



St. Mark's Roman Catholic Church

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PASTORAL TEAM

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

STAFF

Sara Moreno-Stober - Office Administrator
Lisa Baker - Pastoral Administrator
Marcel Raes - Custodian
Emy Lomibao-de Asis - Friday Asst.

OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday - Friday
9:00 am - 4:00 pm
Closed for lunch 12 - 1:00 pm
CLOSED MONDAYS

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday & Friday - 7:00 pm
Wednesday & Thursday - 9:00 am
Saturday - 9:00 am
Statutory Holiday - 9:00 am

SUNDAY EUCHARIST

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

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Adoration & Benediction
Every Friday 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 9:30 - 10:00 am
4:00 - 4:45 pm
(or by appointment)

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 backlog, please allow 3 to 6 months for a 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 Form available in foyer or on 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

See website for policy if outside Priest available.

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.
T: 905-640-2915

St. Brendan's School
751 Hoover Park Dr.
T: 905-642-6728

St. Brigid's School
223 Millard St.
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VOCATIONS TORONTO

Serra House
T: 416-968-0997
W: vocationstoronto.ca

ARCHDIOCESE OF TORONTO

T: 416-934-0606
W: archtoronto.org

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!

SOLEMNITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI



Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, June 20th @ 9 am

† Gregory Morrison & Denis Toal req. by Maureen Morrison

† Peter Scott req. by Ann Marie Munro

† Silvestro De Laurentis req. by Stefanie Bruno

Tuesday, June 21st @ 7 pm

Youth of the Parish req. by Fr. Michael

† Marie Burnet req. by Fr. Michael

† Maurice Vella & Elmer Burnie req. by Baker & Kelly Family

Wednesday, June 22nd @ 9 am

† Maurice Vella req. by Donna Busato

Thursday, June 23rd @ 9 am

† Patricia Eileen Evelyn req. by Family

Friday, June 24th @ 7 pm

Eucharistic Adoration 9 am to 1 pm

St. John the Baptist Church req. by Fr. Michael

Universal Church req. by Fr. Michael

Gift of the Life of Roy Abad req. by Abad Family

† Giuseppe Musto req. by Musto Family

Saturday, June 25th

@ 9 am

† Cheryl McCulloch req. by Wayne McCulloch

† Morris Hryniowski req. by Peter Willan

† Anthony Metauro req. by Anna Metauro and Family

† Fortunata Cianflone req. by Quadrini Family

@ 5 pm

St. Mark's Community req. by Fr. Michael

Sunday, June 26th

@ 9 am (also livestreamed)

In Thanksgiving for the healing of Ignacio Gavieres req. by Gavieres Family

@ 11 am

Fr. Michael Hughes and In Thanksgiving to St. Mark's Parish req. by Fr. Michael

Pray For the Sick

Hedley Thomas, Jeanette Woodley,
Maria Biadi, Marlene Vella, Jim Beauchamp

Pray For the Recently Deceased

Francis Crowley, Nicholas Simonyi
Francesco Parrino, Nancy Rustico



Eucharistic Adoration

Fridays from 9 am to 1 pm

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will take place each **Friday from 9 am to 1 pm ending with Benediction**. We ask for help to ensure at least two people in the church each hour of Adoration by **signing in beforehand** either with the **paper registration sheet at the back of the church or on our Friday Holy Hour Eventbrite registration at <https://stmarksst.archtoronto.org/>**.

Please consider attending for even 5 minutes to offer up prayers for peace in our world, especially in the Ukraine.

ShareLife

ShareLife agencies need your support, now more than ever

Did you know that, through your support, no one is turned away from ShareLife-funded agencies due to inability to pay? One of these agencies whose work you make possible is Catholic Crosscultural Services (CCS).

"The pandemic has affected the newcomer and refugee communities we serve greatly," the agency reports. Thanks to you, CCS continued its settlement and mental health services for this marginalized population without interruption.

Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at www.sharelife.org.

June: Month of the Sacred Heart of Jesus



Heart Speaks to Heart

The Month of June is Dedicated to The Sacred Heart of Jesus Reflecting on Cardinal Collins' Pastoral Letter on the Sacred Heart of Jesus, The Symbol of the Sacred Heart. The heart is a natural sign of true love: it is hidden, it is steady, and it is reliable. As it beats, moment by moment, day by day, year by year, it keeps us alive. That is true love, not the sentiment that deceives, nor the passing infatuation that blows away like a cloud. That is the Sacred Heart of Jesus, steady and true, and that is what we must take to heart. Our life of Christian discipleship must be guided by the profound vision of love represented by the Sacred Heart. To learn more about the Cardinal's letter, Heart Speaks to Heart, visit www.archtoronto.org/sacredheart.

The Sacrament of the Eucharist Catechism of the Catholic Church

#1325 "The Eucharist is the efficacious sign and sublime cause of that communion in the divine life and that unity of the People of God by which the Church is kept in being. It is the culmination both of God's action sanctifying the world in Christ and of the worship men offer to Christ and through him to the Father in the Holy Spirit."

Is God Calling You?

Jesus still speaks the invitation "Follow Me." Pray for the strength and the grace of discernment if you feel

He is calling you to be an ordained or consecrated person. If God is calling you, to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. **Matthew McCarthy, Vocation Director** at 416-968-0997 or email

vocations@archtoronto.org
www.vocationtoronto.ca

PARISH WEBSITE <http://stmarksst.archtoronto.org>

JUNE 19, 2022

Corpus Christi Procession

Sunday, June 19th after the 11 am Mass

***Join our St. Mark's
Corpus Christi Procession***

Please save this date to celebrate this great Solemnity in honour of our Eucharistic Lord.



The procession will start immediately following the conclusion of the 11 am Mass.

This year's route will proceed around the block bordered by Glad Park Ave, Elm Rd, West Lawn Cres, and Millard St. and conclude by returning inside the Church for Benediction.

We hope you can join us for this special Celebration!

40 Hour Eucharistic Adoration

June 24th at 6 am to June 25th at 10 pm



For the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, we invite parishioners to come and spend quiet time (bring Bible/spiritual reading) with Our Lord during our 40 Hour Adoration beginning Friday, June 24th at 6 am and ending on Saturday, June 25th at 10 pm.

We would ideally like to have as many people as possible come both at the start of Adoration for the opening at 6 am on June 24th and again for the final hour from 9 – 10 pm on June 25th when we conclude.

We hope our altar servers, choir and musicians will attend to welcome the Lord as we open and again when we say farewell as we close. Think of coming twice over the 40 hours, once for the opening or closing and one hour in between. Do it now, seize the day, while we can and are not under lockdown. We would also like to have 3 people sign-up per hour, especially through the night hours. You can sign-up on the hardcopy sheets in the lobby or through Eventbrite at

<https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/40-hour-eucharistic-adoration-from-june-24-at-6-am-to-june-25-at-10-pm-tickets-354705903907>.

Saint Vincent de Paul



St. Vincent de Paul Society
St. Mark's Conference

Know of a neighbour in need?
905-640-6954 ex.3

Recollection for Women

Monday, June 27th at 7 pm



The Women's Recollection at St. Mark's Church is a moment of peaceful prayer designed to refresh your spirit and help you come up with creative ways to live your faith in your family, social and professional life.

Date: Monday, June 27th from 7 – 8:30pm

Confession and talks given by a Priest of Opus Dei

**Rosary Apostolate
Volunteers Needed**



Do you have a devotion to Mother Mary, love children and pray the Rosary? If so, the Rosary Apostolate would like to hear from you. We are currently seeking volunteers to visit our elementary schools in Stouffville once a month from October to May. If you are interested in finding out more about the program, **please contact Jovita Lim at limjovita12@yahoo.ca.**

**St. Vincent de Paul Summer
Camp Collection June 25th & 26th**



St. Vincent de Paul will run its summer camps again this year, for children from less fortunate families. Marygrove Camp for girls (5-13 years) and Camp Ozanam for boys (7-12). **A second collection will be taken up after the Masses on the weekend of June 25 and 26 to help subsidize the cost for these children. Thank you for your generosity.**

Correction: the date for this collection was originally advertised as June 11/12 but should be June 25/26

Chaplaincy Connect



Attention Grade 12 students: If you're going to university or college in the fall, campus ministry is waiting for you! Connect with the Catholic community on your campus by visiting: www.chaplaincyconnect.ca

CONTACT: Eliza Trotter

EMAIL: etrotter@archtoronto.org

WEBSITE: www.chaplaincyconnect.ca

Calling Catholic Lawyers

If you are a lawyer, we would like to hear from you! The Archdiocese of Toronto has spent a number of years creating a network of Catholic lawyers who understand our faith and can provide professional service related to Will preparation and writing to other Catholics in our archdiocese. Be a part of our network where you have the opportunity to integrate your spiritual and professional life.

For further information, contact the Development Office at 416-934-3400 ext. 561/519 or development@archtoronto.org.

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