



St. Mark's Roman Catholic Church

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PASTORAL TEAM

Fr. Michael Hughes - Pastor
Deacon John Schwarzbauer
Deacon Wayne McCulloch

STAFF

Mary Ann Mehes - Administrator
Lisa Baker - Admin. Assistant
Camille Herrera - Youth Minister
Lad Mehes - Custodian
Emy Lomibao-de Asis - Friday Asst.

OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday - Friday
9 am - 3:30 pm
Closed for lunch 12 - 1 pm
CLOSED MONDAYS

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday & Thursday - 7:00 pm
Wednesday & Friday - 8:30 am
(except First Fridays when Mass is at 7 pm)
Saturday - 9:00 am
Statutory Holidays - 9:00 am

SUNDAY EUCHARIST

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

HOLY HOUR

Every Thursday 7:30 pm - 8:30 pm

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Adoration & Benediction
Every Friday 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 9:30 - 10 am
4 - 4:45 pm
(or by appointment)

REGISTRATION FOR WEEKEND MASSES

Registration is required for the Saturday 5 pm, Sunday 9 am and 11 am masses.

Registration for the upcoming weekend, begins on Wednesday at 7 pm. The registration link can be found on our website.

DEVOTIONS

Temporarily Suspended

Recitation of the Rosary
St. Therese of Lisieux Novena
Divine Mercy Chaplet
Mother of Perpetual Help
Prayer

BAPTISM

Please pick up a Baptismal Package from the foyer of the Church. Upon submission of the "Request for Baptism" form, due to COVID-19, please allow 3 to 6 months for an anticipated Baptismal date given only after the parents attend the Preparation Class

MARRIAGE

Couples must contact the parish **one year in advance**. If either party has previously gone through any form of civil or religious marriage no date may be set until the Bishop's office has been consulted.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome. We encourage you to register using the Registration Forms available from the foyer or on our website.

COMMUNION FOR THE SICK AND HOME-BOUND

Suspended due to COVID-19.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please call the Parish Office.

MEMORIAL MASS POLICY

Please see website for policy explanation.

PARISH MINISTRIES

Altar Servers
Altar Society
Children's Liturgy
Counter's Ministry
Edge
Eucharistic Ministers
Finance Committee
Funeral Luncheon Committee
Knights of Columbus
Lectors
Media Stand & Bookstall
Ministry of Hospitality
Parish Council
Parish Music Ministry
Prayer Groups
RCIA
Sacramental Preparation
Squires
St. Vincent de Paul Society
Ushers
Women's Ministry
Youth Ministry

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

St. Mark's School
333 Glad Park Ave.
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PASTORAL REFERENCE LETTERS FOR SCHOOL

As evidence of living one's faith the person requesting a reference must be registered for at least 12 months and genuinely trying to attend Mass every Sunday, as well as supporting the Church, its charities and mission work. Must also have recently volunteered as a Parish Catechist!

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT



Mass Intentions for the Week

Tuesday, March 23rd @ 7 pm

Living and Deceased Members of the Hughes and McConville Families req. by Fr. Michael

† Marie Linney req. by Anna and Peter Gallagher

Wednesday, March 24th @ 9 am (also livestreamed)

† Eileen and Philippe Gauthier req. by Gauthier Family

Thursday, March 25th @ 9 am

† Solemnity of The Annunciation of the Lord

Cheryl McCulloch req. by Wayne McCulloch

Friday, March 26th @ 9 am

Eucharistic Adoration from 9:30 am to 12 noon and Stations of the Cross at 7:30 pm

Pope, Bishops and Priests req. by Fr. Michael

† Pamela Gingras req. by Mike Rozario

Sue Mulcahey req. by Peter Willan

Saturday, March 27th

@ 9 am

† Pat Hughes req. by Fr. Michael

† Don Reid req. by Fr. Michael

† Fortunata Cianflone req. by Quadrini Family

† John & Janie Sayman req. by Paul and Honey

@ 5 pm

† Avelino Caspe req. by Cherry Caspe

Sunday, March 28th

@ 9 am (also livestreamed)

St. Mark Community req. by Fr. Michael

@ 11 am

† Teofilo Zuniga req. by Mendoza Family

Church Office

The Church Office will be open on Tuesdays from 9 am to 3:30 pm and Wednesdays and Thursdays from 9 am to 12 pm. Please make an appointment if you need assistance by calling **905-640-6954 ext. 101** to leave a message or email stmarksoffice@bellnet.ca.

St. Mark's Church will remain open for personal prayer

**Tuesday to Saturday
9:30 am to 4 pm**

Sacrament of Reconciliation



The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available **every Saturday at 9:30 am to 10 am and from 4 pm to 4:45 pm.**

When you arrive, please sign in.



Eucharistic Adoration

Fridays from 9:30 am to 12 noon

We invite parishioners to come and spend some quiet time in Eucharistic Adoration. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will take place each **Friday from 9:30 am to 12 noon ending with Benediction.** Registration is not required to attend Adoration; however, we would like to ensure there are at least two people in the church each hour. Please see the sign-up sheet at the back of the church.

Mass Schedule

Saturday Evening – Mass at 5 pm (registration required)
– Confession from 4 pm to 4:45 pm

Sunday – Mass at 9 am (also livestreamed) and 11 am (registration required)

Monday – No Mass, Church will remain closed unless otherwise announced

Tuesday – Mass at 7 pm

Wednesday – Mass at 9 am (also livestreamed)

Thursday – Mass at 9 am

Friday – Mass at 9 am

– Eucharistic Adoration 9:30 am to 12 noon

Saturday Morning – Mass at 9 am

– Confession from 9:30 am to 10 am

Online Registration (required for

weekend Masses only – Sat 5 pm, Sun 9 am & 11 am)

RESERVE MY SEAT

Please register at www.stmarkstouffville.ca.

The link will be made active every **Wednesday at 7 pm.**

Once you have clicked the registration link, you will be brought to an Eventbrite registration page.

- One registration form can be completed for a family who is attending together and live in the same household.
- For one to two people attending together, choose 1 ticket. For three or more people attending together, choose 2 tickets. Only one person's name needs to be listed on the registration form.

Online registration is not required for Weekday Masses, Confession and Eucharistic Adoration.

GOD is Calling



**God wants to speak to you.
He wants to tell you He loves
you and much more.**

When: Every Day for a few minutes

Where: at your convenience, preferably where it is quiet

How: Use the little prayer guide called

"Treasure in Heaven" to help you pray!

These little booklets are **only \$1** and don't worry- there are no 'long distance charges'!

Pick up a prayer guide today in the foyer of our church!

Answer the call to spend some time in prayer each day!

LifeSite News – Milo Yiannopoulos

Go to the link below to read the article:

**Milo Yiannopoulos reveals
importance of St. Joseph**

<https://www.lifesitenews.com/news/ex-gay-milo-yiannopoulos-reveals-importance-of-st-joseph-due-to-his-perfect-representation-of-virtuous-masculinity>

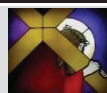
ShareLife

The 2021 ShareLife collection dates have been moved to the following weekends:

April 17-18, June 19-20, and October 2-3.

The envelopes in your box will have different dates on them.

MARCH 21, 2021



Lenten Stations of the Cross (Livestreamed & In-person)

The Stations of the Cross will be open to the public and livestreamed every Friday during Lent at 7:30 pm.

For the livestream, go to our YouTube Channel:
<https://bit.ly/StMarkYouTube>.

SOLEMNITY OF THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD



ST. MARK CHURCH - MASS AT 9 AM
Thursday, March 25, 2021

Women's Ministry Online Zoom Meeting

Monday, March 29th at 7:30 pm



The next Women's Ministry meeting will be held virtually via Zoom on March 29th at 7:30pm.

St. Mark's Women's Ministry

Let's pray the **Stations of the Cross** together on this Monday night of Holy Week. We're also going to talk about celebrating the **Holy Triduum** at home (with continued restrictions at Church). We'll also share about the **Consecration to St. Joseph** from those of us who are praying it right now to those who want to start it with their own family, on March 30th.

No need to register, just meet us on ZOOM
Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87093434937?pwd=a25Hd0wwTmt1a3ZhdFVoeTliVnlMQT09>

Meeting ID: 870 9343 4937 Passcode: 320172

Knights of Columbus Wheelchair Lenten Fundraiser



The St. Mark Knights of Columbus are holding a Lenten Wheelchair Fundraising Campaign to support the Canadian Wheelchair Foundation. Our council is

setting a goal of \$2000 so we can donate 10 wheelchairs to individuals in need in Panama and Paraguay. You can donate online

at www.kofc10874.ca or donate in-person after mass. All donations are eligible to receive a tax receipt.

St. Mark Squire Circle 5486



Knights of Columbus
SQUIRES
Youth Organization.

The members of St. Mark's Squire Circle are boys who are 10 to 18 years of age. They meet virtually on the first

Thursday of the month at 6:30 pm via Zoom. For more information or to join, please contact **Bob Tabone**, at email GK10874@ontariokofc.ca.

EASTER TRIDUUM 2021



Seat Registration will open for the following Holy Week Masses on Monday, March 29th at 7 pm.

HOLY THURSDAY (APRIL 1)

NO MORNING MASS

Mass of the Lord's Supper - 8 pm (also livestreamed)

Seat registration required

GOOD FRIDAY (APRIL 2)

Celebration of the Lord's Passion

Seat registration required

1st Celebration – 12:00 noon

2nd Celebration – 3:00 pm (also livestreamed)

Divine Mercy Novena – 7:15 pm

Stations of the Cross – 7:30 pm

Reminder: Good Friday is a day of Fast and Abstinence

HOLY SATURDAY (APRIL 3)

NO MORNING MASS and NO 5:00 PM MASS

Blessing of the Food – 2:30 pm

Divine Mercy Novena – 3:00 pm

Easter Vigil – 8:00 pm

Seat registration required

Bring bells to the Easter Vigil to ring during the Gloria

EASTER SUNDAY (APRIL 4)

Normal Sunday Schedule:

9:00 am (also livestreamed) & 11:00 am

Divine Mercy Novena – 15 min. before all Masses

Seat registration required

EASTER MONDAY (APRIL 5)

Easter Monday Mass – 9:00 am

Seat registration not required



DIVINE MERCY NOVENA 2021

Good Friday, April 2, at 7:15 pm

Holy Saturday, April 3, at 3:00 pm

Easter Sunday, April 4 - 15 minutes

before all Sunday morning masses

Week of Easter Octave—after all masses

Divine Mercy Sunday, April 11, 2021

15 minutes before all Sunday morning masses



HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY

High School Youth is online on Mar. 26th!

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