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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. 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

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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



Last Sunday we celebrated Fr. Xavier's milestone of his 30th anniversary to the priesthood! His unwavering commitment to serving others, guiding his congregation, and spreading love and compassion has made a profound impact on countless lives.

Father Xavier, may the Holy Spirit keep inspiring you so that you can continue your incredible journey of faith and service for many more years to come. Happy Anniversary!



OUR LADY OF THE CAPE 2025 JUBILEE TOUR

Mark your calendars

This month of May is dedicated to our Blessed Mother, and as part of the 2025 Jubilee Tour, our Lady of the Cape will be visiting our Parish on Wednesday, **May 28, 2025.**

All are invited to participate in this wonderful event which includes the Rosary which begins at 6:30 PM, followed by Procession and Veneration, Crowning and Mass at 7 PM. In Cardinal Leo's message, for the Month of May for Our Blessed Mother, he reminds us: "As Mother of God, Mary is the favoured one who bore the Second Person of the Trinity in her heart and in her womb."

CELEBRATE THE MONTH OF MAY BY PRAYING THE HOLY ROSARY

Sundays at 10:25am



On all Sundays in May all are welcome to pray the Holy Rosary together in the church, led by the Legion of Mary. Let's honour Our Lady by praying with her for our Church, community and personal petitions. **JOIN US!**



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A HEARTFELT THANKS



The Knit Club thanks the parish for its support! Since Christmas we have knit and shipped 197 hats, 12 sets of booties, 43 sweaters with hats, 20 blankets and 16 miscellaneous items to Canadian Food for Children.

OUR LADY OF LOURDES



A newly married couple going to Our Lady of Lourdes at the end of May and are collecting prayer intentions to bring to the grotto to pray for you at their mass. If you wish, please fill out the google form from the QR code on your phone or there is a yellow folder at the back where you can write your intentions, and they will pray for you. It will be there until May 23rd. God bless you!

CONFIRMATION CELEBRATION

The sacrament of Confirmation will be held on Sunday, May 25, 2025 at 3:00 pm. The Confirmands are to meet in the Lazarus Hall at 1:00pm and the sponsors are to meet in the Lazarus Hall at 1:45pm. Any questions, please contact Mary Sbrocchi at maryassistantlaw@yahoo.ca.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Weekend May 3 & 4

Weekly: **\$4802.85**

Maintenance: **\$2002.45**

Miscellaneous: **\$4340.65**

Thank you for your generous support.



Mass Intentions for the Week

MONDAY, MAY 19– 9:00 A.M.

+ Paz Magdalena Mesde Pimintel

TUESDAY, MAY 20 - 9:00 A.M.

The intentions of Guido Di Salvo

WEDNESDAY, MAY 21

9:00 A.M.

7:00 P.M. + Douglas Raime

THURSDAY, MAY 22 – 9:00 A.M.

FRIDAY, MAY 23 - 9:00 A.M.

SATURDAY, MAY 24 9:00 A.M.

9:00 A.M.

4:30 P.M. + Maria Nguyen Thi Man

+ Valerio Santamaria

The intentions of Mike and Mary Kekich

SUNDAY, MAY 25 – 6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

9:00 A.M.

11:00 A.M. + Ron Wilkinson

+ Alfredo De La Fuente

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

A DAY WITH MARY

Saturday, May 31



Deepen your devotion to Our Lady of Hope. Join us at Villanova College in King City for Food, music and fellowship. The keynote speaker is Dr. Josephine Lombardi. Mass will be celebrated by Cardinal Leo. A bus will be leaving from Sts. Martha and Mary Church at 8:30 am. The event runs from 8:30am to 4:00pm

SENIORS IN FRIENDSHIP

Wednesday, May 21, 2025

JFK Hall 1 to 3 pm




Open invitation to all seniors - come spend an enjoyable afternoon with your fellow parishioners. This week, we are pleased to welcome **Kathy Matusiak Costa, Director, Compassionate Community Care**. This will be a **general information session** - this organisation offers several programs exclusive to seniors: compassionate care, patient advocacy and prevention, particularly for those at risk due to health, isolation or end of life concerns. Their new seniors calling service is funded by the Government of Canada's New Horizons for Seniors Program. Come and check them out.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE (CWL) -

THANK YOU!!



The CWL would like to extend a very  heartfelt thank you to all parishioners who supported the **Mother's Day Plant Sale**. We hope the dahlias, gerbera daisies, geraniums and other flowers supplied by Sunshine Gardens were a lovely surprise and will be enjoyed by your very special Mothers right into the fall! Even though we ordered more flowers this year, thanks to each of you, we were completely sold out. In all, we raised \$805.00 which will be put towards future projects in our parish community.

BRKFREE Young Adult Social

Friday, May 23

Join us for an exciting night at BRKFREE — Mississauga's newest adrenaline-filled adventure space! With over 35 high-tech challenge rooms spread across 25,000 square feet, BRKFREE offers a fast-paced mix of physical, mental, and skill-based activities that will keep you on your toes. Get ready to BRKFREE together! BRKFREE, 1620 Tech Ave Unit 4, Mississauga, ON 7:30 – 9:30 PM [Register Here](#)

When registering, be sure to select May 23, 2025, at 7:30 PM for your 2-hour admission ticket (\$34)— and don't forget to sign your waiver ahead of time.

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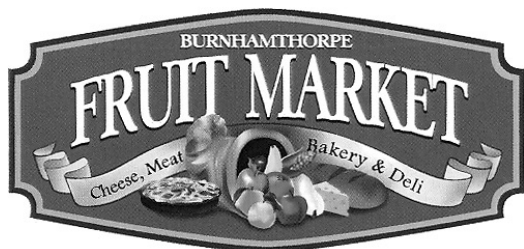
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