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January 12th, 2025

Feast of the Baptism of the Lord

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**Lord, I thank You for Your
humble act of Baptism by which
You opened the Heavens to all
who are sinners. May I open my
heart to the unfathomable grace
of my own Baptism each and
every day and more fully live with
You as a child of the Father,
filled with the Holy Spirit.
Jesus, I trust in You.**

My Catholic Life

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

Parish Schools

St. Mary 905-451-1020

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Cardinal Leger S.S. 905-453-2232

Office Hours:

Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays

9:30am to 5:00pm

Tuesdays & 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)

Jan 13th – Jan 19th

Monday - Jan 13th

St. Hilary of Poitiers

9:00 am - Mass

• Carl & Ivo Dalli †

Tuesday – Jan 14th

Ferial

9:00 am - Mass

• Kent Webster †

Wednesday—Jan 15th

Ferial

9:00 am - Mass

• Jhon Daly †
• Charles Banoczy †
• McCauley Family (SI)
• Michael Fenomeno †
• Oswaldo Salazar †

Thursday - Jan 16th

Ferial

9:00 am - Mass

• Gerard McCauley †

Friday - Jan 17th

St. Anthony of Egypt

9:00 am - Mass

• Daniel D'Aloisio †

7:00 pm—Mass

• Maria & Humberto Silva †

Saturday - Jan 18th

Ferial

9:00 am - Mass

• Victoria & Marimpillai Absalom †
• Jose Placido †
• Vuong Mau Trung †
• Theresa & Ashton Vaz Family(SI)

Sunday - Jan 19th

Ferial

2:00 pm - Spanish Mass

• Maria Martinez †



Let us Pray

For the Sick in our Community

For the Recently Deceased

• Quintin Victor Fernandes
• Eduardo Torres Janeiro
• Percival Forde
• Ulisse Nino Fabbri
• Evelyn Castro Harwart
• Joyce Bent

Parish Life



Jubilee Year 2025 “Pilgrim of Hope”

It is with great joy and honor that St. Mary’s Parish has been chosen as one of the eleven designated pilgrim churches for the Jubilee Year of 2025. We are blessed to offer the faithful the opportunity to obtain plenary indulgences, while also serving as a place of hope and spiritual renewal for all who visit. We are privileged to welcome Francis Cardinal Leo, who will preside at a Mass for the Western Pastoral Region on **Wednesday, January 29th at 7:00 pm.** Confessions will be available at 5:30 pm. A Reception to welcome and greet the Cardinal personally will take place in the Parish hall after mass.



All are welcome, hope to see you there!

2025 Sunday Offertory Envelopes are Available Now!

What you should know:

1. Pick up any box at one of the Church’s exits.
2. Commence using your new envelopes on January 1st, 2025.
3. Update your information by filling in the Information Card and your Sunday envelopes for each of the next three Sundays.
4. The number on the box you chose is your new number for the entire year and will be the number used to issue your tax receipt at the end of 2025.
5. **PLEASE** - destroy all envelopes from previous years. As of January 1st you won’t be registered under any other number - only your new 2025 number.



Confirmation Candidates Enrollment Ceremony



Confirmation Candidates, remember to begin your Confirmation preparation program by attending the enrollment ceremony at one of the English Masses this weekend **January 11th / 12th**. You will receive an email in advance with an attachment. Write your name on it and bring it to Mass.

Please also note, the first catechesis meeting will be the following weekend **Saturday January 18th from 10:30 am to 12:30 pm**

Kindly remember to arrive 10 minutes early.

We look forward to seeing all of you.

Knit One / Crochet Too

Ladies of our parish have the opportunity to learn to knit and crochet or improve your skill in a friendly and fun environment. If you are already accomplished in these skills, we welcome you to share your expertise.



Date: **January 23rd** from 9:30 am to 12:00 pm in Our Lady of Fatima room (weather permitting)

Hope to see you there!



Catholic Women’s League Membership 2025

"St. Mary's CWL Membership Drive will take place after all Masses on **January 11/12 & 18/19.** CWL Volunteers will be on hand to provide information. Membership in the Catholic Women's League provides us the opportunity to care for each other through Faith, Service, and Social Justice. It is a wonderful way to develop relationships and friendships with other Catholic women."

Thank you for your Donation

New Year’s - Solemnity of Mary: **\$10,577.30** Jan. 5th Regular Collection: **\$10,472.15**

Parish Life

Fellowship Sunday, This Weekend January 11th / 12th

Join us for fellowship after each Sunday Mass this weekend of **January 11th / 12th**, come meet fellow parishioners or catch up with old friends.

Hope to see you there!



Parish Bulletin Advertising



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St. Mary's Parish is running a young adults ministry for ages 19-39. They meet bi-weekly holding faith studies, socials, and recreational outings that help to foster good friendships and strengthen your Catholic faith. If you are looking for a young adult faith-filled community, to learn how to get involved, please email us at

stmarys.youngadults2020@gmail.com



Annual Week of Prayer for Christian Unity Prayer Service 2025



When: **Sunday, January 19th, 2025, 4 p.m.**

Venue: North City Church (Toronto District Christian High School, Highway 7/Kipling Ave.)
377 Woodbridge Ave., Woodbridge, L4L 2V7 .

Theme: **"Do you believe this?" (John 11:26)**

Join Bishop John A. Boissonneau (Auxiliary Bishop of Toronto) and a wide representation of Christian leaders to pray for the restoration of full visible unity willed by Jesus Christ for His Church. This event is jointly organized by the Office for Promoting Christian Unity and the Greater Toronto Area Council of Christian Churches and celebrates the 1,700th anniversary of the Ecumenical Council of Nicaea.

As John the Baptist introduced the people of his time to Jesus a voice from heaven said, "You are my Son, the Beloved, with you I am well pleased." Perhaps God is calling you to do the same in our time as a priest, deacon or religious. If He is contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

Email: vocations@archtoronto.org

www.vocationstoronto.ca



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