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THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER



Mass Intentions for the Week

Tuesday, May 6th @ 7 pm

TRosa & Rocco Rigillo req. by Di Rienzo Family

T Frank Altomare reg. by Nelle & Joe Lombardo

🕇 Rosalinda Quilop req. by Cellie Canaon

TRoberto Carlos reg. by Melanie Piedad

T Honorio Castro Sr. req. by Dodie & Tessie Castro

T EJ Fernandez req. by Rosary Apostolate

Intentions of Robert Corby IV req. by Abad Family

Wednesday, May 7th @ 9 am

TPeter & Mary Fernandes req. by Priscilla Fernandes

Thursday, May 8th @ 7 pm

T Francesco Altomare req. by Mary & Emilio Benincasa Friday, May 9th

@9 am

T Paul & Maria Fernandes req. by Priscilla Fernandes

Eucharistic Adoration from 9:30 am to 1:00 pm

Saturday, May 10th @ 9 am

Gertrude Toal req. by Maureen Morrison

T Carmine Costanzo reg. by Gabriella Costanzo

T Juliana Pangilinan req. by Jay-R & Angelie Pangilinan

f T Joseph Varghese req. by Abraham Joseph

Intentions of Moreno-Arenas Family req. by Carlos Moreno Maria Santissima della Grazie req. by Maria Ferri

@ 5 pm

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

Sunday, May 11th

@ 9 am (also livestreamed)

T Rosa Bruno req. by Stefanie Bruno

@ 11 am

T Pasqualina Raponi & Virginia Arlt req. by Onesima Raponi & Family

Pray For the Sick

Robert Komar, Joanne Taylor, Deacon John

Pray For the Recently Deceased

Pope Francis, Rose Marie Scott, Eulogio Fernandez, Eleanor Rudner

Eucharistic Adoration



Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament takes place each Friday from 9:30 am to 1 pm and on the First Friday of the month from 9:30 am to 7 pm ending with Benediction. We

ask for help to ensure at least 2 people in the church each hour of Adoration by signing in with the paper registration sheet at the back of the church. Please consider attending for even 5-10 minutes.



Confessions

Saturday 9:30 to 10 am & 4 to 4:45 pm or by appointment

Is God Calling You?

How am I being called to feed the lambs of Jesus? Could it be as an ordained or consecrated person? If God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact:



religious or deacon, contact: Fr. Matt McCarthy (416) 261-7207 ext. 801

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Totus Tuus Summer Camp July 21st – 25th, 2025

Children and youth of our parish are invited to join us for the Totus Tuus Summer Camp Program.

Children entering Grades 1-6

Program Dates: Monday to Friday from 9 am to 2:30 pm **Cost:** \$90 for the first child in the family \$80 for each additional sibling.

Intermediate/High School program for Grades 7-12 Program Dates: Sunday to Thursday from 6 pm to 9 pm

Cost: Free (\$11.30 for T-Shirts)

To register please scan the QR code.

Registration is on a <u>first come, first</u> served basis until all the seats are filled.

Please make payment by cash or cheque to St. Mark's Youth Ministry.







Thank You!

Thank you to all those who worked so hard to prepare and celebrate St. Mark's Feast Day, Divine Mercy Sunday Service and Bishop Boissonneau's Visit. Special thanks to the Funeral Luncheon Volunteers.



May 4 is ShareLife Sunday.

Donate through the parish or at sharelife.org/donate.
Thank you for living the Gospel!





Our next **EDGE** night for youth in Grades 5 to 8 will be on <u>Friday, May 9th from 6 pm to 8 pm</u>.

Please invite your friends! Registration forms will be available at the session. For further information, email our Youth Minister, Grant, at **stmarksyouthmin@gmail.com**.

Follow us on Instagram: @stmarksyouthmin

Mother's Day Gift Bag & Basket Raffle

May 10th & 11th





St. Mark's Knights of Columbus will be holding our third annual Mother's Day draw on May 10th and 11th.

Please buy a ticket for a chance to win a beautiful gift basket for a lady or mother.

All proceeds will go to support subsidizing a bus for St. Mark's Parishioners to attend the March for Life in Ottawa on May 8th. Raffle tickets are \$10/each and will be sold after all three

Masses. Payment by cash and cheque **only.** All purchases are winners! Free with each purchase is a beautiful rose Crucifix pin.



Martyr's Shrine Spring Gala Wed. June 11, 2025



Wed. June 11, 2025 5:30 PM - 9:00 PM Bellvue Manor, Vaughan Tickets can be purchased online at:

https://martyrsshrine.com/spring-gala/

Catholic Education Week 2025 May 4 - 9, 2025



During Catholic Education Week (May 4 - 9, 2025), we give thanks for the gift of publicly

funded Catholic Education in our province. Catholic schools foster supportive communities where children can experience the joy of God's love and understand the Christian mission in the world. As we celebrate this Year of Jubilee, as pilgrims of hope, let us journey with our parishes, educators and families to sow and nurture the seeds of faith with the next generation of Catholics, encouraging them to live lives of holiness and Christian witness as one body in Christ. To indicate your support of Catholic education and signup for email updates, visit: www.togetherinfaith.ca



Sacramental **Celebrations**



We ask for your prayers for all the children of our parish who will be receiving the Sacraments of First Holy Communion or Confirmation in May & June.

Bundle Sunday

Saturday, May 10th & Sunday, May 11th

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul will have a Container Unit in our church parking lot on the weekend



of May 10th and 11th accepting donations of new and used clothing, footwear, small household goods, bedding, new toys, and bicycles. Please note they do not accept appliances, dishes, furniture, books, videos, or mattresses. Please bring your donations and help others in your community. Thank you!



SL ShareLife

Corporate Golf Tournament Monday, June 2, 2025

Shotgun start 1:00 pm Eagles Nest Golf Club | Maple, ON \$500 per golfer / \$2,000 per foursome Visit sharelife.org/golf to register today



Thursday, May 8th in Ottawa



The March for Life is the largest annual demonstration on Parliament Hill.

Rally & March Thursday, May 8th

Visit MARCHFORLIFE.CA or CALL 1-800-730-5358

A bus for 56 passengers will be going to Ottawa leaving from St. Patrick's Church in Markham at 6:45 am and departing from Ottawa at 4 pm. The cost is \$35. To reserve your seat, contact Dan Di Rocco at 905-294-4219 or dirocco401@yahoo.ca.





Saturday May 10th at 6:45 pm

Movie: Miracles from Heaven

Pizza, drinks, and snacks on sale at 6:15 pm Movie to start at 6:45 pm in the parish hall.



The movie is free of charge. Running Time: 109 mins.

Please remember your God, your Faith, and your Parish in your will.

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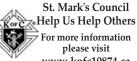
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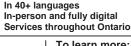
He hushed the storm

to a gentle whisper,

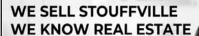
So that the waves

of the sea were still.

Psalm 107:29, AMP



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