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# *St. Mary* of the people parish

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## **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**

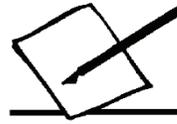
Please register using forms at back of Church or at Office.

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## Mass for the Intentions Week

Sat Sept 10	5:00	Gord Richardson req Paul & Sheila Power
Sun Sept 11	9:00	All Parishioners of St Mary of the People Parish
	11:00	<b>Multiple Intention Mass</b> Gord Richardson Lucia Saccone Lisa Stabile Tina & Rinato Vidulich Donato & Maria Fusco Patrick & Margaret McDaniel Carmela & Franco Bruni
Tues Sept 13	8:30	Rosaria Plastina req Nino & Frances Stano & Family
Wed Sept 14	8:30	Sheila Power req Mary Radovic & Family
Thur Sept 15	8:30	<b>Multiple Intention Mass</b> Tomo Juras Valentino Pulla Sara Varnum Deceased Riccutto Family Members Lucia, Vince & Mario Romano Int Gerry & Linda Monaghan
Fri Sept 16	8:30	Ignazia Busciglio req Bruno & Josie Piccioli
Sat Sept 17	8:30	Ignazia Busciglio req Anne Pietrow
	5:00	Sheila Power req Garry & Elsa King
Sun Sept 18	9:00	<b>Multiple Intention Mass</b> Vito Grazio Deligio Alojz Metez Violet Bakalar Carmelina Pierino Piraino Armando & Ida Occhiuzzi Giuseppe & Angela Scanga
	11:00	All Parishioners of St Mary of the People Parish



## From the Pastor's Desk

**TODAY'S GOSPEL:** The son who came home **really** came home. In coming home, he learned that his father loved him for no good reason, and so he could neither earn nor lose that love. Jesus used all his storytelling arts to redraw people's image of God. Jesus' lifestyle illustrated his preaching, and his table communion with any and every one faithfully reflected how God longs to relate to humanity. Jesus gives us the motley picture of the reign of God as a banquet hall populated by male and female, clergy and riffraff, ins and outs, all equally beloved. That summarizes our challenge. Whichever group we belong to, Jesus tells us that God loves us and them so much that, if we believe it, we'll lose touch with the differences between us. That, according to Jesus, is how it's supposed to be.

**SHARE LIFE:** **Share Life agencies serve everyone.** Share life agencies are there to support the most vulnerable and marginalized members of our communities. Share Life-funded social service agencies have an "open intake policy" and provide help based on need – not on religion, lifestyle, gender or ethnicity. Thank you for continuing to support Share Life. Our annual campaign continues until the end of December.

**STEWARDSHIP SUNDAY:** Next Sunday, September 18<sup>th</sup> is Stewardship Sunday. We pray for the parishioners of the Archdiocese of Toronto, that they may recognize the time and talents entrusted to us by God,

**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](http://bit.ly/LM-RegisterVirtualSept2022). There is no cost to attend, but registration closes on September 16<sup>th</sup>. Please see poster on bulletin board.

**PLANNING A BAPTISM:** If you or someone you know is planning to have an infant baptized in our church in October, November or December 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.

**WORLD DAY OF MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES:** The Archdiocese of Toronto together with the Syriac Catholic Community invites you to a special Mass on the occasion of the 108<sup>th</sup> World Day of Migrants and Refugees, Sunday, September 25, 2022 10:30 a.m. at St. Joseph Syriac Catholic Church, 999 Lakeshore Road East, Mississauga. Celebrant: Cardinal Thomas Collins. Homilist: Bishop Paulos Nassif. Reception to follow.

**VOCATIONS:** God is the Father with the open arms. Who will preach this Good News of reconciliation? Consider service as a priest, deacon, brother or sister. If God is calling you, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997

**STEWARDSHIP:** In the Second Reading, St. Paul proclaims that "Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners." The forgiveness of our sins is the greatest, most transformative gift that Christ bestows on our lives. So as truly grateful disciples of Christ, let us continually seek His gift of forgiveness and ask ourselves how are we sharing the good news of this great gift with those whom we encounter?

**THE LIGHTER SIDE – Points to Ponder:** "The older I get, the more clearly I remember things that never happened." – Mark Twain

**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](mailto:demello_rm@yahoo.ca) Text 905-925-4041 or Josephine Gangemi 905-576-3386 email [joseg@rogers.com](mailto:joseg@rogers.com) or cell 905-439-9047

**RENEW TORONTO: Young Adult Conference 2022 – Renew Toronto** is a conference for all young adults aged 19-39 with keynote speakers, workshops, worship music, Confession, Mass, Eucharistic Adoration and fellowship. This conference will offer unique opportunities for students, young adults, professionals and young couples. We invite young adults to unite with one another to collectively renew their hearts, renew their call, and renew their community. Registration is now open. Details can be found at: <http://www.ocytoronto.org/renewto/#section-contact>.

**FOLLOW ME - MEETING JESUS IN THE GOSPEL OF JOHN:** An eight-Part Bible Study featuring Dr. Edward Sri. Thursdays at 7:00 p.m. October 13<sup>th</sup> to December 01<sup>st</sup> at St. Gertrude Parish Hall or over Zoom. Visit St. Gertrude's page on Eventbrite <https://www.eventbrite.ca/o/st-gertrudes-parish-30942337729>. Cost of Study Guide: \$40. Please see poster on bulletin board.



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

**EXECUTIVE FOR 2022-2023**

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**BAKE SALE**

**NEXT WEEKEND**

after all Masses. All parishioners are invited to come to the hall and purchase our delicious baked goods. Donations may be brought to the hall after 3:30 p.m. on Saturday or before Masses on Sunday. **Bazaar Raffle Tickets** will be available. Returns will be accepted.

**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.

**CWL SERVICE PINS:** 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

**SL ShareLife**

<b>PREVIOUS TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 38,923</b>
<b>COLLECTED THIS PAST WEEK</b>	<b>\$ 444</b>
<b>TOTAL COLLECTED TO DATE:</b>	<b>\$ 39,367</b>
<b>PARISH GOAL:</b>	<b>\$ 55,000</b>
<b>PERCENTAGE COLLECTED OF GOAL</b>	<b>71.6 %</b>

**HOSPITAL CAFÉ VOLUNTEERS:** 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.

☪ Please Pray For All The Sick ☪

**And Those Who Love and Minister to Them**

Gord Shields	Anne Scholtes	William Kantores
Alda Power	Elisa Pellegrino	Dolly Richards
Irena Kralj	Steve Kralj	Jerry Doyle
Kim St. John	Damarys Peni	Elizabeth Sanders
Joan Hodge		

**Rest in Peace**

Sarah Varnum, Pina Maffei & Stanley Judd, father of Patrice Joly

**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](mailto:development@archtoronto.org).

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Sunday 7am - 4pm  
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