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## FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

### 25<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE EPISCOPAL ORDINATION OF THE MOST REV. JOHN A. BOISSONNEAU



Our parish joyfully invites all parishioners and friends to a celebration to acknowledge the 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Episcopal Ordination of the Most Rev. John A. Boissonneau. We will mark this special milestone with a Thanksgiving Mass on Sunday, May 31, at 11:00 AM here at our parish which Bishop John will be celebrating.

This silver jubilee is a beautiful occasion to give thanks to God for Bishop John's faithful service to the Church, his pastoral leadership, and his dedication to shepherding the People of God over the past twenty-five years.

Please join us in prayer and celebration as we honour his ministry and ask the Lord to continue to bless him with wisdom, strength, and grace in the years ahead.

Please join us after the mass in the Sts. Martha, Mary and Lazarus Hall for some refreshments to congratulate and greet Bishop John.

### THANK YOU!!!



Thank you to everyone who supported our parish sale this past weekend. Whether you came to shop, donated items, or were simply patient with the extra activity and clutter around the parish, we are truly grateful.

We are pleased to share that the sale raised **\$21,000** toward our roof renovations.

A special thank-you goes to all the volunteers who generously gave their time to organize, set up, and run the event. Your dedication made the day possible.

### FR. SOL PARANAS

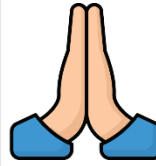


Please join us in prayer for Fr. Sol Paranas, who returned to the Lord in the Philippines on April 5.

A Memorial Mass will be offered at Sts Martha and Mary Church on Wednesday May 6 at 7pm in thanksgiving for his life, faithful service, and devotion to God and His people. Let us come together as a community to remember Fr. Sol, pray for the repose of his soul, and offer comfort to his family and loved ones.

"Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May he rest in peace. Amen."

### FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK



We extend our heartfelt gratitude to Edith and Eric De Souza for their most generous donation of \$50,000 toward our Roof Repair Fund, made in honour of their recently deceased son-in-law, Norman Fonseca.

Their kindness, faith, and generosity are a true blessing to our parish community during this important time. Through this meaningful gift, Norman's memory will continue to live on in the care and preservation of our parish home.

With this donation, we are now approximately \$100,000 toward our roof replacement fund goal of 1 million dollars.

May God bless Edith and Eric abundantly for their compassion and support, and may Norman Fonseca rest in eternal peace. Thank you for helping our parish in such a significant way.

God bless you  
Fr. Xavier De Pinto

### MARCH FOR LIFE



The 2026 March for Life in Ottawa will take place on Thursday, May 14th. The theme this year is "Follow Me". This is your opportunity to restore a culture of life. SAVED LIVES. SAVED SOULS. There will be a bus leaving Sts. Peter & Paul Church at 6:30 am and the cost is \$40.00 per person. There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board in the lobby. For information call Clare at 905-625-7213 or **416-200-5492**.

### NEW OFFICE HOURS



Please note our new office hours: **Tuesday through Friday, from 8:30 AM to 12:30 PM.** We appreciate your understanding and look forward to helping you during

these updated hours, all phone messages and emails will also be answered.

### 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!**



### WATCH MASS LIVE



Saints Martha and Mary Parish is now online. You are able to watch our masses and special events through our website and this link: <https://tinyurl.com/ykwkx6u4>

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**MONDAY, APRIL 27**

9:00 A.M. Lucas Bancercz – For God’s blessings and good health  
+ Sandra Abreu

**TUESDAY, APRIL 28**

9:00 A.M. + Anita Dias  
+ Jan + Janina Oleszek  
+ Sandra Abreu

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29**

9:00 A.M. + Sandra Abreu

**THURSDAY, APRIL 30**

9:00 A.M. + Joaquim Lopes  
+ Sandra Abreu

**FRIDAY, MAY 1**

9:00 A.M. Rosa La Posta  
7:00 P.M.

**SATURDAY, MAY 2**

9:00 A.M.  
4:30 P.M. + Jose & Maria Frias  
+ Tony & Sandy Valinho  
+ Barbara Townshend  
+ Jose & Fernanda Almeida  
+ Rose & Margaret Almeida

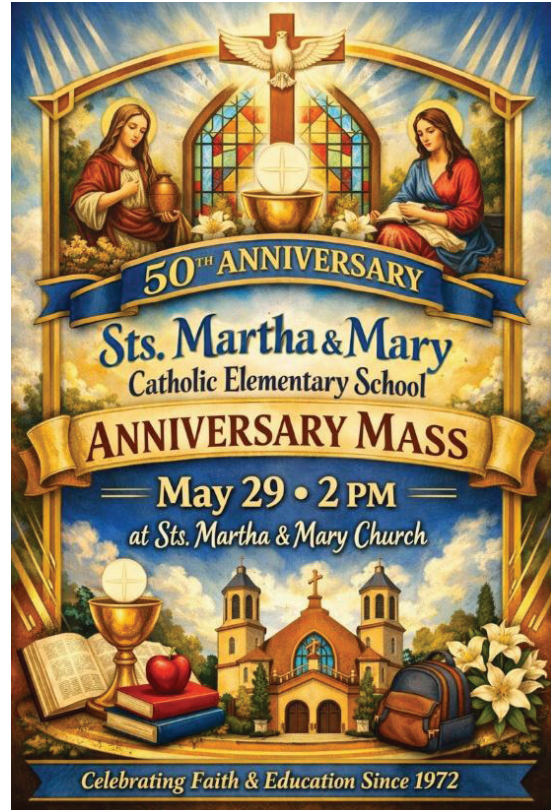
**SUNDAY, MAY 3**

9:00 A.M.  
11:00 A.M.

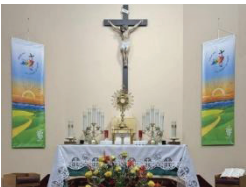
**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL TOONIE SUNDAY!**



Toonie Sunday collection will take place after all 3 weekend masses on **Saturday May 2 and Sunday May 3, 2026**. Thank you for your continued support of the Toonie Sunday collection.



**FIRST FRIDAY HOLY HOUR**



Friday, May 1, the first Friday of the month, we will celebrate our Holy Hour starting at 6:00 PM with devotions to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and Divine Mercy chaplet followed by Mass at 7:00 PM.

Every first Friday now you'll have the opportunity of being blessed with the Holy Oil of St. Joseph with which St. Brother Andre would bless countless pilgrims.

**DAY WITH MARY**



You are invited to a “Day With Mary” taking place on Saturday, May 30, 2026 at Villanova College in King City. This family-friendly day will consist of Holy Mass with His Eminence Frank Cardinal Leo, praying of the Rosary, Confessions, a keynote address for adults and children’s catechesis for the little ones. There will be music,

fellowship and more.

There is no fee to register – this is a free event open to all. Register online today at <https://bit.ly/DWMMRegistration>. Complete information can be found at <https://archtoronto.org/Mary>.

**2026 SPRING TOUR OF OUR LADY OF THE CAPE**



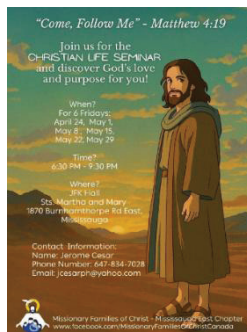
Our Lady of the Cape Pilgrim Statue will visit Sts Martha & Mary Church on Mother’s Day, Sunday, May 10<sup>th</sup> from 8:30 am to 12:30 pm. The Spring Tour is sponsored by the National Shrine and is accompanied by Fr. Wedner Bérard.

The program includes the Rosary, celebration of Mass, Crowning, Candlelight Procession, and Veneration. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to visit Our National Madonna, venerate Her Pilgrim Statue, and be blessed!

**CHRISTIAN LIFE SEMINAR**

The Missionary Families of Christ (MFC) will be conducting a Christian Life Seminar (CLS) starting **Friday, April 24 from 6:30PM-9:30PM for 6 consecutive Fridays** at the JFK Hall of Sts. Martha and Mary.

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