
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. Joel Pabilona Jr - 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

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BULLETIN

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

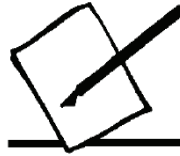
NEW PARISHIONERS

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

Mass Intentions for the Week



Sat Aug 24 5:00	Antonio Di Pietrantonio req Ben & Pasqua Perrino
Sun Aug 25 9:00	Multiple Intention Mass Giuseppe & Santina Palmieri Int Margaret Rumbelow
11:00	All Parishioners
Tues Aug 27 8:30	Beatrice "Bea" Lack req Staresinic Family
Wed Aug 28 8:30	Bob Bartholomew req Avril Barrie
Thur Aug 29 8:30	Multiple Mass Intentions Int Maureen Webster Int Doug & Dulce Yaeger
Fri Aug 30 8:30	Deceased Members of the Marks Family
Sat Aug 31 8:30	Int Anne Doyle req David & Maureen Webster
5:00	Elenita Deryke req Joan McLaughlin
Sun Sept 1 9:00	Int Jackie & Tony Lamers on the occasion of their 60 th Wedding Anniversary req St Mary's CWL
11:00	Multiple Intention Mass Irene Lubowitz Margaret Carrie Int Margaret Rumbelow Int Luisa & Gino Romano In thanksgiving Ebby & Karen



From the Pastor's Desk

AUGUST 25, 2024: 21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Our readings offer us examples of how we should be living, and they present us with an opportunity to make a radical change in our lives. In our first reading, Joshua tells the leaders of the Israelites to decide as to who they shall serve in this life. As he presents them with this choice, he boldly states, "As for me and my household, we will serve the Lord." Who or what does your household serve? Whether you are a household of one or twelve, now is the time to decide, "will we serve the Lord?" We are constantly bombarded with endless distractions around us. It can be very easy to serve other 'gods' in our lives. For instance, putting technology (phone, internet, TV), kids' extracurricular activities, our jobs, or our social lives before the Lord. We also might be putting these things above our loved ones, and if we are doing that, then we are putting them above our relationship with God. With this in mind, we must strive each day to intentionally live as disciples of Christ. It starts with commitment — incorporating personal daily prayer and increasing that prayer week by week, incorporating prayer into our marriages and families, frequenting the sacraments, and serving others. Through this time with the Lord and service to those around us, He will reveal to us where to go next. Reflect on how you may not be putting God first in your life and decide to respond like the Israelites, "Far be it from us to forsake the Lord for the service of other gods... Therefore we also will serve the Lord, for he is our God."

CHOIR PRACTICE: St. Mary's Choir practices every Wednesday at 7:15 pm in the choir loft. (Church entrance: south side).

NEW MEMBERS ARE WELCOME. Knowledge of music is not necessary – just the joy of singing and serving our parish. Please give serious consideration to joining our choir. **OUR FIRST CHOIR PRACTICE IS SEPT. 11**

BASEMENT PRIEST 3:

The parish office has **FR. JOHN BOOS** latest book available for sale. Cost is a minimum donation of \$20. Book can be purchased during office hours

JESUS IN THE BOOK OF REVELATION: Beyond images of fire and falling stars, the Book of Revelation develops an elaborate portrait of a Christ with many Faces who stands at the center of life—on earth and in heaven— alongside God the Father Almighty in the power of the Holy Spirit. This Apocalypse invites us not only to behold the symbolic universe that the text creates, but also to step into that world of vision and be transformed in the process.

Msgr. Robert Nusca will introduce us to the Book of Revelation and its meaning, drawing on the faces of Christ and the associated hymns.

Date & Time: Saturday, October 12, 2024 at 9:30 a.m. Place: St. Gertrude's Parish Hall, 690 King St. E., Oshawa L1H 1G5 No Cost to attend, but please register via email. Contact: Beth Cook, 905-925-9871, bethcook905@outlook.com OR St. Gertrude's Parish Office, 905-433-0828, stgertrudesos@archtoronto.org

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.

ROSARY APOSTOLATE: has been faithfully visiting our classrooms once a month to pray the Rosary with our students. The Rosary Visitors are a great inspiration to our students. They are seeking people who have a great love for the Rosary and are willing to visit our Schools to pray the Rosary with the children once a month for a total of only 8 days a year. Training, screening, and materials will be provided.

If you are interested, please contact: Rosa de Mello, Tel: 905-743-0758 or Text: 289-996-5515



GOLF TOURNAMENT:

Saturday September 14, 2024

Oshawa Airport Golf Club.

\$90 per entrant. Includes golf and luncheon

Golf only \$60.00 - Meal only \$30.00

Cart Rental \$40 per cart extra

Format will be played as a team scramble.

Shotgun Start at 8:30 am

Book now and ensure your participation in this year's event.

To register call Paul Power 905-725-3821 or the office 905-728-2212

GOLF TOURNAMENT HOLE SPONSORSHIP

This year we have a new option to sponsor a hole.

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Roy Druce 905 410 4343 or Joe Miniaci 905 404 5049**

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



GENERAL MEETING: Tues. Sept. 3 in the church hall following Mass at 7 o'clock.

BAZAAR RAFFLE TICKETS: Raffle tickets for our Nov. 9th bazaar are at all church doors. Returns may be brought to the Religious Articles Room or placed in the collection basket in an envelope marked raffle tickets.

1st prize - \$500.00 cash

2nd prize - 4 Oshawa General hockey tickets

3rd prize - "Chez Moi" Spa gift certificate (value: \$100.00)

SL ShareLife

<i>PREVIOUS TOTAL</i>	\$ 33,875
<i>COLLECTED</i>	<u>\$ 6,593</u>
<i>TOTAL COLLECTED TO DATE:</i>	\$ 40,468
<i>PARISH GOAL:</i>	\$ 66,200
<i>PERCENTAGE COLLECTED OF GOAL</i>	61.1 %

🌿 Please Pray For All The Sick 🌿

And Those Who Love and Minister to Them

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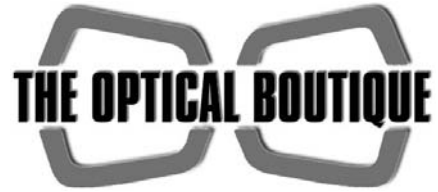
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