

Father Roselle Cyrille R. Azares Deacons: William Carson P.D. Michael Conlin P.D. Anthony Ruta P.D. Timothy Dunlop P.D.

MASSES

Saturday Vigil 5:00 pm (fulfils Sunday obligation) 9:00 am, 11:00 am Sunday 7:30pm

Monday 12:05 noon Tuesday 5:00 pm Wednesday -Friday 12:05 pm Saturday 10:00 am

> **Holy Hour** Friday 11:00 - 12:00 noon in the main church

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 4:30 - 5:00 pm Sundays 30 minutes before each Mass or by appointment

BAPTISM Call to make arrangements

MARRIAGE

Twelve months notice and Marriage Course usually required

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OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday - Friday

9am to 5pm closed from 12 noon to 1:30pm

Blessed Sacrament Chapel open during office hours for prayer and adoration.

PARISH LIFE				
Parish Secretary:			Sandy D'Alessandro	
Custodian:			Jim Lamers	
Choirs	Saturday	5:00pm	Diana Swift	705-527-9999
	Sunday	9:00am	Adele Heins	705-526-8816
	Sunday	11:00am	Denise Tinney	705-322-3239
Finance Council			Pauline Brabant	
Floral Decorations			Katie Goulbourne & Ruth Dusome	
Greeters & Ushers			Liz Gaudet	705-245-0820
Rectory Housekeeper			Katie Goulbourne	
			PARISH GROUPS	
Catholic Women's League			Sandra Morson	705-527-6375
Contemplative Prayer Group			Teresa Marchildon	705-999-1926
Knights of Columbus			Robert Sykes	705-529-6718
Legion of Mary			John Sweeney	705-245-2211

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ST. MARGARET'S CEMETERY

Burials, Plots, Niches, Monuments, Cleanings and all other services email: stmargaretscemetery@rogers.com Stephanie Kulczycki

CHILDREN & YOUTH MINISTRIES

Youth & Family Ministry Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

Marian Prayer Group

St. Vincent de Paul

Children's Liturgy

Bev Main Patricia Stenton **Conrad Stenton** Katie Heffernan

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OTHER SERVICES

Natural Family Planning Humanae Vitae Centre (Linda) Catholic Family Services Huronia Right-to-Life (Michael Vanden Heuvel)

SCHOOLS

Monsignor Castex School 705-526-2831 Sacred Heart School 705-526-0107 St. Theresa's High School 705-526-1311







Please pray for those who have asked for prayers:

Shelley Smith; Stephen Roach; Anne Marie Radko; Anne Marie Calhoun; Dawn Sweeney; Gail LeClair; Brenda Toole; David Desroches; Vincentia Beelan: Corwyn Ophelders; Nadine Adams; Brian McNamara; Yvonne Fielding; Diane Ross; Theresa Murphy;Rita Smith;Christopher Johnson; Donald MacIssac Please pray for our recently deceased relatives & friends Mary-Ann Melville: Peggy Larmand

Our Cemetery



Thank you to all parishioners who help keep our Cemetery beautiful. Winterization has began. Water is no longer available in the cemetery and we will be closing the main gate some time in November. Please remove your summer decorations and consider placing a winter wreath that will withstand winter winds and weather. We would be happy to assist you with monument or plot purchases through the winter before the 2020 rates come into effect next spring.

Thank you from St. Margaret's Cemetery "Serving our community of faith with compassion"

Installation of New Pastor

This weekend, His Excellency Auxiliary Bishop Wayne Kirkpatrick is joining us to celebrate Father Roselle's installation as Pastor of St. Margaret's at the Saturday 5pm mass.

There will be a reception to follow the installation that includes sandwiches, tea, coffee and desert in the parish hall. All are invited !

Meetings/Events for the Week



Life Chain 2019 Every year in Canada alone, more than 100,000 babies are aborted because we have no law putting any restriction at all on this practice. For more than 20 years now, many hundreds of thousands of good people from communities all over North America have stood up at the Annual Life Chain event in quiet, prayerful protest against abortion. Please lend your support and join them and your fellow Christians on:

Sunday, October 6th at 2:00 PM for a silent hour of prayer and witness at Hugel Ave and Hwy 93

Please plan to arrive 15 minutes early at the Canadian Tire parking lot to receive your sign and join in the opening prayer. For more information call Mike Vandenheuvel at 705-533-3028



A membership drive for the CWL will take place on Saturday and Sunday October 12 and 13th at all masses. CWL members will be handing out brochures that explain the League's goals and objectives, at the church entrances. For more information speak to members or call Sandra Morson at 705-527-6375.

The next CWL meeting will be on **Tuesday Oct. 15th at 7:00 pm.**

All ladies of the parish are invited to join us. Our guest speaker will share the mission and work of the St. Vincent de Paul in our parish and community. The CWL, in thanksgiving for our many blessings, are having a food drive to help stock the St Vincent de Paul pantry.

Preparing for Confirmation Preparing for First Communion

St. Margaret's begins our busy season of preparing children for the reception of the Sacraments.

First Communion:

Should you have a child born in 2012 or later that would like to prepare for First Reconciliation (Confession) and First Holy Communion this year, we invite you to join us for an information meeting for parents.

Confirmation:

Should you have a child born in 2007 or later that would like to prepare for Confirmation this year, we invite you to join us for an information meeting for parents.

Parents' Sacramental Information Meeting First Holy Communion or Confirmation

St. Margaret's Parish

Wednesday October 9, 2019 at 6:00pm Participation in the meeting is essential. We require that you attend the information meeting as details will be provided regarding registration, future gatherings and preparation for the celebration of First Communion or Confirmation.

Children are NOT required to attend this meeting. ** School aged children who are not baptized, or baptized in another faith, are also welcome to prepare for baptism or reception in to the Catholic Church along with the other sacraments.

25th Anniversary of the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd in Simcoe County

1994-1999 1999 – present St Patrick's, Perkinsfield St. Margaret's, Midland

Sunday, October 27, 2019 at St. Margaret's Parish Mass, followed by a reception in the parish hall To find out how you can participate in the anniversary celebration, for a tour of the atrium, or to register for fall atrium sessions please contact Patricia Stenton @<u>705 956-0632</u> or e-mail <u>patricia.stenton@gmail.com</u>

Celebrate Your Marriage with a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend!

Celebrate your love and take a fresh look at your marriage! Spend a very special weekend together. A Weekend of discovery...a lifetime of love! Worldwide Marriage Encounter is a weekend getaway that helps married couples rediscover themselves as individuals and as a couple. The Weekend format helps couples communicate openly and honestly without group sharing, therapy or marriage counselling.Upcoming Weekend: October 25-27, 2019 - Four Points Sheraton (Argentia Road), Mississauga For more information and application, please go to www.wwme.org or contact: Gerard & Marge McCauley at gerard.marge@rogers.com or (905) 792-1925.



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Sunday September 27, 2019

Offertory \$ 3,896.85* Bishops' Collection \$ 761.35 Building Fund \$157.00

Thank You for your support!



St. Margaret's Children's Liturgy Program has started.

This program is offered a the 9:00 am Mass only and is intended for children who are old enough to attend Junior Kindergarten, up until they make their First Communion. The program begins with the children being called to the back of the church where they join the Opening Procession. Their teacher will lead the children downstairs where they will participate in the Liturgy of the Word using simplified language, discussion and activities. The children will return to their familiers during the Offertory Procession.

This year, we are in need of a few new volunteers to help deliver the program. If you are able to help, please contact Katie Heffernan at <u>herrernankt@gmail.com</u> or the parish office. Anyone volunteering must obtain a Criminal Background Check, with Vulnerable Sector Screening. Also, if you know of any high school students who are interested, this would be a great way to earn some volunteer hours. Thank You.

St. Margaret's EDGE Youth Ministry will this year

Theology of the Body for Teens

Do your tweens & teens in Gr 6, 7 & 8 need answers to critical questions like these?

Who am I? Are there consequences to my actions? What is the difference between love and lust? How do I balance family, friends, school, God, music, TV, internet, texting, etc., in my daily life? How can I discern my vocation to marriage, priesthood, or religious life? How do I deal with bullying, gossip, peer pressure, pornography, divorce, etc.? Can I live my Catholic faith no matter how I messed up in the past? If so, please join us for one of our important

Parent Information Sessions

Save these dates in your calendar so we can share with you the details of this incredible program for young people!

Thursday October 10, 2019 @ 6pm (during our EDGE Social Kick Off – Amazing G-Race)!

**Meetings will be held at St. Margaret Church We also welcome adults to assist in facilitation of the program and the EDGE ministry. For additional information or to discuss this further, please feel free to reach out to Bev Main, Coordinator of Youth and Family Ministry stmargaretsym@gmail.com

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you can imagine Do you know *who* you've been helping through your gift to ShareLife? They are in our community -- maybe sitting next to you in the pew. This past year, over 125,000 individuals have been supported by a ShareLife-funded program *you* made possible. This includes over 63,000 seniors, 9,500 children and youth, and 15,000 people with special needs. Follow ShareLifeCan on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram to discover all the ways, through your gift to [parish name]'s Parish Campaign, you have been living the Gospel by providing for those in need.



Foodbank - Thanksgiving Food Drive In order that we may distribute items in time for Thanksgiving, please drop off donations of food in the baskets at the church entrances

Your generosity is appreciated

