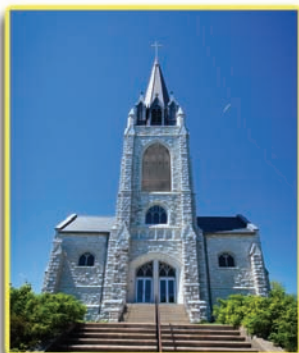


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Guardian Angels

Weekdays 12:10pm
Saturday 9am
Saturday Vigil 5pm
Sunday 9 & 11am



MASS TIMES

St. Andrews
Sunday 9:30am
Sacred Heart
Sunday 8am



St. Francis

Sunday 10am

St. Columbille
Saturday Vigil 7pm
Sunday 11am

CONFESSION TIMES
By Appointment Only

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION
Monday to Friday 8am - 8pm
Spend an hour with our Lord

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS
Please introduce yourself
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ROSARY
Monday - Friday 11:40am
Saturday after the 9am Mass
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Please call the office
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Mon. - Fri. after daily Mass
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Call the office for visits
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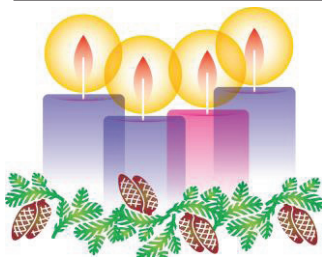


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Mass Intentions

Saturday, December 20

5:00 p.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Carmela Staniscia
 7:00 p.m. St. Columbkille Mass: + Bento & Maria Costa
 7:00 p.m. G.Angels Novena Mass: Cansino-Jenkins Family Int.

Sunday, December 21

Fourth Sunday Of Advent

8:00 a.m. Sacred Heart Mass: 50th Wedding Anniversary
 Intention of Morris & Marie Seaborn
 9:00 a.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Dan & Greta Harrigan
 9:30 a.m. St. Andrew's Mass: + David Hinschberger
 10:00 a.m. St. Francis of Assisi Mass: + Karen Viera
 11:00 a.m. Guardian Angels Mass: People of the Parish
 11:00 a.m. St. Columbkille Mass: + Jim Butler
 7:00 p.m. G.Angels Novena Mass: Ayson-Ventura Family Int.

Monday, December 22

12:10 p.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Ronald Hansford
 7:00 p.m. G. Angels Novena Mass: Gannapao-Reyes Family Int.

Tuesday, December 23

12:10 p.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Fr. Wilf Janisse Int.
 7:00 p.m. G. Angels Novena Mass: Jose-Atanacio Family Int.

Wednesday, December 24 | No 12:10 p.m. Mass

**The Nativity of the Lord,
 Christmas Eve, Wednesday, December 24th
 Carols 25 minutes before Christmas Eve Masses**

6:00 p.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Mike Mallon
 7:00 p.m. St. Andrew's Mass: + Stuart MacNeil
 7:00 p.m. St. Columbkille Mass: + Patrick & Trudie Raftis
 8:00 p.m. St. Francis of Assisi Mass:
 + Michael & Eleanor Duffy & Deceased Family Members
 9:00 p.m. Sacred Heart Mass: + Bill Majury
 9:00 p.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Alan Munro
 12:00 a.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Christian Swales

**The Nativity of the Lord
 Christmas Day, Thursday, December 25th**

9:00 a.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Roberto Barles
 9:30 a.m. St. Andrew's Mass: + Bob & Cecelia Prophet
 9:30 a.m. St. Francis of Assisi Mass:
 + Peter and Patricia McCarthy
 11:00 a.m. St. Columbkille Mass: + Jim Butler
 11:00 a.m. Guardian Angels Mass:
 Intentions of Devon McLaughlin

Friday, December 26 | St. Stephen, the First Martyr

9:00 a.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Bridget Onwuocha

Saturday, December 27 | St. John, Apostle, Evangelist

9:00 a.m. Guardian Angels Mass:
 Intentions of Anne Waggoner
 5:00 p.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Mary Lewis
 7:00 p.m. St. Columbkille Mass: + Josh Fountain

Sunday, December 28

The Holy Family of Jesus Mary and Joseph

8:00 a.m. Sacred Heart Mass: + Mary Fran Brunt
 9:00 a.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Mary Fran Brunt
 9:30 a.m. St. Andrew's Mass:
 + Jim & Philomena Brennan
 10:00 a.m. St. Francis of Assisi Mass: + Ellen Majewski
 11:00 a.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Anita Audet
 11:00 a.m. St. Columbkille Mass: + Jim Butler



Vigil of the Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God, Wednesday, December 31st

Guardian Angels, Orillia

Thanksgiving Adoration: 4:00 p.m.
 Mass: 5:00 p.m.

St. Columbkille, Ramara

Thanksgiving Adoration: 6:00 p.m.
 Mass: 7:00 p.m.

The Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God, Thursday, January 1st, 2026

Sacred Heart, Warminster	8:00 a.m.
St. Andrew's, Brechin	9:30 a.m.
St. Francis of Assisi, Washago	9:30 a.m.
Guardian Angels, Orillia	10:00 a.m.
St. Columbkille, Ramara	11:00 a.m.

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Christmas Novena Masses

Guardian Angels Parish

Join us December 21st, 22nd and 23rd at 7:00 p.m. for Novena Mass at 7:00 p.m. (also following December 23rd Mass) in the church hall for a joyful potluck fellowship! Bring a dish to share and stay for good food, good company, and grateful hearts.



*Thank you dear parishioners
 for your generous contributions
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Christmas Chapel Hours

Please be advised that the chapel **will be closed** Wednesday, December 24th until Friday, January 2nd at 8:00 a.m.

St. Columbkille Parish

What a wonderful parish we are! Thank you for making a beautiful Christmas for two families in our community. It makes Christmas more meaningful when we provide food and gifts for a family having a difficult time at this happy and joyous time. Besides celebrating the birth of our Lord we can celebrate our care for these individuals. Merry Christmas, and may you have peace in 2026!



THANK YOU FROM ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Dear Guardian Angels Family of Churches and Schools. Our thanks to you for all your enthusiastic and generous support of St. Vincent De Paul throughout the year and especially at Christmas. Our community has taken wonderful care of 61 families with children and countless singles and couples in the 2025 Christmas season. Your ongoing care helps to keep food on the table for many in our Orillia community throughout the year. Thank you! Wishing everyone all the best in 2026.

Faith Formation Presents:

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Starting Tuesday, January 6th at 7:00 p.m., join us for an 8 week program that will help you get the “big picture” of the bible from Adam and Eve to Christ and the Church. You will be aided with an easy to use colour coded Bible Timeline Chart that comes with your purchase of the workbook. Using excellent videos, presenter, Jeff Cavens, will show us how to read the bible with understanding. To order your workbook, (cost \$35) call 705-238-2663 or email eannewaggoner@gmail.com. Please order before December 28, 2025 to ensure you have your copy by January 6. An online version is available for \$8.95 cad, by contacting [ascension press.com](http://ascensionpress.com).

Office Holiday Hours

Monday, 22 December	10:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.
Tuesday, 23 December	10:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.
Wednesday, 24 December	10:00 a.m.-Noon p.m.
Thursday, 25 December	Closed
Friday, 26 December	Closed
Monday, 29 December	Closed
Tuesday, 30 December	Closed
Wednesday, 31 December	10:00 a.m.-Noon p.m.

2026

Thursday, 1 January	Closed
Friday, 2 January	Closed

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

As we gather around the manger this Christmas, our hearts are filled with gratitude and joy for the precious gift of Jesus, the Word made flesh who dwells among us. In the quiet of Bethlehem, God’s love broke into the world—not in power or grandeur, but in humility, peace, and tenderness.

This holy season invites us to welcome Christ anew into our hearts, our homes, and our community. May His light dispel the shadows of fear, loneliness, and division, and fill us with hope, compassion, and joy. Let us carry that light to one another—especially to those who are struggling, isolated, or in need of comfort.

To all our parishioners and friends of the Orillia Family of Catholic Churches—Guardian Angels, St. Andrew, St. Columbkille, St. Francis of Assisi, and Sacred Heart—we extend our heartfelt wishes for a blessed and joyful Christmas.

May the peace of the Christ Child reign in your hearts and may the New Year bring you and your loved ones renewed faith, health, and happiness.

With prayerful best wishes, Merry Christmas and a blessed New Year!

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