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**ST. MARY'S**  
CATHOLIC CHURCH



**October 10, 2021**



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St. Louise Food Drive - Oct 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup>

#### **Pastor:**

*Rev. Liborio Amaral*

#### **Associate Pastor:**

*Rev. Feliciano Merchan*

#### **Deacons:**

*Franciscus Sukardi*

*Douglas Asselstine*

## **Welcome and Quick Update**

*Welcome everyone and thank you for your great support*

Thank you to all our parishioners who donated flower pots for our Thanksgiving celebration Masses. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.  
God Bless you and your families! Have a Blessed Thanksgiving!  
– St. Mary's Church and The Liturgical Decoration Team

**St. Louise Food Drive - Oct 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup>**

*Let our Lives be full of both*

**THANKS**

*and*

**GIVING**



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# Faith Formation

## Learning From The Saint

Saint John XXIII, Pope



### A smart, holy priest with a fatherly personality becomes a warm-hearted pope

The first Pope John XXIII was an amoral antipope. He was one of three competing popes between 1409–1417, the confusing, final chapter of the Western Schism whose power struggles and political intrigues tore at the fabric of the Church between 1378–1417. When today's saint was elected Bishop of Rome in 1958, being well versed in church history, he chose the name John XXIII to put to rest forever and always any lingering confusions about the historical status of the first John XXIII.

In October 1958 his accumulated knowledge and experience were placed at the service of the universal Church, when at the age of seventy-six he was elected pope. He surprised the world soon afterward by calling for an Ecumenical Council, the meeting of all the world's bishops that became known as Vatican II. As pope, he published some important social encyclicals, waded into the dawning theological debates of the Council, and then died in 1963, after reigning for only four and a half years.

[Learn More](#)

## Kids Pick of the Week



### The Good Samaritan

In this episode, The Good Samaritan, we learn how working on a project together can teach us the value of each individual.



[Click to Pray the Rosary](#)

[Español](#)

Register for FREE to watch Picks of the Week & More :

1. Click on the link
2. Register using your email (Create New Account)
3. Enter St. Mary's Church, Brampton
4. Access Code: **8b36b3**

MOVIE  
TIME

[Español](#)

## Pick of the Week

### Soledad: Foundress of the Sister Servants of Mary

"This new movie tells the inspiring story of the beginnings of the Sister Servants of Mary, a religious order that was founded in Madrid, Spain in 1851 by Fr. Miguel Martinez and Sister Maria Soledad who guided it in its development and expansion until her death in 1887.

The new order was dedicated to serving the sick, especially in their own homes. It was a providential foundation because Spain at the time was devastated by epidemics, revolutions, the fierce massacre of religious, and by politics which were constantly opposed to the teachings of Christ and his Church.

Mother Soledad was like an expert pilot, who directed the course of the new ...



[Español](#)

MOVIE  
TIME

*"Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; his love endures forever"*

- 1 Chronicles 16:34

## Bible Verses

*"Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus." - 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18*

*"Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus." - Philippians 4:6-7*



## Vatican News:

True freedom flows from the Cross of Christ

Christian freedom is the gift of God based on the truth of Jesus, who revealed the depth of God's love in His supreme sacrifice on the Cross. This freedom is the way to happiness, Pope Francis said in his General Audience of 6 October at the Vatican's Paul VI Hall

### Slavery of sin

However, Christian freedom, as St. Paul explains to the Galatians, is a gift. The Apostle of the Gentiles feels pained at seeing Christians who...

### Truth that frees

The teaching of St. Paul on freedom, the Pope continues, is in line with what Jesus says in John's Gospel: "If you continue in my word, you are truly my disciples, and you will know..."

### Freedom is a gift of love

According to Pope Francis, freedom is a gift from the Lord as it is the fruit of...

### Journey of truth and freedom

The second pillar of freedom, the Pope explains, is the truth of faith, which is...

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Pope expresses shame for Church's failure to confront abuse

### Sadness and grief

"I wish to express to the victims my sadness and grief at the trauma they have suffered," the Pope said in remarks to French-speaking pilgrims and visitors.

And he expressed his own shame, "at the Church's too long failure" to place victims at the centre of its concerns. Pope Francis assured them of his prayers.

He encouraged the French Bishops and religious superiors "to continue to make every effort so that similar tragedies will not be repeated."



[Learn More](#)

# Live Your Faith

## The Bible in a Year with Fr. Mike Schmitz



New Podcast  
From Fr. Mike Schmitz, featuring  
Jeff Cavins: *The Bible In A Year*

If you've struggled to read the Bible, this podcast is for you.

Ascension's Bible in a Year Podcast, hosted by Fr. Mike Schmitz and featuring Jeff Cavins, guides Catholics through the Bible in 365 daily episodes (you can start any day of the year) Each 20-25 minute episode includes:

◆ two to three scripture readings ◆ a reflection from Fr. Mike Schmitz and ◆ guided prayer to help you hear God's voice in his Word.



Unlike any other Bible podcast, Ascension's Bible in a Year Podcast for Catholics follows a reading plan inspired by the Great Adventure BibleTimeline® learning system, a groundbreaking approach to understanding Salvation History developed by renowned Catholic Bible teacher Jeff Cavins.

*"Become familiar with the Bible so that it can be your compass pointing out the road to follow."* - Pope Benedict XVI

[Register](#)

*"Small yet strong in the love of God, like St. Francis of Assisi, all of us, as Christians, are called to watch over and protect the fragile world in which we live, and all its peoples."* - Pope Francis

### Prayer in Time of COVID

Gracious God, you who are the author of all life, and who desire the well-being of all people, during these dark days of COVID-19, increase in us, respect and reverence for all human life.

Grant restored health to the sick, comfort and hope to the dying, eternal peace for those who have died, strength to family members, relatives, clergy, friends and volunteers, renewed energy to hospital workers, PSWs, nurses and doctors, and perseverance to all in the health care professions.

Grant wisdom to scientists for the development of effective and moral vaccines, discernment and right judgment for legislators, aid to the discouraged, poor and vulnerable, courage and justice for front-line workers and all who risk their lives for the benefit of others, and keep always in our minds the vision of the true common good of all the world.

We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

- Bishop Robert Kasun, CSB

### 3 minute Prayer Retreat



Letting God In

*LORD, you have probed me, you know me: you know when I sit and stand; you understand my thoughts from afar. My travels and my rest you mark; with all my ways you are familiar.*

- Psalm 139:1-3

[English](#)

[Español](#)

### Spirituality of Thanksgiving

Dr. Tim Gray discusses the spirituality of thanksgiving and its centrality to the Christian life.

*"I will praise you with all my heart, O Lord my God: I will proclaim your greatness forever.*

*How great is your constant love for me!"*

- Psalms 86:12-13

[Podcast](#)

### Happy Thanksgiving - Word on Fire



Bishop Barron explains, all of these biblical feasts demonstrate what God intends for each one of us: to unite us in peaceful, life-giving, holy, and eternal communion with Himself and with one another as faithful people. He intends to share a meal with us—a meal that will draw us deeper and deeper into Himself and will satisfy our ultimate hunger.

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### The Chris Stefanick Show — Mark Bauman

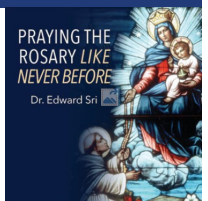


Contrary to popular belief, Jesus did not say, **"I came to make them boring."** He wants us to live life to the full. Dive into the heart and soul of what it means to be Catholic with Chris Stefanick and his guests.

[Podcast](#)

### Praying the Rosary Like Never Before

Dr. Edward Sri is a nationally sought Catholic speaker who appears regularly on EWTN and is a founding leader of FOCUS (Fellowship of Catholic University Students). In this Lighthouse Talk, Sri discusses the main tenets of his book, *The New Rosary in Scripture: Biblical Insights on Praying the Twenty Mysteries (Servant Books)*. Dr. Sri shares Pope St. John Paul II's practical strategies for praying the Rosary better so you can encounter Jesus more deeply in prayer.



PRAYING THE  
ROSARY LIKE  
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# SCATTERED SEEDS

## Pray for Vocations



If we really believe in something, it does not seem to be a sacrifice to give up everything else to pursue that new dream. Jesus asks the same as any great leader...total dedication; but **He promises rewards no one else can promise. "You will have treasure in Heaven, then come, follow Me."**

Come, follow the call of Christ as a priest, sister, brother or deacon. If you think God is calling you to one of these, **call Fr. Matt McCarthy**, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

Email: [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org) [www.vocationstoronto.ca](http://www.vocationstoronto.ca)

## Birthright Brampton Urgently Needs

Birthright Brampton urgently needs **winter clothes for children** (new or gently used) for **both boys and girls. Sizes 2 and 3.**

If you are able to donate, **please contact us** at 905-874-0607.



**On behalf of our moms, thank you for your generosity!**

## St. Louise Food Drive - Oct 16<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup>

4th Moira Ste. Marie Memorial Lecture Series - Virtual Via Zoom



The Knights of Columbus is hosting a food drive for St. Louise, at St. Mary's on October 16-17 weekend

The Knights will collect donations outside St. Mary's Church after each Mass, during that weekend.

[What do bring - Click Here](#)

**Date:** Oct 20, 2021 at 7:00 pm

**Time:** 7:00pm to 9:00pm

Click Here [to Register](#) Click Here [for Flyer](#)



**The Deadline for Registration is October 12<sup>th</sup>, 2021**

You will receive via email the zoom dial-in information along with the program by 16<sup>th</sup> October 2021.

**For inquiries**, please e-mail: [ant\\_dsouza@hotmail.com](mailto:ant_dsouza@hotmail.com)

## Virtual/Online Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience

**Discover the possibilities of a marriage lived as God intends it**

Join us for a weekend: **October 22-24, 2021**

Live your best life in love! Restore your loving communication with your spouse and rekindle the romance.

The Marriage Encounter experience is a skill-building enrichment program where you, as husband and wife, learn how to be the best couple you can be; a special weekend to spend in ways that normal, daily living tends to inhibit.

**No group discussion.** Based on Catholic values but open to couples of all faiths.

**Rediscover the love in your relationship!**

**Contact:** Marge & Gerard McCauley at [gerard.marge@rogers.com](mailto:gerard.marge@rogers.com) or (905) 792-1925 **Website:** [www.me.org](http://www.me.org)

## The CWL virtual bazaar

Thanks to the parishioners who have already found the time to look at last week's virtual bazaar link! We sold several items and now have some new, seasonal, things listed including fall/Hallowe'en table toppers, cute sweaters for the little ones, and lovely knitted bears and bunnies that were big hits this past Spring! Check out the link here to see some of what's available and remember that our Religious Articles Store is open 3 times each weekend between masses for the opportunity to see the many bazaar items also available there. For more info please email [fern0@rogers.com](mailto:fern0@rogers.com) or call 905-867-7595. Thank you!

[See Items](#)



**\$20.00** Halloween topper 23" X 20"



**\$45.00** Pumpkin/Autumn topper 30"



**\$30.00** each for Bears, **\$25.00** small Bunny, **\$30.00** large Bunny



**\$18.00** hooded child's size 2

## St. Mary's Church

All masses below are private and can be seen via Live-Stream via our YouTube or Facebook channels

**Monday - October 11<sup>th</sup>**

*St. John XXIII, Pope*

**9:00 am - Mass**

**Tuesday - October 12<sup>th</sup>**

*Ferial*

**9:00 am - Mass**

**Wednesday - October 13<sup>th</sup>**

*Ferial*

**9:00 am - Mass**

**Thursday - October 14<sup>th</sup>**

*St. Callistus I, Pope*

**9:00 am - Mass**

**Friday - October 15<sup>th</sup>**

*St. Teresa de Jesus*

**9:00 am - Mass**

**6:00pm to 7:00pm Holy Hour**  
followed by

**7:00pm Mass**

**Saturday - October 16<sup>th</sup>**

*St. Hedwig, St. Margaret M. Alacoque*

**9:00 am - Mass**

**Sunday - October 17<sup>th</sup>**

*St. Ignatius of Antioch*

### LIVESTREAM MASSES

Daily at 9:00am

Sunday Mass in English at 11:00am

Sunday Mass in Spanish at 2:00pm

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### MENTALIDAD ABSURDA

Una bacteria encontrada en Marte significa **VIDA**

Un corazón latiendo en la Tierra no significa **NADA**

Cruzada Nacional contra el Aborto



## FAMILY CORNER



### Family Thanksgiving Rituals

It's not Thanksgiving without my famous Frosted Cranberry Salad

So often it's these family traditions that make the holiday memorable. Rituals, new and old, can move a secular holiday into a sacred space. To gather ideas for my own family, I asked a few friends about how they create space for a spiritual approach to Thanksgiving.

- **Seeing Abundance**
- **Remembering the Labor**
- **Breaking Bread**

[Learn More](#)

### Holy Spirit Necklace

Say the prayer "Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of the faithful and renew the face of the earth." Remind the students to wear the necklace they will be making as a sign to others that they share God's life-giving Spirit. As they care for others, they will be renewing the face of the earth.

[Craft](#)

### 10 Cosas que no Deberías Hacer en Misa

Por el Padre Martin Rodriguez

1. Llegar tarde
2. No apagar tu celular
3. Levantar las manos "Y con tu espíritu"
4. Decir las palabras del sacerdote
5. Decir las oraciones muy rápido
6. Santiguarse constantemente
7. Levantar las manos durante el padre nuestro
8. Desplazarse para dar la paz
9. Saludar en la fila de la comunión
10. Irse antes de que termine la misa o después de la bendición

[Aprenda Más](#)

## Thanksgiving



Most Merciful Lord,  
gathering for this meal  
of thanksgiving  
we offer You, as our Creator,  
our thanks and praise  
You who teach us to love  
without limit  
You who teach us to forgive  
without counting the cost  
You who teach us to give  
without seeking return  
May we honor You through  
our words and actions  
every day, every moment.  
May we worship You through  
our lives with others,  
lived in kindness  
And tender care.

May we fully realize what  
St. Faustina came to know:  
that in our thankfulness,  
true earthly joy resides  
that in Your love for us we  
find the heavenly harvest  
that strengthens our souls,  
until we reside in You forever.  
Praise and glory to You,  
Merciful Lord,  
now and forever.  
Amen.

[Learn More](#)

### Religious Article Store IS OPEN!

*Please enter via the Parish Hall entrance.*

- ◆ **After the Saturday 5 p.m. mass until 6:25 p.m.**
- ◆ **After the Sunday 8 a.m. mass until 9:25 a.m.**
- ◆ **After the Sunday 11 a.m. mass until 12:25 p.m.**

We have a good selection of religious gifts and cards for all occasions, including First Communion. Our volunteers will be happy to help you.

**Please wear your mask and follow physical distancing.**

*Thank You for your Offering!*

**October 3, 2021 Regular Collection**  
**\$9,456.00**

## Office Schedule

**Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:30am to 8:00pm**

**Mass Intentions** by phone. Please call 905-451-2300  
during the office schedule

**(Meetings by Appointment Only)**

## Church Open for Prayer

<b>Monday to Friday</b>	<b>8:00am to 8:00pm</b>
<b>Saturdays</b>	<b>8:00am to 4:00pm</b>

## Weekday Mass Schedule

<b>Monday to Saturday</b>	<b>9:00am Mass</b>
<b>Friday Evenings</b>	<b>6:00pm to 7:00pm Holy Hour followed by 7:00pm Mass</b>

## Sunday Mass Schedule

**5:00pm Mass**

**6:30pm Mass**

**8:00am Mass**

**9:30am Mass**

**11:00am Mass**

**12:30pm Mass**

**2:00pm Mass (*Spanish*)**

The Church <b>will be open 30 min</b> before each Mass	<b>REGISTRATION is REQUIRED</b> through Eventbrite Visit our Parish website to register or call the parish office for support
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## Confession Times

<b>Fridays</b>	<b>6:00pm to 6:45pm</b>
<b>Saturdays</b>	<b>9:45am to 11:00am</b>

## *Livestream Masses:*

**Daily at 9:00am (*English*)**

**Sundays at 11:00am (*English*)**

**& 2:00pm (*Spanish*)**