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September 22nd, 2024

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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**Then they came to
Capernaum; and when he was
in the house he asked them,
What were you arguing about
on the way? but they were
silent, for on the way they had
argued with one another who
was the greatest.**

Mark 9:33-34

Daily Mass Schedule

Monday to Saturday 9:00am

Fridays

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

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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 1pm to 2pm

Blessed Sacrament Chapel

Monday to Friday

9:30am to 8:00pm

Saturdays

9:30am to 4:00pm

MASS Intentions

(At time of printing)

Sep 23th – Sep 29th

Monday - Sep 23th

St. Pio Pietrelcina

9:00 am - Mass

- Mary Alves †

Tuesday – Sep 24th

Ferial

9:00 am - Mass

- Deceased of Downy & Johnson Family †

Wednesday - Sep 25th

Ferial

9:00 am - Mass

- Beryl McLaughlin †
- Daniel D'Aloisio †

Thursday - Sep 26th

St. Cosmas & Damian

9:00 am - Mass

- Gerry Boudreau †

Friday - Sep 27th

St. Vincent de Paul

9:00 am - Mass

- Keith & Denver Claremont †

7:00 pm - Mass

- Catherine Folkes †

Saturday - Sep 28th

St. Wenceslaus

9:00 am - Mass

- Chris & Cora Romero (SI)
- Elizabeth & Family (SI)
- Manuel Villanueva †
- Maria Furtado †
- Rose & Dominic Pereira †

Sunday - Sep 29th

St. Michael, Gabriel & Raphael

2:00 pm - Spanish Mass

- Angel Montenegro †



Let us Pray

For the Sick in our Community

For the Recently Deceased

- Hilda Victoria Guzman
- Maria Arminda Floro
- Giuseppina Naccarato
- Leon Libawski

Parish Life



First Reconciliation & First Holy Communion Registration is Now Open

If your child is Baptized Catholic and you would like him/her to receive the Sacrament of the First Reconciliation & First Holy Communion (Grade 2 and up)

Registration is open until Oct 05, 2024

Please register using the following link:

<https://forms.office.com/r/iDF3SeD6N1> or Scan the QR Code.



Parents meeting will be on Thurs Oct. 03 at 7pm or Sat. Oct.05 at 10am in Our Lady of Fatima Room. Please bring a copy of your child's baptismal certificate and the \$50.00 program fee.

Needs of the Church in Canada / Special Collection Sept. 29th, 2024

This annual initiative helps support and assist the bishops in their ministry of accompanying, teaching, guiding, sanctifying and caring for the Church in Canada.

Thank you for your support of this important work.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

If you are interested or feel the call to become a Catholic, please send us an email at stmarysbr@archtoronto.org with your name and phone number

Fr. Peter/Fr. Martin will contact you.

40 days for Life

The beginning of the end of abortion

You are invited to take part in the international '40 Days for Life' campaign.

In our community, the peaceful and prayerful vigil will be held outside the Mississauga Women's Clinic at

101 Queensway Blvd from September 25 - November 3 at 7am - 7pm daily. Please consider joining us in praying for the unborn members of our society whose lives are in danger.

To get more information, or to volunteer, please contact Izabela at mississauga40days@gmail.com or visit our website www.40daysforlife.com/mississauga/

St. Mary's Vigil Date: Thurs., Sept. 26th



PRAYER AND LIFE WORKSHOPS
A New Evangelization

St. Mary's Ladies Retreat

The St. Mary's CWL invites all ladies of the parish to attend a one day retreat on prayer presented by **The Prayer and Life Workshop on Saturday Oct. 26th, 2024.**

The cost for the day, materials and lunch is \$25. Please bring a Bible, a journal for notes and a pen. **Registration: September 18th for CWL members and all Masses September 21st/22nd and October 5th/6th**

Doors open at 8:00am for coffee. Retreat starts at 8:30am to 3:30pm.

St. Mary's CWL Flea Market

The St. Mary's CWL will be hosting the **Fall Flea Market on Saturday September 28th, 9:30 am - 12 noon.**

Donations will be accepted on Wed. Sept.25th and Thu. Sept.26th from 6-7pm and also Friday Sep. 27th from 6-8pm. No items accepted after 8 pm.

Items accepted: gently used clothing, purses, shoes/boots, linens, books, toys, jewellery, Christmas decorations, dishes, and any other household items that you no longer need.

Please ensure that clothing donations are clean. No electronics, large appliances, baby or regular furniture. We are trying to reduce the use of plastic. If you have any bags, please bring them along. Proceeds from this Flea Market will help the CWL to continue to support a student in Kenya, a family in India and other local charities.

All donations are greatly appreciated.

Thank you for your Donation! Sept., 22nd Regular Coll.: \$ 10,263.67

Parish Life

The St. Mary's Youth Volunteer Program

This program provides opportunities for our high school students to complete volunteer hours. This year, we will continue with the program, adding monthly meetings where youth can learn more about their faith and why we give to others. Our first meeting will be on **Saturday, September 21, at 10a.m. at the Parish Hall**. We hope to see you there. The program will provide different activities where student members from our parish can complete volunteer hours.

1. Helping during our Fellowship Sundays
2. Office work - shredding, stapling
3. CWL Flea Market and other activities
4. Garage Cleaning, Parking lot Fundraiser

***Remember to register in our Website or using the link/QR Code**

The pre-requisites for students to be able to participate in this program are:

1. Complete and submit a Volunteer Form/Package to the Parish Office.
2. Attend the monthly meeting.
3. Attend Sunday Mass.
4. Complete Registration Form <https://forms.office.com/r/8RfgKaLQTx>



Flowers to Decorate Our Church this Thanksgiving

We are asking our parishioners to help in our decorations by offering to bring potted flowers for the Church. If you wish to dedicate your flowers to someone who has passed away, please put the name in the pot. **Please drop off your flower pots from Oct 5th - 11th** behind the altar. Thank you for your generosity God Bless.

The Liturgical Decoration Team

Catechesis of The Good Shepherd

Register now for sessions in the Atrium at St. Mary's. Sessions for children aged 3-6 and 6-9 begin on **October 11, 2024 from 5:00 pm to 6:45 pm**.

There is a voluntary donation for the year of \$25.00 per child or \$40.00 per family. For more information or registration please contact Ligiabeachavez@gmail.com. Registration forms can also be found at the back of the Church.

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD: Assistant Formation THE CGS MINISTRY IS IN NEED OF VOLUNTEERS!

*Please consider a call to become an Assistant Catechist. An introduction to this way of catechesis and training for the role of Assistant will be offered on **Saturday, September 21st**, in the Atrium at St. Mary's Parish, from **9:30am - 12:30pm**.*

Through a combination of conversation, and reflections, we will explore the foundations of this internationally recognized, Montessori-based approach to the religious education of children; we will discuss ways of reading scripture with children and of introducing them to the prayers and gestures of the Mass.

To RSVP or for more information, please contact Rosella at: rlucchitti@archtoronto.org

Seminarian Victor Valdes

Last weekend we welcomed seminarian Victor Valdes. Victor is in his 3rd year of theology (9th year of formation) and studies at St. Augustine's Seminary. It is Archbishop Leo's desire that seminarians gain exposure to parish life while they are in formation so that they can grow in their understanding of parish life, and also enjoy the experience of walking in faith with God's holy people. You will have the chance to get to know Victor throughout the Sundays of the coming year (not including the Saturday 5pm Mass).

We are happy welcome Victor to St. Mary's Parish. Please remember to pray for him, and for vocations!

Stewardship Sunday September 22nd, 2024

People need your God-given gifts! Stewardship Sunday, an annual occurrence in the Archdiocese of Toronto, seeks to remind us that God has given us many diverse gifts for the building up of the Kingdom of God in our parish community. To this end, Archbishop Francis Leo has prepared a special homily to help us reflect on how we can use our God-given gifts to serve our neighbour for the glory of God.

To learn more visit: [Archdiocese of Toronto - Stewardship Sunday \(archtoronto.org\)](https://www.archtoronto.org/stewardship-sunday)

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