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He is Risen!
Alleluia, Alleluia

EASTER SUNDAY



Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, April 21st @ 9 am

† Laida & Ramon Mortalla

Tuesday, April 22nd @ 7 pm

† Vincent Quinn req. by The Quinn Family

† Francesco Altomare req. by Ida Altomare

† Fr. Gregory Chisholm req. by Larry Tumino & Pat Heartford

† Lucia & Pasquale Campanella req. by Maria & Guido Biadi

† Franco Guadagnoli req. by Maria & Guido Biadi

† Jim & Carmel Ryder req. by Shane Ryder

† John McKendry req. by Rose McKendry

Wednesday, April 23rd @ 9 am

Thanksgiving for the Cong Family req. by Diep Cong

Thursday, April 24th @ 7 pm

† Silvestro De Laurentis req. by Stefanie Bruno

Friday, April 25th Feast of St Mark

Eucharistic Adoration from 9:30 am to 1 pm

@8:30 am

† Anthony Metauro req. by Anna Metauro & Family

@7 pm

† EJ Fernandez req. by Susan Knetsch

Saturday, April 26th @ 9 am

† Marcelo Uy req. by Jaymie Uy

† Rose Marie Scott req. by Piedad Family

† Robert & Jean Bull req. by Harry, Helen & Michael Chan

† Claudia Arko req. by Marcel & Elizabeth Raes

Intentions of Carlos Moreno req. by Family

Thanksgiving req by. Joyce D'Mello

Intentions of Francis Gaffney req. by. Laurie Gaffney

@ 5 pm (Vigil of Divine Mercy Sunday)

† Egidio Gullo req. by Pasquale Gullo

Sunday, April 27th Divine Mercy Sunday

@ 9 am (also livestreamed)

† Signorina Medina req. by Joven Medina & Family

@ 11 am

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

@ 2:30 pm Divine Mercy Devotions

Pray For the Sick

Robert Komar, Joanne Taylor, Deacon John

Pray For the Recently Deceased

Rose Marie Scott, Eulogio Fernandez,
Rev. Donald Francis Finlay C.S.B., Eleanor Rudner

Easter Monday Mass



There will be a Mass at 9:00 am on
Easter Monday, April 21st.

Children's Liturgy



The Children's Liturgy will be cancelled on Sunday
April 27th and will resume Sunday May 4th.



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Thank You

The Squires would like to
thank the Parishioners of St.
Mark's for the generosity in
their fundraising efforts. The
Squires raised **\$754.30** on
the weekend of March 22nd
and March 23rd through the
offering of Cobs Bread.



**The Squires have made a \$200 donation to
the SSVP** as a token of appreciation for
allowing them the opportunity to offer this to
the parish.

A Day with Mary



On Saturday, May 31 – the Feast of
the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin
Mary – the first annual
archdiocesan "A Day With Mary"
will be taking place outdoors at Villanova
College in King City: 2480 15th Sideroad
Registration is now open. Please register
online at archtoronto.org/mary.
The deadline to register is May 19, 2025.

Recollection for Women

Monday, April 21st from 7 to 9:30 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.
Confessions and Talk given by a Priest of Opus Dei

APRIL 20, 2025

Pastor's Easter Message



Dear Parishioners,
 After over forty days of Lent, we finally celebrate Jesus' Paschal Mystery and Easter. Maybe you had a good Lent or maybe not so good but whatever the situation is try to enter into the spirit of this great celebration. We rejoice and celebrate because Jesus overcame death and sin and came back to life. As we followed him in his suffering, now we follow him in his resurrection. As we follow him faithfully, we too can overcome sin and death in our life. Let us then rejoice in what Jesus did for us giving us new life, love, faith, and hope. Let us sing Alleluia and share the Good News with others who also need Jesus and his love and life.

Blessed Easter!

Fr. Tad, Deacon John, Deacon Wayne, Deacon Gordon and St. Mark's Parish Staff: Cathy, Sara, Grant, Marcel and Emy.

"This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad."

Cardinal Leo's Easter Message

To read the 2025 Easter Message from his Eminence Frank Cardinal Leo.

Please visit: www.archtoronto.org

Confirmation



The final Confirmation class will be on **Wednesday, April 23rd in the Parish Hall.**

Group A – 6 pm to 7:15 pm

Group B – 7:45 pm to 9 pm

The Confirmation Retreat is **Sat. April 26th.**

Group A – 9:00 am – 12 pm

Group B – 1:00 – 4 pm

St. Mark's Feast Day Celebration Friday, April 25th - 7pm



Please join us in celebrating the Feast Day of St. Mark the Evangelist, patron of our parish! **Mass at 7 pm followed by a social in the Parish Hall.**

Morning Mass on April 25th will be at 8:30 am instead of 9:00 am.

Divine Mercy Novena

Week of Easter Octave: after all Masses
 Divine Mercy Sunday, April 27:
 15 minutes before all Sunday morning Masses



Cardinal Leo To Visit St. Mark's Divine Mercy Sunday - April 27



His Eminence Francis Cardinal Leo will visit St. Mark's Parish on Divine Mercy Sunday to celebrate the 11:00 am Mass. A reception will follow in the Parish Hall. All parishioners are invited to participate in a **Spiritual Bouquet** we will offer to Cardinal Leo. A book is available at the back of the Church to record your prayers.



Divine Mercy Sunday Celebration

Sunday, April 27th at 2:30 pm

We invite everyone to join us on Sunday, April 27th at 2:30 pm for our Divine Mercy Sunday Celebration.

There will be the recitation of the Divine Mercy Chaplet & Devotions, Hymns, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Confessions.



Stouffville Prayer Breakfast

Thursday, May 15 at 7 am

Station Creek Golf Course
 12657 Woodbine Ave. Gormley
 Guest Speaker: Ruth Ann Onley
 For details & tickets please visit:

www.wsprayerbreakfast.com



Pilgrimage to Rome With Cardinal Leo November 10 – 17, 2025

The Archdiocese of Toronto Jubilee 2025 Committee is organizing a week-long pilgrimage to Rome with Cardinal Frank Leo. The pilgrimage will include visits to Rome's major basilicas and Holy Door, daily Mass and a day trip to Assisi. **Registration will take place online beginning Thursday, April 24 at 10:00 a.m.** Space is limited. For full registration details, to view a detailed itinerary and learn more about this prayerful journey to Rome, visit: <https://bit.ly/ArchTORome2025>

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