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

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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

5:00 Sat Nov 5 Ignazia & Salvatore Busciglio req Mary Gallo Sun Nov 6 9:00 All Parishioners of St Mary of the People Parish 11:00 Multiple Intention Mass Meintje Klumper John Gallo Antonio Romano Lucia Saccone Lena Ciampo Joseph Sr & Lina Miniaci Armando & Ida Occhiuzzi Tues Nov 8 8:30 Barbara & Nick Novak req Barbara & Joe Staresinic 7:00 Deceased Members of the Knights of Columbus Wed Nov 9 8:30 Thomas Lawless req Lawless Family Thur Nov 10 8:30 Multiple Intention Mass Peter McColgan Domenic Russo Michael Gerard Cooper Patrick & Margaret McDaniel Int Freida De Leenheer Int Ellen Fri Nov 11 8:30 Alek Karwowski & George Taylor req Suzanne & Stan Karwowski Sat Nov 12 Joe & Ana Staresinic req Barbara & Joe Staresinic Steve Tomasevic req Tomasevic Family 5:00 Sun Nov 13 9:00 **Multiple Intention Mass** Bruno Bertolo Maria Paparella Vito Grazio Deligio Madelina & Eugenio DeCarlo Giuseppi & Santina Palmieri Deceased Deligio & Pellegrino Family Members Souls in Purgatory 11:00 All Parishioners of St Mary of the People Parish

COME & SEE: The Office of Vocations will be hosting a **Come & See Weekend Retreat** for men 18 years and older at St. Augustine's Seminary Friday, November 18th (6:30 p.m.) until Sunday, November 20th (2 p.m.). The retreat offers a way for men to discern a possible call to priesthood at our seminary. Registration can be done on-line at: www.vocationstoronto.ca/comesee,

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

<u>CHOIR PRACTICE</u>: St. Mary's Choir practice, Wednesday nights at 7:15 P.M. in the choir loft. (Church entrance: south side, side entrance). <u>New members are always welcome</u>. Knowledge of music is not necessary – just the joy of singing and serving our parish. <u>Please give serious consideration to joining our choir</u>.

SPECIAL COLLECTION: The October 23rd Special Collection for *Evangelization of the Nations* (World Mission Sunday) totalled: \$1,503.40. Thank you for your generosity. Additional donation can still be made.



From the Pastor's Desk

TODAY'S GOSPEL: According to Jesus, people who live in the domain of the age to come are like angels, immortal children of God. Love and relationships in this realm are understood as infinite gifts, unrestrained by frantic efforts to possess or perpetuate an existence over which human beings can exercise no control. The fruitfulness of their love will know no limits of family, clan or nation. Karl Rahner takes up this idea and suggests that in the life of the world to come, we will be lovingly related to the entire universe. Pope Francis' "Laudato Si', on Care for Our Common Home" expresses the same idea by explaining that the destiny of all creation is bound up with the mystery of Christ who draws everything toward the fullness that is our destiny (Laudato Si', 100). Jesus invites us to open our imaginations to understand life in terms of where we are headed. Rather than depreciate human love or see it as merely practical, he invites us to perceive the infinite value of every relationship. Pope Francis elaborates on this, saying, "Life exists where there is bonding, communion, fraternity; and life is stronger than death when it is built on true relationships and bonds of fidelity" (Fratelli Tutti,

THE SHEPHERDS' TRUST SPECIAL COLLECTION: There will be a Special Collection next weekend for the Shepherds' Trust. The mission of the Shepherds' Trust is to help ensure that elderly and disabled priests are provided with sufficient financial resources to lead a dignified life after many years of ministry. Your generous gift will help our priests to maintain a modest but active and independent lifestyle in their retirement years. For priests who are ill or otherwise infirm, the Trust ensures they have access to nursing home facilities and medical care. Thank you for your support in this important work. SERRA CLUB MASS: The members of the Durham Serra Club invite you to join them for Mass at 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, November 10th (and each second Thursday of the month) in St. Mary of the People Church. Our monthly Serra Club meeting follows in the parish hall. New members are always welcome.

FIRST COMMUNION ENROLLMENT: We invite the students preparing for First Communion in the spring, to participate in a brief ceremony at our 11: a.m. Mass on Sunday, November 13th. During this ceremony, they will publicly state their desire to begin preparation for this special sacrament.

RECENT WEDDING: Brian Daniel, son of David & Michele (Newbegin) King and Caitlyn Marie, daughter of the late Frederick & Diana Catherine (McKinnon) Crane were married in St. Mary of the People Church on Saturday, October 15, 2022. "May God, the eternal Father, keep you in love with each other, so that the peace of Christ may stay with you and be always in your home."

VOCATIONS: Our God is a God of the living not of the dead. Have you had an experience of this living God and want to share it with others? You may be called to the priesthood, diaconate, or religious life. If God is calling you, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

www.vocationstoronto.ca.

STEWARDSHIP: This Sunday, we reflect on the strong hope displayed by the seven brothers in 2 Maccabees amidst their persecution. Living lives of stewards also means living lives of hope and fighting the temptation to be discouraged when we don't see the desired results of our good works right away. Let us continue to serve God as we heed the advice of St. Padre Pio who says, "Pray, hope and don't worry. Worry is useless. God is merciful and will hear your prayer."

<u>THE LIGHTER SIDE:</u> Thoughts on Aging – Don't be worried about your smartphone or TV spying on you. Your vacuum cleaner has been collecting dirt on you for years.



<u>MEMORIAL NIGHT:</u> Tuesday November 8. Mass at 7:00 P.M. Memorial Service to follow in Parish Hall. <u>ALL MEMBERS ARE</u> STRONGLY ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND

This year we will be eulogizing Brothers Jim Nemish, Albin Francelj, Harry Lack Sr., Joe Corey, Don McGarry, Ed Dwyer, Gord Richardson, Vince Mastroianni, Owen Baker and Fr. Paul Casullo.

<u>KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS GENERAL MEETING:</u>
November 15. Mass at 7:00 PM followed by the meeting.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CHRISTMAS SOCIAL: Saturday December 3rd. The evening begins with Mass at 5 PM followed by an informal social and dinner refreshments. Tickets are \$20 per person and MUST be purchased by Monday November 21.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL: St. Paul tells us that if our faith is so strong that we could move mountains but do not have charity, we have nothing. We know that charity is the only way we love God through Jesus Christ by loving our neighbor. The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul offers us a way to express our love for neighbor by supporting their mission to serve those in need.

Your support through **poor box** donations at the front entrance of the church is a way to do this. Gifts of \$10.00 or more will be receipted for income tax purposes. Place your donation in an envelope marked **Society of St. Vincent de Paul**. Remember to include your **full name and address** so a receipt can be prepared and sent to you at year-end.

The Poor Box offers us an opportunity to love Jesus Christ by helping those in need!

If you discern a desire to engage directly with our neighbors in need by joining the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul call or text Vince at 289-943-5881 and leave a message for more information.

SL ShareLife

PREVIOUS TOTAL COLLECTED THIS PAST WEEK TOTAL COLLECTED TO DATE:

\$ 39,367 \$ 1,205 \$ 40,572

PARISH GOAL: PERCENTAGE COLLECTED OF GOAL \$ 55,000 73.8 %

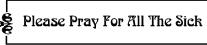


TREE LIGHTS BAZAAR NEXT SATURDAY

9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Home-made baking
& other donations are
appreciated & may be brought
to the hall on
Friday 10:00 a.m. and 8:00
p.m. For further information,
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