

# 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
- Deacon Stephan Brunck
- In residence
  - Rev. Praneesh Anchanithadathil Samuel
- Weekend help
  - Bishop John Corriveau OFM Cap
  - Fr. Robert Barringer, CSB

## STAFF

- Office administrator - Melinda Mayo

## OFFICE HOURS

- Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday: 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM & 1:30 PM - 4:30 PM
- Closed Saturday, Sunday, Monday and Thursday

## 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
- Sts. Martha and Mary Elementary School 905-624-9625

## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

- For assistance, please call 905-625-5670 ext. 4 and leave your name and phone number.

## 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.



## 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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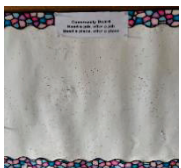
Dear Friends

As you know recently, we've put a bin out and asking you to please bring toiletries for Dr. Simone's Canadian food for children this will be going on all year long. Since Thanksgiving is coming up we will be putting out extra containers if you could donate some non-perishable food items as well and they will go to those greatly in need.

Once again thank you for helping Canadian food for children and Dr. Simone's mission.

God Bless

Fr Xavier



#### COMMUNITY BULLETIN BOARD

Take the time to look at our new community board in our lobby. Are you looking for a job? Can you offer a job? Are you looking for a place? Can you offer a place. Let us help our brothers and sisters.

#### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE



The SVDP is requesting parishioners assist them with food cards from either Food Basics or Walmart. Kindly drop the certificate in any of the St. Vincent de Paul poor boxes at the entrances of the church. If you are able to help, kindly submit the cards no later than Oct. 5th. Tax receipts will be available for gifts greater than \$25 upon request. Thank you for your generosity.

#### LIFE CHAIN – SUNDAY, OCTOBER 5<sup>TH</sup>, 2 - 3 pm



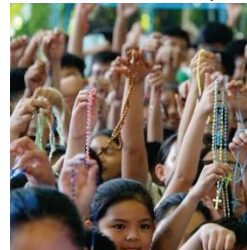
Where? On the corners of Burnhamthorpe Rd. and Pony Trail.

Life Chain is an annual event that raises

awareness about the injustice of abortion and the inherent dignity of every human being, no matter their age. Join thousands across Canada standing against abortion in a peaceful and prayerful demonstration. Mississauga Right to Life invites everyone to participate in this important prolife event.

#### PUBLIC SQUARE ROSARY RALLY

Saturday, October 11th – 12 noon sharp



This rally is part of a Canada wide prayer initiation in collaboration with Canada Needs Our Lady.

Catholics will gather to pray the Rosary, honoring Our Blessed Mother and asking her powerful intercession for our Church, our

families and our nation. Public prayer is a powerful witness of faith and a source of strength for all. Please consider being present at this gathering.

#### VOLUNTEER CATECHISTS AND STUDENT VOLUNTEERS

We are inviting any parishioners who would like to volunteer their time to assist in the First Reconciliation Preparation classes on the following Saturdays: September 27, October 4, November 8 and November 22 for one hour between 11:00 am – 12:00 pm or 1:00 pm-2:00 pm High school students who would like to earn Community Service hours are encouraged to participate! Your help would be needed to assist in taking attendance, supervising small groups of children and assisting them in small group activities. If you have some time to share and are interested in being a volunteer, please contact the Church Office or see Fr DePinto.

#### THE RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS



The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the way that a non-baptized person is brought into full communion with the Catholic Church. Are you or someone you know interested in becoming a Catholic? Please get in touch with Fr. Xavier. Classes are scheduled to begin in October 2025. If you are interested in helping out or want to be a sponsor, please contact Maybelle at 905-272-3836.

#### SPIRITUS WEST EVENT



If you are looking for a Young Adult Catholic community then this is for you. Spiritus West will be hosting an event at St. Joseph's in Mississauga on October 15 from 7PM - 9PM.

For more information or to register please check out [www.ocytoronto.org](http://www.ocytoronto.org)



## Mass Intentions for the Week

### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

9:00 A.M. + Jose Travasso and Antonette Travasso

### TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

9:00 A.M. Dominik – Birthday blessings

### WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1

9:00 A.M.

7:00 P.M.

### THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2

9:00 A.M.

### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3

9:00 A.M. Intentions of Sister Marie Fernandes

7:00 P.M.

### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4

9:00 A.M.

4:30 P.M. + Anne Grimes

### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 5

9:00 A.M. Norton and Valdemira Ferreira  
+ Evelyn Zubek

11:00 A.M. + Noel Noronha  
+ Julio Tolentino and Adriana Rivera  
Tolentino



## Autumn Fest

Join Us for an Evening of  
Good Food and Community to Celebrate...  
the 58<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of our Church!!!

**Saturday, October 25, 2025 @ 6:00 PM**

**Sts. Martha, Mary, and Lazarus Hall**  
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**Dress: Semi Formal**

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**For tickets and more information, please contact:**  
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### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL – TOONIE COLLECTION

October 4 & 5, 2025



Just a little reminder that there will be a Toonie Collection after all masses next weekend. Your contribution and participation are greatly appreciated.

We thank you for continuing to support our Neighbours in Need through the St. Vincent de Paul Society.

### ONLINE BEREAVEMENT INTRODUCTORY PROGRAM

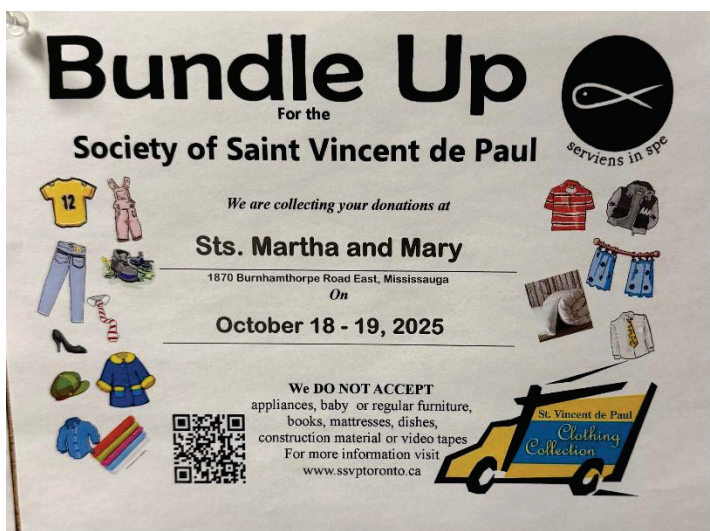
This program offers both women and men a learning environment which is safe, welcoming and non-judgmental. The program provides 4 weeks of psychoeducation, which assists and accompanies the bereaved in exploring grief, experiencing healing and renewing faith. The program resources include PowerPoint, and time will be allocated for group discussion. We welcome people from all ethnic, cultural and religious backgrounds.

**October 8, 2025 @ 7:00 pm**

Register at: <https://nbb1025.eventbrite.ca>

For more information please contact:

Arcangelo Limanni, MRE, MACP, RP (Qualifying)  
[alimanni@cfstoronto.com](mailto:alimanni@cfstoronto.com), (647) 215-3978.



## Bundle Up

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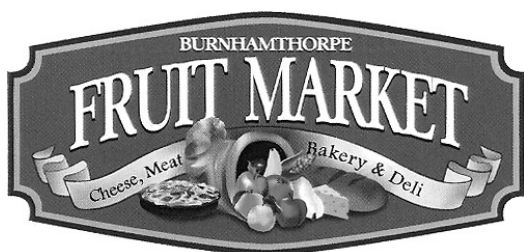
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