

Twenty-Fourth & Twenty-Fifth Sundays in Ordinary Time

May our Lord Bless you and your families

St. John the Evangelist - Waubaushene
St. Mary of the Assumption - Victoria Harbour
St. Louis Mission - Mt. St. Louis Louis

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Office Hours: Sundays 8 a.m. – 2 p.m./Wednesdays 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Sunday Masses: Saturday 5:00 p.m. St. John's Church
Sunday 9:00 a.m. St. Louis Church
Sunday 10:30 a.m. St. Mary's Church

Weekday Masses:

St. Mary's-Wednesday-10:00 a.m., Friday-10:00 a.m.

Websites

St. John's: <https://stjohntheevangelistwa@archtoronto.org>

St. Mary's: <https://stmarysvi@archtoronto.org>

St. Louis: <https://stlouisvi@archtoronto.org>

Confession: before or after Mass or by appointment

Baptism, Marriage, Sacrament of the Sick: Please call the Rectory

Items in the bulletin by Wednesday, please

Cemeteries: St. Louis-705-739-5868, St. Mary's-705-543-1789, St. John's-Sanderson's-705-326-6131

St. Antoine Daniel Catholic Elementary School - Victoria Harbour - 705-534-3391

St. Theresa's Catholic High School – Midland - 705-526-1311

MASS INTENTIONS – September 14th to September 27th, 2024

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time:

Sat. Sept. 14th - St. John's – 5:00 pm – Livia Santi requested by the Santi Family

Sun. Sept. 15th - St. Louis – 9:00 am – available

Sun. Sept. 15th – St. Mary's – 10:30 am – For the Parishioners

Wed. Sept. 18th - St. Mary's – 10:00 am – **CANCELLED**

Fri. Sept. 20th - St. Mary's – 10:00 am – available

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time:

Sat. Sept. 21st - St. John's – 5:00 pm – Mary & Bill Fenn requested by their Family

Sun. Sept. 22nd – St. Louis – 9:00 am – For the Parishioners

Sun. Sept. 22nd – St. Mary's - 10:30 am – available

Wed. Sept. 25th – St. Mary's – 10:00 am – available

Fri. Sept. 27th – St. Mary's – 10:00 am – available

Masses for the Deceased or for Special Intentions - If you would like a Mass celebrated for your loved one or friend or parish member please use your own envelope or the envelopes at the back of the church. The stipend is \$20.00 for announced masses and \$10.00 for unannounced.

If you require a Mass Card please leave a message at the office (705-538-2353).

Sanctuary Lamp Candle - If would like to donate the Sanctuary Lamp Candle for a week in honour of a loved one you may do so by making a donation of \$10.00 or more, and their name will be put in the bulletin. Just ask me after mass, or drop an envelope, provided at the back of the church, in the collection with the name of your loved one. - *Fr. John*

Sanctuary Candle:

St. John's – available

St. Louis – For the Health of Corie Haggar & Patrick Grist requested by Aunt Ruth Sissons

St. Mary's – available

Offertory (Aug. 31st/Sept. 1st): St. John's- \$497.00, St. Mary's- \$1,080.35,

St. Louis- \$253.00. This includes Pre-Authorized Giving. Thank you.

Offertory (Sept. 7th/8th): St. John's- \$512.00, St. Mary's- \$1,072.00, St. Louis- \$683.00.

This includes Pre-Authorized Giving. Thank you.

Building Fund - September: St. John's- \$215.00, St. Mary's- \$388.00, St. Louis- \$107.00.

This includes Pre-Authorized Giving. Thank you.

Needs of the Canadian Church - September 28th/29th

Building Fund – October 5th/October 6th

Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation – October 5th/October 6th

Novena to Saint Michael the Archangel Patron Saint of the Archdiocese of Toronto – we have included with both the online bulletin and the bulletin at the back of the church, a copy of the Novena to St. Michael the Archangel. On the reverse side you will find the instructions for praying the nine days of the novena (September 20th to 28th) leading up to the **Celebration of the Solemnity of St. Michael on September 29th**.

The Martyrs' Shrine invites you to their Fall Gala September 21, 2024, from 5-10 p.m. at the Brooklea Golf & Country Club in Midland. As we approach the **100th Anniversary** of the Martyrs' Shrine in 2025/26 this event is to help fundraise for the revitalization of the Shrine and property. For more information and to purchase tickets, please go to [Fall Gala 2024 | Martyrs' Shrine \(martyrs-shrine.com\)](https://martyrs-shrine.com). Please see poster at back of church.

Needs of the Church in Canada – Collection – September 28,29, 2024: This annual initiative is an important opportunity for the faithful to actively support and assist the bishops in their ministry of accompanying, teaching, guiding, sanctifying and caring for the Church in Canada. Please support this collection. We thank you in advance for your generosity and continue commitment.

Martyrs' Shrine Healing Mass: Sunday, September 29th at 7:30 p.m., the Feast Day of the Archangels, a special Mass for healing will be celebrated. The evening will begin at 7:00 p.m. with music followed by Mass at 7:30. Following the Mass there will be individual healing prayers. Come to the place where Saints walked and encounter the physical, emotional and spiritual healing Presence of the Holy Spirit.

ShareLife 2024 - Current Totals Contributed:

St. John's	\$4,000.00	Goal is \$4,800.00
St. Louis	\$ 351.00	Goal is \$ 800.00
St. Mary's	\$4,689.75	Goal is \$4,600.00

Congratulations from the ShareLife office to St. Mary's Church on exceeding your 2024 Goal! We can donate to ShareLife throughout the year. It is never too late. There are ShareLife envelopes at the back of each church.

Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation Fund Collection – October 5/6, 2024: Catholics throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto are invited to participate in the collection being held the weekend of October 5/6, 2024 to support the Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation Fund. The collection is part of a national grassroots effort to assist healing and reconciliation with Indigenous Peoples of This Land. The Archdiocese of Toronto has raised almost 50% of its \$6 million pledge with \$2.7 million in funds already allocated to support eight projects that focus on culture and language revitalization, education and community building, healing and reconciliation for communities and dialogue involving Indigenous elders, spiritual leaders and youth.

Let us join together and follow the invitation of the Holy Father for each one of us to become engaged in the healing and reconciliation journey. For more information or to donate online, visit: www.archtoronto.org/healingandreconciliation. Thank you for your generosity.

St. John's –

Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament & Eucharistic Adoration for Vocations takes place at St. Mary's the 1st Friday of the month after the 10:00 a.m. Mass.

St. Mary's Women of Faith will be Praying the Rosary after Mass the 1st Sunday of each month.

GOOD VIBES COFFEE HOUSE - Looking for something to do? The Good Vibes Coffee House invites you to come out and enjoy an afternoon of music and wholesome entertainment, **the 1st Sunday of every month**, 2 p.m. – 5 p.m. at The Hackney Horse Bed & Breakfast - 3267 Penetanguishene Road, Oro-Medonte, L4M 8Y4 (Craighurst) 705-309-1339 on a permanent basis. BRING YOUR SLIPPERS and come out and enjoy, and show your appreciation for musicians from the local community. Your offering of a five dollar donation will help support the venue. Coffee/Tea & Treats are available for a small charge. Website-goodvibescoffeehouse.org

The **Saint Vincent de Paul Food Bank** serves all Tay Township residents in need call 705-956-0022. We are open Wednesday & Friday from 10-11:30 in the basement of St. Mary's Church, Victoria Harbour to register for assistance & pick up your food hampers. We thank our parishioners for their continued support.

Pre-Authorized Giving Plan - Many parishes in our Diocese are offering this plan as a convenience for their parishioners. We are offering it at the request of several of our parishioners. Some find it easier to support their church by having their donation automatically withdrawn from their bank account on the 20th of each month. This also ensures the ongoing support of our church when they are away. Many find this method more convenient as many of us are accustomed to paying our utilities in this manner. You will still have the option of placing your envelopes in the collection basket, especially for special collections. If you are interested in giving in this way there are brochures at the back of the church. To enroll, you must submit the form, in the brochure with your void cheque, before the 10th of the first month in order for your deduction to begin on the 20th of the same month.

Baptisms: A family requesting a baptism is expected to be attending Mass on a regular basis in one of our churches. Please speak to Fr. John after Mass to discuss the Sacrament.

Pastoral References: I am happy to provide Pastoral Reference Letters for those living in the boundaries of our churches and are applying for teaching positions within the Catholic system. It is expected that those seeking a teaching position in the Catholic system are living according to the teachings of the Catholic Church, particularly as it pertains to marriage and that they are practicing their faith by regular attendance at Sunday Mass and being involved in the life of the parish.

~ Fr. John