



St. Mark's Roman Catholic Church

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PLEASE REMEMBER ST. MARK'S CHURCH IN YOUR WILL



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
Shrine of Mary Apostolate
Social Committee
Squires
St. Vincent de Paul Society
Women's Ministry
Youth Ministry

VOCATIONS TORONTO

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

ARCHDIOCESE OF TORONTO

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

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

Blessed Chiara
Badano School
55 Meridan Dr.
T: 289-451-2293

St. Katharine Drexel
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55 Meridan Dr.
T: 289-451-2294

École catholique
Pape-François
276 Sunset Blvd.
T: 905-642-3440

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.

PENTECOST SUNDAY



Mass Intentions

Tuesday, May 26th @ 7:00 pm

† Michele LaMacchia by LaMacchia & Volpe Families
† Philip Malolos by Roger & Merly Perono
Virgin Mary by Maria Ferri
Healing for Sr. Mary Anh by Cong Family
Intentions of Anthony Ho's Family by Diep Cong
Intentions of Margaret Huang by Clare Chen
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Wednesday, May 27th @ 9:00 am

† Matthew Benincasa by Ida Altomare

Thursday, May 28th @ 7:00 pm

† Nel Blommesteyn by Blommesteyn Family

Friday, May 29th @ 9:00 am

† Sandy Rozario by Mike Rozario
9:30 am – 1:00 pm Adoration

Saturday, May 30th @ 9:00 am

† Teresa Kusatz by Sig Kusatz
† Anne Mamyne by Tabone Family
† Halima & Kawanhar Doopan by Perono Family
† Rita LoMagno by Onesima Raponi & Family
† Souls in Purgatory by Anonymous
† Michael Scipio by Myrna Waterman
Intentions of Barbara Myrskog by Amy Labelle

@5:00 pm

Thanksgiving to the Holy Trinity
by Gerardo & Antonietta Quadrini
50th Wedding Anniversary Liz & Joe Batista

Sunday, May 31st

@ 9:00 am

St. Mark's Community by Fr. Tad

@ 11:00 am

† Avelino Caspe by Cherry Caspe



Pentecost

PRAYER TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and enkindle in us the fire of your love.

Send forth your Spirit and we shall be created, and you shall renew the face of the earth.

Let us pray.

O God, you have taught the hearts of the faithful by the light of the Holy Spirit, grant that in the same Spirit we may be truly wise and ever rejoice in his peace and strength.

Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

St. Mark's Youth Ministry

COFFEE SUNDAY

TAKEOVER

SUNDAY MAY 31st, 2026

After the 9 & 11 am Masses

Free Will Donation. All are welcome!

All donations will go to help Edge and LifeTeen Programs



MEMORIAL MASS GERALDINE KELLY

Friday, May 29th at 7pm

There will be a Memorial Mass for Geraldine Kelly, mother of Lisa Baker, at St. Mark's Church on Friday, May 29th at 7pm. Reception to follow in the Parish Hall.

Please pray for the sick: Anil Andrade, Tim Flynn, Maureen Morrison and Mary Hicks.

Please pray for the faithful departed: Harry Van Den Bogaard and Zaida Coroa.

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

MAY 24, 2026



TOTUS TUUS SUMMER CAMP

St. Mark's Church - July 12-17, 2026

Registration closes June 7

<https://stmarksst.archtoronto.org>

Volunteers Needed

For more information about registration or volunteering to help with this program, please contact Grant by phone 905-640-6954 ext. 107 or by email at stmarksyouthmin@gmail.com

DAY OF REFLECTION

Monday, May 25, 2026:
9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Topic: Receive the Holy Spirit



Manresa Jesuit Spiritual Renewal Centre,
2325 Liverpool Rd., Pickering

Facilitator: Mary Bastedo. A suggested offering of \$70 per person. Includes break, lunch and Mass along with the program.

REGISTER: <http://manresa-canada.ca>

CONTACT: registration@manresa.ca

PHONE: 905-839-2864

SPIRITUS YORK

Wednesday, May 27th - 7 to 9:30 pm



Spiritus York is coming to St. Mark's parish on Wednesday May 27th from 7- 9:30pm in the Parish Hall. Young adults ages 19 - 39 are welcome to join us for a social, adoration and talk by Msgr. Fred Dolan, a priest from Opus Dei.



A SWING AND A PRAYER

ST. MARK'S CHURCH
'NINE & DINE'
GOLF TOURNAMENT



9 Holes of Golf & Dinner Event

Saturday, June 20, 2026

Sleepy Hollow Golf & Country Club Stouffville

Donations/Sponsorships Available
All proceeds to St. Mark's Church

9 Holes of Golf with Cart @ Sleepy Hollow &
Evening Event at St. Mark's Church Hall

\$150 per person

Evening Event only at St. Mark's Church Hall

\$55 per person

12:30 pm Registration

1:30 pm - 9 Hole Shotgun

5:00 pm - Cocktail Hour in St. Mark's Hall

6:30 pm- Dinner Buffet, Prizes, Silent Auction

For more information, please contact:

Nelle Lombardo 416 817 6307 nellelombardo@gmail.com
Mary Benincasa 416 706 6674 mbencincasa@rogers.com



CATHOLIC CEMETERIES PRE-PLANNING SEMINAR

Planning ahead is one of the most thoughtful and compassionate decisions you can make for your family. Join us for an informative seminar designed to help you understand your options and make confident, faith-informed decisions.

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Date & Location: Christ the King Catholic Cemetery & Reception Centre 7770 Steeles Ave. E,

Markham (Entrance off Reesor Road)

Saturday, June 13, 2026, at 9:00 AM

To register: 905-471-0121 or by email at

christthekinginquiry@cc-fs.ca

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