



Pastor:

Father Roselle Cyrille R. Azares

Deacons: Anthony Ruta P.D.

Timothy Dunlop P.D.

MASSES

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

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

ST. MARGARET'S PARISH

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OFFICE HOURS

Tues-Fri. 9:30 am -4:00pm

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.

FAITH COMMUNITY

Parish Secretary	Juanita Wootton-Radko
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	Carol McBryan
Greeters & Ushers	Katie Goulbourne
Rectory Housekeeper	Richard Kitchen
Parish Custodian	Rosemary Sykes & Katie Goulbourne
Parish Life Committee	Daniel Lucas
Web Admin/Social Media Manager	

GROUPS

Catholic Women's League	Lu Robitaille	705-209-0854
Knights of Columbus	Fred Chamberlain	705-529-2632
St. Vincent de Paul	Food Bank, donations, all inquiries	705-526-7585

ST. MARGARET'S CEMETERY

Rose Ladouceur email: stmargaretsmicemetery@archtoronto.org 705-526-6313 ext. 4
 Burials, Plots, Niches, Monuments, Cleanings and all other services

CHILDREN & YOUTH MINISTRIES

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd	Patricia Stenton	705-956-0632
	Conrad Stenton	705-529-1403
Children's Liturgy	Katie Heffernan	heffernankt@gmail.com

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION FOR CHILDREN

First Holy Communion and First Reconciliation	Cory & Rae-Anne Rousseau
Confirmation	Paula Butineau

OTHER SERVICES

Catholic Family Services	705-726-2503
Hurononia Right-to-Life (Michael Vanden Heuvel)	705-533-3028

SCHOOLS

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





Tuesday, Nov. 12th

St. Josaphat, Bishop and Martyr

12:05pm + Marilyn & Robert Dalton

Requested by Suzette

Wednesday, Nov. 13th

12:05pm + Roy Francis Arbour

Requested by Michele Arbour

Thursday, Nov. 14th

12 :05pm +Arnold Castro

Requested by the Castro family

Friday, Nov. 15th

St. Albert the Great, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

11:00 am Holy Hour

12:05pm + Leola & Philician Robitaille

Requested by Lu & B. Robitaille

Saturday, Nov. 16th

St. Margaret of Scotland; St. Gertrude, Virgin

10:00 am Private Intention

The Thirty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, Nov. 16th

5:00 pm + Anne Marie Radko

Requested by the Wootton-Radko Family

Sunday, Nov. 17th

9:00 am + Stefanac & Petar Janjo

Requested by Kata Macut

11:30 am Mass for the People

First Communion Enrollment

Pope's Prayer Intention for November

For anyone who has lost a child

We pray that all parents who mourn the loss of a son or daughter find support in their community and receive peace and consolation from the Holy Spirit.

Faith and Generosity

In the gospel (Mark 12: 38-44), Jesus commends a poor widow for putting two small coins into the temple treasury. He is struck by the generosity of this woman who is not expected to give away her hard-earned alms, her whole livelihood. He takes her as an example of generosity.

Jesus also observes rich people giving large amounts, but he does not commend them. He gives special attention to the poor widow. Here, Jesus teaches us that God gives importance to the generous heart. It depends on the giver. We may say that the poor widow exaggerates her generosity; she need not give everything. But Jesus sees something else. He does not take offense at her action. Rather for Jesus, she exemplifies generous giving. It is commendable to give from one's need, not from surplus.

The First Reading (1 Kings 17: 10-16) presents an earlier moving story of generosity from another poor widow. The prophet Elijah comes asking her water and food. She responds that she is preparing her last meal. After this, she and her son will die. Yet she accommodates Elijah because he is God-sent, and she believes that God is true in Elijah. The prophet assures her that God will take care of her and her son. He announces that the famine is about to end.

The Second Reading (Hebrews 9: 24-28) does not directly talk about generosity but about the Sacrifice of Christ, the High Priest, offered once and for all for the forgiveness of sins.

Generosity flows from a strong faith.

Grace and peace,

Father R C R A

All Souls Day - Book of Remembrance.

Parishioners are invited to write the names of deceased loved ones in the Book of Remembrance so that they may be remembered in the General Intercessions at the Sunday Masses in November. Names inscribed in previous years need not be entered again. The Book of Remembrance will remain in the sanctuary throughout the entire month of November.

2024-25 First Reconciliation & First Communion Classes

All the sacraments of the church are a celebration and an extension of the Catholic community. If your child is currently in Grade Two, it is time to consider the next steps in their faith journey.

Registration forms for the sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion preparation program are available at the parish office and at stmargaretsmi.archtoronto.org under the "About Us" tab.

Enrollment Mass: Sun. Nov. 17 at 11:30 AM

Registration deadline is Tues. Nov. 19, 2024.

R.C.I.A. ADULT CATECHISM

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA), restored following the Second Vatican Council, is the normative way for adults to prepare for baptism. The program will begin later this fall. This course is also intended for other baptized Christians who are considering entering into full communion with the Catholic Church or those who were baptized Catholic but never confirmed. For more information, please call the office 705-526-6313 ext. 1

Art Exhibit

Please join us in the Canadian Martyrs' Room on Sat. Nov. 16 after the 5 PM Mass and Sun. Nov. 17 after the 9 am and 11:30 am Masses for an art exhibit featuring cross-stitched works by Father Roselle. 2025 fundraising Calendars featuring these works will be available for purchase.

Spaghetti Dinner

The Knights of Columbus are hosting a Spaghetti Dinner on Saturday, Nov. 16th after the 5:00pm Mass. It will be a free will offering. All are welcome!



Upcoming Christmas Bazaars

St. Mary's Christmas Bazaar

Saturday, Nov. 16th 11:00am – 2:00pm

Saturday, Nov. 16th, 2024 from 11:00am to 2:00pm at 266 Albert St. Victoria Harbour. It will include luncheon, raffles, penny sale, mystery bags and bake table. The cost is \$10.00 adults, children 6 – 12 \$4.00. Children under 6 are free. Hope to see you there!!

St. Margaret's Christmas Bazaar

Saturday, Nov. 30th 11:00am – 2:00pm

Gift Baskets, Mystery Bags, luncheon and a bake table. The luncheon cost is \$9.00 Hope to see you there!!

Christmas Flowers and Church Décor

Remember your deceased loved ones and friends by donating towards the Christmas floral décor. Send the name you wish remembered along with your donation to have them included in the Mass intentions on Christmas Day. Suggested donation amounts are: \$15, \$20, \$25 which represents the small, medium and large poinsettias.

Envelopes are at either entrance in the Church or bring it to the Parish Office during Office hours.

The deadline to order a Poinsettia is November 20th, 2024.

Sharing Our Gifts

Parish Givings Report for Sunday

Offertory \$4,577.36

Building Fund \$1,170.58

**Amount includes PAG & Donate Now*

2024 Christmas Giving

St. Vincent de Paul will be providing Christmas support to those in need in our community.



If you are aware of any individual who could use Christmas assistance, there are applications at the church exits.

Completed application forms can be returned at the Parish Hall (please use Church Lane entrance) on Wednesdays from 1 pm to 3 pm, Oct. 2- Nov. 20th. Please provide ID for everyone on the application.

If you have any questions, please call 705-526-7585 and leave a message. Someone will return your call.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please remember the following people in your prayers :

Barb Ledoucer , John Charlebois; Corwyn Ophelders, Grant Robitaille, Geraldine Diamago, Ralph Ladouceur, , Carol Jackson, Carmen Desroches, David Morton, Dan Camp, Elaine Chiasson; Lisa Wright; Judy Martin; Michael Pontze; Frank Whitkins; Bob Dorion; Carol Quesnelle; Barrett Smith; Alex Latondress; Malachy Maguire; Nick Tardif; Lynda Stanek; Mary Fletcher; Sherry Archer; Abigail Brown; Romelda Morson; Nicole Marchildon; Stephen Roach; Lilah Bates; Shelley Smith; Peter Pattenaude; Brenda Bylow; Betty Laurin; John Gunther

Please pray for our recently deceased relatives and friends: Esther McCallum, Claude Vanin

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