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#### MASSES

Saturday Vigil 5:00 pm  
*(fulfils Sunday obligation)*  
 Sunday 9:00 am, 11:00 am  
 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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### 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	
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### GROUPS

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Legion of Mary	John Sweeney	705-245-2211
Marian Prayer Group	Carmelina Farrugia	705-549-4448
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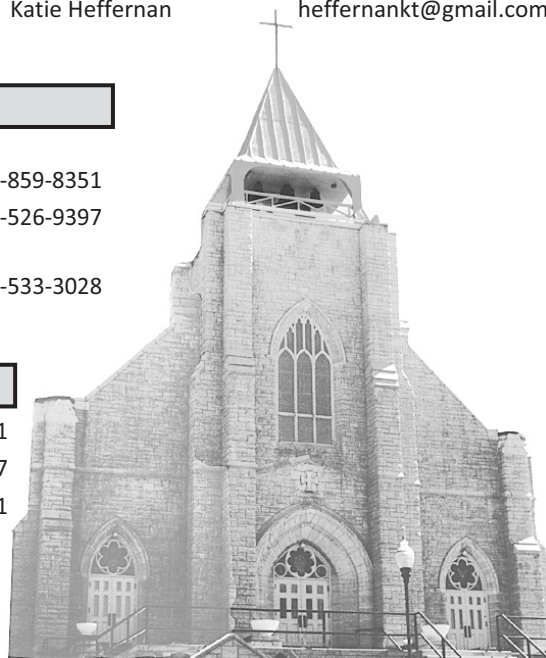
Youth & Family Ministry	Bev Main	
Catechesis of the Good Shepherd	Patricia Stenton	705-956-0632
	Conrad Stenton	705-529-1403
Children's Liturgy	Katie Heffernan	heffernankt@gmail.com

### OTHER SERVICES

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Humanae Vitae Centre (Linda)	905-859-8351
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### SCHOOLS

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



**Mass Intentions**



**for the Week**

**Monday January 20<sup>th</sup>**

12:05 noon + Marie Leduc  
Requested by Doug & Betty Swales

**Tuesday January 21<sup>st</sup> St. Agnes**

5pm + Monty Lalonde  
Requested by Mary Anne, John & Ryan

**Wednesday January 22<sup>nd</sup>**

12:05 noon + Dave Desroches  
Requested by Bruce & Lois Dunn

**Thursday January 23<sup>rd</sup>**

12:05 noon + Bob Whittam  
Requested by Mary Jo Quilty and family

**Friday January 24<sup>th</sup> St. Francis de Sales**

11 am-12 noon Holy Hour  
12:05 noon + Bob Whittam  
Requested by Doug & Betty Swales

**Saturday January 25<sup>th</sup>**

**The Conversion of St. Paul**

10 am Intentions of Adam & Lidia Baran  
45<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary-December 26<sup>th</sup>, 2019

**Third Sunday of Ordinary Time**

**Saturday January 25<sup>th</sup>**

5pm + Anne Faragher  
Vigil Mass Requested by her friends

**Sunday January 26<sup>th</sup>**

9am + Roy Heins  
Requested by John, Cathy, Perry, Kim  
11am Missa Pro Populo  
7:30pm Intentions of Patti Belanger  
Requested by St. Margaret's Bible Study Group

**Meetings/Events for the Week**

**Wednesday January 22<sup>nd</sup>**

**Knights of Columbus – Executive meeting**  
7 pm, St. Joseph's room  
**Life in the Spirit Group Meeting**  
7pm in the parish hall



**Friday January 24<sup>th</sup>**

**Marian Prayer Group**  
After the 12 noon Mass, Canadian Martyrs' room



**Candlemas**

**Sunday February 2<sup>nd</sup>**, the Church celebrates the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord. Forty days after the birth of Jesus, His parents brought the newborn child to the Temple to present Him to God and offer the sacrifice prescribed by the Mosaic Law. Upon entering the temple the Holy family meets Simeon. Simeon had been promised that "he should not see death before he had seen the Lord's Christ" Lk 2:26 In memory of Simeon's canticle acclaiming Jesus as the Light of the people, candles are blessed. Candlelight is like a sword that pierces the darkness with its powerful beam of light & symbol of the vessel of God's power (light) that purifies all it comes in contact with.

**Candle Blessing at the beginning of Mass:**

**Saturday 5pm, Sunday 9am and 11am**

Candles will be available for purchase after Mass or at the office during the week: Box of 2 candles - \$ 6 per box

**Blessing of the Throats - Feast of St. Blaise**

The Feast of St. Blaise is observed on February 3<sup>rd</sup>. St. Margaret's will provide an opportunity for parishioners to have their throats blessed after the 12 noon mass on Monday February 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2020

**Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life**



**On Sunday February 2, the Church celebrates the World Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life.**

On Sunday, February 2, the Church celebrates the World Day for Consecrated Life. In the Archdiocese of Toronto, we are blessed to have living and serving among us more than 900 consecrated men and women. The World Day for Consecrated Life is a wonderful opportunity for us to thank God for the gifts of these sisters, virgins, brothers and priests and to pray for God's blessing upon them in their efforts to faithfully live the evangelical counsels of poverty, chastity and obedience. All are welcome to a special Mass on Sunday, February 2, 2020 at 3 p.m. at St. Paul's Basilica, Toronto in celebration of the vocation and witness of these special men and women, who are such a vital and important part of the life and ministry of the Church in our archdiocese.



**Sanctuary Lamp**

**January 19-25, 2020**

This week the light burns in memory of

***Dorina Ruston***



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is now available on-line at <https://www.ewtn.co.uk/live/adoration>. The live feed comes from the Tyburn Convent in London, England and is transmitted by EWTN. The convent is the home of the Benedictine nuns of Perpetual Adoration. This wonderful service allows anyone to have a holy hour right in their home any time they wish.



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**Sunday January 12, 2020**

Offertory \$ 4,598.25 \* Building Fund \$ 885.00\*  
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## Sacramental Preparation

There is a change in the sacramental preparation programs for First Holy Communion and Confirmation.



### First Communion

- **Please note:** ALL of the Family Faith Formation sessions originally scheduled Sunday afternoons are cancelled.
- If your child is registered for First Holy Communion and he/she missed First Confession, please call the parish office to set up a time for them to make their confession.
- **First Communion Rehearsal** will now be **Saturday April 25<sup>th</sup> at 11am**
- **First Communion:** remains as scheduled **Sunday April 26<sup>th</sup> – 9am**



### Confirmation

- **Please note:** we are unable to continue the Alpha presentations that had been occurring in the schools. We will have 5 sessions that will replace these Alpha presentations that will take place here at St. Margaret's in April. The dates of these sessions at St. Margaret's will be coming soon.
- **Confirmation:** remains as scheduled **Saturday May 30<sup>th</sup> – 5pm**

Parents, you remain the most important people to help your child(ren) prepare to receive the sacraments.

Please continue to attend Sunday mass and pray together as a family.

**Questions:** If you have any questions please email the parish [stmargarets@rogers.com](mailto:stmargarets@rogers.com) or call during office hours Mon-Fri 9-12 & 1:30-5 at 705-526-6313 ext 1

### Prayer Requests

**Please pray for those who have asked for prayers:**

Shelley Smith; Stephen Roach; Anne Marie Radko; Anne Marie Calhoun; Gail LeClair; Brenda Toole; Dawn Sweeney; Vincentia Beelan; Nadine Adams; Rita Smith; Christopher Johnson; Donald MacIssac; Verna Goneau; Steven Laurin; Corwyn Opheders; Oliver Latour; Joe Lalonde;

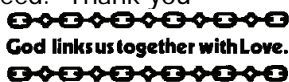
**Please pray for our recently deceased relatives & friends:**

Leonard Dorion; Florence Scherloski; Tony Canzanese; Theresa Murphy; Tom McLaren; Edward Mixemong



**Society of St. Vincent de Paul is need of the following items....**

Beds Complete (mattress, box spring and frame), bedding and dressers. If you have any of these items that are in good shape and you would like to donate to someone in need please call 705-526-7585, leave your name and phone number and someone will call you. We do have volunteers who are able to pick-up your donated items on Thursday mornings if you need. Thank you



Archdiocese of Toronto



Cardinal Collins has designated the weekend of **February 8/9** as Marriage Sunday in the Archdiocese of Toronto.

Marriage Sunday highlights the importance of the sacrament of marriage and complements World Marriage Sunday celebrations that take place across North America.

The Celebration of Marriage Mass will take place **on Sunday, February 9, 2020** at **St. Isaac Jogues Parish** (1148 Finch Avenue, Pickering) at **3:00 p.m.** Cardinal Thomas Collins will preside over this special Mass where all are welcome to attend and married couples will have an opportunity to renew their vows.

Please note that everyone wishing to attend is required to register before the **deadline of February 4, 2020** to secure a seat. All married couples are invited to attend; however, reserved seating will be available **only** for couples celebrating their milestone 25th, 40th, 50th and 60+ wedding anniversaries. Non-reserved seating will be provided on a first-come first-served basis to all other married couples, family members, friends and others attending the Mass (doors open at 2 p.m.).

The event provides an opportunity to honour husbands and wives while saluting the faithfulness, sacrifice and joy that comes with the marriage covenant. To those preparing for marriage, newlyweds and those that have been companions on the journey for decades, we offer our prayers and best wishes in a special way this weekend.

Let us celebrate the tremendous contributions of married couples who continue to strengthen our faith community.



### Bishop Wayne Kirkpatrick, will be the New Bishop of Antigonish, N.S.

On December 18, Pope Francis appointed Bishop Wayne Kirkpatrick as the new bishop of the Diocese of Antigonish, Nova Scotia.

His Excellency will be formally installed as the 10th Bishop of Antigonish in early 2020.

Born in St. Catharines, Ontario, Bishop Kirkpatrick has served the Archdiocese of Toronto faithfully since his appointment as an auxiliary bishop in 2012.

Bishop Kirkpatrick provided pastoral leadership for the Northern Region of the Archdiocese of Toronto. Bishop Wayne has been to St. Margaret's many times and most recently last spring to confer the sacrament of confirmation on the youth of our parish.

Cardinal Thomas Collins, Archbishop of Toronto, expressed his gratitude for Bishop Kirkpatrick's many contributions and pastoral outreach. "We will miss Bishop Kirkpatrick in the Archdiocese of Toronto where he served with joy and faithfulness," said Cardinal Collins.

St. Margaret's joins Cardinal Collins and the faith community in offering our prayers and best wishes to Bishop Kirkpatrick he prepares for his new mission entrusted to him by the Holy Father.

**Congratulations Bishop Wayne**

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