

Saints Martha and Mary Parish

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60th anniversary
1967-2027

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

STAFF

- Office administrator - Victoria Semedo

OFFICE HOURS

- Tuesday through Friday: 8:30 AM – 12:30 PM
- Closed on Saturday, Sunday and Monday

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 - 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

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Register in the parish office
or online



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MFC KIDS – ALL SAINTS' DAY CELEBRATION



MFC Kids invites all children ages 4–12 to celebrate **All Saints' Day** on **Saturday, October 31, 2026, from 12:00 noon to 3:00 p.m.**, at **Sts. Martha & Mary Hall**.

The celebration will include a Rosary, a reflection by Father Xavier on why Catholics celebrate All Saints' Day, a parade of children dressed as saints, games, and prizes. The event will conclude with the Divine Mercy Chaplet. Children are encouraged to come dressed as their favourite saint!

Registration: Scan the QR code on the event poster or email misseast.mfckids@gmail.com to receive the registration website link.



All are welcome!

For more information check out our poster: tinyurl.com/mpu6e9pf

ARCHDIOCESAN DAY FOR PALLIATIVE CARE – OCTOBER 24–25, 2026



We invite everyone to read His Eminence Frank Cardinal Leo's message on palliative care, reminding us of the importance of compassionate care that respects human dignity and offers comfort, hope, and spiritual support to those facing serious illness. Let us pray for patients, their families, and all caregivers.

Read the full message here: <https://tinyurl.com/mprpj729>

ALL SOULS' DAY – SPECIAL MASS

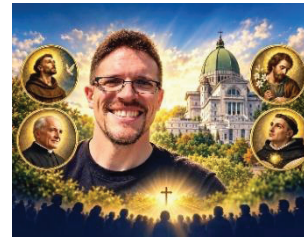


Sts. Martha and Mary Parish invites you to join us for a special Mass in commemoration of **All Souls' Day** on **Monday, November 2, at 7:00 PM**.

During this special celebration, we will remember and pray for our beloved departed family members and friends. Please bring a picture of your loved one to place in front of the altar as we gather in prayer and remembrance.

May we continue to cherish their memories, entrust them to God's loving mercy, and remember them in our prayers throughout this special month and throughout the year.

DISCOVER THE POWER OF THE COMMUNION OF SAINTS



Join us for a special evening, **Saturday, November 14 at 5:30 p.m.**, after the Vigil Mass, in the JFK Hall, with **Caleb Upton**, Deputy Grand Knight of the Knights of Columbus, as he shares his **journey of conversion to**

the Catholic faith and how the saints helped lead him closer to Christ.

Learn about the powerful intercession and example of **St. Francis of Assisi, St. Joseph, St. André Bessette, and St. Thomas Aquinas**.

Come and discover the power of the Communion of Saints!

SENIORS IN FRIENDSHIP Wednesday, October 28, 2026 JFK HALL 1 to 3 pm



A HAUNTING WE WILL GO! This week, we welcome **Matthew Wilkinson**, from **Heritage Mississauga (Mississauga Heritage Foundation)**, a not-for-profit

organisation that began in 1960 and, since 1994, has been dedicated to researching, recording and celebrating Mississauga's diverse heritage. Heritage Mississauga supports the community with resources, promotes community activities and engages in dialogue to further awareness. It strives to create a sustainable heritage resource that continues to contribute to the local community's cultural vibrancy and remains available to all. Matthew will be presenting **"The Other Side: Haunted Mississauga Revisited"** just in time for Halloween, the annual celebration noted for its pagan origins, its Christian roots as well as its secular traditions! Trick or treat, spooks and goblins 🎃 🍬 - come and check it out!

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MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, OCTOBER 26

9:00 AM + Wayne Michael

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 27

9:00 AM + Ben Locicero

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28

9:00 AM + Norman Fonseca
+ Ugo Crozzoli

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29

9:00 AM + For Forgotten Souls in Purgatory

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30

9:00 AM For All Parishioners

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31

9:00 AM + Helen Chan
+ Elizabeth Mak
4:30 PM + Dr. Greta Fegreda
Living and deceased members of the Knitting Club
+ Francesco Palmieri

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1

9:00 AM Aguiar Family – in thanksgiving for favours received.

+ Domenico & Filippa Calderone
+ Jerzy Wojciech & Stefania Dulat
+ Ursula Brunck
+ Lynda Grace Halyburton
+ Deceased members of the Abruscata & La Poste families
11:00 AM + Severino Valkovic
+ Domenico Zaccardelli
+ Ambrose Chan
+ Alfred Micallef

1ST ANNUAL CHRISTMAS MARKET – CALLING ALL ARTISANS!

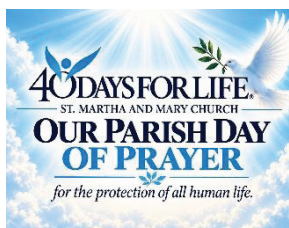


Sts. Martha & Mary Church invites local artisans, crafters, and makers to participate in our **1st Annual Christmas Market** on **Saturday, November 28, 2026, from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM.**

Vendor Fee: \$70, plus one donated item for the parish raffle.

Spaces are limited, so reserve yours early! To apply or inquire, please contact asadaygoesby@hotmail.com. We look forward to welcoming you to our Christmas Market!

40 DAYS FOR LIFE – OUR PARISH DAY OF PRAYER



St. Martha and Mary Church invites all parishioners to participate in our **Parish Day of Prayer for the Protection of All Human Life** on **Thursday, October 29, 2026, from 8:00 AM to 8:00 PM.**

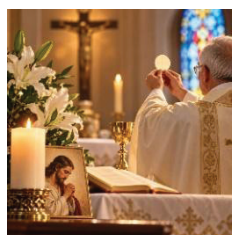
Please choose an hour and join us in peaceful prayer for the protection of all human life. Sign up for your preferred time on the vigil sheet located in the church lobby.

The 40 Days for Life peaceful prayer vigil takes place daily from September 23 through November 1, from **8:00 AM to 8:00 PM, on the public right-of-way near Mississauga Women's Clinic, 101 Queensway West (at Confederation Drive).** Free parking and sign-in are available at nearby St. Catherine of Siena Parish.

If you are unable to participate on October 29, you may sign up for another date. For more information or to register, please visit www.40daysforlife.com/mississauga.

Let us unite in prayer for the protection of every human life.

UNANNOUNCED MASSES



Unannounced Masses are available for those who wish to have a Mass offered for a loved one or special intention. These Masses are celebrated privately by a **retired priest**, and while they are not listed in our public Mass schedule, each intention is prayerfully remembered.

Offerings are **\$10** and may be arranged through the parish office.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Regular: \$ 4,327.90
Roof fund: \$ 2,230.25



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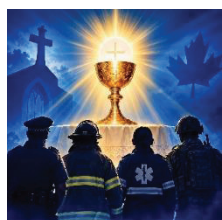
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MEMORIAL BLUE MASS



All are welcome to join us **Saturday, November 14, 2026 at 10:00 a.m.** for a special **Memorial Blue Mass** honoring our **first responders, military personnel, and public safety professionals**, especially those who have served and made the ultimate sacrifice. First responders, service

personnel, their families, and friends are especially invited to attend.

A small reception will follow the Mass in JFK Hall.

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