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Oct 30, 2022

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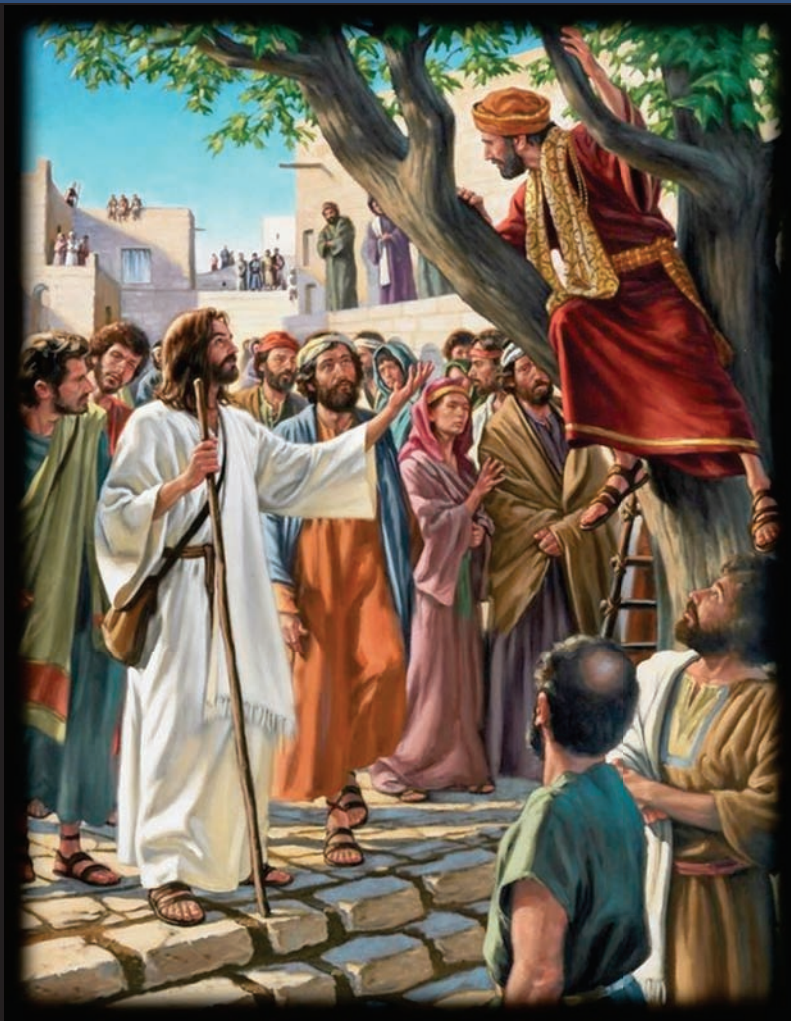
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Seeds of Faith

“Zacchaeus, come down quickly, for today I must stay at your house.”

Luke 19:5

Daily Mass Schedule

Monday to Saturday 9:00am

Fridays 9:00am

Holy Hour 6:00pm

Mass 7:00pm

Adoration Chapel

Monday to Friday 9:30am to 8:00pm

Saturdays 9:30am to 4:00pm

Sunday Eucharist

Saturdays 5:00pm

Sundays 8:00am, 9:30am,

11:00am, 12:30pm and

2:00pm - *Spanish Mass*

Reconciliation

Fridays 6:00pm - 7:00pm

Saturdays 4:00pm - 4:45pm

Parish Schools

St. Mary 905-451-1020

St. Francis Xavier 905-459-0646

St. Kevin 905-450-0571

Bishop F. Allen 905-457-4677

Cardinal Leger S.S. 905-453-2232

Office Hours:

Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays

9:30am to 5:00pm

Tuesdays and Thursdays

9:30am to 8:00pm

Note: Office is closed for lunch
from 1:00pm to 2:00pm

Blessed Sacrament Chapel

Monday to Friday

9:30am to 8:00pm

Saturdays

9:30am to 4:00pm

MASS Intentions

Oct 31st - Nov 06th

Monday - Oct 31st

Ferial

9:00 am - Mass

- Rafael Piovesan †

Tuesday - Nov 01st

All Saints - Solemnity

9:00 am - Mass

Wednesday - Nov 02nd

The Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed (All Souls)

9:00 am - Mass

Thursday - Nov 03rd

St. Martin de Porres

9:00 am - Mass

Friday - Nov 04th

St. Charles Borromeo

9:00 am - Mass

7:00 pm - Mass

Saturday - Nov 05th

Ferial

9:00 am - Mass

- Alex & Elizabeth Stoppa †
- Antonio, Margarita Sampogna & Baby Love †
- Basil & Ken D'Souza †
- Dolores Arcos †
- Leonard Gonca †

Sunday - Nov 07th

Ferial



Let us Pray

For the Sick in our Community

- Alice Howell
- Rose Pereira
- Albina Oliveira

For the Recently Deceased

- Stuart Collinson
- Gail Tiller

Parish Life

All Saints Day and All Souls Day Masses

We will have a 7:00pm evening Mass on November 01st and November 02nd

We remember... We celebrate... We believe...



CONGRATULATIONS!

On Saturday, October 29th, three of our Altar Servers received the "Bishop's Altar Server Award for Service" at Our Lady of the Airways Parish. We offer our sincere thanks and congratulations to Jaral Nathan Lasquite, Franz Santos, and Valeria Aliendres Guruceta.

Congratulations for having been chosen to receive this honour. St. Mary's Parish is truly grateful to our Altar Servers for their dedication and faithful service.

Knights of Columbus Coats for Kids

The Knights of Columbus Coats for Kids program is virtual again this year with 46 coats required.

Click [here](#) to register on the Eventbrite platform to purchase a coat for a child in one of our Parish schools.

The K of C will be collecting the coats at all Masses on the weekend of Nov. 12/13.



St. Mary's CWL Annual Raffle and Christmas Bazaar are Back!

Members will be selling raffle tickets after all Sunday Masses on Oct. 29/30. 1st prize is a Queen size Quilt and 2nd prize is \$500 Cash. The draw will take place at the **Bazaar on Saturday, November 12, 2022 from 9:30 am to 2:30pm**

Prayer and Life Workshops

Every Tuesday starting November 01st from 7:00pm to 9:00pm in the Sullivan Room

St. Mary's Parish will be hosting the Prayer and Life Workshops. A series of 15 sessions in which participants learn and deepen skills in the art of prayer. Learn how to overcome anxieties through healing and reconciliation, acceptance and surrender resulting in peace and serenity. It is a transformative experience as you develop a deeper relationship with GOD. You will learn to establish daily prayer habits with scriptures and over a dozen different prayer methods. Learn life tools that move you closer to living like Jesus and your commitment to the Church.



Workshop is free of charge. Materials have a total cost of \$15.00

For more information, please contact Monica at monicablenkhorn@gmail.com or 416-878-1696

First Reconciliation & First Communion and Confirmation Registrations

Please visit our website to register your child.

<https://stmarysbr.archtoronto.org>



Thank You for your Offering!
Oct 23rd, 2022 Regular Collection
\$8,492.10

Parish Life

2023 Sunday Missals Available for Sale



The 2023 Sunday Missals are now available at the **Religious Articles Store**. The price is \$7.00 and we operate on a **CASH ONLY** basis. The Store is open after the Saturday evening and all Sunday Masses (closed on holiday weekends). Also available are Advent candles, wreaths, and calendars. Christmas cards are coming soon. While you are there, **why not pick up a few tickets on the beautiful quilt that some lucky person will own on Nov. 12!!**

Misales en Español del Año 2023 Disponibles a la Venta

Empezando este **Domingo, 23 de Octubre**, Los Misales en Español del 2023 van a estar a la venta **en la entrada de la Iglesia despues de la Santa Misa de las 2:00pm**.

El Costo por Misal es de **\$10.00**

Para Misales en Ingles, por favor acercarse a la tienda de Articulos Religiosos.

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

Let's start building our new Atrium! This is an exciting time! Together, we can create a special space for our children to learn about Jesus, and His teachings, through prayer and parables. To do so, we need your help! Wondering how? Here is a list of items we need; you can purchase NEW items and drop them off at the parish office.

1. Colored pencils
2. Two sets of large crayons (for the youngest children)
3. Two watercolor sets
4. Plain pencils
5. Manual sharpeners
6. Rulers
7. Scissors
8. Two or three pasting sets (including paste, brushes, pasting mats)
9. Whole sheets of parchment (or special quality paper)
10. Papers:
 - Plain white
 - 8.5 inches x 8.5 inches tracing paper
 - Colored construction paper
11. Large Folders for each child to store their atrium paper works and a "file box" 0
12. Basket in which to keep the folders
13. ½ Sheets of parchment paper
14. Felt calligraphy pens, pencils, rulers, good quality
15. Collage basket of border pieces and a pasting set
16. Simple pre-bordered (black and white design) sheets

Calling All Altar Servers

Have you received First Communion and thought of volunteering? Then Altar Serving is for you!



We will be having an Altar Servers Information Workshop for those who are currently serving and those who wish to start serving now.

Where: St. Mary's Parish

When: Saturday, November 19, 2022

Time: 10:00am to 12:00noon (Pizza and pop will be served at the end of the meeting)

If you are interested in joining our Altar Servers group, please reach out to our coordinator Jacqueline at the following e-mail: jax1498@hotmail.com.

Altar Servers have always played an important role in the celebration of the Eucharist. They are a very special group of young people in our parish who have answered God's call to server at the Altar.

Is God calling you to be an Altar Server? Then please say YES, and join us in our upcoming Information Workshop.

Llamando a Todos los Monaguillos

¿Has recibido la Primera Comunión y has pensado en ser voluntario(a)? ¡Entonces servir en el Altar es para ti!



Tendremos un Taller de información para Monaguillos, los que están actualmente sirviendo y aquellos que desean comenzar a servir ahora.

Lugar: Iglesia Sta. Maria

Día: Sabado 19 de Noviembre del 2022

Hora: 10:00am a 12:00pm (Se ofrecerá pizza y refrescos al terminar el taller)

Si estás interesado(a) en unirse a nuestro grupo de Monaguillos, comunícate con nuestra coordinadora Jacqueline al siguiente correo electrónico: jax1498@hotmail.com.

Los Monaguillos siempre han jugado un papel importante en la celebración de la Eucaristía. Son un grupo muy especial de jóvenes en nuestra parroquia que han respondido al llamado de Dios para servir en el Altar.

¿Te está llamando Dios a ser Monaguillo? Entonces, di SÍ y únete a nosotros en nuestro próximo Taller Informativo.

Calling all Young Adults!

St. Mary's Parish is running a young adults ministry for ages 19-39

They meet bi-weekly holding faith studies, discussion, socials, and a monthly outing. If you're looking for a young adult community in which you can relate with others, learn how to strengthen and practise our Catholic faith together. Please email stmarys.youngadults2020@gmail.com to get more information and learn how to get involved.



Around our Church and our Community

Eucharistic Miracles of the World Exhibit

**Saturday, November 12, 2022
from 12:00pm to 6:00pm and
Sunday, November 13, 2022
from 8:00am to 1:00pm**

Guardian Angels Parish 10630 Creditview Rd. Brampton

Please join the Guardian Angels Parish as they host the Vatican approved Eucharistic Miracles of the World Exhibit. The exhibit, which was designed and created by Blessed Carlo Acutis, features panels that each tell the story of a Eucharistic miracle and allow you to “virtually visit” the places where the miracles took place.

Phone: 905-970-9175

Website: [Guardian Angels Parish, Brampton](#)

Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of the Cape at St. Anthony of Padua Parish in Brampton Saturday, November 5 – 8 a.m. to 9 p.m.

*St. Anthony of Padua Parish
940 North Park Dr., Brampton*

Join the parish community of St. Anthony of Padua’s Parish in welcoming the Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of the Cape all the way from the National Shrine in Quebec on Saturday, November 5 from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. Join us as we venerate Our Lady of the Cape, Patroness of Canada, Queen of intercessors and of the Holy Rosary, Mother of God and our mother.

Contact the parish for more information.

PHONE: 905-793-8030

EMAIL: padua@on.aibn.com

WEBSITE: <http://stanthonypadua.ca>



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Women suffering the loss of a child from abortion need support. If this is your pain, or the grief of someone you know, consider the upcoming Project Rachel retreat at **St. Mary of Egypt Refuge, November 4-6, 2022.**

For more information, contact us through our **confidential phone line at 289-691-6840, e-mail us at ProjectRachel@stmarysrefuge.org**, or visit www.stmarysrefuge.org/rachel.



Office of Vocations Re: Come & See - Weekend Retreat November 18 - 20 St. Augustine’s Seminary

The Office of Vocations will be hosting a Come & See Weekend Retreat for men 18 years and older at St. Augustine’s Seminary on Friday, November 18 (6:30 p.m.) until Sunday, November 20 (2 p.m.).

This retreat offers a way for men to discern a possible call to priesthood at our seminary.

Registration must be done online at www.vocationstoronto.ca/comeandsee.

For more information, please email: vocations@archtoronto.org.

Poster: <https://bit.ly/ComeAndSeeRetreatPoster>



Revitalization of our Faith Speaker Series

St. Anne’s Church in Brampton is presenting Gabrielle Earnshaw for their annual Revitalization of our Faith Speaker Series.

Ms. Earnshaw is a writer, editor, speaker, and independent scholar on the work of Fr. Henri Nouwen.

Her talk “What Matters Most: An Introduction to the Spirituality of Henri Nouwen” will be given at **St. Anne’s Church, 115 Vodden St. E. in Brampton on Tuesday, November 8, 2022, at 7:00 pm.**

There is no charge, and all are welcome to attend.

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Religious Education and Faith Formation



All Souls Day

November 2 - Commemoration

The early Church prays for the Church in Purgatory in hope of a reunion in Heaven

Every country has a civic feast day dedicated to soldiers who died for the nation. Every country has a tomb of the unknown soldier where an honor guard stands solemnly erect near an unnamed hero whose grave represents all the unknowns who never walked off the ship to hug their wife, who never met their parents at the airport and drove home. All Souls Day is like such Memorial Days and Tombs of the Unknown. Because of the Church's ancient pedigree, timeless customs, and unmatched role in shaping cultures, it is more apt to say, though, that civic customs and ceremonies imitate the Church's practice rather than the opposite. The Feast of All Souls is the Catholic Memorial Day. Today the Church commemorates the souls of all the baptized who have died and yet who do not yet enjoy life with God in heaven

All Holy Souls, our prayers and Mass offerings are directed to you this day, in the hope that what we do on earth may benefit your advancement toward a fully divine life in heaven where you may, in turn, pray that we may one day join you there.

[Click Here to Read More](#)

All Souls Day is a Great Time to Talk to Your kids About Death — But How?



All Souls Day on November 2, which follows All Saints Day, is an invitation for all the living and the dead to come together and do three things: give praise to the saints already enjoying the fulfillment of the beatitudes promised by Jesus, to intercede for the souls experiencing the mysterious state we call purgatory, and to pray for the perseverance of those of us who still walk the earth.

[Read More](#)

Short Answers to Big Questions

What is the Eucharist?



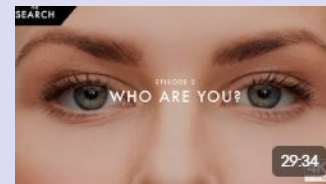
Answers for questions that we may all have, young and old.

Click below to learn more

[Formed for Kids](#)

The Search

Who Are You? | Episode 2



To find clues as to the meaning of life, we first look at ourselves. Who am I? Is there more to me than matter? Is there more to us than meets the eye? We talk with neuroscientists, psychologists, composers, and artists to examine the mystery of you. If you're just a body, then satisfaction in life should come from tending to simple bodily needs.

Fill your stomach, be comfortable. But there's more to you than that. You are material and immaterial. And that unseen part of you craves for so much more. As C.S. Lewis once said, "If we find ourselves with a desire that nothing in this world can satisfy, the most probable explanation is that we were made for another world."

[Watch Formed](#)

Office Schedule

Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays: From 9:30am to 5pm

Tuesdays and Thursdays: From 9:30am to 8pm

Mass Intentions by phone: Please call 905-451-2300
(during office schedule)

Meetings by Appointment Only

Note: During lunch the office will be closed from 1:00pm to 2:00pm

Adoration Chapel

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| Monday to Friday | 9:30am to 8:00pm |
| Saturdays | 9:30am to 4:00pm |

Weekday Mass Schedule

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| Monday to Saturday | 9:00am Mass |
| Friday Evenings | 6:00pm to 7:00pm Holy Hour followed by 7:00pm Mass |

Sunday Mass Schedule

5:00pm Mass (Saturday Vigil Mass)

8:00am Mass

9:30am Mass

11:00am Mass

12:30pm Mass

2:00pm Mass (*Spanish*)

Confession Times

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| Fridays | 6:00pm to 7:00pm |
| Saturdays | 4:00pm to 4:45pm |


Church open for Prayer

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