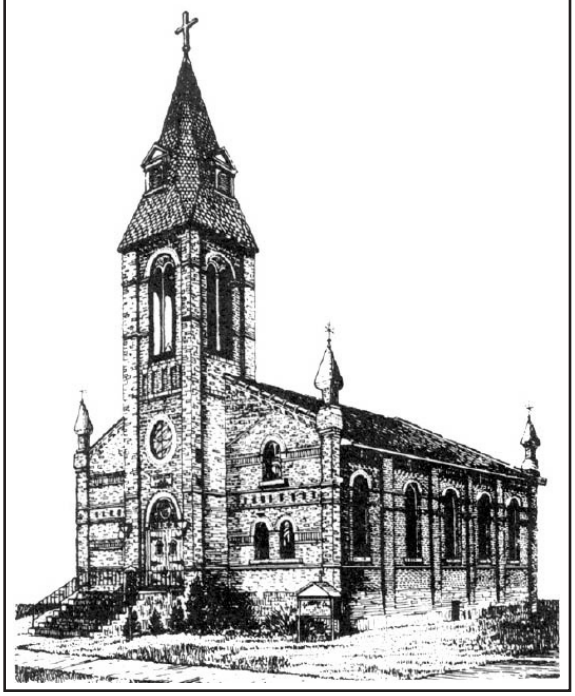
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SUNDAY MASSES
Saturday Vigil: 4:30 p.m.
Sunday: 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES
Tuesday 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 8:30 a.m.

RECONCILIATION
Saturday: 3:30 to 4:00 p.m. or by appointment.
Tuesday 6:30 p.m. to Mass

PARISH OFFICE HOURS
Monday: 11:00 a.m. - 12 noon
1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Tuesday to Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon
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CATHOLIC SCHOOLS IN THE PARISH
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BAPTISMS: Please call the Parish Office.

HOLY COMMUNION FOR SICK, SHUT-INS: Holy Communion is brought regularly to sick and shut-ins. Please notify the rectory.

MARRIAGES: Couples planning to get married must contact a priest one year in advance for an appointment. They must also receive personal preparation for entering marriage. Please do not book the time and place of your reception before your appointment with the priest.
If either party has gone through any form of civil or religious marriage with another person, the priest is not permitted to set a date for the wedding until the Bishop's Office has been consulted.

PARISH REGISTRATION: All parishioners should be registered. Registration cards can be found in the Church foyer or at the parish office. Would you kindly notify the office when you are moving out of the parish.

BULLETIN NOTICES must be received at the parish office by Tuesday at noon. Announcements will appear for no more than two weeks, and should contain only pertinent information. Please be brief.

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647-241-4699

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Tuesday Nov 3rd
6:30pm CONFESSIONS
7:00pm +Jolanta Okon
Requested by Janusz Okon

Wednesday Nov 4th
8:30am +Deceased Members of the Stevens Family
Requested by Elizabeth Ivey
Devotion to our Lady of Perpetual Help

Thursday Nov 5th
8:30am Intentions of Fr. Jerin
Requested by Vija

Friday Nov 6th
7:30am HOLY HOUR
8:30am +Dan Braniff
Requested by Pat Braniff & Family
Intentions of the Tovey & Shackelton Family

Saturday Nov 7th
8:30am For the People
3:30pm CONFESSIONS
4:30pm +Sr. Eileen Power CND
Requested by Dolores & Brian Rae

Sunday Nov 8th
9:00am For the People

11:00am +Antonietta Carlucci
Requested by Antonietta & Domenic Sanfilippo

Please Pray for the Sick

Gordon Norris, Emilie Spence, Clare Bisogno



Please Pray for the Recently Deceased

Dr. Edward Rdzaki

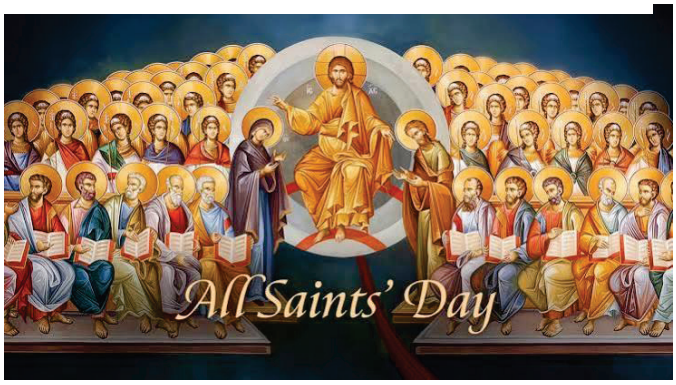


The Sanctuary Lamp Burns
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Nov 1st to Nov 29th



Sunday Oct 25th	
Inc PAG	$4195.50
ShareLife 2026 Goal	$46,000.00
Raised So Far	$33,972.09

NOVEMBER 1ST, 2026
ALL SAINTS DAY



The Meaning and History of All Saints' Day
The **Solemnity of All Saints**, celebrated every **November 1**, is one of the oldest and most profound feasts in the Catholic Church. While we frequently celebrate individual saints throughout the liturgical calendar—such as St. Thérèse, St. Francis, or St. Joseph—this day is set aside to honor **all** the faithful who have successfully run the race of life and are now united with God in heaven.

Who Are the "All" in All Saints?
This solemnity honors the entire triumphant Church in heaven. This includes:
The Canonized Saints: Those officially recognized by the Church for their heroic virtue and public witness.
The "Unsung" Saints: The billions of holy men, women, and children whose names are unknown to the world. These are the holy grandparents, patient parents, quiet neighbors, and hidden souls who lived ordinary lives with extraordinary love.
The Gospel Message: The Beatitudes
The standard Gospel reading for this solemnity is **The Beatitudes** (Matthew 5:1–12). Jesus teaches that the citizens of the Kingdom of Heaven are the poor in spirit, the meek, the merciful, the pure of heart, and the peacemakers. The saints are proof that the Beatitudes are not an impossible ideal, but a real, practical blueprint for human happiness and eternal life.
Ultimately, All Saints' Day is a celebration of hope. It reminds us that **holiness is the universal vocation** of every baptized person. It reassures us that heaven is attainable and invites us to look forward to the day when we will join the endless chorus of praise in God's presence.

MONTHLY MEETINGS

Catholic Women's League – Second Wednesday of the Month from 6:30pm to 8:00pm. All women of the parish welcome. For more information visit our website at COLLCWL.CA

Knights of Columbus 3rd Degree Fr. Lally Council 1st & 3rd Wednesday of the Month – 7:00pm to 9:00pm.
Knights of Columbus 4th Degree – St. Francis Assembly. 4th Wednesday of the month 7:00pm to 9:00pm.

Catholic Mother's Group – This months meeting will be Monday Oct 26th 2:00pm to 3:30pm

Society of St. Vincent de Paul – 3rd Wednesday of the month 1:00pm to 3:00pm.

Church Bulletin Advertising

Liturgical Publications will setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in December 2026 and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 1 800 268 2637

THERE WILL BE A SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND FOR THE BUILDING AND MAINTENANCE. THIS WEEKEND.



Friars Student Writing Contest 2027 (November 3, 2026 - January 11, 2027)

Theme: "*Do not be afraid, little flock, for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom.*" (cf. Luke 12:32).
High school students (ages 13-19 years) in the Catholic School Boards located in the Archdiocese of Toronto are invited to submit a 450–500-word essay and should consult the resources of the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2027 at bit.ly/4yutVEZ. Entries can be submitted at: https://www.catholicregister.org/writingaward. For further information, please contact ecumenicalandinterfaith@archtoronto.org or call (**647) 258-4740**

Help Fill Our Christmas Raffle Baskets!

St. Mary's Catholic Women's League is preparing for our annual Christmas Market on Saturday, November 21, and we warmly invite parishioners to help fill our themed raffle baskets!

We will have sign-up sheets and a lots of the basket themes along with suggested donation items. Simply choose a theme and write your name alongside the item you would like to contribute. Whether you donate one item, several goodies, or a complete basket, every contribution is appreciated!

Donation drop-off weekends:
October 24–25 and October 31–November 1
Location: Church Hall

Please bring new, unused items. Any food donations should be unopened and non-perishable.

Thank you for your generosity and for helping make our Christmas Market a joyful celebration of our parish community!

Christmas Senior Wish *Bags of Love* Campaign

for seniors who reside in long-term care and in the community who would otherwise not receive gifts. St. Mary's will be putting a drop-off box in between the hall and the church for the month of November to support Senior Wish. We will collect up until Nov 25th, so they have time to sort and pack.

- Toothbrush/paste, lotion, deodorant, shampoo/conditioner, body wash.
- Hair accessories – brush, comb, hair clips
- Hats/scarves/mittens
- Puzzle books/adult colouring books/pencils
- Sweets including diabetic treats, cookies, teas, hot chocolate,
- Mugs
- Gifts cards – i.e. Walmart/Giant Tiger (up to $20.00

Memorial Mass

On Thursday, November 26 at 7:00 pm, we will celebrate a Mass for all deceased parishioners between November 2025- October 2026. If you would like your loved to be included, please call the parish office. Or you can write their names in the book at the front of the church. You can also include your relatives who died outside St. Mary's parish.

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