
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

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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OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday 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.

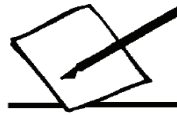
Mass for the Intentions Week

Sat Jan 28	5:00	Nicolina Cicco req Nerina Rerecich
Sun Jan 29	9:00	All Parishioners of St Mary of the People Parish
	11:00	Multiple Intention Mass
		Walter Pietrow
		Owen Baker
		America & Philomena Sirizzotti
		Angela & Giuseppe Scanga
		Antonio & Carmela Pellegrino
		Sarah, Francis & Maureen Porter
		Allessandro, Gina & Americo Sirizzotti
Tues Jan 31	8:30	Louise Paul req Staff Msgr Paul Dwyer H. S.
Wed Feb 1	8:30	John Tomac req Mary Radovic & Family
Thur Feb 2	8:30	Multiple Intention Mass
		Peggy Lawlor
		Joze Kocevr
		Sister Roberta Freeman
		Int Dulce Yaeger
Fri Feb 3	8:30	Kocevar Stank req Justa Family
Sat Feb 4	8:30	Gerry Grennon req Brenda Brandreth
	5:00	Anne Black req St. Marys Choir
Sun Feb 5	9:00	Multiple Intention Mass
		Patrick McKenna
		Louie Polya
		Ron Czepek
		J. John Patrick
		Joseph Filipetto
		Mario & Giovanna Komel
		Lucy & Mike Labriola
	11:00	All Parishioners of St Mary of the People Parish

CATHOLIC FAMILY SERVICES OF DURHAM – 18th ANNUAL HEART TO HEART GALA: Saturday, February 25th 2023 6 p.m. at Deer Creek Golf & Banquet Facility, Ajax. Join us for an elegant evening including 3-course dinner with wine, DJ-Dance, silent/live auction. Raffles. The funds raised all our highly-trained staff to provide quality counselling services to over 2300 community members each year. Tickets are just \$100 each. Contact Tania McClean, 905-725-3513 x 121 or t.mclean@cfsturham.com.

IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING OLD ENVELOPES

**Please do NOT use envelopes from previous years.
If you do not have current envelopes
Please place your donation in a plain envelope
clearly marked with your full name and address.
We record donations based on envelope number. If
you are using an envelope from a previous year the
person that currently has that number will get
credit for the donation**



From the Pastor's Desk

TODAY'S GOSPEL: The Beatitudes provide a vision for life lived alternatively to power, prestige, status and the resultant competition and conflict. They showcase a way to handle social conflict that preserves the dignity and well-being of all while establishing and sustaining peace. The entire Sermon on the Mount, and especially the Beatitudes, functions as a polemic against the ways and attitudes of the Roman Empire. As such, the Gospel is also an invitation to personal and communal transformation for all, where differences are honored and the true exercise of power leads not to conflict and division but to unity and peace. Will we who struggle, like the rest of humanity, choose self-serving power, prestige and status, or will we set foot on a different, alternative path characterized by humility and blueprinted by the Beatitudes?

WHOLENESS AND HOLINESS: Manresa Jesuit Renewal Centre will be hosting a silent Ignatian **retreat for women February 3 – 5, 2023** with Fr. James Kelly, SJ. As faithful, we are aware of the universal call to holiness. On this retreat we will consider our own wholeness as we approach this call. Am I complete and harmonious within myself? Or am I somehow divided or lacking or even broken? Through praying with scripture and through entering into silence we begin to see the person whom God sees and the person God desires us to be. Suggested offering: \$245,00 pp: this includes two nights accommodations, meals, retreat program and spiritual direction. Register online at: <https://manresa-canada.ca/events>

WORLD DAY FOR CONSECRATED LIFE – FEBRUARY 2nd: The purpose of the day is “to help the entire Church to esteem ever more greatly the witness of those persons who have chosen to follow Christ by means of the practice of the evangelical counsels” as well as “to be a suitable occasion for consecrated persons to renew their commitment and rekindle the fervour which should inspire their offering of themselves to the Lord” (Saint John Paul II, 1997) World Day for Consecrated Life will be celebrated in parishes over the weekend of February 4-5, 2023. Please pray for all those who have made commitments in the consecrated life, and be sure to thank them on their special day. May they continue to be inspired by Jesus Christ and respond generously to God's gift of their vocation.

CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE WITH BISHOP NGUYEN: **Sunday, February 12th -2:30 p.m. at St. Michael's Cathedral.** As part of Marriage Sunday 2023 celebrations, Bishop Vincent Nguyen will preside at a special Mass to honor married couples, especially those celebrating milestone anniversaries (25th, 40th, 50th 60th or 60+) in 2023. All married couples will have an opportunity to renew their vows and be honored with a special blessing. Those wishing to attend are asked to register online at: www.archtoronto.org/marriage. Those who are unable to attend are invited to attend the livestream Mass here: <https://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live/> Broadcast begins at 2:15.

DCDSB KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION OPEN: You are invited to register your child for Kindergarten at one of our Durham Catholic District School Board schools. Students eligible to attend Kindergarten in September 2023 must be turning four years of age by December 31, 2023. For more information and to register online visit dcdsb.ca/Kindergarten.

THE LIGHTER SIDE: **Senior Sarcasm** – It's hard to believe I once had a phone attached to the wall, and I picked it up when it rang without knowing who was calling.



EXECUTIVE MEETING: Tuesday February 7 at 7 P.M. in the boardroom

GENERAL MEETING: Tuesday February 21 Mass at 7 Meeting will start at 8

VALENTINE'S DINNER & SOCIAL:



**St. Mary's Knights of Columbus
Saturday February 11.**

Tickets are \$40 a person

Cocktails at 6:00PM and dinner at 6:30PM.

Tickets will be available soon

**PLEASE NOTE THAT THE SOCIAL IS OPEN
TO ALL PARISHIONERS**

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY - CUSTODIAN: St. Mary of the People is seeking a full time Custodian who will be responsible for custodial services and basic repairs of the Church, Hall, Rectory and its property to ensure a clean, safe and attractive environment for all. Please contact the parish office for a description of responsibilities and general requirements. Once you have seen the responsibilities and requirements those wishing to be considered should submit their resume and cover letter to Fr. David Bollo. We thank all applicants, however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: I am sure you have seen the ad in the bulletin the past few weeks regarding looking for a custodian for the parish. At this time we have not found a person to fill the position. In order to keep the Church clean in the interim we are asking for **volunteers on Thursday Feb 2 from 10 AM till 12 noon. If you are able to help please show up this Thursday at 10 AM**

PARISH PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Sunday, Feb. 19

In the Parish Hall after both Sunday Masses

Cost:

11 years and older - \$10.00

2 to 10 years old - \$5.00

Children under 2 – no charge

All parishioners & their families are welcome.

Menu: Pancakes, sausages, scrambled eggs, taters, fruit & beverages

Tickets will be on sale Feb. 4/5 and Feb. 11/12

or call Frances 905-579-0128

Hosted by Knights of Columbus and CWL

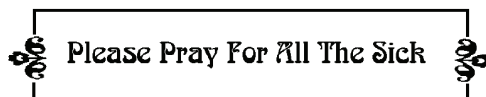


EXECUTIVE MEETING: Tuesday January 31 at 7 PM in the boardroom.

2023 MEMBERSHIPS are now due. Please enclose **\$25.00** in the pink CWL envelope found in your Sunday Offering box & drop it in the collection basket. (cheques preferred when using envelopes) **New members are always welcome.** For information, phone Joey at 905-576-3386.

INCOME TAX RECEIPTS: Income tax receipts will once again be mailed to all Parishioners. You should receive your tax receipt by February 6, 2023

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!**



And Those Who Love and Minister to Them

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