

# Saints Martha and Mary Parish

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Almighty God, our heavenly Father, whose Son blessed by his presence the home of Lazarus and Mary and Martha in Bethany: grant that, like Martha, we may serve Christ faithfully in the person of our brothers and sisters; and that, like Mary, we may feed on his Word and grow in his love and grace; and that, like Lazarus, we may be brought forth from death to new life in him; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

## PASTORAL TEAM

- Pastor - Rev. Xavier De Pinto
- In residence  
- Rev. Praneesh Anchanithadathil Samuel

## STAFF

- Office administrator - Melinda Mayo

## OFFICE HOURS

- Monday to Friday - 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM and 1:30 PM - 4:30 PM
- Sunday - 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM

## VISITING THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND

- Please contact the parish office

## BAPTISM

- Please contact the parish office

## MARRIAGE

- Please contact the parish office
- All couples are required to take a Marriage preparation course

## CONFESSION

- First Friday - 6:15 PM - 6:45 PM
- Saturday - 3:30 PM - 4:15 PM
- By appointment

## SUNDAY MASS TIMES

- Saturday - 4:30 PM
- Sunday - 9:00 AM and 11:00 AM

## WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

- Monday - 9:00 AM - Devotion to Padre Pio
- Tuesday, Thursday - 9:00 AM
- Wednesday - 9:00 AM and 7:00 PM - Devotion to our Lady of Perpetual Help
- Friday - 9:00 AM
- Saturday - 9:00 AM - Devotion to Our Lady of Fatima
- First Friday
  - o 6:00 PM - Holy Hour, Sacred Heart of Jesus and Divine Mercy Chaplet
  - o 7:00 PM - Mass

## DEVOTIONS

- Perpetual - Adoration in St. Joseph Adoration Chapel - Get the code from the sacristan, the pastor or from the office for the lockbox so you can pray in the chapel at all times

## SCHOOLS

- St. Alfred Elementary School - 905-625-0584
- St. Basil Elementary School - 905-624-4529
- Sts. Martha and Mary Elementary School  
905-624-9625

## DONATE ONLINE

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## NEW PARISHIONERS, PLEASE JOIN OUR FAMILY

Register in the parish office  
or online



If you are in search of locating hospice palliative care resources and services in your community, call the **HopeLine at 416-619-5700** - leave your name, phone number, and the name of the community in which you live and we will return your call as soon as possible. **Please note** - *this service is an information line and is not an emergency or crisis line in case of an emergency please call 911.*

**Saints Martha and Mary Parish**

## SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING

January 28

**PLEASE NOTE** that the Parish Pastoral Council meeting date has been changed from January 20th to Tuesday, January 28th at 7pm in the JFK hall. All members of the parish are welcome to attend but it is imperative that all heads of Ministry of Worship (i.e. Eucharistic, Lectors, Altar Servers, Music, Sacristans, Ushers, Liturgical), and heads of other parish organizations (i.e. Knights of Columbus, CWL, Finance Committee, Religious Education, St. Vincent de Paul, Prayer Groups) attend this meeting.

### TEMPORARY OFFICE HOURS CHANGE

Temporary Change in Parish Office Hours starting January 21, 2025, the office will be open on the following days.

**Weekdays:** Monday, Wednesday and Friday 8:30 am - 12:30 pm , 1:00pm– 3:00 pm Weekends:

**Sunday :** 8:30 pm - 12:30 pm



### A HEARTFELT THANKS

Our SSVP of Sts. Martha and Mary express enormous gratitude & thanks to our Pastor, Parishioners, Knights of Columbus and Sts. Martha and Mary School for their generosity during the 2024 Christmas campaign.

Our request for gift cards on the Giving Tree and donations of Christmas Food Bags was completely fulfilled. We were able to assist 49 families, 144 people, including 48 children. Our NINs had such joy and thanks as they received their Christmas packages. In total we distributed 50 bags of food and \$7300 in gift cards to our NINS this Christmas.

Additionally, the Parish and Knights of Columbus donations of cash peaked at \$17,931. The school donated \$4165 in gift cards. We are well poised to help the needy in 2025.

Over the past year we distributed \$37,749 in charitable works to the community. **God Bless you all for your kindness and continuous giving throughout 2024.**

### BIBLE STUDY

Join us for the Ascension Press Bible Study, [The Great Adventure – Your Journey through the Bible](#). Deepen your understanding of Scripture and grow in faith through enriching discussions and insightful teachings. Whether you're new to Bible study or a seasoned participant, this is a meaningful opportunity to connect with others and draw closer to God.

Dive right into [The Gospel of Matthew: The King and His Kingdom](#), a twenty-four-part Bible study featuring JEFF CAVINS, explore how Jesus is challenging and empowering us to a new level of holiness and shows how we must be thoroughly immersed in the kingdom of heaven on earth, the Church, to live it.

**When:** begin on January 11th, 2025, will run till June 28, 2025

**Time:** 9:45 AM – 11:45 AM

Participants will meet every week on Saturday, to view an engaging video presentation followed by a time of lively group discussion and fellowship.

**Where:** Sts. Martha and Mary Parish, 1870 Burnhamthorpe Rd. E., Mississauga, ON L4X 2S5.

For more details or to sign up, please contact [AnchorOfHopeBibleStudyGroup@gmail.com](mailto:AnchorOfHopeBibleStudyGroup@gmail.com) or call 647-448-0830. Don't miss this chance to strengthen your faith journey!

### CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE MASS



As part of Marriage Sunday 2025 celebrations, Bishop Ivan Camilleri will preside at a special Mass. The Celebration of Marriage Mass will **at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, February 9, 2025, at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica (65 Bond Street, Toronto)**. Couples celebrating their milestone 25th, 40th, 50th and 60+ wedding anniversary will be honoured at this special Mass and may register for reserved seating. 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](http://www.archtoronto.org/marriage).**

# Mass Intentions for the Week

**MONDAY, JANUARY 20 – 9:00 A.M.**

- + Forgotten souls in Purgatory
- + Maxine Vitu

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 21 - 9:00 A.M.**

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22**

- 9:00 A.M. + Manuel Cresincia
- 7:00 P.M.

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 23 - 9:00 A.M.**

**FRIDAY, JANUARY 24 - 9:00 A.M.**

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 25**

- 9:00 A.M. The intentions of Kristan Johnson  
The intentions of Fred Merlo
- 4:30 P.M. + Isabelle Ma

**SUNDAY, JAN. 26 – 3<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

- 9:00 A.M. + Jack Dudley  
+ Manuel Cresencia  
+ Romeo Vasquez  
+ Takao Doi
- 11:00 A.M. + Antonio Di Ioia  
+ Daniel Gonzalez

To request a Mass come to the office and place the intention. Kindly do not put the request in the offertory basket.

### LEGION OF MARY



Our new Legion of Mary group, "Queen of Heaven and Earth", has meetings held every Wednesday night at 7:30 pm in the JFK hall. Come and join us and learn more about your faith, the teachings of the Church, and the example of holiness set by the Virgin Mary and the saints.

### ROSARY

Come join us every Wednesday night for the Rosary at 6:15 PM, followed by Mass at 7:00 PM in honour of our Lady of Perpetual Help.

### WATCH MASS LIVE

Saint Martha and Mary Parish is now online you're able to watch our masses and special events through our website and this link.

Thank you to Boltwave for setting up our live streaming. I hope this will especially help those who are physically unable to attend our church. God Bless Fr Xavier.

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### USHERS AND ALTAR SERVERS PADRE PIO DEVOTION



Join us every Monday morning at 9 AM mass for a devotion to Padre Pio and be blessed by his relic. We also have a special mass the second Monday of the month at 7 PM in Italian.

"Pray, Hope and don't Worry"

- Padre Pio

# Taizé

**A Service of song, silence and contemplation**

Third Fridays at 7pm:

- Jan. 17    May 16
- Feb. 21    Jun. 20
- Mar. 21



### OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Weekend January 12

Weekly: **\$3900.05**

Miscellaneous: **\$2792.70**

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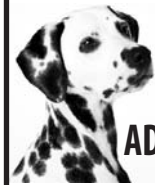
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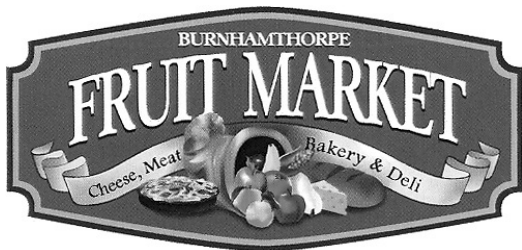
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