



Pastor: Father Roy Roberts  
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**MASSES**

**Weekday Masses:**

Monday - Thursday 9:00 am

**Sunday Masses:**

Saturday 5:00 pm  
 Sunday 9:00 am  
 & 11:00 am

**Confession:**

Saturday 3:30 - 4:00 pm

**Baptism:**

Please contact the Parish Office for a registration form, or visit our website for more information.

**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 11:00 am	Pauline Brabant
Finance Council	
Floral Decorations	
Greeters & Ushers	Carol McBryan
Parish Custodian	Richard Kitchen
Parish Life Committee	Rosemary Sykes
Web Admin/Social Media Manager	Daniel Lucas

**GROUPS**

Catholic Women's League	Lu Robitaille	705-209-0854
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Lyndsey Laurin email: stmargaretsmicemetery@archtoronto.org 705-526-6313 ext. 4  
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**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**

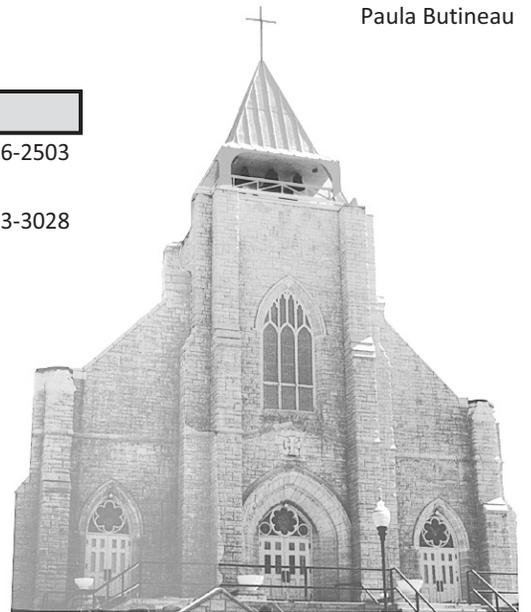
First Holy Communion and First Reconciliation	Cory & Rae-Anne Rousseau
Confirmation	Paula Butineau

**OTHER SERVICES**

Catholic Family Services	705-726-2503
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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, Mar. 2<sup>nd</sup>**

9:00am + Eugenio & Caterina Moscon  
Requested by John Moscon & family

**Tuesday, Mar. 3<sup>rd</sup>**

9:00am + Simone Flaim  
Requested by John Moscon & family

**Wednesday, Mar. 4<sup>th</sup>**

**Saint Casimir**  
**Saints Perpetua and Felicity, Martyrs**  
9:00 am Mass for the People

**Thursday, Mar. 5<sup>th</sup>**

9:00 am Mass for the people

**3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent**

**Saturday, Mar. 7<sup>th</sup>**

5:00pm Mass for the people

**Sunday, Mar. 8<sup>th</sup>**

9:00am Mass for the People  
11:00 am Mass for the People

**Pope's Prayer Intention for  
March**

*For disarmament and peace*

Let us pray that nations move toward effective disarmament, particularly nuclear disarmament, and that world leaders choose the path of dialogue and diplomacy instead of violence.

**Wavelengths**

I have a cousin who grew up just south of the Northwest Territories border in northeast Alberta. It was kind of haphazard about finding him—quirky family dynamics that is too long a story. We have only met in person once when he and his family visited Ontario about a decade ago. There was no doubt he was part of the family lineage – even his warped sense of humour gave him away.

Anyway, we chat every few weeks, usually while he is on the job driving 8 – 16 hours heading somewhere across the Prairies and up into northern British Columbia. He has recently settled in Calgary, or near there anyway. At least once a conversation he will ask when I am flying out to visit. I have other cousins out there that I have never met. I remind him that I went out with my nephew last year and nobody was home! I do love Calgary. The mountain skyline, the proximity to Banff, and most importantly, the remnants of the Olympic venues place it high on my list of favorites. I remember the first time I went there. It was my second vacation, the first being a trip to Florida that I won, so the first place I chose to go to was Banff and skiing. I was an absolute novice at travelling. The Sears travel agent from Sears just handed me my package and wished me well. Unfortunately, she never really explained anything.

I just assumed that when I arrived at my hotel, they would have all my passes for the hills ready, and my room prepared. I got to the desk, and the concierge asked me for the Ski Can voucher for the hotel stay. I didn't have it and I had no idea what she was talking about! Without it, I had no access to the hotel stay. One might say there was no room at the inn. It was a mess. Anyway, I had a VISA card that allowed me to sleep and early next morning I called the travel agent and eventually got everything resolved. I skied the three different resorts there and I had signed up for lessons for three days. It was the best way to meet people which is just not one of my strong suits. I met someone from Atlanta and so as is the Canadian way, I apologized for the Blue Jays beating Atlanta in the World Series. In his most southern of drawls, he said words to live by, "Even a blind squirrel finds an acorn every so often." At the end of the three days, we gathered for a meal. When I got there, I discovered my meal was paid for by my instructor. Part of the ski school tradition there was that if a student beats an instructor in a slalom race, the instructor, as an act of shame, pays for the winner's meal. Since I was the only one to do so, I had a bit of celebrity. I got accolades, the instructor got mercilessly chirped. It was all in good fun. I think that will be as close to an Olympic moment as I will ever have.



*Fr. Roy*

## Stations of the Cross

Please join us every Friday in Lent at 12:30pm for the Stations of the Cross.



### World Day of Prayer

March 6<sup>th</sup> at St. Paul's United Church at 2pm. World Day of Prayer is an interdenominational movement where Christians from over 170

countries come together in spirit, uniting on a common day to pray for relevant issues affecting women and children. This year (2026), the writing committee is WDP Nigeria: "I Will Give You Rest: Come" Matthew 11:28-30

### C.W.L. News

Our next meeting is on Monday, Mar.9th at 1:00pm after the Noon Mass. Hope to see you there!!

### St. Margaret's Cemetery Reminder:

The Cemetery Office is open Tuesday to Thursday from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm, for all your advance End-Of-Life planning needs. To book your appointment with Lyndsey Laurin the Cemetery Operations Manager, Call: 705-526-6313 Ext. 4  
Email: [stmargaretsmicemetery@archtoronto.org](mailto:stmargaretsmicemetery@archtoronto.org)

### St.Patrick's Day Luncheon

**Sat. Mar. 14, 2026 11 am-2 pm St. Mary's, Victoria Harbour**  
St Mary's Women of Faith will be having a St. Patrick's Day Luncheon on Saturday Mar. 14, 2026, from 11a.m. to 2 p.m. at 266 Albert St., Victoria Harbour. It will include a luncheon and bake table. Save the date! The cost is adults \$12 and children 6-12 \$5. Children under 6 are free.

## Sharing Our Gifts

Parish Givings Report for Sunday

Offertory \$3,523.06

*\*Amount includes PAG & Donate Now*



### Parish Potluck Dinner -Sign Up!

Please contact Rosemary Sykes 705-937-0076 or the Parish Office 705-526-6313 with the number of guests and the type of dish you are bringing to share.

## PRAYER REQUESTS

**Please remember the following people in your prayers:** Norah Robitaille, Carol Baker, John Gaudet, Gord Burtch, Kelly Jenkins, Pat Leeson, David Charlebois, Johnathan McCord, Lee-Anne Sanderson, Bruce Latanville, Donna Conlin, Maria Curvas, Antonio Guerra, Alba King, Rachel, Jenna Charlebois, David Boyce, Jenny Brock, Garry Edwards, Jose Mendoza, Lauraine Marshall, Barb Ledoucer, Geraldine Diamago, Ralph Ladouceur, Carol Jackson, Carmen Desroches, David Morton, Dan Camp, Elaine Chiasson, Lisa Wright, Judy Martin, Michael Pontze, Alex Latondress, Malachy Maguire, Nick Tardif, Lynda Stanek, Mary Fletcher, Sherry Archer, Abigail Brown, Romelda Morson, Nicole Marchildon, Lilah Bates, Shelley Smith, Peter Pattenaude

**Please pray for our deceased relatives and friends:** Gerry Juneau

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