supplies Drive which was held in August.

<u>CWL SERVICE PINS:</u> Congratulations to **Past President Rita Jakym** who was presented with the **Maple Leaf Service Pin** at our Pot Luck in June. Congratulations also to these council members who received pins for completing the following years of service to the Catholic Women's League.

10 Years - Joanne Bond, Jennifer Boodram, Caterina LaTorre **40 Years** - Brenda Brandreth, Doris Pallone, Liz Powers

<u>HOSPITAL CAFÉ VOLUNTEERS:</u> volunteers are needed at the cafe in the hospital. University students and/or adults needed day shifts. Please contact Anne at 905-579-0897 and leave message if no answer.



And Those Who Love and Minister to Them

Gord Shields Anne Scholtes William Kantores
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