

# 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 - 8:00 AM - 8:45 AM, 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.

## CATHOLIC CEMETERIES AND FUNERAL SERVICES

- 416-733-8544

## 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.

**Saints Martha and Mary Parish**

### SENIORS IN FRIENDSHIP

Wednesday, October 22, 2025

JFK Hall 1 to 3 pm



**CALLING OUR SENIOR MEMBERS - IT'S FOOD TRUCK TIME!!** Come and enjoy a relaxing afternoon with friends

as **Jerk Brothers Food Truck** caters a lovely luncheon of Caribbean fusion food with a Jamaican flair! Savoury chicken dishes, rice specialties and several salads...all for the tasting. With over 25 years of experience, **Head Chef/Owner Collin Black**, most recently appearing at the CNE and Cloverdale's Relish Event, will be providing the delectable spread. And since Hallowe'en is just around the corner, we hope you will come "masked" to this event, just for the fun of it. We look forward to seeing you there!

### RELIGIOUS GOODS SALE



Perpetual Religious Goods will be selling a selection of religious statues, pictures and rosaries on Saturday November 29<sup>th</sup> and Sunday November 30<sup>th</sup>, after all masses, at the back of the church. A portion of the

proceeds will go to the parish.

### CHRISTIAN LIFE SEMINAR

Please join the Missionary Families of Christ (MFC) for a free Christian Life Seminar, a 6-week journey of faith, fellowship, and growth. The seminar is open to all and begins on October 10<sup>th</sup>. We meet every Friday evening from 6:30 PM - 9:30 PM in the JFK Hall at Sts. Martha & Mary Parish. For details, please contact Rey Isip at (647) 920-8941 or Edgar Fabros (416) 550-3733.



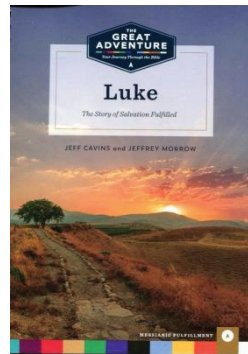
### 40 DAYS FOR LIFE



40 Days for Life has already begun. Our day to participate is Thursday, Oct. 30<sup>th</sup> between the hours of 7:00 am and 6:00 pm.

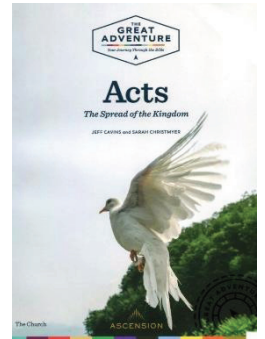
Please keep 1 hour on this day reserved to take part if possible. Sign up sheets and details will follow.

### PARISH BIBLE STUDY



You are warmly invited to join a transformative 28-week Bible study from Ascension Press, exploring The Gospel according to Luke and The Acts of the Apostles, two inspired volumes of a single, unified narrative revealing

God's plan of salvation fulfilled in Christ and extended through His Church. Guided by Jeff Cavins, Sarah Christmyer, and Dr. Jeffrey Morrow, this in-depth study unfolds in two parts:



- ◆ **Luke: The Story of Salvation Fulfilled (8 Sessions)**
- ◆ **The Acts of the Apostles: The Spread of the Kingdom (20 Sessions)**

### Weekly Gathering

Day: Saturdays

Time: 9:45 AM – 11:55 AM

Dates: November 1, 2025 – June 13, 2026

Location: Sts. Martha and Mary Parish – JFK Hall, 1870 Burnhamthorpe Rd. E., Mississauga

Each session includes:

- Fellowship and Christ-centered small-group discussion
- Dynamic video presentations by Jeff Cavins, Sarah Christmyer, and Dr. Jeffrey Morrow

### Registration & Information

Visit: The Information Table in the Vestibule, Our Parish Bulletin & The Parish Website

Email: [AnchorOfHopeBibleStudyGroup@gmail.com](mailto:AnchorOfHopeBibleStudyGroup@gmail.com) /

Phone: 647-448-0830

We hope you will join us for this enriching journey through Sacred Scripture deepening our knowledge of Christ and growing in communion with His Church.

*"Then beginning with Moses and all the prophets, He interpreted to them what referred to Him in all the Scriptures." (Luke 24:27)*

### **MASS INTENTIONS**

Monday, October 20 – Saturday, October 26

#### **MONDAY, OCTOBER 20**

9:00 A.M.

#### **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21**

9:00 A.M.

#### **WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22**

9:00 A.M. The intentions of Alan Kearsey

7:00 P.M.

#### **THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23**

9:00 A.M.

#### **FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24**

9:00 A.M. + Gertrude Nusdorfer

#### **SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25**

9:00 A.M.

4:30 P.M.

#### **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 26**

9:00 A.M.

11:00 A.M. + Felicidade & Francisco Coutinho  
+ Josephine Mifsud  
+ Michele Di Ioia

### **CELEBRATE THE MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY**

**by praying together Sundays at 10:30am**

On Sundays in October 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!**



### **PRAY FOR VOCATIONS**

God will answer the prayers of those who cry out. Ask for men and women to respond to the call to service as priests, deacons, religious brothers and sisters.

If God is calling you contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

[vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org) - [www.vocationstoronto.ca](http://www.vocationstoronto.ca)

### **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.

## **Bough Beeches Place**

On November 15 **Bough Beeches Place** is hosting vendors for Christmas Market from 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM. We need vendors for the event!

[riya@boughbeechesplace.ca](mailto:riya@boughbeechesplace.ca)

### **CONSIDER PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING PLAN (PAG)**



The Pre-Authorized Giving Plan, authorized and supported by the Archdiocese of Toronto, is a direct debit program allowing you to support our Parish through an automatic monthly withdrawal from your bank account.

Now you can lend us your support in the same manner that you currently pay many of your current financial obligations without writing cheques or searching your wallet for cash every Sunday. PAG brochures and sign-up forms are available at the back of the Church and in the parish office. The form is also available on our website for download: <https://tinyurl.com/mr2pwvde>. To enroll in this convenient program, simply fill out the form, attach a void cheque and drop it into the weekly collection basket or mail it or bring it to the Parish Office. For additional information on PAG please contact the parish office. A tax receipt will be issued to you for the donations you contribute for that year.

### **OFFERTORY COLLECTION**

Weekend of October 11-12

Weekly: \$ 3883.50

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