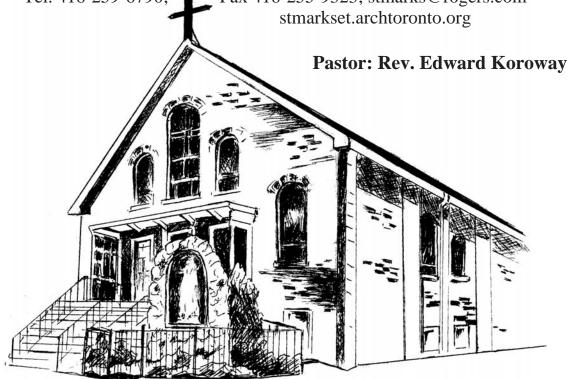
# St. Mark's Catholic Church

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#### WEEKEND MASSES

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

10:00 a.m. (Polish) 11:30 a.m. (English)

#### WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday 9:00 a.m. (English)

7:00 p.m. (Polish) 9:00 a.m. (English)

Tuesday 9:00 a.m. (English)
Wednesday 9:00 a.m. (English)
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### **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

#### **SCHOOLS**

St. Mark Bishop Allen Academy Sainte-Marguerite-d'Youville 45 Cloverhill Road 721 Royal York Road 755 Royal York Road Toronto, ON M8Y 1T4 Toronto, ON M8Y 2T3 Toronto, ON M8Y 2T3 416-393-5332 416-393-5549 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) usccb.org (U.S. Catholic Bishops) lifesitenews.com (pro-life news) ccrl.ca (Catholic Civil Rights League)

tcdsb.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)

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Due to the provincial government limitation of 10 persons in places of worship, Cardinal Collins has cancelled all public Masses in the diocese until further notice. The Church will be open for <u>private prayer</u> during the following times, <u>subject</u> to a limit of 10 persons:

Sunday: 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Monday - Friday: 8:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

Saturday: 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

(<u>Confessions</u> will be heard from 4:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. every Saturday in the children's room beside the sanctuary, or by appointment—416-259-6790.)

If you are concerned about the restrictions placed on places of worship by the government, please contact your local M.P.P. (<a href="mailto:christine.hogarth@pc.ola.org">christine.hogarth@pc.ola.org</a>), the Premier (correspondence.premier.gov.on.ca), and the Mayor (mayor tory@toronto.ca).

YOU ARE WHAT YOU EAT. We celebrate today the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ – Corpus Christi. The Eucharist is the centre of the Mass and of our entire Catholic faith. St. Padre Pio said that "it would be easier for the world to survive without the sun than to do without Holy Mass." Let us spend some time reflecting on the Eucharist so that we can echo St. Padre Pio and come to a greater understanding of the beauty of the Mass.

Let us first contemplate what took place 2000 years ago on Good Friday. Jesus' death on the cross is what won for us our salvation. It was the event that defeated Satan and opened wide the gates of Heaven so that we who seek to follow Him can enter into that eternal rest. St. Thomas Aquinas says that "the celebration of Holy Mass is as valuable as the death of Jesus on the cross." If we are able to understand just how extraordinary Jesus' crucifixion was, so too, each and every Mass opens us up to abundant grace and healing.

Moreover, the Mass allows us to receive the very Body of Jesus and in doing so, become who we consume. We become another Christ in this world. As stewards, our goal is to imitate Jesus as closely as possible so that we can more fully share of our time and talents with our parish community. ... (source: www.archtoronto.org/stewardship)



### Anima Christi Prayer

Soul of Christ, be my sanctification;
Body of Christ, be my salvation;
Blood of Christ, fill all my veins;
Water of Christ's side, wash out my stains;
Passion of Christ, my comfort be;
O good Jesu, listen to me;
In Thy wounds I fain would hide;
Ne'er to be parted from Thy side;
Guard me, should the foe assail me;
Call me when my life shall fail me;
Bid me come to Thee above,
With Thy saints to sing Thy love,
World without end. Amen.

THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS is always observed on the Friday following Corpus Christi, June 11 this year. The heart of Jesus was pierced by a lance on Good Friday. The heart is a symbol of life and love. Out of boundless love for us, Our Lord sacrificed his life to redeem us. And to His open heart, he invites all to draw near. Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on us.

Father, we rejoice in the gifts of love we have received from the heart of Jesus, your Son. Open our hearts to share his life and continue to bless us with his love. We ask this in the name of Jesus the Lord. Amen.

**PASTORAL LETTER.** Cardinal Collins has released a new pastoral letter *Heart Speaks to Heart* on the Sacred Heart of Jesus. This is a significant reflection on one of the most sacred symbols in the Catholic faith and what it can teach us in these difficult times. It is available on the diocesan website: <a href="https://www.archtoronto.org">www.archtoronto.org</a>; or bit.ly/SacredHeartLetter.



O Jesus, through the Immaculate Heart of Mary, I offer you my prayers, works, joys and sufferings of this day for all of the intentions of your Sacred Heart, in union with the holy sacrifice of the Mass throughout the world, in thanksgiving for your favours, in reparation for my sins, for the intentions of all my relatives and friends, and in particular for the intentions of the Holy Father. Amen.

MARYGROVE CAMP: The annual collection for the camp for girls from less fortunate families operated by the Society of St. Vincent de Paul will take place next weekend. Although the camp will not open this year due to Covid, funds raised will go towards a number of capital projects. Special white envelopes are available at the back of the Church for this purpose.

CATHOLIC FAMILY SERVICES TORONTO ONLINE SESSIONS. Catholic Family Services of Toronto is now offering online quick access single sessions. The single-session consultation is a quick and effective way for individuals, couples or families to address a mental health or relationship concern. To arrange for a session, please contact: info@cfstoronto.com or 416-921-1163 or 416-222-0048. Leave us a message with your name, email and phone number, and a staff person will contact you. Clients who are interested in pursuing other or additional services in the agency have the option to access our ongoing counselling, wellness or group programs. Counselling fees are charged according to a client's income level. No one is denied service because of his/her inability to pay fees.

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in 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.

### Uroczystość Bożego Ciała - rok B

NAJŚWIĘTSZY Z CUDÓW. Eucharystia jest największym z cudów dokonanych przez Chrystusa. Aby umocnić nas W trudach ziemskiego pielgrzymowania, pozostawił nam znak swojej obecności w misterium swojego Ciała i swojej Krwi byśmy mogli Go lepiej zrozumieć i pokochać. W Eucharystii obecny jest Bóg, który pierwszy ukochał, Bóg cichy i pokorny. Bóg, który chce, abyśmy pamiętali, że wielkość chrześcijaństwa to miłość i służba braciom. Jeśli w najbiedniejszym nie potrafisz rozpoznać Chrystusa, to nie potrafisz Go dostrzec w Eucharystii, ponieważ jedna i ta sama wiara rozświetla te same misteria (Matka Teresa z Kalkuty).

Kościół jest wspólnotą pielgrzymującą, wspólnotą ludzi zmierzających do pełnego zjednoczenia z Chrystusem. Jest wspólnotą, do której Bóg przemawiał na wiele sposobów (por. Hbr 1, 1) i teraz przemawia przez swego Syna, który jest obecny wśród nas pod postacią chleba i wina. Oczekujemy jak pielgrzymi na spotkanie z Bogiem, a Eucharystia jest naszym pożywieniem, jest chlebem wędrowców, którzy po trudach będą uczestniczyć w uczcie niebieskiej. Eucharystia jest zadatkiem naszego życia wiecznego: "Ja jestem chlebem żywym, który zstąpił z nieba. Jeśli kto spożywa ten chleb, będzie żył na wieki" (J 6, 51). (o. Stefan Tuszyński)

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.

Faith and trust are rooted in our hearts. Faith and trust guide us. In the time of need.

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