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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**

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 - 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.

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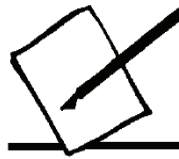
## Mass for the Intentions Week

Sat July 8	5:00	Barbara Ostronic req Badurina Family
Sun July 9	9:00	<b>Multiple Intention Mass</b> Mato Prskalo Angela & Giuseppe Scanga Angela, Antonio & Vincenzo DelGatto Souls in Purgatory
	11:00	All Parishioners of St Mary of the People Parish
Tue July 11	8:30	In Thanksgiving req Johnathan, Jocelyn, Elizabeth & Gabriel Yorke
Wed July 12	8:30	Tony Montagano req Montagano Family
Thur July 13	8:30	<b>Multiple Mass Intentions</b> All living & deceased Members of St Mary of the People Parish
Fri July 14	8:30	Sister Conrad Lauber req Msgr Paul Dwyer Community
Sat July 15	8:30	All Living & deceased Members of St Mary of the People Parish
	5:00	Barbara Ostronic req Joe & Paula Lavric
Sun July 16	9:00	All Parishioners of St Mary of the People Parish
	11:00	<b>Multiple Intention Mass</b> Frank Bradica Justin Soln Enrico Montoni Gliceria Palas Diego Trotta Alex Dobos
Mon July 17	8:30	June Timperley req Timperley Family
Tue July 18	8:30	<b>NO MASS</b>
Wed July 19	8:30	Lea Tuepah req Staff of Msgr Paul Dwyer CHS
Thur July 20	8:30	<b>NO MASS</b>
Fri July 21	8:30	<b>NO MASS</b>
Sat July 22	8:30	Angela Leslie req Staff of St Christopher's School
	5:00	Carmela Braccia req Memma Family
Sun July 23	9:00	<b>Multiple Intention Mass</b> Joseph Radovic Justin Soln Vito Mario & Caterina Deligio In Honour of St Jude Int David & Norma Anderson
	11:00	All Parishioners of St Mary of the People Parish

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** We are looking for volunteers to assist with cleaning of the Church & hall. **Thursday 13, 20 & 27 at 9:45 immediately following morning Mass & Rosary. If you are able to help please show up.**

**ANNUAL MASS FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED:** Our Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed will be celebrated on Wednesday, August 16, 2023 at 7:00 p.m. at Resurrection Catholic Cemetery, Whitby. The celebrant will be Rev. Fr. Dominic Barber. In the event of rain, Mass will be celebrated in Our Lady of the Assumption Mausoleum at Resurrection Cemetery.

**CHOIR:** As the choir ends for the summer, we look forward to getting together in September to again glorify God in song. We are looking for new members to join us, both men and women. Musical knowledge is not necessary, only the joy of singing. Practice is every Wednesday starting September 6th at 7:15pm and finishes at 9:00pm. We enter the church by the north door next to the rectory.



## From the Pastor's Desk

**TODAY'S GOSPEL:** In today's Gospel reading, Jesus celebrates the power of humility as he thanks his Father that his message has come home to the humble. We can imagine Jesus almost dancing with joy as simple people listen to him and get it. These are people who have gotten caught up in the dynamic of Jesus' love and mission. They've been captured by the love of his tender Father. They can face those who disdain them with the self-assurance that comes from knowing they are loved beyond measure. Imagine the freedom of never feeling you had to impress others or demonstrate your worth! (No more being "debtors to the flesh.") Imagine what it would feel like to have genuine sympathy for the "wise and learned," who rely on themselves, compelled to make a show of their prestige. Imagine laying down all those heavy burdens! This is the invitation of the Gospel. When we rejoice in the fact that we can never earn it, we are prepared to enjoy it.

**MISSION CO-OP SUNDAY:** Next weekend, July 15 & 16, our parish will participate in the Archdiocese's Annual Mission Co-Operative Program. We will welcome **Fr. Jude Sampath Wilegoda** from the **Diocese of Galle in Sri Lanka**, who will preach at each of our Masses on the missionary work being done in his Diocese. A special collection will be taken up to support missionary work the following weekend, July 22 & 23.

**WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE:** Weekday Mass participants, please note that there will be morning Mass on **Monday** and **Wednesday** only, the **week of July 16<sup>th</sup>**. We apologize for the inconvenience.

**RECENT BAPTISM:** **JACK**, son of Michael & Candace (Heley) **LAURIA**; and **QUINN GIULIA**, daughter of Christopher & Samantha (Bianco) **MCGRATH** were baptized into the Catholic faith in St. Mary of the People Church on Sunday, June 11, 2023. "May the Lord soon touch your ears to receive his word and your mouth to proclaim his faith to the praise and glory of God the Father."

**STUDY THEOLOGY:** St. Augustine's Seminary Institute of Theology offers a wide range of programs and flexible course formats open to all – from full master's degrees to short certificates or fully online diplomas. Visit: [www.staugustines.on.ca/institute-of-theology](http://www.staugustines.on.ca/institute-of-theology). Please see poster on bulletin board.

**VOCATIONS:** "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few, therefore, ask the Lord of the Harvest to send laborers into his harvest." Pray for vocations." 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. Visit: [www.vocationstoronto.ca](http://www.vocationstoronto.ca).

**THE LIGHTER SIDE: Love is Blind** – A four-year old boy said: "Dad, I've decided to get married!" "Wonderful. Do you have a girl in mind?" asked the dad. "Yes! Grandma." The boy exclaimed. "Grandma said she loves me, and I love her, too. She's the best cook and best storyteller in the whole world!" "That's nice," said the dad, "but we have a small problem here. She happens to be my mother! How can you marry my mother?" "Why not?" asked the boy. "You married mine!"



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**8611 DONATIONS:**

**January 1 2022 to December 31 2022 totaled \$26,500**

**The following donations were made during the period of January 1 2023 to July 1 2023**

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Sunrise Youth	\$1,000.00
SVDP Camp Ozanan	\$1,000.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$2,000.00
St. Christopher's School	\$ 450.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$19,850.00</b>

**WEBSITE:** Please check out our website: <https://kofc8611.org>

**EXECUTIVE FOR 2023-2024**

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**CONGRATULATIONS:** to Tarynn Szewczyk, the recipient of the \$300.00 St. Mary of the People Catholic Women's League scholarship. We congratulate all the graduates of the Monsignor Paul Dwyer Catholic High School class of 2023. Our prayers are with you as you plan for your future.

**RAFFLE TICKETS:** are available at all church doors over the summer. Every parishioner is urged to sign out at least one book in support of the November 11<sup>th</sup> Bazaar. Returns may be brought to the Religious Articles Room or placed in the collection basket in a **marked envelope**.

**THANK YOU:** to everyone who contributed to our **Canadian Food for Children** drive in June. Your generosity will help many people who are in need.

**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!**

**Saint Vincent de Paul activity during the month of May:**

Total value of donations received: **\$3,558.75**

Total value of food, clothing and furniture vouchers given to neighbours in need: **\$2,760.00**

**Number of families helped: 31**

**SACRED HEART ACADEMY:** Did you know that a new private Catholic school is looking to open in Oshawa this September? Would you like to support Sacred Heart Academy with your prayers? Do you have children or grandchildren that might be interested, or request additional information? Please visit: [bit.ly/SacredHeartA](http://bit.ly/SacredHeartA) or email [SacredHeartA@gmail.com](mailto:SacredHeartA@gmail.com)

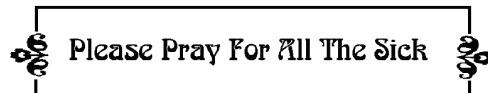
# SL ShareLife

Share Life currently supports over 40 agencies across the Archdiocese. While the pandemic put a strain on the services of the agencies, they continued to support the ones who need it the most. This was made possible through your kind and generous donations. Our Annual Campaign is essential to the continuation of these services. If you haven't yet contributed, please consider doing so by giving at the parish through the Share Life envelopes, online through our parish website, or at [sharelife.org/donate](http://sharelife.org/donate).

<b>PREVIOUS TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 30,257</b>
<b>COLLECTED THIS PAST WEEK</b>	<b>\$ 5,480</b>
<b>TOTAL COLLECTED TO DATE:</b>	<b>\$ 35,737</b>

**PARISH GOAL:** **\$ 50,000**

**PERCENTAGE COLLECTED OF GOAL** **71.4 %**



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

Elisabeth Sanders	Anne Scholtes	William Kantores
Alda Power	Elisa Pellegrino	Dolly Richards
Damaris Peni	Steve Kralj	Joan Hodge
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Chris Engberg, Alex Dobos & Mary Kinsella, Liam Duignan & Marie Smith



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