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October 18, 2026

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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The Pharisees went off and plotted how they might entrap him in speech. They sent their disciples to him, with the Herodians, saying, "Teacher, we know that you are a truthful man and that you teach the way of God in accordance with the truth. And you are not concerned with anyone's opinion, for you do not regard a person's status. Tell us, then, what is your opinion: Is it lawful to pay the census tax to Caesar or not?"

Matthew 22:15-17

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

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Bishop F. Allen 905-457-4677

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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



Society of Saint Vincent de Paul

St. Mary's Conference

Telephone no. (289) 302-1037



Mass Intentions

(At time of printing)
Oct 19th - Oct 25th

Monday – Oct 19th

- 9:00am – Mass
• Jose Placido †

Tuesday – Oct 20th

- 9:00am – Mass
• Apolinario & Encarnacion Manuel †

Wednesday – Oct 21th

- 9:00am – Mass
• Aldina Medeiros †
• Clarissa Pinto †
• Souls in Purgatory

Thursday – Oct 22nd

- 9:00am – Mass
• St. Mary's CWL Living and Deceased members †

Friday – Oct 23rd

- 9:00am – Mass
• Daniel D'Aloisio †
7:00pm – Mass
• Mary D'Souza †

Saturday – Oct 24th

- 9:00am – Mass
• Andrzej Kubiak †
• Clarissa Pinto †
• Kimberly & Zahra Noronha (SI)
• Patrick Biley †
• Rita Noriega †
• Souls in Purgatory

Sunday – Oct 25th

- 2:00pm – Mass
• Elsa Gervasi †



Let us Pray

For the Sick in our Community

- Alice Howell
- Virginia Cheesman
- Darek Gorowski
- Rose Madarang
- Mary Greaves
- Janice Musial
- Mary Ellis
- Bozena Gorowska

For the Recently Deceased

- Zelia Bettencourt
- Geoffrey Baxter
- Jean Duffy

Parish Life

Fr. Peter will be away

Fr. Peter will be away for the annual Archdiocesan Priests' Seminar
Monday, October 19th to Thursday, October 22nd.



Fellowship Sunday Oct 17/18

Join us for fellowship after each Sunday Mass this weekend.
Come meet fellow parishioners and catch up with old friends. Thank you to the CWL and Youth Volunteers for hosting.

Hope to see you there!

World Mission Sunday Special Collection Oct 17/18

This Sunday there will be a worldwide collection for the missionary church is our opportunity to assist at-need Catholic Communities globally. Offerings are combines with offerings from other Catholics around the world and distributed to missions and dioceses. We are called to share from our abundance with those less fortunate who lack the basic essential to know, love and praise God. *Thank you for your generosity!*



Catholic Women's League Speaker on Oct 21

The CWL is pleased to welcome Compassionate Community Care (CCC) to speak about their work supporting vulnerable individuals and families through compassionate, non-medical care. CCC provides friendly visits, regular phone and video calls, and companionship for adults 55+ who may be socially or physically isolated. Please join us on **October 21st at 7:00 p.m.** in the Fatima Room to learn more about this valuable community service and how we can help build caring, connected communities. All are welcome! If you are interested in learning more or would like to get involved, please contact the CWL at St. Mary's at stmarycwlbrampton@gmail.com. We look forward to seeing you there.

Volunteers in High-Risk Ministries Annual Update Oct 17/18

The following High-Risk Ministries are required to complete an Annual Offence Declaration OR Police Check. If you have completed your Police Check this year an update is not necessary.

- All Ministry Coordinators and Group Leaders
- Sacristans
- 11:00am & 12:00pm Choir Members
- Exodo 15:2 and Santa Maria Spanish Choirs
- Children's Liturgy of the Word Volunteers
- Collection Counters
- Extraordinary Ministry of Communion Homebound Volunteers
- Spanish Charismatic Group Children's Program Volunteers
- Finance Council Members
- Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Catechists
- All Key Holders
- All Catechists



October is the Month of the Rosary

The Legion of Mary will be Praying the Rosary and Litany of Loretto after the 9:00am Mass and Adoration on **Mondays, October 19th and 26th.**

Please come and join us!



St. Mary's CWL Raffle Ticket Sales

Members will be selling raffle tickets in the Hall after all weekend Masses on **Oct 17/18** and in the Church entrance on **Oct 24/25** at a cost of \$2.00 each

- 1st prize-Queen size Quilt
- 2nd Prize-\$500 Cash



Tip Tap

If you would like to support your parish, simply tap the "tip tap" device located at the main entrance. Right after, scan the QR code with your smart phone and register your payment card to receive an end of year tax receipt for your "tip tap" gift.

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October 11, 2026 Mass Collection: \$11, 215.95

Parish Life

Religious Articles from the Holy Land

This weekend Ray Karborani will be visiting St. Mary's Parish offering beautiful, handcrafted olive wood and religious articles from the Holy Land. Through Saint Savior Church in Jerusalem, proceeds will help our starving brothers and sisters in Jerusalem and Bethlehem, putting food on their tables and supporting their Christian presence in the land of Jesus' birth during this brutal war. Your support through the purchase of these items is a direct way to show solidarity and care for our fellow Christians in need. Accepted methods of payment include Visa, Mastercard, Debit, and Cash.



All Souls' Day Mass – Saturday, November 7, 2026 at 2 p.m.

All Souls' Day, also called The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed, is a day of prayer and remembrance for the Faithful Departed. Through prayer, intercessions, alms and visits to cemeteries, people commemorate their loved ones that have passed.

Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services - Archdiocese of **Toronto** wishes to invite all families to **participate in the All Souls' Day Mass on Saturday, November 7, 2026 at 2 p.m.** All Masses will be held indoors at the following locations:

- Assumption Cemetery, Mississauga – Our Lady of Fatima Mausoleum
- Christ the King Cemetery, Markham – Reception Centre
- Holy Cross Cemetery, Thornhill – Holy Family Mausoleum
- Queen of Heaven Cemetery, Woodbridge – St. Anthony's Mausoleum (Liturgy in Italian and English)
- Resurrection Cemetery, Whitby – Our Lady of the Assumption Mausoleum

More information can be found here: <https://www.catholic-cemeteries.ca/news/all-souls-day-mass/>



Revitalization of our Faith Speaker Series

St. Anne's Church in Brampton is presenting Deacon Robert Kinghorn for their annual Revitalization of our Faith Speaker Series. Deacon Kinghorn is a Toronto-based Catholic deacon, author, and street minister dedicated to serving the poor, homeless, and addicted. His talk "The Church on the Street: Ministry of Presence" will be given at St. Anne's Church, 115 Vodden St. E. in Brampton on Wednesday, **November 11, 2026, at 7:00 pm.** There is no charge, and all are welcome to attend. For more information contact Michael Petric at 289-937-9989

SILENT IGNATIAN WEEKEND RETREAT FOR MEN Oct. 30 – Nov. 1, 2026 with Fr. Dexter Gray, SJ

Life's pressures, uncertainties, and responsibilities can often leave us feeling anxious and restless. This retreat invites men to open their hearts to God's presence, trust His guidance, and see beyond daily challenges to the bigger picture of His purpose and plan. Discover renewed peace, hope, and confidence in the God who walks with us through every season of life.

Location: Manresa Jesuit Spiritual Renewal Centre
2325 Liverpool Road, Pickering, ON L1X 1V4 905-839-2864

Suggested Offering: \$ 280.00 pp This includes your two night's accommodation, meals, retreat program and spiritual direction.

Register online at: manresa-canada.ca

Email: manresaregistration@outlook.com

Who Stands with Persecuted Christians? Red Wednesday 2026 - November 18

On **November 18, 2026**, Canadians are invited to participate in Red Wednesday, led by Aid to the Church in Need (ACN). The initiative began officially in 2016, and has spread to more than 20 countries, uniting communities worldwide in defence of religious freedom. The day remembers Christians who face violence, discrimination, or death for their faith. In Toronto a Mass will be held at 5:30 p.m. at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica where Bishop Vincent Nguyen, Auxiliary Bishop of Toronto will preside. The Cathedral's facade will once again be illuminated in red, a powerful symbol of solidarity. More info: acn-canada.org/red-wednesday or contact Evelyne Lemos at el@acn-canada.org. An ACN Canada initiative with the support of the Archdiocese of Toronto.



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