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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. 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

Catholic Cemeteries (Resurrection) (905) 668-8912

## **BULLETIN**

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

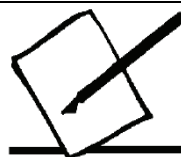
## **NEW PARISHIONERS**

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

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# Mass for the Intentions Week

Sat Sept 7 5:00	Int Doug & Dulce Yaeger req Paul Power & Family
Sun Sept 8 9:00	<b>Multiple Intention Mass</b> Joseph Staesinic Margaret Carrie Vito Grazio Deligio Antonio Di-Pietrantonio Antonio & Giuseppina Palermo Int Peggy Gauvin
11:00	Int Gino & Luisa Romano on the occasion of their 50 <sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary req Teresa Russo & Family
Tues Sept 10 8:30	Tom & Mary Pigden & Bernard & Annie Freeman req Monica & Ed Freeman
Wed Sept 11 8:30	Barbara & Michael Staesinic req Staesinic Family
Thur Sept 12 8:30	<b>Multiple Mass Intentions</b> Dan Breen Mario Provenzano Souls in Purgatory Int Maureen McAvoy Int Brenda Brandreth
Fri Sept 13 8:30	Amedeo Saccone req Gino & Luisa Romano
Sat Sept 14 8:30	All Parishioners
5:00	Sheila Power req Joe & Teresa Custoza
Sun Sept 15 9:00	All Parishioners
11:00	<b>Multiple Intention Mass</b> Gilda Romano Maria Marchitelli Antonio Di-Pietrantonio Pasquale & Giacomo Del Gatto Tina & Renato Colangeli



## From the Pastor's Desk

Our readings today offer us a message of hope — God is with us and wants to heal us. May this message come ablaze in our hearts so that we might live with unwavering faith.

The Gospel presents us with the story of the profound physical healing of a deaf man with a speech impediment. People brought him to Jesus and begged for his healing. Jesus took the man off by himself, touched his ears and his tongue, then proclaimed, “Be opened!” Immediately he was healed.

This story in our Gospel overwhelms us with comfort and peace because we have a compassionate God who sees our physical needs. Yet if we reflect further on this reading, we see that God uses this moment of physical healing as an opportunity to restore something much deeper — our souls.

Oftentimes we are blind and deaf to God in our lives. We miss countless opportunities to see God working in our day-to-day moments — through our loved ones, our community, or even a stranger. We miss the quiet voice of Jesus in our hearts telling us to choose Him instead of sin, respond in love instead of anger, or care for someone else in a moment instead of ourselves.

These are how we need to be spiritually healed. And the scriptures remind us that God is with us and wants to heal us.

This week let us seek God to heal our souls and transform our hearts. Let us pray that our eyes and our ears might “be open” to His workings, words, and promptings in our lives.

**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](mailto: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.**

**CUSTODIAN:** Our parish is actively looking to hire a **full-time custodian**. If you are aware of someone who is interested, kindly have them contact our parish office and obtain a job description and requirements. All Archdiocesan employees participate in the **benefits plan**. We very much appreciate your help in finding the right person.

**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

**THE BOOK IS ALSO AVAILABLE IN THE RELIGIOUS ARTICLE BOOTH**



**GENERAL MEETING:** Tuesday September 17. Mass at 7 meeting to follow with *pizza* and *refreshments*

**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.

Your business information will be advertised on professionally designed signs and placed at a tee block for excellent visibility

**Cost is \$150**

**If you are interested please call Paul Power 905 424 1707,**

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

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

**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



**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. Proceeds will go to our parish and to Catholic charities. **Books of bazaar raffle tickets** will be available and ticket returns will be accepted.

**COMPASSIONATE COMMUNITY CARE TRAINING:** Sat. Sept. 21 from 9:30 – 2:00 p.m. at Open to all members at Immaculate Conception in Port Perry. Register through Rita at 905-725-3769.

**COMMUNITY WALK TO END PARTNER VIOLENCE:** Starts 10:00 a.m. Sat. Sept. 21 at Durham Region Headquarters, 605 Rossland Rd. E. in Whitby - in solidarity with survivors, advocating for change and raising crucial funds for organizations dedicated to ending intimate partner violence. To take part or make a donation, contact Nancy at 905-809-0473 or Ann Marie at 905-579-0897.

**BAZAAR RAFFLE TICKETS:** Raffle tickets for our Nov. 9<sup>th</sup> 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.**

1<sup>st</sup> prize - \$500.00 cash

2<sup>nd</sup> prize – 4 Oshawa General hockey tickets

3<sup>rd</sup> prize – "Chez Moi" Spa gift certificate (value: \$100.00)

**SL ShareLife**

<b>PREVIOUS TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 40,468</b>
<b>COLLECTED</b>	<b>\$ 1,089</b>
<b>TOTAL COLLECTED TO DATE:</b>	<b>\$ 41,557</b>
<b>PARISH GOAL:</b>	<b>\$ 66,200</b>
<b>PERCENTAGE COLLECTED OF GOAL</b>	<b>62.8</b>

🌀 Please Pray For All The Sick 🌀

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

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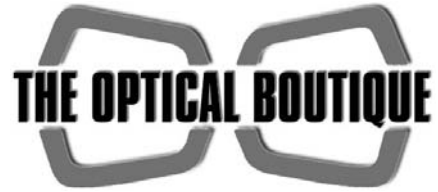
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