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

DONATE ONLINE

Credit card or direct bank account debit are an easy way to help support our parish. Tax receipts are emailed immediately for a single donation and mailed at the end of the year for recurring gifts. Scan the QR code to go to the donation page of the Archdiocese of Toronto's donation page.



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. Mary's 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

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.*

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YOU OPEN THE DOOR TO SAFETY FROM ABUSE



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Your support of ShareLife-funded agencies is a saving grace for victims of domestic abuse. Maria was trapped in an abusive relationship, isolated from family and friends. A mother of three, pregnant with her fourth, she needed

to escape for her safety and theirs. At Safe Centre of Peel, led by Catholic Family Services Peel-Dufferin, 17 partner agencies unite to care for families. They provide legal assistance, safe housing, and financial aid. Through your solidarity, Maria and her young children were able to secure the freedom they deserve.

Thus far we have raised **\$9,275** toward our goal of **\$52,000**. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

DONATING SECURITIES TO THE ARCHDIOCESE OF TORONTO

One of the most financially sound ways to support the Archdiocese of Toronto is with the gift of securities (stocks, bonds, mutual funds). When you donate securities to a registered charity, you pay no capital gains tax and receive a tax receipt for the full amount of the gift. It means a great tax break for you and an increased support of various archdiocesan charities such as your parish, ShareLife, St. Augustine's Seminary and many others. For further information, contact the Development Office at 416-934-3400 ext. 561 or send email to development@archtoronto.org.

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.

My past, O Lord, to your Mercy; my present, to your Love; my future, to your Providence! - Padre Pio

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
April 11	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 Servera & Choir

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

<u>Good Friday – Friday, April 18</u>

- 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

<u>Holy Saturday – Saturday, April 19</u>

• 8:00 PM – Easter Vigil Mass

Easter Sunday – Sunday, April 20

• Masses: 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM, 12:30 PM



ShareLife: \$9249.80 Miscellaneous: \$1544.65 Thank you for your generous support.











MONDAY, APRIL 7 – 9:00 A.M. + Francis Brown + Biddy Brown The intentions of Thomas Delami TUESDAY, APRIL 8 - 9:00 A.M.

<u>WEDNESDAY, APRIL 9</u> 9:00 A.M. 7:00 P.M. THURSDAY, APRIL 10 - 9:00 A.M.

FRIDAY, APRIL 119:00 A.M.7:00 P.M.+ Benjamin Arumainayagam
+ Fortunato Reivera MesdeSATURDAY, APRIL 129:00 A.M.4:30 P.M.+ Deceased members of the Spitsz FamilySUNDAY, APRIL 13 – PALM SUNDAY9:00 A.M.+ Mary Jane Lafleur
+ Telesflora Jabier11:00 A.M.+ Telesflora Jabier

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

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 are able to watch our masses and special

events through our website and this link. <u>https://tinyurl.com/ykwkx6u4</u>

Catholic Women's League (CWL) Tuesday, April 8, 2025 7 to 8:30 pm JFK Hall



INVITING ALL LADIES in our parish...to engage in Faith, Fun and Fulfillment. Come and spend time with like-minded Catholic women, focusing on our faith and spiritual growth, serving

our parish through engaging activities, while working and advocating for social justice issues relevant to our community. The Toronto Diocesan Council's 104th Annual Convention is at the Ajax Convention centre on April 28th and 29th, 2025, a golden opportunity to meet CWL members across the Archdiocese. Come check us out.

> SENIORS IN FRIENDSHIP Wednesday, April 9, 2025 1 to 3 pm JFK Hall

CALLING ALL SENIORS to come spend a relaxing afternoon with your fellow parishioners. This week, there will be a special presentation by



one of our own parishioners, **Dr. Rose-Marie Nigli,** who holds a Doctor in Ministry, on a topic important to all, "**Preparing for End of Life from a Medical Perspective".** Sandwiches and light refreshments will be served. Annual membership fee is \$10.00...no tariffs applicable! Don't miss this unique opportunity.



MOVIE NIGHT WITH THE YOUNG ADULTS April 18, 2025

Join us on Good Friday to watch The Passion of Christ movie as a community. The evening will begin with Stations of the Cross at 7:00 PM, followed by the viewing of the movie at 7:30 PM in the JFK Hall. *This event is open to all parishioners, but please note that the movie is rated 18+.

