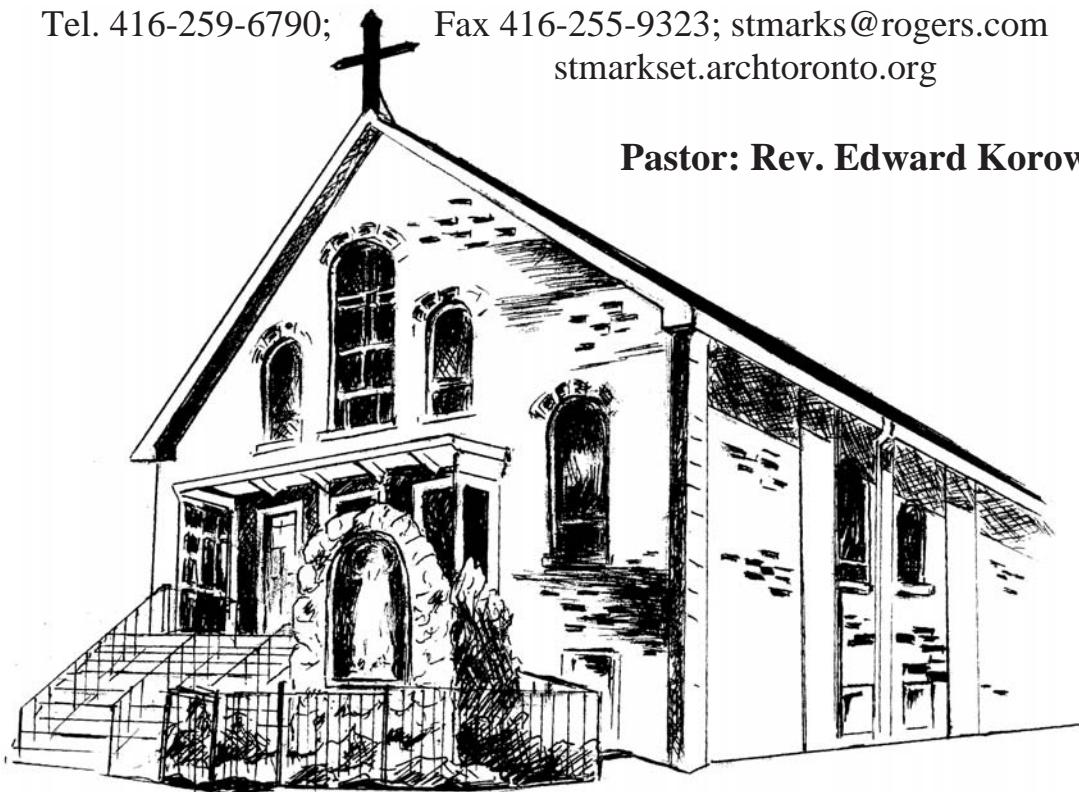


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Pastor: Rev. Edward Koroway



WEEKEND MASSES

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

BAPTISMS: by appointment

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

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)

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

CONFESIONS

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

SCHOOLS

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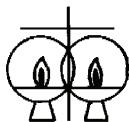
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USEFUL INTERNET WEBSITES

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!



MASS INTENTIONS

- Feb.11: 5:00 p.m. Agata Krzemieniecka
 Feb.12: 8:30 a.m. For the Parishioners of St. Mark's
 10:00 a.m. Za Mieczysława Biel
 11:30 a.m. Eryk Orszulik
 Feb.13: 9:00 a.m. Special Intention (P.L.)
 Feb.14: 9:00 a.m. Josephine Bortolotto
 Feb.15: **8:45 a.m.** John Kovach
 Feb.16: 9:00 a.m. Theresa Chiu
 Feb.17: 9:00 a.m. Special Intention (L.C.)
 Feb.18: 5:00 p.m. For the Parishioners of St. Mark's
 Feb.19: 8:30 a.m. Jason D'Andrade
 10:00 a.m. Za Zofię i Wacława Witek
 11:30 a.m. Marley McCollin

BUILDING FUND COLLECTION: Our monthly Building Fund collection will take place *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 parish, as well as reducing our debt for the elevator and new roof for the Church and rectory (which now stands at \$42,000). **Thank you!**

LETTER FROM CARDINAL COLLINS FOR MARRIAGE SUNDAY (February 12, 2023).

To Married Couples throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto,

As we celebrate Marriage Sunday in the Archdiocese of Toronto, I wish to congratulate and thank married couples who strengthen our community through their daily witness of love, commitment, and selflessness. Your ongoing "yes" provides hope and inspiration for the community, strengthened by God's grace and the love and prayers of family and friends.

We also extend our loving support to those who have lost a spouse or have experienced the pain and suffering of a broken relationship. If you are in need of assistance during these difficult days, I encourage you to seek out programs and resources in your own parish or throughout our diocese so that we may accompany you through the healing process.

To those assisting couples as they prepare for marriage and for those engaged in marriage enrichment programs or movements to support the sacrament of matrimony, be assured of my gratitude. Your ministry is essential in

laying a foundation for healthy relationships and loving families, something so urgently needed in our world today.

A host of resources and additional information on Marriage Sunday can be found by visiting: www.archtoronto.org/marriage, or feel free to connect with your own parish community.

Thank you for all that you continue to do to value and enrich the sacrament of marriage in our homes and parishes, extending our love for one another to all those we encounter each and every day. May God continue to bless you now and always!

Thomas Cardinal Collins, Archbishop of Toronto



MARRIAGE (from The Catechism of the Catholic Church): 1660. The marriage covenant, by which a man and a woman form with each other an intimate communion of life and love, has been founded and endowed with its own special laws by the Creator. By its very nature it is ordered to the good of the couple, as well as to the generation and education of children. Christ the Lord raised marriage between the baptized to the dignity of a sacrament.

1661. The sacrament of Matrimony signifies the union of Christ and the Church. It gives spouses the grace to love each other with the love with which Christ has loved his Church; the grace of the sacrament thus perfects the human love of the spouses, strengthens their indissoluble unity, and sanctifies them on the way to eternal life.

ST. MICHAEL'S CHOIR SCHOOL auditions are in progress. Since its inception in 1937, St. Michael's Choir School has been a music leader within the Archdiocese. Many parish musicians are graduates of the Choir School. SMCS is a unique collaboration between the Archdiocese of Toronto and the Toronto Catholic District School Board. Boys begin their 10-year journey in Grade 3. The Choir School offers a complete curriculum of academic studies, alongside its world renowned Music Program. Auditions are now open for September 2023 placement. Contact Sabrina Leva, 647-613-6367, admissions@smcs.on.ca. Website: www.smcs.on.ca/auditions.

DOROTHY LEY HOSPICE. You are invited to attend a free seminar about '*Hospice in our Community*' on **Thursday, February 16, at 6:00 p.m.** at the Ridley Funeral Home (3080 Lake Shore Blvd W). Join us as we learn about the community support and programs offered by Dorothy Ley Hospice for families dealing with the challenges of life-limiting illness and loss. Gathering information *now* may make all the difference *later*. Light refreshments will be served. To register, please call 416-259-3705.

LIFT JESUS HIGHER RALLY 2023: Saturday

March 4 – 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Metro Toronto Convention Centre, North Building, 255 Front Street West. A grace-filled day celebrating God's love with Cardinal Collins, Ralph Martin, Christ Stefanick, uplifting music, Eucharistic healing procession, confession and Mass. Separate Youth Event with Debbie Herbeck and Pete Burak. For tickets and info: www.ljhr.ca; email: contact@ljhr.ca; Sadie, 905-270-2510 or write to: Catholic Renewal Ministries, 84008 Wellandport Road, Welland, Ontario, L0R 2J0.

NEW TO OUR PARISH? Please pick up a box of offertory envelopes from the tables at the back of the Church so you can register. Please do not just take a single envelope—take the whole box! Thank you.

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.

VI Niedziela w ciągu roku – A

O WIEKSZĄ SPRAWIEDLIWOŚĆ! Normy postępowania ukazane przez Chrystusa w Kazaniu na Górze, Wielkiej Karcie Królestwa, domagają się od Jego uczniów praktyki większej sprawiedliwości, niż sprawiedliwość uczonych w Piśmie i faryzeuszów. Zakazane jest nie tylko zabójstwo, ale także gniew, nie tylko cudzołóstwo, lecz i grzesne pożądania, nie tylko krzywoprzysięstwo, lecz również samo przysięganie, nie tylko prawo odwetu, ale wszelka zemsta, nie tylko nienawiść bliźniego, lecz i nienawiść wroga. Czy owe ideały doprowadzające dawne prawo do pełni i wskazujące na konieczność naśladowania doskonałości Ojca niebieskiego nie są zbyt wymagające?

Nowa, wyższa sprawiedliwość jest nade wszystko darem Bożym wysłużonym nam przez Jezusa – cierpiącego Sługę..., który wziął na siebie nasze nieprawości i nas usprawiedliwił (Iz 53,11). Potrzeba więc przyjąć łaskę Bożą przekraczającą naturę i miarę ludzkiej sprawiedliwości. Tak umocnieni Duchem Świętym winniśmy przewyciązać wokół nas зло dobrem, nienawiść miłością. Zaprowadzać sprawiedliwość tam, gdzie jej brak w życiu społecznym, politycznym, gospodarczym i kulturowym, gdzie szerzy się korupcja, mnożą się afery i gdzie niesprawiedliwość krzyczy....

Bez sprawiedliwości, będącej podstawą wszelkiego ładu, może – co prawda – funkcjonować państwo, ale nie będzie w nim tego przyjaznego klimatu, w którym człowiek jest traktowany jako człowiek i poszanowany w swych najbardziej podstawowych prawach. (ks. Stanisław Zarzycki – *pallotyn*)

W przyszłą niedzielę odbędzie się druga zbiórka na fundusz remontowy kościoła. Specjalne niebieskie koperty w tym celu umieszczane są na stołach przy wejściu do kościoła. Zebrane środki zostaną przeznaczone na wiele projektów remontowych, którymi trzeba się zająć w naszej parafii, a także zmniejszenie zadłużenia (obecnie \$42,000) z nowej windy i nowego dachu dla kościoła i plebanii.
Dziękuję za Twoje wsparcie!

REKOŁEKCJE WIELKOPOSTNE odbędą się w naszej parafii w **niedzielę, 26-go lutego**, o godzinie **10:00** rano; w **poniedziałek, 27-go lutego**, o godzinie **7:00** wieczorem; we **wtorek, 28-go lutego**, o godzinie **7:00** wieczorem; i w **środę, 1-go marca** o godzinie **7:00** wieczorem. Okazja do spowiedzi świętej od godziny **6:00 do 6:45**, w poniedziałek, we wtorek i w środę przed Mszą Św. Rekolekcje wygłosi ks. Marcin Kałwik, CSMA (Michalita z Polski). ks. Marcin ma doktorat z teologii i był profesorem na Uniwersytecie w Krakowie będąc jednocześnie kierownikiem duchowym w Seminarium Michalickim. Obecnie jest członkiem Rady Generalnej Michalitów w Warszawie.

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 strać do piekła. Amen.



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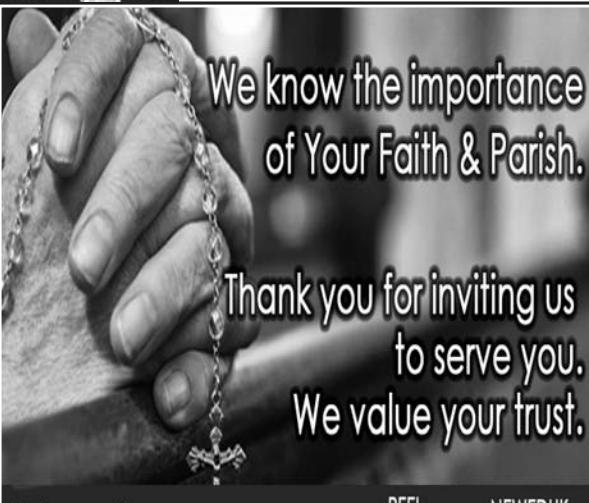
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