

St. Mark's Roman Catholic Church

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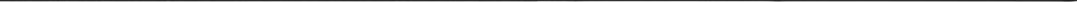
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PASTORAL TEAM

Fr. Tad Walczyk - Pastor
Deacon Wayne McCulloch
Deacon Gordon Lee

STAFF

Sara Moreno-Stober - Office Administrator
Cathy Dawson - Sacramental Preparation Coordinator
Marcel Raes - Custodian
Emy Lomibao-de Asis - Friday Asst.
Grant Lalata - Youth Minister

OFFICE HOURS

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

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

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

FIRST FRIDAY

Mass at 9:00 am and 7:00 pm
Eucharistic Adoration 9:30 am - 7:00 pm
All other Fridays: Adoration 9:30 am - 1 pm

SUNDAY EUCHARIST

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

RECONCILIATION

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

PRIVATE PRAYER

Mon., Tues., & Thurs. - 9:00 am to 4:00 pm
Wed. & Fri. - 9:30 am to 4:00 pm
First Friday - 9:30 am to 7:00 pm

DEVOTIONS

Recitation of the Holy Rosary
(Before Weekday Masses)
Mother of Perpetual Help
Novena
(After Wednesday Mass)
Divine Mercy Chaplet
(Before Friday Masses)

BAPTISM

Please pick up a Baptismal package from the foyer of the Church. Upon submission of the "Request for Baptism" form, please allow up to 3 months for a Baptismal date, which will be given only after the parents attend the Preparation Class. Baptism Ceremonies are held on the 2nd Sunday of each month and on the 4th Sunday if needed.

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.

COMMUNION FOR THE SICK AND HOME-BOUND

Please call the Parish Office.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please call the Parish Office.

MEMORIAL MASS

See website for policy.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome. We encourage you to register using the Registration Form available in the foyer or on the website.

PARISH MINISTRIES

Altar Servers
Altar Society
AV Team
Children's Liturgy
Counter's Ministry
Eucharistic Ministers
Federation of North American Explorers
Finance Committee
Funeral Luncheon Committee
Greeters/Ushers
Knights of Columbus
Lectors
Media Stand & Bookstall
Movie Night
Parish Council
Parish Music Ministry
Prayer Shawl
RCIA & RCIC
Rosary Apostolate
Sacramental Preparation
Social Committee
Squires
St. Vincent de Paul Society
Women's Ministry
Youth Ministry

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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.
T: 905-642-5100

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Pape-François
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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. They are also encouraged to get involved in a parish ministry.

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Mass Intentions

Tuesday, January 20th @ 7 pm

- † Outen Family req. by Ann Marie Munro
- † Annamna Sebastiampillai req. by Maria Soosaipillai
- † Leo Benko req. by Onesima Raponi
- † Wing Chiu Chan req. by Deacon Gordon & Mary Lee
- † Antonio Cornacchia req. by Lina Fata
- † Mary Winston req. by Piedad Family
- Thanksgiving of Clare Chen req. by Clare Chen

Wednesday, January 21st @ 9 am

- † Paul Gonsalves req. by Val D'Sa & Family

Thursday, January 22nd @ 7 pm

- † Leo Benko req. by Raes Family

Friday, January 23rd @ 9 am

- † Kathi Riley req. by SKD Staff

Eucharistic Adoration from 9:30 am – 1 pm

Saturday, January 24th @ 9 am

- † Maria Mione req. by Mione Family
- † Maria DiBiase & Pasquale Parente req. by Parente Family
- † Leo Benko req. by Maureen Morrison
- † Ricardo Da Luz req. by Bonnie Da Luz
- † Maria Pacheco req. by Viggiani Family
- † Josephine Canaon req. by Piedad Family
- Intentions of Maria Parente req. by Maria Parente

@ 5 pm

- † Egidio Gullo req. by Pasquale Gullo
- St. Mark's Community req. by Fr. Tad

Sunday, January 25th

@ 9 am (also live streamed)

- † Sandy Rozario req. by Mike Rozario

@ 11 am

- † Dino & Tony Raponi req. by Onesima Raponi & Family



Please join us as we pray for healing and comfort for all those who are sick, shut-in, in hospital, nursing or retirement homes, or assisted living residences. In a special way, let us pray for the health and well-being of: **Anil Andrade, Rita LoMagno, Anne Mamye, Tony Diana, and Pam May**.

Please also pray for any recently deceased faithful departed, **Marie Liotta, Bowman Lee, Robert Edwards, Antoine Calfa** and those who remain in the silence of our hearts.

Eucharistic Adoration – Every Friday

9:30 am – 1 pm each Friday

9:30 am – 7 pm First Friday

Ending with Benediction. On First Friday 7pm Mass follows Benediction. Please sign up using the sheet at the back of the church.



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New Beginnings

Online Drop-In Bereavement Support Session:

January 28, 2026 @ 7:00 pm

Register at <https://nbbd0126.eventbrite.ca/>

Online Drop-In Separated/Divorced Support Session:

January 29, 2026 @ 7:00 pm

Register at <https://nbsdd0126.eventbrite.ca/>

For more information contact:

Arcangelo Limanni, Catholic Family Services Toronto
alimanni@cfstoronto.com (647) 215-3978



Marriage Sunday February 7th & 8th

Bishop John A. Boissonneau will preside at a special Mass to honour married couples, with special recognition for those celebrating 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th and 60+ wedding anniversaries in 2026. The Mass will take place at **2:30 p.m. on Sunday, February 8, 2026, at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica (65 Bond Street, Toronto)**. All married couples will have an opportunity to renew their marriage commitment.

All are welcome to attend. Couples celebrating a 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th or 60+ anniversary in 2026 may register for reserved seating. All other seating is on a first-come, first-served basis. Those who are unable to attend at the Cathedral are invited to join the celebration via [livestream Mass](#). The broadcast will begin at 2:15 p.m.

Registration and other important information can be found at
www.archtoronto.org/marriage

JANUARY 18, 2026

Recollection for Women

Monday, January 19th from 7 to 8:30 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 a talk given by a Priest of Opus Dei

Confirmation Classes

Wednesday, January 21st

The next Confirmation class will be on Wednesday, January 21st in the Parish Hall. Group A – 6 pm to 7:15 pm Group B – 7:45 pm to 9 pm



JOIN US FOR

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THIS SATURDAY

Our next LifeTeen night for youth in Grades 9 to 12 will be on **Saturday, January 24th from 6 to 8:30 pm**. We will be having a study hall and a potluck dinner. We invite our high school students to bring their study materials. Please invite your friends! For further details, email our Youth Minister, Grant, at stmarksyouthmin@gmail.com.

Follow us on Instagram: [@stmarksyouthmin](https://www.instagram.com/stmarksyouthmin)



Coffee Sunday

Sunday, January 25th

Coffee, tea, and baked goods will be served in the Parish Hall on **Sunday, January 25th after the 9 am and 11 am Masses**. Join fellow parishioners in the hall for fellowship, some delicious refreshments. Donations of baked goods are greatly appreciated and can be dropped off in the parish hall on Saturday between 8 and 10 am or 4 and 6 pm or on Sunday morning.



St. Mark's Women's Ministry

St. Mark's Women's Ministry
Monday, January 26 at 7:30pm

Women's Ministry meetings have resumed. Please join us in the Parish Hall on **Monday, January 26 at 7:30pm**.



St. Joseph's Centre of Hope for Women

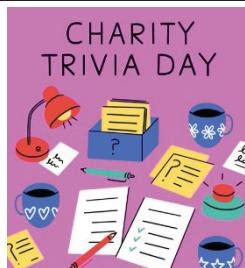
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The weekend of January 24th/25th St. Joseph's Centre of Hope for Women will be here to speak about their "Baby Bottles for Life" campaign and will be handing out fundraising baby bottles.

Donations can be placed in the baby bottles and returned to the church the following weekend January 31st / February 1st. We ask

you to prayerfully consider supporting this worthwhile cause in service to Christ and the pre-born. www.sjcentre.ca



Charity Trivia Day – Save the Date!

Sunday, February 8th at 12:30 PM

Presented by St. Mark's Knights of Columbus

Join us for a lively afternoon of trivia in support of St. Mark's Knights of Columbus charities. Come as a team of up to six or play as a single.

The winning team (or solo winner) will direct a \$500 charitable donation, and the runner-up will direct a \$250 donation, to one of sixteen Knights-supported charities including SSVP, Yellow Brick House, Rose of Sharon, Habitat for Humanity, and many more. Donations will be made by the Knights of Columbus on behalf of the winners. No tax receipts will be issued.

Tickets

Adults: \$10

Kids (12 and under): \$5

Includes one free pop

Refreshments available for purchase.



Tickets will be sold after all weekend Masses leading up to the event.

Scan the QR code above to purchase online.



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