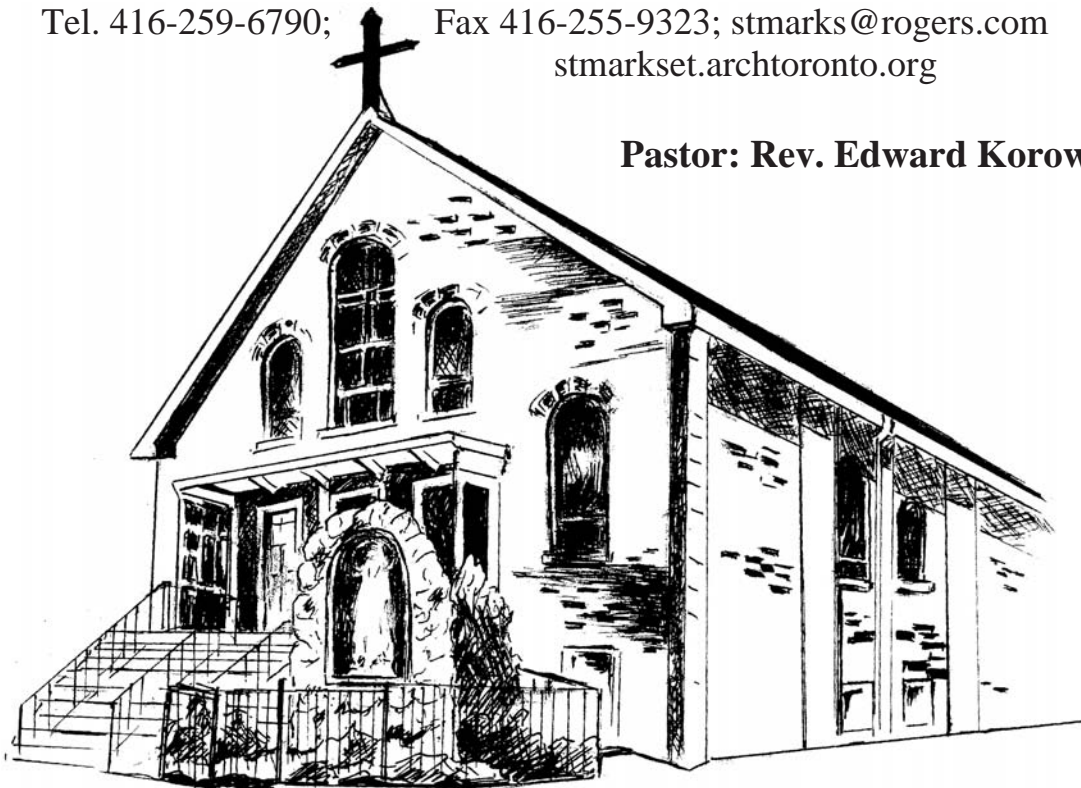


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Pastor: Rev. Edward Koroway

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 5:00 p.m. (English)
Sunday 8:30 a.m. (English)
10:00 a.m. (Polish)
11:30 a.m. (English)

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday 7:00 p.m. (Polish)
Tuesday 9:00 a.m. (English)
Wednesday 9:00 a.m. (English)
Thursday 9:00 a.m. (English)
Friday 9:00 a.m. (English)

CONFESSIONS

First Friday 6:00 p.m. to 6:45 p.m.
Saturday 4:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., or by appointment.

BAPTISMS: by appointment

MARRIAGE: please contact the priest one year in advance.
A marriage preparation course is required.

DEVOTIONS:

Rosary daily before Mass
First Friday Exposition: 9:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., followed by
Benediction and Mass in Polish at 7:10 p.m.

REGISTRATION:

Every family in the Parish should be properly registered.
New parishioners are welcome, and invited to register and
collect a box of Church support envelopes

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St. Mark
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Sainte-Marguerite-d'Youville
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416-393-5418

USEFUL INTERNET WEBSITES

archtoronto.org (Toronto archdiocese)
vatican.va (the Holy See)
cccb.ca (Canadian Catholic Bishops)
acbo.on.ca (Ontario Catholic Bishops)
uscgb.org (U.S. Catholic Bishops)
lifesitenews.com (pro-life news)
ccrl.ca (Catholic Civil Rights League)

tedsb.org (Toronto Catholic School Board)
vocationstoronto.ca (Vocations Office)
catholic-cemeteries.com (Catholic Cemeteries)
katolik.pl (Polish Catholic website)
catholicherald.co.uk (Catholic news)
catholicregister.org (The Catholic Register)
ksmradio.com (local Polish Catholic Family radio)

Please consider remembering St. Mark's Parish in your will. Thank you!



- Jan.19: 5:00 p.m. For the Parishioners of St. Mark's
 Jan.20: 8:30 a.m. Gloria and Loretta Lee
 10:00 a.m. Za Beatę Flis
 11:30 a.m. Mirko Jurman
 Jan.21: 7:00 p.m. W pewnej intencji
 Jan.22: 9:00 a.m. Special Intention
 Jan.23: 9:00 a.m. Special Intention
 Jan.24: 9:00 a.m. Thanksgiving
 Jan.25: 9:00 a.m. Special Intention
 Jan.26: 5:00 p.m. For the Parishioners of St. Mark's
 Jan.27: 8:30 a.m. Clarita and Osmund Angeles
 10:00 a.m. Za Zofię i Wacława Witek
 11:30 a.m. Matteo Zingaro

BUILDING FUND COLLECTION: Our monthly Building Fund collection will take place after Holy Communion *next* weekend. Special blue envelopes are available at the back of the Church for this purpose. The funds raised will go towards the many renovation projects that need to be addressed in our Church. *Thank you!*

“ORDINARY TIME”: The Feast of the Lord's Baptism was celebrated last Sunday. This feast marks the end of the Christmas season in the Church. We now begin the season known as “Ordinary Time”. Normally green Mass vestments are worn, except on feasts and memorials of saints. During Ordinary Time, the Church celebrates the fullness of the mystery of the Lord Jesus. The people of God offer praise by celebrating the Paschal Mystery of the death and resurrection of Jesus, especially on the Lord's Day, the day Our Lord rose from the dead.

BLANK OFFERTORY ENVELOPES FOR 2019 are available now on the tables at the back of the Church for those who have not been using them this past year. (*Please do not take a single envelope out of the box, but take the whole box if you wish to use the envelopes.*) We encourage everyone to use envelopes. The envelopes allow us to issue a tax receipt for your charitable donations. They also provide a record of your registration in the parish and attendance at Mass, should you require a sacramental reference letter at

some stage. Be sure to fill in your name, address and phone number on the first few envelopes. Also, *please try to write the amount of your donation on the envelope*, to ensure you receive proper credit for your offering. *Thank you!*

CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE MASS WITH CARDINAL COLLINS: **Sunday, February 10, 4:00 p.m.** As part of Marriage Sunday 2019 celebrations, Cardinal Thomas Collins will preside at a special Mass to honour couples celebrating milestone anniversaries in 2019. If you (or a couple you know) are celebrating a 25th, 40th, 50th or 60+ wedding anniversary in 2019, you are invited to join in this special celebration. The Mass will take place at St. Clare of Assisi Parish (150 St. Francis Ave., Woodbridge). A reception will follow Mass. All are welcome to attend. Couples celebrating milestone anniversaries are asked to register online or by phone to ensure reserved seating. Registration and other important information can be found at: <https://www.archtoronto.org/marriage> or by calling 416-934-3400, ext. 523.

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY ECUMENICAL PRAYER SERVICE: **Sunday, January 27, 4:30 p.m.** at St. James Anglican Cathedral, 106 King St. East (at Church St.). You are invited to this ecumenical service. Refreshments to follow. Theme: *“Justice, only justice, you shall pursue” (Deut. 16:20)*. For more information, please telephone 416-934-3400 ext. 344 or 527; or email ecumenical@archtoronto.org.

THE LIFE AND WRITINGS OF ST. PAUL (St. Augustine's Seminary Lay Formation Program): **Saturday, January 26 – 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.** St. Augustine's Seminary, 2661 Kingston Rd., Scarborough. Join us for this workshop and learn about the life of St. Paul, his conversion, his missionary activity and the writing of his letters that were sent to various Christian communities in the first century. The retreat will include Mass in the seminary chapel. Feel free to invite friends and family to join us. Cost: \$50, includes lunch. Tel. 416-261-7207. email: layspiritualformation@sastoronto.org; <http://www.staugustines.on.ca/>

NEW ST. JOSEPH SUNDAY MISSALS are for sale for **\$5.00** from Fr. Koroway.

COME AND SEE VOCATION DISCERNMENT

WEEKEND: Friday, March 15, 6:30 p.m. to Sunday, March 17, 1:30 p.m., at St. Augustine's Seminary (2661 Kingston Rd., Scarborough). Inviting single Catholic men **17 years and older**, to cultivate a deeper prayer life and relationship with Jesus Christ; leading to a better discernment of God's call for their lives. Time for prayer, reflection and information on the process of becoming one of Christ's disciples as a Catholic priest. Please register online at www.vocationstoronto.ca. (Registrants 17 years old require parental consent.) For more information, please contact Fr. Koroway or the Office of Vocations at: 416 968 0997; email: vocations@archtoronto.org. Please pray for more vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life, especially here in our own diocese.

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in this day of battle; be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray. And do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

THE SOURCE WITH THE SISTERS OF LIFE:

Thursday, January 31, 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. St. Peter's Church, 830 Bathurst St. (at Bloor). Join the Sisters of Life for an evening of prayer and fellowship. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with music led by the sisters. Confessions will be available. From 8:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., refreshments and fellowship in the parish hall. We hope to see you there! Tel. 416-463-2722; toronto@sistersoflife.org; www.sistersoflife.org

PARISH WEBSITE: As part of the Family of Faith campaign, the diocese launched Project Connect, to expand parish websites in the diocese. St. Mark's website is stmarkset.archtoronto.org. This is a kind of "hybrid" website, in that it offers information that is specific to our parish, but also has regularly updated information from the diocese that is sent to all parishes participating in the program. One of the recent additions to our website is the inclusion of the weekly bulletin under the "News and Events" tab. We encourage you to visit our website regularly, and familiarize yourself with the information, both diocesan and parish, that is available.

II Niedziela w ciągu roku – C

OBJAWIENIE SIĘ JEZUSA I MARYI. W dzisiejszej Ewangelii, widzimy Chrystusa i Jego Matkę na weselu w Kanie Galilejskiej. Wydarzenie to ukazuje nam dwa bardzo ważne aspekty naszej wiary: objawienie się Jezusa jako Syna Bożego (poprzez ukazanie mocy czynienia cudów) oraz objawienie się Maryi jako Wspomożycielki i Orędowniczki (przez wstawiennictwo w obliczu nieszczęścia człowieka). Jezus, czyniąc swój pierwszy, publiczny cud, ukazuje moc Bożą, która jest w Nim, a przez to utwierdza swoich uczniów w przekonaniu, że jest Tym, na którego czekały pokolenia. Apostołowie potrzebowali tego znaku, aby w pełni zawierzyć swojemu Nauczycielowi, dla którego pozostawili wszystko i za którym poszli.

Spoglądając na to wydarzenie, możemy zauważyć, że dla Jezusa nie ma rzeczy niemożliwych, a każdy, kto poświęci wszystko dla Niego, uzyska obfite błogosławieństwo. Ważną rolę w tym wydarzeniu odgrywa Matka Jezusa. To na Jej prośbę Chrystus przemienił wodę w wino, pomimo tego, że „nie nadeszła Jego godzina”. Maryja jawi się jako Ta, która dostrzega ludzką biedę i stara się jej zaradzić. Staje się Wspomożycielką i Orędowniczką w trudnych chwilach życia. Ona wskazuje, co mamy czynić: „Zróbcie wszystko, cokolwiek wam powie”. A Jezus pragnie od nas tylko jednego: byśmy się wzajemnie miłowali, jak On nas umiłował. Wpatrując się w scenę z Kany, przyjmijmy Jezusa do naszego życia jako jedyne Pana i prośmy Maryję, naszą najlepszą Matkę, by wypraszała nam cud przemiany naszych serc. (ks. Jacek Zakrzewski — pallotyn)

W przyszłą niedzielę, zbierana będzie druga kolektka przeznaczona na fundusz renowacyjny. Specjalne koperty niebieskie na ten cel są wyłożone na stolikach przy wejściu do Kościoła. Z góry bardzo wam dziękujemy za ofiary przeznaczone na ten cel.

Święty Michale Archaniele, wspomagaj nas w walce, a przeciw niegodziwości i zasadzkom złego ducha bądź naszą obroną. Oby go Bóg pogromić raczył, pokornie o to prosimy, a Ty, Wodzu niebieskich zastępów, szatana i inne duchy złe, które na zgubę dusz ludzkich po tym świecie krążą, mocą Bożą strąć do piekła. Amen.

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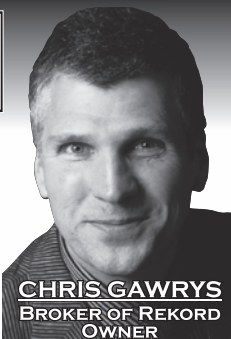
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