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Feb 12, 2023

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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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

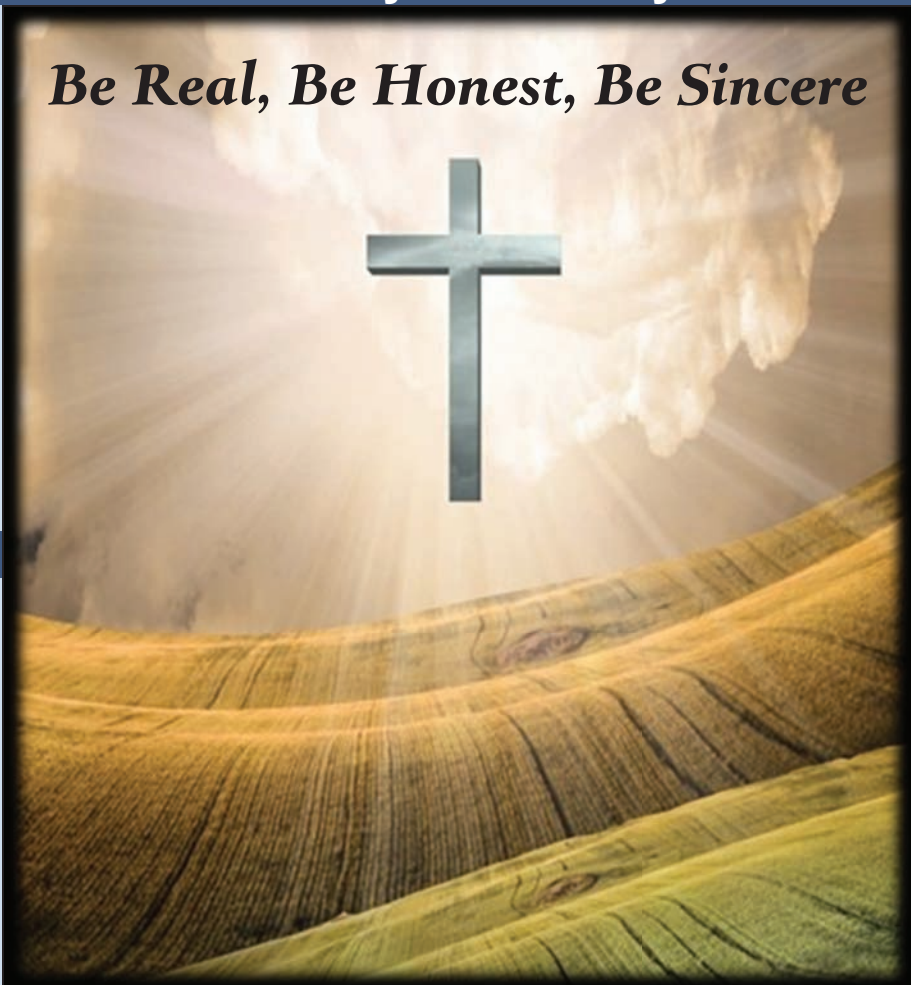
2:00pm - *Spanish Mass*

Reconciliation

Fridays 6:00pm - 6:45pm

Saturdays 4:00pm - 4:45pm

Be Real, Be Honest, Be Sincere



*"I tell you, unless your
righteousness surpasses that of
the scribes and Pharisees, you
will not enter into the Kingdom
of heaven."*

-Matthew 5:20

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Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays

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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

Feb 13th - Feb 19th

Monday - Feb 13th

Ferial

9:00 am - Mass

- Doris Borges †

Tuesday - Feb 14th

Sts. Cyril & Methodius

9:00 am - Mass

- Mary-Ann Noronha †

Wednesday - Feb 15th

Ferial

9:00 am - Mass

- Dorothy & John Weglo †
- Eucharistico Cassar †
- Gertrude D'Cruz †
- Ludvik & Francis Franko †

Thursday - Feb 16th

Ferial

9:00 am - Mass

- CWL Members Living & Deceased

Friday - Feb 17th

Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order

9:00 am - Mass

- Kenneth Dsouza †

7:00 pm - Mass

- Enio Nunnaro †

Saturday - Feb 18th

Ferial

9:00 am - Mass

- Daniel D'Aloisio †
- Jenna Hewitt †
- Mary Maljevac †
- Veronica Gomes (SI)

Sunday - Feb 19th

Ferial



Let us Pray

For the Sick in our Community

- Alice Howell

For the Recently Deceased

- Lynne Gibson
- Fernando Amaro
- Frances Franco
- Philip Rheault
- Davena Cletus

Parish Life

Dear Brothers and Sister,

Last week I started the first of my series on the Eucharist. I reminded us all that what we “Do” at our Sunday Eucharist is basically the same as it was in the early century of the church. I focused on the letter that St. Justin Martyr (155AD) wrote to the Roman Emperor explaining what Christians do on Sundays. He wrote the letter because Christians were being persecuted for false reports that in their gatherings they were drinking of blood and other strange happenings.

This is the pertinent portion of the letter by St. Justin Martyr, that speaks to the WHY the Eucharist was celebrated:

“And we afterwards continually remind each other of these things. And the wealthy among us help the needy; and we always keep together; and for all things wherewith we are supplied, we bless the Maker of all through His Son Jesus Christ, and through the Holy Ghost. And on the day called Sunday, all who live in cities or in the country gather together to one place, and the memoirs of the apostles or the writings of the prophets are read, as long as time permits; then, when the reader has ceased, the president verbally instructs, and exhorts to the imitation of these good things. Then we all rise together and pray, and, as we said before, when our prayer is ended, bread and wine and water are brought, and the president in like manner offers prayers and thanksgivings, according to his ability, and the people assent, saying Amen; and there is a distribution to each, and a participation of that over which thanks has been given, and to those who are absent a portion is sent by the deacons. And they who are well to do, and willing, give what each thinks fit; and what is collected is deposited with the president, who succours the orphans and widows and those who, through sickness or any other cause, are in want, and those who are in bonds and the strangers sojourning among us, and in a word takes care of all who are in need. But Sunday is the day on which we all hold our common assembly, because it is the first day on which God, having wrought a change in the darkness and matter, made the world; and Jesus Christ our Saviour on the same day rose from the dead.”

—St. Justin Martyr

We can clearly identify what we “Do” even now in our Eucharist. Do you see the similarities? In his words above we can identify:

- The reason why we celebrate mass on Sundays to this day.
- “All” gather together for the celebration (i.e. people gathered in homes, then moved to Churches, when the persecution of Christians ended in 313AD).
- Readings were chosen from the apostles (i.e. our New Testament) and from the writings of the prophets (i.e. our Old Testament).
- The “president” (i.e. Priest) would give a verbal instruction (i.e. our Homily)
- People would “rise and pray” (i.e. our Prayers of the Faithful)
- “Bread and wine...” would be brought up (i.e. our Offertory)
- The “president would “offer prayers and thanksgivings” (i.e. i.e. our Eucharistic Prayer)
- The people (i.e. Laity) would “assent, saying Amen” (i.e. our Great Amen)
- “Then there is the distribution of each” (i.e. our Communion rite)
- “A portion is sent...” to those who are absent (i.e. our Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion are sent forth to give communion to our sick and elderly in their homes)
- The collection is taken for the orphans and widows and those in want (i.e. our collection)

As you can clearly see, the mass that St. Justin Martyr celebrated was celebrated almost exactly as we celebrate 2000 years later.

So what we “Do” is what was “Done”. This was so that the what the Lord Jesus Christ commanded us to do, would indeed be “DONE!”.

Blessings,
Fr. Liborio

Feb. 5th, 2023 Collection **\$11,914.85** - *Thank You for your Offering!*

Parish Life



Ash Wednesday - February 22nd Mass Schedule

Ashes will be distributed at every Mass
7:30 am, 9:00 am, 12:00 noon and 7:00pm
This is a day of fasting and abstinence

During Lent, we will have *The Stations of the Cross*
every Friday at 7:30 pm (after the 7:00 pm Mass)

Fellowship Sunday February 18th/19th

Join us after every Sunday Mass in the Parish Hall for
coffee and snacks.
Enjoy a time to share, chat and catch up with fellow
parishioner.

Hope to see you there!



Family Day Holiday

The Parish Office will be closed on
Monday, Feb. 20th for Family Day and
will reopen on Tuesday, Feb. 21st
at the regular scheduled time.

Thank you

Fundraising Walk

The Knights of Columbus will be participating in the
"Coldest Night of the Year" family friendly fundraising walk on **Sat, Feb. 25th at 5:00pm**
in downtown Brampton. All donations will go to Regeneration Outreach Community and the work
they do for the hungry and hurting in Brampton.

To donate or sign up on-line please visit cnoy.org and type 4973 into the search box.
To make a pledge or physically walk with the team please call **Brandon Braga** at (647) 402-9132.



World Day of Prayer - Friday March 3rd at 1:00pm

St. Mary's Catholic Women's League
is hosting this year's "World Day Of Prayer"
It will be held here at **St. Mary's Church**
on **Friday March 3rd at 1:00pm.**



This is an ecumenical service with several downtown churches participating. World Day of Prayer is a worldwide event of Christian women of many traditions who come together each year on the first Friday of March to observe a common day of prayer.

This year the "Women of Taiwan" are featured.
All St. Mary's Parishioners are invited to this event

La RCC Santa Maria te invita a:

Conferencia de Cuaresma

Febrero 18
9:45 am - 12:00 pm

Lugar:
Parroquia de Santa Maria

Impartido por:

 Padre Edgar Romero

 Padre Hernando Olaya

Por eso me retracto y me arrepiento en el polvo y la ceniza.
Job 42:6

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Around Our Church and Our Community



Catholic Women's Conference

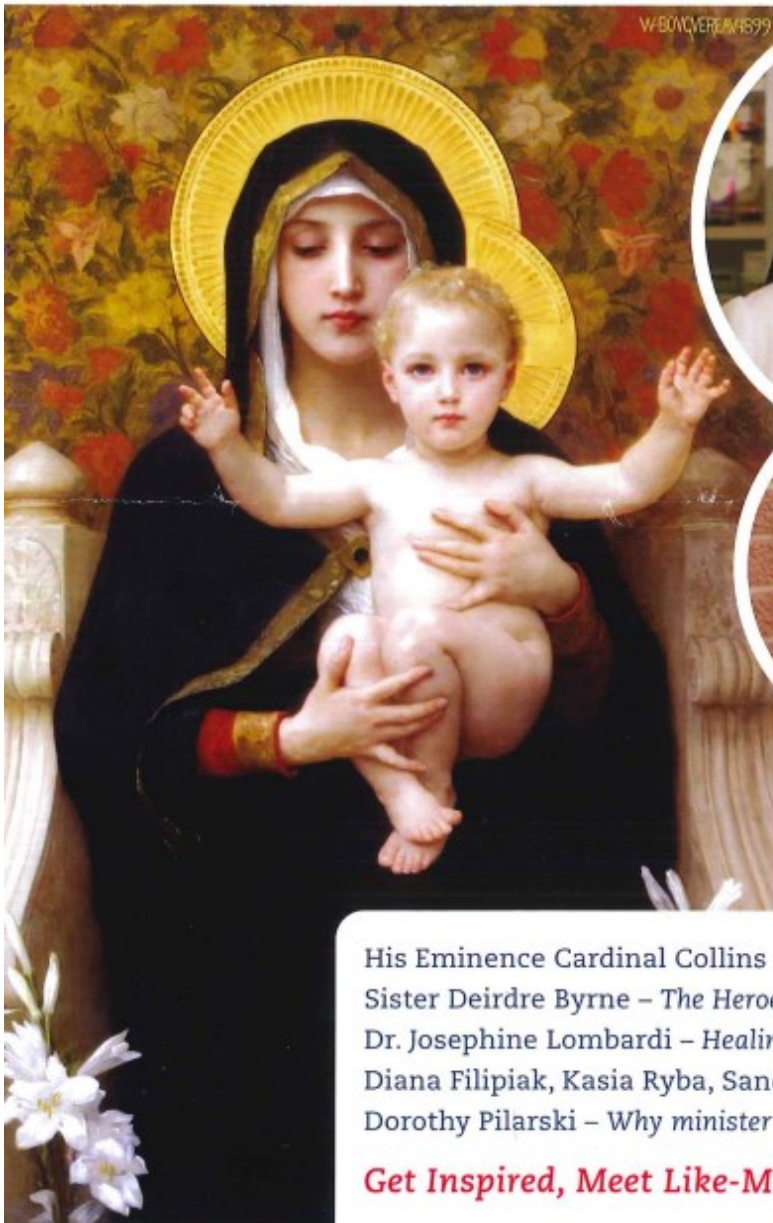
SATURDAY MARCH 25, 2023

LOCATION: The Old Mill (Old Mill Subway Station)

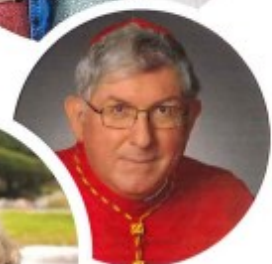
REGISTRATION: 8:00am **TIME:** 9:00am - 4:00pm

For more information call **(416) 907-1042**

Keynote Speaker Sr. Deirdre Byrne is flying in from Washington DC



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His Eminence Cardinal Collins - Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord
Sister Deirdre Byrne - The Heroes of My Life Lead Me to Our Lady
Dr. Josephine Lombardi - Healing and Forgiveness
Diana Filipiak, Kasia Ryba, Sandra Wojcik - Journeying with Mother Mary
Dorothy Pilarski - Why minister to moms? - How to Start a Catholic Moms Group

Get Inspired, Meet Like-Minded Women, Discover Your Mission!

Opening Mass celebrated by His Eminence Cardinal Collins at 9:00 am

EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION \$65 (before Feb. 14) Register at www.dynamicwomenfaith.com



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Religious Education and Faith Formation



Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order

Bonfilius, Alexis, Manettus, Amideus, Hugh, Sostene, and Buonagiunta were seven successful cloth merchants from Florence, Italy. As members of a lay organization dedicated to the Blessed Mother, they were each devout in their faith. Their comradery, centered around their faith, not only united them more

fully to God, but also to each other with a holy bond and a holy mission.

Around the year 1233, it is reported that all seven of these devout men individually experienced an apparition of the Blessed Virgin Mary, calling them to withdraw from the world and to devote themselves entirely to the service of God.

Dearest Founders of the Servite Order, you were called and you responded. You were given direction by Our Lady herself, and you obeyed. From that obedience, God raised up an army of servants who have spent centuries sharing His love and mercy with the world. Pray for me, that I may always obey God's will and seek to serve Him alongside those whom God has placed in my life. Seven Holy Founders, pray for me. Jesus, I trust in You.

[Click Here to Read More](#)

Are You a Child of God?



When we're Baptized, we become adopted sons or daughters of God. We become "children of God". So... does that mean we aren't children of God before that? And if we aren't... what are we?

Today, Fr. Mike explains to us how Baptism makes us "partners in the divine nature", so that we can truly call God our Father.

[Watch Video Here](#)

Marcam Learns About Holy Mass



In this church visit, Marcam meets Fr. Aristotle, who teaches him about different parts of a church, the sanctuary, the importance of the Tabernacle, and prays a Hail Mary!

[Formed for Kids](#)

"The Chosen" Beats "Avatar" on Opening Night



The hit multi-season series on the life of Christ, [The Chosen](#), came to movie theaters with the final two episodes of the third season. While it was a limited release, lasting from February 3rd to 6th, **the results were a massively successful weekend that beat out *Avatar: The Way of Water* on the opening night.** Overall, *The Chosen* ranked #9 for the weekend.

[Read More](#)

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Tuesdays and Thursdays: From 9:30am to 8:00pm

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

Meetings: by Appointment Only

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

Adoration Chapel

Monday to Friday

9:30am to 8:00pm

Saturdays

9:30am to 4:00pm

Weekday Mass Schedule

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

Fridays

6:00pm to 6:45pm

Saturdays

4:00pm to 4:45pm

Church open for Prayer

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