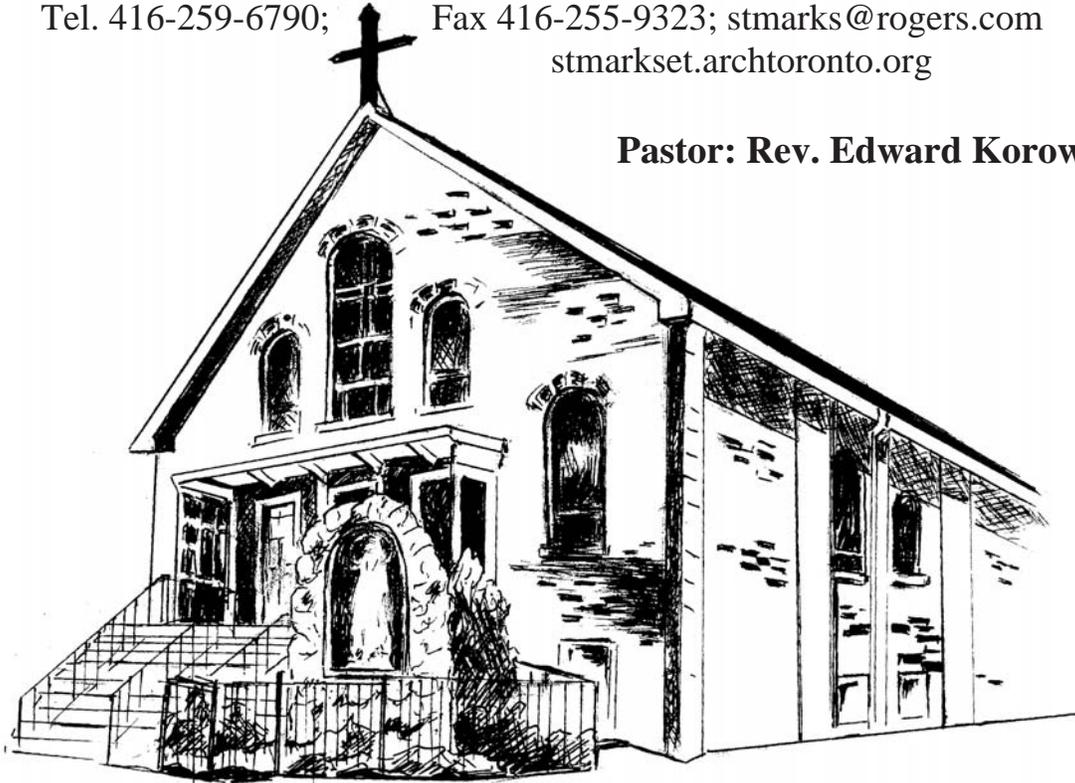


# St. Mark's Catholic Church

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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 9:00 a.m. (English)  
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:

First Friday Exposition: 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., followed by  
Benediction and Mass in Polish at 7:00 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  
45 Cloverhill Road  
Toronto, ON M8Y 1T4  
416-393-5332

Bishop Allen Academy  
721 Royal York Road  
Toronto, ON M8Y 2T3  
416-393-5549

Sainte-Marguerite-d'Youville  
755 Royal York Road  
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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)  
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)  
catholicnewsagency.com (Catholic news)  
catholicherald.co.uk (Catholic news)  
catholicregister.org (The Catholic Register)

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



Masses For The Week

- Nov. 6: 5:00 p.m. Holy Souls  
 Nov. 7: 8:30 a.m. Holy Souls  
     10:00 a.m. Za wszystkich zmarłych  
     poleconych w wypominkach  
     11:30 a.m. Holy Souls  
 Nov. 8: 9:00 a.m. Holy Souls  
 Nov. 9: 9:00 a.m. Holy Souls  
 Nov.10: 9:00 a.m. Holy Souls  
 Nov.11: 9:00 a.m. Holy Souls  
 Nov.12: 9:00 a.m. Holy Souls  
 Nov.13: 5:00 p.m. Holy Souls  
 Nov.14: 8:30 a.m. Holy Souls  
     10:00 a.m. Za wszystkich zmarłych  
     poleconych w wypominkach  
     11:30 a.m. Holy Souls

**THE SHEPHERDS' TRUST.** There will be a second collection *next* weekend for *The Shepherds' Trust*. The mission of *The Shepherds' Trust* is to ensure retired priests are provided with sufficient financial resources to lead a dignified life after many years of ministry. Your generous gift will help our priests maintain a modest, but active and independent lifestyle in their retirement years. For priests who are ill or otherwise infirmed, the trust ensures they have access to nursing home facilities and medical care. Thank you for your support of this important work. White envelopes, and the *Shepherds' Trust Newsletter* are available at the back of the Church.



*In Loving  
Remembrance*

**HOLY SOULS ENVELOPES** are available on the tables at the back of the Church for those who wish to make use of them. During the month of November, our Masses (except for the required weekly Sunday Mass for the Parishioners) will be offered for the repose of the souls of those whose names have been listed on the Holy Souls envelopes, which will be kept on the altar throughout the month.

*Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord.  
 And let perpetual light shine upon them.  
 May they rest in peace. Amen.*



**REMEMBRANCE DAY**



***In Flanders Fields***

In Flanders Fields the poppies blow  
 Between the crosses row on row,  
 That mark our place; and in the sky  
 The larks, still bravely singing, fly  
 Scarce heard amid the guns below.

We are the Dead. Short days ago  
 We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow,  
 Loved and were loved, and now we lie  
 In Flanders fields.

Take up our quarrel with the foe:  
 To you from failing hands we throw  
 The torch; be yours to hold it high.  
 If ye break faith with us who die  
 We shall not sleep, though poppies grow  
 In Flanders fields.

Lieutenant Colonel John McCrae, MD (1872-1918)

**CONGREGATIONAL SINGING** is now permitted by the diocese during Mass. However, you must still wear a mask, as required by the City of Toronto.

**VACCINATION POLICY.** The Archdiocese of Toronto is not asking for proof of vaccination to worship in our churches. Although the Archdiocese of Toronto encourages all Catholics to be vaccinated for the common good, we are making every effort to ensure that our churches remain open to all.

**COVID VACCINE WALK-IN CLINIC:** Holy Angels Church in Etobicoke (61 Jutland Road), **Friday, November 12, 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.** (416-255-1691). Specifics: Dose #1 and Dose #2, 90 doses of Pfizer available for ages 12+. OHIP not required. Toronto Public Health will be assisting with this clinic and it is open to all. No appointment necessary.

**NEW LIVING WITH CHRIST SUNDAY MISSALS** are for sale in the vestibule of the Church for **\$5.00** each. Our supplier is not providing the St. Joseph Sunday Missals because of delivery problems last year. So we are offering the *Living With Christ* Sunday Missals instead. Simply place the money in the offering box on which the Missals are displayed. They come into effect

on the First Sunday of Advent, **November 28**. In addition to the Mass prayers and readings for every Sunday, there are many other prayers and hymns, as well as other materials at the back.

**TRADITIONAL CHRISTMAS WAFERS (from Poland) (OPLATKI)** are available on the table in front of Our Lady's Chapel for \$2 per envelope.

**COME AND SEE VOCATION DAY RETREAT:** **Saturday, November 20** at St. Augustine's Seminary (2661 Kingston Rd., Scarborough) **9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.** Inviting single Catholic men 18 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. Register at: [www.vocationstoronto.ca](http://www.vocationstoronto.ca). For more information, please contact the Office of Vocations via email: [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org).

**CONFIRMATION.** The Sacrament of Confirmation is tentatively scheduled to be administered in our parish on **Saturday, April 23, 2022**, at the **5:00 p.m.** Mass. Students in **Grade 7 or older**, and any adults who wish to be confirmed should attend one of the weekend Masses, and obtain a registration form from Fr. Koroway afterwards. The deadline for returning the registration forms is **next Sunday, November 14.**

**HEALING RETREAT:** **Thursday, November 11, 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.** Journey through the challenges of living and dealing with cancer. Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre, 1617 Blythe Road, Mississauga. Tel. 905-278-5229 [office@qoa.ca](mailto:office@qoa.ca). Cost: \$40.00.

**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.

### **XXXII Niedziela w ciągu roku–B**

**BÓG PATRZY NA SERCE.** Zarówno bogaci, jak i wdowa, spełniają swój obowiązek religijny, składając ofiarę na utrzymanie świątyni. Złote i srebrne monety tych pierwszych wystarczą na utrzymanie świątyni przez dłuższy czas. Uboga wdowa wrzuca „prawie nic”. A jednak to jej gest, a nie innych, pochwała Jezus. Tamci wrzucali do skarbca tyle, ile wymagało prawo. Być może w ten sposób byli przykładem dla pobożnych, a

dla zaniebujących obowiązki religijne stanowili wyrzut sumienia. Ona wrzuciła jeden grosz. Tak mało, że można by go nawet nie dostrzec w skarbonie.

To wydarzenie uczy nas przede wszystkim, że Bóg nie lekceważy darów, które składa Mu człowiek. Choć niczego Mu one nie dodają i niczego w Nim nie zmieniają. Poprzez nasze modlitwy, wyrzeczenia i ofiary, Bóg nie staje się ani bogatszy, ani mocniejszy, ani szczęśliwszy. Niemniej jednak pozwala nam coś Sobie ofiarować. I jest to znak Jego miłości: kochać, to przecież oznacza również przyjmować dar od osoby kochanej. Miłość każe ofiarowywać, ale miłość także uczy brać. Bóg patrzy na serce ofiarodawcy. Cieszy się naszymi modlitwami, wyrzeczeniami, uczestnictwem we Mszy świętej w niedzielę, naszą ofiarnością, kiedy to wszystko wypływa z miłości do Niego, kiedy jest znakiem oddania, ufności, serdecznej pamięci.

Strzeżmy się zatem, abyśmy tego, co ofiarujemy Bogu, nie postrzegali w kategoriach „obowiązku religijnego”. Brońmy się przed bezdusnością, która Go obraża. Brońmy się przed pobożnością bez miłości do Boga, bo ona Go zasmuca. (ks. Zbigniew Sobolewski)

**ŚPIEW ZBIOROWY** jest obecnie dozwolony przez diecezję podczas Mszy św. Ale nadal musisz nosić maskę, zgodnie z wymogami miasta Toronto.

**OPLATKI:** Oplatki wigilijne (z Polski) są do nabycia przy ołtarzu Matki Boskiej. Prosimy o ofiarę \$2 za jedną kopertkę.

**WYPOMINKI:** Miesiąc listopad to miesiąc modlitwy za zmarłych. Podczas całego miesiąca listopada, każdego dnia Msze Św. będą odprawiane za zmarłych poleconych w wypominkach. Kopertki na ten cel są wystawione przy wejściu do Kościoła.

**KLINIKA SZCZEPIEŃ: Piątek, 12 listopada od 9:00 do 14:00.** Dawka #1 i Dawka #2 Pzifer będzie oferowana dla wszystkim powyżej 12 roku życia. Holy Angels Church, 61 Jutland Road, Etobicoke. Toronto Public Health będzie pomagać w tej klinice.

**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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