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. 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

DONATE ONLINE

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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.



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.



THANK YOU!

Thanks to your generosity, we have completed the ShareLife second collection and are now more than halfway to our parish goal. We have collected \$27,763.35 toward our parish campaign goal of \$52,000. During these challenging times, more people are turning to a ShareLife-funded agency for help.

The third collection will take place on the weekend of June 7-8.

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!**

YOUR LOVE CAN HELP OTHERS THRIVE



Mental health challenges can impact anyone, whether you're personally navigating them or supporting someone who is. These struggles transcend age and circumstance. Brenda was weighed down by shame,

having battled anxiety and depression for decades. Through your support, she found a new perspective at a Catholic Family Services agency funded by ShareLife, where counselling lifted her up and allowed her to see her own worth. Your compassion is instrumental in helping others see themselves as God sees them: loving, important, and enough.

"FROM A LADY'S MAN TO OUR LADY'S MAN: THE INFLUENCE OF THE VIRGIN MARY ON ST. IGNATIUS OF LOYOLA"

You are invited to the LAST Spiritus West event of the Ministry year! We are really excited for our speaker to talk about St. Ignatius' devotion to our lady in this month of Mary. It will be a great talk led by Fr. Edmund Lo and we will start from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. on Wednesday, May 21. With that being said as we get ready for this event in the next few weeks, be sure to think about what Marian title you may look to in your own personal life! St. Francis Xavier Parish 5650 Mavis Rd, Mississauga

CONFIRMATION CELEBRATION

The sacrament of Confirmation will be held on Sunday, May 25, 2025 at 3:00 pm. The Confirmandis 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: **\$4679.55**

Miscellaneous: \$1350.55

Thank you for your generous support.





MONDAY, MAY 26 – 9:00 A.M.

TUESDAY, MAY 27 - 9:00 A.M.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 28

9:00 A.M.

7:00 P.M. The Beatification of Edel Quinn

THURSDAY, MAY 29 - 9:00 A.M.

FRIDAY, MAY 30 - 9:00 A.M

+ Jack Lopes

+ Raul Soriano

SATURDAY, MAY 31 9:00 A.M.

9:00 A.M. + Maria Tran Thi Kieu 4:30 P.M. + Adelina Verdone

SUNDAY, JUNE 1 - ASCENSION OF THE LORD

9:00 A.M. + Lud Grandy

+ Peter Rebello

+ Pat Doi

11:00 A.M. + Adelina Verdone

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.

UPDATED: DAY WITH MARY PLEASE CHECK BELOW FOR UPDATES.



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 daylong 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.

More information available at www.archtoronto.org/mary

Leaving from Sts. Martha & Mary Church on May 31st at 8:30 am, returning at 4:00 pm.

Cost per person: \$30.00 each. No charge for children. If 50 people sign up it would pay for the bus. (\$1,500.00) There is no cost for the event.

Welcome to bring your own picnic lunch. Payment can be made at the church office.

The day is for the whole family. There will be catechesis and activities for children of all ages. There will be a keynote address and powerful witnessings for the adults as well as Mass, Rosary and Rosary craft for the children. Confessions will be heard after lunch. This is a family-friendly way to grow deeper in our devotion tour Lady.

Please call Clare at 416 200 5492 for further information if necessary.

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