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
- 416-733-8544

DONATE ONLINE

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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.*

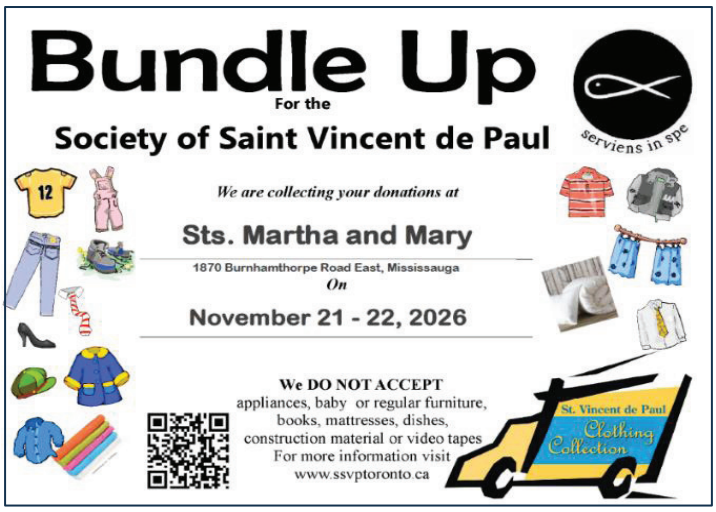


ST. VINCENT DE PAUL'S CHRISTMAS PROGRAM



Christmas gift bags with a list of suggested items will be available to Parishioners who wish to participate in our annual St. Vincent de Paul Christmas Program to help our Neighbours in Need. Bags will be available at the back of the Church on November 28th & November 29th to be returned December 12 or sooner.

As always, we are grateful for your generosity and support!



PRAY FOR VOCATIONS

"Lord, when was it that we saw you …?" Have you heard the Lord as well?

If God is calling you to serve as a priest, deacon, brother or sister, contact Fr. David Twaddle, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.

vocations@archtoronto.org - www.vocationstoronto.ca



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE (CWL)

November 21st, 22nd and 28th



PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDARS ONCE AGAIN! We will be **taking orders for the limited edition custom-made sweatshirts displaying the 60th year anniversary Church logo; all proceeds will benefit the roof replacement project.** These sweatshirts feature a special 80/20 blend: a cotton-rich mix that creates natural softness and breathability with polyester adding strength and reducing wrinkling. Made by a local Mississauga business, they are available in unique Balsam Green and Midnight Blue colours for only $50.00. Sweatshirts must be paid for in advance (cash, cheque or e-transfer). We will be **taking orders the weekend of November 21st and 22nd after all Masses and on November 28th at the Christmas Market.** ! We thank you for your support.

TIME TO PICK UP YOUR 60TH ANNIVERSARY SWEATSHIRTS - Parishioners who placed orders in September and October may pick up their sweatshirts at the Christmas Market on Saturday, November 28th, at the CWL Table between 10 am and 4 pm.

FIRST 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 Anne at (647) 569-4775 or email** asadaygoesby@hotmail.com. We look forward to welcoming you to our Christmas Market!

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 23
9:00 AM For Forgotten Souls in Purgatory

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 24
9:00 AM + Ronnie Fernandes

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 25
9:00 AM For all Parishioners

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 26
9:00 AM **Rajesh Sharma – God's blessings and protection on his birthday**

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 27
9:00 AM

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 28
9:00 AM + Norman Fonseca
4:30 PM + Jose & Maria Frias
Tony & Sandy Valinho
Living & deceased members of the Knitting Club.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 29
9:00 AM + William (Billy) Laslavic
11:00 AM + Lino Liberatore
+ Desi Liberatore
+ Ronnie Fernandes

To book your Mass intentions, kindly visit the Parish Office during regular office hours. Please do not place Mass intention envelopes in the Sunday offering basket.

Booking is done through the office only.



OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Regular:	$ 4,681.00
Roof fund:	$ 671.40
Shepherd's Trust:	$ 4,073.45



Thank you for your generous support.

SOLEMNITY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF MARY



Sts. Martha and Mary Parish warmly invites all parishioners to celebrate the **Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary**.

Join us for Holy Mass on
Tuesday, December 8, 2026 at 7:00 PM

On this special occasion, a replica of Grimaldi's statue of the Immaculate Conception will be placed in the sanctuary during Mass.

Let us come together in prayer and honour Mary, our Blessed Mother, on this beautiful feast day.

All are welcome!



DID YOU KNOW?...

This Sunday, we celebrate the **Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe**, recognizing His supreme authority over all creation.

The feast was instituted by Pope Pius XI in 1925 through his encyclical *Quas Primas*, on the 1,600th anniversary of the Council of Nicaea (325 AD). The Council affirmed Christ's divinity, declaring Him **"consubstantial with the Father"**—of the same divine nature—and "begotten, not made" (CCC 242).

Rather than commemorating an event in Jesus' life, this feast celebrates who He is: our Lord and King. It invites us to acknowledge His authority and make Him the centre of our lives.

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