

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

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Register in the parish office
or online



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SENIORS IN FRIENDSHIP
Wednesday, March 26, 2025

JFK Hall 1 to 3 pm



Be sure to join us for a relaxing afternoon of conversation and delectable edibles as we gather together and celebrate our members' March Birthdays. We are also

celebrating our first anniversary - it is one year this month when the Seniors in Friendship social group began their meetings. We are very pleased to say that we are still here, getting to know each other through various activities, speakers and events, while enjoying quality time together. It's membership renewal time - \$10.00 provides a year of friendship, no tariffs here! Why sit at home alone, come and check us out, we are super friendly!

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SCHEDULE

Palm Sunday – Saturday, April 12

- 4:30 PM – Palm Sunday Vigil Mass



Palm Sunday – Sunday, April 13

- Masses: 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM

Holy Thursday – Thursday, April 17

- 7:30 PM – Mass of the Lord's Supper
- After Mass – Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in St. Mary's Chapel until midnight



Good Friday – Friday, April 18

- 12:00 PM – Celebration of the Passion of the Lord
- 3:00 PM – Celebration of the Passion of the Lord
- 7:00 PM – Stations of the Cross



Holy Saturday – Saturday, April 19

- 8:00 PM – Easter Vigil Mass



Easter Sunday – Sunday, April 20

- Masses: 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM, 12:30 PM

MASSES AND STATIONS OF THE CROSS DURING LENT

We will be praying at the foot of the Cross every Friday, according to the following schedule:



Date	Mass	Stations of the Cross	Ministry to Lead
March 28, Friday	7:00 PM	7:30 PM	Knights of Columbus
April 4, First Friday	7:00 PM	6:00 PM	St. Vincent De Paul
April 11, Friday	7:00 PM	7:30 PM	Ministers of Hospitality
April 18, Good Friday	12:00 PM 3:00 PM	7:00 PM	Liturgical Committee, Altar Servers & Choir

UNIV CONFERENCE 2025

Support Thomas & Daniel Rebello as they travel to Rome this Holy Week!

Donation Methods

CASH

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 drebello713@gmail.com
 or
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Thank you for all your prayers and support

THANK YOU FOR HEEDING THE LORD'S CALL TO FEED THE HUNGRY



For many children, the snacks and meals they receive in school may be the only nutritious food they eat all day. Studies show that children can't learn and thrive when they are hungry. Thanks to you, \$750,000 in Food Security Grants are making a difference across our community. Students receive the nourishment they deserve, and parents are supported in the process. The FoodShare program at ShareLife-funded agency Rosalie Hall "is a lifeline for families," says their Executive Director, Jane Kenny. "It helps parents provide food for their children, reduces their stress, and allows them to focus on being the best parents they can be."

Our goal of **\$52,000**. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

Taizé

A Service of song, silence and contemplation

7pm on these revised dates:

- Monday March 24th**
- Friday May 16th**
- Friday June 27th**



Mass Intentions for the Week

MONDAY, MARCH 24

9:00 A.M.

TUESDAY, MARCH 25

9:00 A.M.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26

9:00 A.M. + Ron Hansford

7:00 P.M.

THURSDAY, MARCH 27

9:00 A.M.

FRIDAY, MARCH 28

9:00 A.M.

7:00 P.M.

SATURDAY, MARCH 29

9:00 A.M.

4:30 P.M. + Michael Riley

SUNDAY, MARCH 30

9:00 A.M. + Gabriela Cabral

11:00 A.M. + Jack Lopes

+ Raymond Periera

+ Maricar Tardecilla

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

CONSECRATION OF THE FAITHFUL IN THE ARCHDIOCESE OF TORONTO TO THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, MOTHER OF THE CHURCH



In concordance with the invitation of his holiness, Pope Francis, that all the faithful annually renew the act of consecration to our Lady on the Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord, March 25, we shall make this beautiful act of Catholic devotion and spirituality at **Sts. Martha and Mary in a special Mass held at 7:00 PM on**

Tuesday, March 25. Come and be part of this beautiful act of ecclesial and personal faith.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Weekend of March 16

Weekly: **\$4,665.10**

Miscellaneous: **\$1,509.75**

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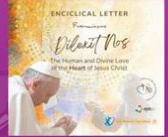
STS. MARTHA AND MARY LENTEN MISSION



The Most Reverend Terrence Prendergast, S.J., Archbishop Emeritus Ottawa-Cornwall will lead our Lenten Mission this year:

Thursday, April 3

Pope Francis' Encyclical "Dilexit Nos" "Hope from the Love of the Heart of Christ" 7:00 PM Mass with Presentation



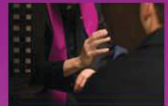
Friday, April 4

9:00 AM First Friday Mass
6:00 PM Lenten Stations of the Cross
7:00 PM, Mass with Conference: "Making a Good Lenten Confession" Followed by Eucharistic Adoration and Confessions



Saturday, April 5

9:00 AM Mass followed by Confessions until noon



LORD'S DAY

Masses Saturday April 5 at 4:30 PM
Sunday, April 6 at 9:00 and 11:00 AM "Being a Disciple of Jesus Today" [with Consecration of Families to the Sacred Heart of Jesus]



DAY WITH MARY



You are warmly invited by our Archbishop, Frank Cardinal Leo, to our first annual "Day With Mary." This special event will take place on Saturday, May 31, 2025, the Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Villanova

College, located at 2480 15th Sideroad in King City, ON.

The day-long celebration will include Holy Mass, the praying of the Rosary, Confessions, a keynote address, music, children's catechesis, fellowship, and more.

As we celebrate our Jubilee Year, Pope Francis encourages us to seek a personal encounter with the Lord Jesus. One meaningful way to do this is through His and our Mother Mary. Encountering Her allows us to encounter Him, as the wise adage goes: "To Jesus through Mary", and as taught by the Second Vatican Council: "When the Mother is honored, the Son is duly known, loved, and glorified."

So, come and join us on May 31 for a blessed encounter with the Lord in union with our Mother Mary.

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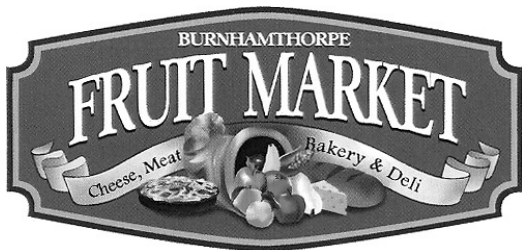
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