
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

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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 Intentions for the Week

Sat Nov 16 5:00 Ted Mizzi req Wife & Family
 Sun Nov 17 9:00 **Multiple Intention Mass**
 Joseph Staresinic
 Anne O'Connor
 Filomena Pastorelli
 Arthur Basil Breen
 Eugenio & Madalena DeCarlo
 Giuseppe & Angela Scanga
 Giuseppe & Santina Palmieri
 Antonio, Angela & Vincenzo DelGatto
 11:00 All Parishioners
 Tues Nov 19 8:30 Arthur James Magill req Ginny & Pat Dolighan
 7:00 Fe Pabilona req St Mary's Knights of Columbus
 Wed Nov 20 8:30 Deceased Tersigni Family Members
 req Tersigni Family
 Thur Nov 21 8:30 **Multiple Intention Mass**
 Justin Soln
 Fe Pabilona
 Arthur James Magill
 Int Fr David Bollo
 Int David Webster
 Int Monaghan Family
 Fri Nov 22 8:30 Adrian & Martina Voets
 req Marjo & Ian McPherson
 Sat Nov 23 8:30 Maria & Gianni Carcich req Nerina
 5:00 Amalia & Domenico Longo
 req Laura & Roy Druce
 Sun Nov 24 9:00 All Parishioners
 11:00 **Multiple Intention Mass**
 Barbara McLean
 Franco Costantini
 Gilda Romano
 Domenico Pettorossi
 Tony Montagano
 Pasquale, Adelina & Domenico Rua
 Living & Deceased Bebek Family Members



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS GENERAL MEETING: Tuesday November 19. Mass intention will be for **Fe Pabilona** the Mother of Fr Joel Pabilona. Mass at 7 followed by the meeting at 7:45

CHRISTMAS DINNER: Saturday December 7. Mass at 5. Cocktails 6 and Dinner at 6:30. Tickets are \$50

For tickets see Colum Wood, Paul Power or Joe Custozza. Tickets must be purchased before December 1st

LIGHT UP FOR CHRIST: Saturday November 30. Mass at 5:00 P.M. followed by the lighting of the outdoor Nativity Scene. Members are encouraged to attend.

JOIN THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Men of St. Mary of the People: Right now is the perfect time to join the Knights of Columbus and help our parish community. From volunteering to fund-raising, to helping spread the gospel, your help is needed. Consider joining the Knights today and change your life forever. Contact Colum Wood 289-404-8952

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

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY: All men of the parish are invited to join a bi-weekly bible study held in the parish boardroom on the 1st and 3rd Saturday's of each month at 10:30 am. The dates for **November are the 2nd and 16th**. Each session takes approximately one hour with refreshments served after. Contact Colum Wood at 289 404 8952 if you require more info, or just drop by. You only need to bring yourself!

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

GLORIA! ST MICHAEL'S CHOIR SCHOOL CHRISTMAS CONCERT AT MASSEY HALL: Saturday, December 14 at 7 PM A magical blend of secular and sacred choral repertoire to usher in this Christmas season. A Toronto holiday tradition, this is the Choir School's 59th annual Christmas concert, packed with exceptional works including Vivaldi's *Gloria*, *Carol of the Bells*, and *The Star Carol*. With close to 300 voices, 5 choirs consisting of students, and alumni, taking the stage, this year's programme is sure to be one of the best yet! Tickets are now available at www.masseyhall.com

MASSES FOR 2024

Please note that Masses for 2024 will be available Wednesday December 4 at 9:00 AM

Registered Parishioners are reminded that only 3 Masses per family will be booked. One on a Sunday and two weekday Masses.

Only Registered parishioners are able to book an announced Mass.

Non-Registered families may request

Multiple Mass Intentions.

RELIGIOUS ARTICLES ROOM

CHRISTMAS CARDS & SAINT JOSEPH SUNDAY MISSALS 2025 NOW AVAILABLE

The Religious Articles Room is open after Saturday Evening and Sunday Morning Masses

PARISH FAMILY
ADVENT MASS
& LIGHT UP FOR CHRIST:

Saturday November 30 Mass at 5PM

**Followed by the Blessing and Lighting
of the outdoor Nativity Scene.**

BOOKS OF LIFE - During the month of November, you will see 2 books at St. Joseph's Altar, our **Parish Book of Life** which contains the names of those who have been buried from our parish since its inception in 1957 and the **CWL Book of Life**, containing the names of St. Mary's council members who have passed away since 1958. **Please do not write in these books.** If you wish to have the names of your deceased friends or relatives remembered this month, write down the names using the envelopes and pencils provided and place them on the altar where they will remain for the month of November.

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.

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

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION: Rite of Enrolment (*this is when the students will receive their blessed crosses*)

For Confirmation candidates - Sunday, November 24th at 11:00am Mass, please bring your Candidate's Letter of Petition

An email will be sent to all of our sacramental families regarding the sacramental preparation classes next year.

We are looking forward to another beautiful sacramental year!

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.



BAZAAR: A SINCERE THANK YOU to all who helped to make last Saturday's **Tree Lights Bazaar** a success. Thanks to Father Joel, Father David and the church staff, to our dedicated bazaar and raffle workers, to the students who helped and to the Knights of Columbus and parishioners who helped with set-up and clean-up. Thanks also to everyone who bought and sold tickets, made donations, baked and contributed to the Tea Room. Proceeds go to our parish and to many charities.

Approximate net profit: **\$8100.00** - Bazaar (\$5900.00) + Raffle (\$2200.00)

RAFFLE WINNERS:

1st prize - \$500.00 – Diana Petre (Whitby)

2nd prize – Hockey tickets – Roberta Szymanowski (Cavan)

3rd prize – Spa gift certificate – Mary Brown (Oshawa)

Special thanks for the following donations:

to CIBC (Rossland and Stevenson) for 4 Oshawa Generals tickets

to Charlene Summers for the Chez Moi Spa gift certificate

to Linda Frost for the home-made quilt

to Pina Lack and Joey Gangemi for the booth prizes

PENNY SALE WINNERS – LIST ON CWL BULLETIN BOARD

CWL CHRISTMAS DINNER: Tues. Dec. 10 in the parish hall following Mass at 6:00 p.m. Dinner will be catered by Sabrina's. **Cost \$30.00. All ladies of the parish are welcome.** We will not be printing tickets. Please provide your name and \$30.00 to any of the following CWL members: Rita Jakym, Joey Gangemi, Ann Marie Whitney, Maureen Webster. For more information, contact Rita at 905-244-8548 or jakyms@rogers.com. **Deadline is Tues. Nov. 26.**

2025 MEMBERSHIPS NOW AVAILABLE: **dues \$40.00** – Members wishing to use the pink envelopes found in the Sunday offering box, **place your name on the envelope, enclose \$40.00** (cash or cheque) and drop it in the collection basket. **New members are always welcome.** For more information contact Joey at 905-576-3386.



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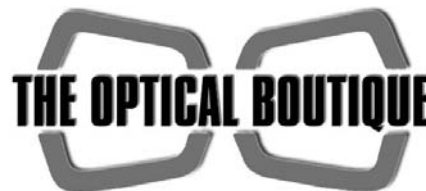
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