

# St. Mark's Church Announcements

## June 2, 2022

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### **Our New St. Mark's Pastor – Fr. Tadeusz Walczyk**

We are pleased to announce that St. Mark's will be welcoming **Rev. Fr. Tadeusz Walczyk** as our new Pastor from Holy Spirit Parish in Barrie, ON.

Fr. Tadeusz (known also as Fr. Tad) was born in southern eastern Poland (close to Rzeszow) on March 12, 1960. He grew up in a strong practicing Catholic family and he had a strong connection with his parish and the parish priests. He arrived in Canada on December 13th, 1983 and joined St. Augustine's Seminary in the beginning of January, 1984. While there he studied English for about a year and then theology for a year and a half. After that he did his internship program at Blessed Trinity Parish in Willowdale with Fr. Anthony Meagher who later became a bishop. After that Fr. Tad did one more year of theology at St. Augustine's and was ordained by Cardinal Carter at St. Michael's Cathedral in Toronto together with Fr. Keith Wallace and six other priests on April 30th, 1988. As a priest he spent 1 year in St. Isaac Jogues Parish in Pickering, 5 years at Our Lady of Grace in Aurora, 3 months at Blessed Sacrament in Toronto, 9 years as pastor at Sts Peter and Paul in Mississauga, 8 years as pastor at St. Paul's Parish in Alliston, and 12 years as pastor at Holy Spirit Parish in Barrie.

Fr. Tad will arrive at St. Mark's Church on Wednesday, June 29<sup>th</sup>. Please give a warm welcome to our new Sheppard!

### **Corpus Christi Procession – June 19<sup>th</sup>**

#### **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!*** If you would like to volunteer to help, please email Lisa at [lbaker@archtoronto.org](mailto:lbaker@archtoronto.org).

## 40 Hour Eucharistic Adoration – June 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup>

For the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, we invite parishioners to come and spend some quiet time of worship and prayer with Our Lord during our 40 Hour Adoration beginning Friday, June 24<sup>th</sup> at 6 am and ending on Saturday, June 25<sup>th</sup> at 10 pm.

**Let's thank Our Lord for His constant love and protection!**

We would ideally like to have 3 people sign-up per hour, especially through the night hours. A hardcopy paper sign-up sheet can be found in the lobby of the church, or you can sign-up for an hour through Eventbrite by clicking on this link:

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

### Video Links

Dear People of God,

I attach these links not because they are the last word on the serious topics touched upon but to encourage you to turn to God in prayer and supplication by means of the daily Rosary, Eucharistic Adoration and through the Sacraments to implore His guidance and protection of the Church and for an outpouring of the Spirit of Repentance upon all of us before we bring down the justice of God upon our heads for considering Him to be irrelevant after He has given us His only Son for our salvation. So in some areas, they are food for thought and further consideration amidst a very controlled media. We live for the most part amongst godless leaders and many non-believers who deny the true nature and dignity of the human person made by and for God and created in His image and likeness and the hard-won human rights acquired by experience over our long history and expressed quite well in certain national constitutions. Human beings are not robots to be controlled and manipulated into a false political unity that denies the existence of truth, and the one true God of our Christian faith.

To view videos listed in past email blasts, go to:

<https://stmarksst.archtoronto.org/en/parish-life/prophetic-articles---church--world/>

1) Priest killed by Nazis during WWII among new saints

<https://www.lifesitenews.com/episodes/priest-killed-by-nazis-during-world-war-ii-among-new-saints-in-catholic-church/>

2) Russia's Putin: The US is parking missiles "on the porch of our house"

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?app=desktop&v=MOKl2XgZlw0>

3) Gravitas Plus: Did NATO push Ukraine into war?

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?app=desktop&v=TzgPJeYZaOU>

4) Stephen F. Cohen: The Ukrainian Crisis - It's not All Putin's Fault (Recorded in 2015)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?app=desktop&v=-pUj3Vqptx8>

5) Someone in the Postal Service needs to be rewarded ...

See attachment.

6) If unborn life isn't protected, then all lives are 'up for grabs': US bishop

<https://www.lifesitenews.com/episodes/if-unborn-life-isnt-protected-then-all-lives-are-up-for-grabs-us-bishop/>

7) Before I Formed You in the Womb I Knew You - Archdiocese of San Francisco

<https://sfarchdiocese.org/inthewomb/>

8) What to do with 'useless people' according to this World Economic Forum speaker

[https://www.lifesitenews.com/episodes/what-to-do-with-useless-people-according-to-this-world-economic-forum-speaker/?utm\\_source=JHW\\_newsletter](https://www.lifesitenews.com/episodes/what-to-do-with-useless-people-according-to-this-world-economic-forum-speaker/?utm_source=JHW_newsletter)

9) Doctor Who Survived the Cambodian Genocide Issues a Warning to Americans About Communism

[https://www.theepochtimes.com/doctor-who-survived-the-cambodian-genocide-issues-a-sincere-warning-to-americans-about-communism\\_4477441.html](https://www.theepochtimes.com/doctor-who-survived-the-cambodian-genocide-issues-a-sincere-warning-to-americans-about-communism_4477441.html)

10) How to Destroy Civilization: Gradually - The Catholic Thing

<https://www.thecatholicthing.org/2022/05/13/how-to-destroy-civilization-gradually/>

## **Parish BBQ Tickets on Sale**

**Saturday, June 18<sup>th</sup> 6:15 pm to 9 pm**

**Tickets On Sale After Weekend Masses**

We have several reasons to celebrate, including saying thank you and goodbye to our beloved Sheppard, Fr. Michael Hughes, as well as, Gordon Lee's Ordination to the Diaconate that day, Deacon John's 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, and belated anniversaries of Deacon Wayne & Fr. Leslie. Volunteers will be present in the church lobby after all weekend masses until June 12<sup>th</sup>, to sell meal tickets for the upcoming St. Mark's Father's Day BBQ on June 18<sup>th</sup> (rain date June 19<sup>th</sup>). Cash and tap accepted.

**Adult Meal - \$8 (Hamburger Italian Sausage or Veggie Burger)**

**Frankfurter Meal - \$7**                      **Kid's Meal - \$5 (Hot Dog)**

**All meals include the main, drink, side salad & desert.**

It is suggested parishioners should bring their own lawn chairs for this event.

Kids Activities, 50/50 draw, and door prizes

Come, hungry, say hi to old friends & make new ones.

## **Women's Ministry Glory and Praise Night – June 6th**

**SAVE THE DATE! GLORY AND PRAISE EVENING**

We are SO EXCITED to announce that **Michael and Michelle Dizon** will be providing the sweet sounds of Praise and Worship for our **Annual Glory and Praise Event on June 6<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm in the Church.**

For those of you who were unable to attend the Stouffville Prayer Breakfast a few weeks ago (or those of you who were there, but hope to hear the talk again...) **Dr. Sarah Barclay** will be giving a talk on Vocation, Healing and Spiritual Battle. **All women welcome to attend!**

## **Cenacle of Mary – June 7th**

In her messages to Fr. Gobbi, Our Lady insistently calls - priests, religious and faithful – to gather together with her in fervent prayer and fraternal love, in authentic cenacles as when the first apostles gathered with her in the Upper Room in Jerusalem awaiting the First Pentecost.

Next Cenacle: Tuesday, June 7<sup>th</sup> from 7:40 to 8:45 pm (after the 7 pm Mass). Everyone is welcome to attend.

## **St. Vincent de Paul Summer Camp Collection – June 11th/12th**

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). All campers must be fully vaccinated. For more information, or if you know of a child who would benefit, please contact St. Vincent de Paul via the parish office.

**At the Masses on the weekend of June 11 and 12, a collection will be taken up to help subsidize the cost for these children. Thank you for your generosity and thank you also to everyone who donated items to the Bundle-Up collection last weekend. The response was outstanding!**