



Pastor:  
 Father Roselle Cyrille R. Azares  
 Deacons: Anthony Ruta P.D.  
 Timothy Dunlop P.D.

**MASSES**

Seating is on a first come first serve basis.

**Weekday Masses:**

Tuesday - Friday 12:05 noon  
 Saturday 10:00 am

**Sunday Masses:**

Saturday Vigil 5:00 pm  
 Sunday 9:00 am  
 11:30 am  
 7:30 pm

**Holy Hour:**

Friday 11:00 am

**Confessions:**

Saturdays 4:30 - 4:55 pm  
 Sundays 8:30 - 8:55 am &  
 11 - 11:25 am

**Baptism:**

Call to make arrangements

**MARRIAGE**

Twelve months notice and Marriage Course usually required

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**OFFICE HOURS**

9:30 am to 4:00 pm closed for lunch from 11:30-12:30 pm

For parishioners to get mass intentions and other items.

Please call 705-526-6313 ext 1 and we will be happy to assist you with your other needs.

**PARISH LIFE**

Parish Secretary	Sandy D'Alessandro
Custodian	Jim Lamers
Choirs	Adele Heins
Saturday 5:00 pm	Adele Heins
Sunday 9:00 am	Diana Swift
Sunday 11:30 am	Pauline Brabant
Finance Council	Katie Goulbourne & Ruth Dusome
Floral Decorations	Shelley LeBoeuf
Greeters & Ushers	Katie Goulbourne
Rectory Housekeeper	

**GROUPS**

Catholic Women's League	Sandra Morson	705-527-6375
Knights of Columbus	Robert Sykes	705-529-6718
Legion of Mary	Lillian Latanville	
Marian Prayer Group	Carmelina Farrugia	705-549-4448
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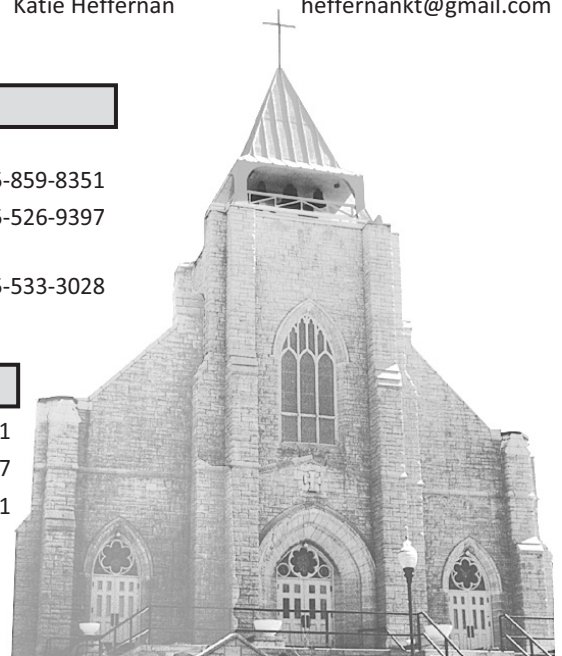
Youth & Family Ministry		
Catechesis of the Good Shepherd	Patricia Stenton	705-956-0632
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Children's Liturgy	Katie Heffernan	heffernankt@gmail.com

**OTHER SERVICES**

Natural Family Planning		
Humanae Vitae Centre (Linda)	905-859-8351	
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**SCHOOLS**

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



## Mass Intentions

### Tuesday November 16

12:05 noon + Mary Jane & Marcus Doucette  
Requested by Joe & Shirley Denis  
7 pm Deceased members of  
Knights of Columbus Laurier Council 2004  
& St. Margaret's Catholic Women's League

### Wednesday November 17 St. Elizabeth of Hungary

12:05 noon + Frank Keenan  
Requested by Theresa

### Thursday November 18

12:05 noon + Julie Belanger Lachance  
Requested by Theresa Laurin

### Friday November 19

11am – **Holy Hour**  
12:05 noon + Theresa Murphy  
Requested by the family

### Saturday November 20

10am + Irene Power  
Requested by Margaret Power

### Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe Christ the King

### Vigil Mass – Saturday November 20

5pm + Ernesto Tinio  
Vigil Mass Requested by Myrna and family

### Sunday November 21

9am + Julie Belanger Lachance  
Requested by the family  
11:30 am + Ronald & Rita Robitaille  
Requested by Prima Robitaille & family  
7:30 pm missa pro populo

### *Prayer Requests:*

Shelley Smith; Anne Marie Radko; Nadine Adams;  
Stephen Roach; Elizabeth; Bernie Gemmell; Jenny;  
Georgette Taylor; Mel Boudreau; Peter Pattenaude;  
Bob Kokron; Florence Carson; Shirley Dower;

#### **Prayers for recently deceased:**

Sandra Gregoire; Ryszard Milewski; Katelyn Beauchamp;  
Ted Percival; Ignatius Daniel "Danny" Gomes;  
Fr. Paul A. Casullo; John DeSousa;

### Sanctuary Lamp November 21-



This lamp burns in memory of  
*Wilf and Marg Hamelin*



### **The Pope's Prayer Intention for November: For People Who Suffer from Depression**

We pray that people who suffer from depression or burn-out will find support and a light that opens them up to life.

## Mass Intentions

### Tuesday November 23

**St. Cecilia**

12:05 noon + Julie Belanger Lachance  
Requested by Carol Diduch

### Wednesday November 24

**St. Andrew Dung-Lac and Companions**

12:05 noon Souls in Purgatory  
Requested by Dolores Maguire

### Thursday November 25

12:05 noon + Julie Belanger Lachance  
Requested by Connie McHugh

### Friday November 26

11am **Holy Hour**  
12:05 noon + John Bourgeois  
Requested by Marg

### Saturday November 27

10am Intentions of Adrienne Alphonse  
Requested by Bob & Corinne Green

### First Sunday of Advent

### Vigil Mass – Saturday November 27

5pm + Deacon Michael Conlin  
Vigil Mass Requested by Donna, Anne Marie & Tony

### Sunday November 28

9am + Raymond Gignac  
Requested by Peter & Marie Lacroix  
11:30 am + Bruce Dunn  
Requested by Lois & family  
7:30 pm missa pro populo



### Christmas Flowers and Church Décor

St. Margaret's is offering you an opportunity to remember your deceased loved ones and friends by making a donation towards the Christmas floral décor. When you make a donation and name you wish remembered that person's name along with all other names will be remembered in mass intentions on Christmas Day. Suggested donation amounts are: \$10, \$15, \$20 which represent the small, medium and large poinsettias. Envelopes are at either entrance the church or bring it to the parish office during office hours. Deadline to order a poinsettia is December 1st.

### Shepherds' Trust Collection November 13/14



For the past 25 years the Shepherds' Trust has cared for the retired priests who always cared for us. On the 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Shepherds' Trust, the retired priests of the Archdiocese of Toronto are grateful for your support. Envelopes are available in box of envelopes or at either entrance to the church. To learn more about the Shepherds' Trust, or to make an on-line donation please visit [www.shepherdstrust.org](http://www.shepherdstrust.org)

## We Re-present, We Celebrate, We Believe

Mark 13: 24-32

For most of us, that Mass is what we see or would like to see, what we experience or would like to experience. Some prefer the Latin mass, others want the holy mass in their mother tongue. Some want a quiet, songless mass; others want to sing every part of the Mass that can be put into notes.

The problem is, everyone thinks that his or hers is the only proper way to celebrate the Liturgy and also, how to receive Holy Communion. For all their importance, there can be blind spots; they can keep us from seeing more deeply into the mystery we all cherish. In the Liturgy, we celebrate the timeless work of redemption – the sacrifice of Jesus our Lord; we proclaim God's wonderful works in the history of salvation. In the case of Holy Communion, we miss Christ.

We just don't read them, we don't just remember them, we re-present them. We make them effectively present in us and in our lives.

In all this a major element is God's word. Year after year, the readings recapture that movement of our salvation.

Last Advent, we re-presented the world's waiting for its Savior. We welcome the Lord as he came to us at Christmas, surprisingly in the form of an infant.

We grew to manhood with him, walked in his footsteps through Galilee and Judea.

We captured his dying-rising through Lent and Easter. His Ascension lifted all of us with him to the Father; his Spirit descended not only on the disciples, but also on each believer. And since Pentecost, we have heard and lived the mission of the Church, her ups and downs, her pride and passion her agony and ecstasy, her ceaseless struggle to grow into the fullness of its Lord.

And now, we reach the end of the Liturgical Year, Next week, the peak, we will crown Christ the King. There, the Liturgy celebrates what will be the high point of creation, when humankind and all it possesses will be subjected to Christ, when He delivers the Kingdom to God the Father after destroying every rule and every authority and power. This Sunday (30th in Ordinary Time), we celebrate the beginning of that end; today we live in anticipation of the end of the world.

Let us affirm Christ's final coming with the intensity of the early Christians, who expected him to return within their lifetime. After the Consecration, let us proclaim with uncommon conviction what we confess to be the mystery of our faith: *We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again.*

But if Christ's coming 'with great joy and glory' is merely a matter of Christian hope, if I can do nothing to hasten or delay it, isn't it quite irrelevant to my day-to-day existence? If you are convinced that 'Christ will come again', that the final moment is the moment to which all

of history, including your own, is marching, that this is the climax of Christian yearning, then you will live in its light. You will become now what you want to be then.

How do we assure that? The significant line here is the command of Jesus at the end of this chapter of St. Mark's gospel: *Keep awake* (13: 37). Let us keep our eyes open for the constant coming of Christ into our lives. He comes to us all the time, each time we gather together, each time his Word is proclaimed to us, each time his Body rests on our palm and tongue. Christ comes to us in each person whose eyes meet ours.

Indeed, it is good to fix our eyes on Christ's final coming *with great power and glory*. Here, after all, is our Christian hope. But it would be tragic if the far horizon blinds us to Christ's daily coming in rags and tatters, as a lonely, joyless, sick person, lost in a strange world that does not seem to care. Hence, after all, is our Christian charity.

Fr. Roselle



We are nearing two years of the COVID19 pandemic and much has changed including the manner in which we have been providing food, shelter, and financial assistance. What hasn't changed is the community needs.

Throughout the year, we have received funding from dedicated donors and charitable foundations allowing us to meet these needs to date. But with Christmas just weeks away, we are particularly concerned that the expectations for assistance may surpass our ability to provide.

Again, we are appealing to you to give if you can by:

- Donating cash or cheque payable to St. Vincent de Paul
- Going on line and donating through Canada Helps.

[www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/society-of-st-vincent-de-paul-saint-marguerets-conference/](http://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/society-of-st-vincent-de-paul-saint-marguerets-conference/)

(note misspelling of name – but that is how the link is)

All financial contributions will provide help, hope and healing to those struggling. Using your donation efficiently is always our goal.

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### St. Mary's CWL Bazaar

November 20, 2021 10am – 2pm

266 Albert Street, Victoria Harbour

Crafts, Gift Items, Penny Sale, Boxed Lunches Available

Mask and proof of vaccination are required

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### 2nd Annual Christmas Market

*"Lux Vitae"*

Friday, November 26 and

Saturday, November 27 6 - 9pm

St. Mary's Church, 65 Amelia Street, Barrie

The candle-lit path invites patrons to come and journey with us as they explore a variety of vendors, listen to live music, enjoy some food and beverages and ultimately end up at our live Nativity scene. Come out and enjoy this exciting event! Invite your friends and neighbours!

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