

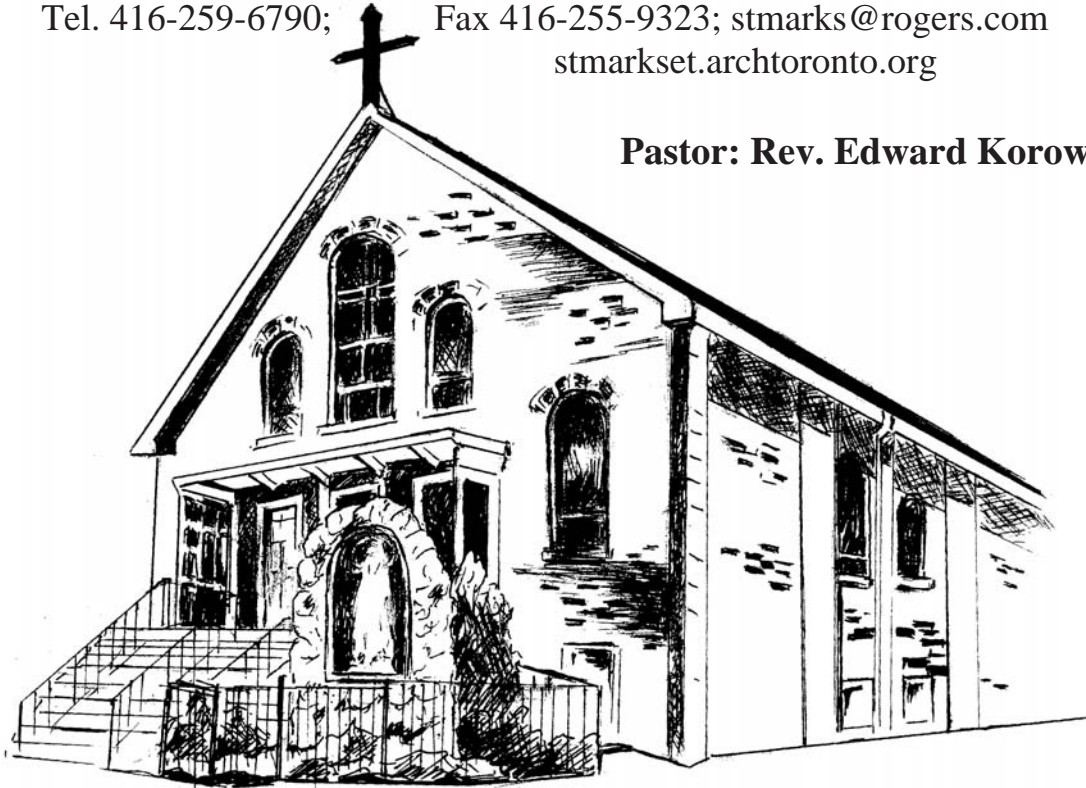
St. Mark's Catholic Church

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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

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St. Mark
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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!



The Liturgy

- April 1: 5:00 p.m. Special Intention
 April 2: 8:30 a.m. Christopher & Tadeusz Sadowski
 10:00 a.m. Za wszystkich naszych parafian
 11:30 a.m. Jan and Helen Prelich
 April 3: 9:00 a.m. Thanksgiving
 7:00 p.m. W pewnej intencji
 April 4: 9:00 a.m. Special Intention
 April 5: 9:00 a.m. Special Intention
 April 6: **7:00 p.m.** Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper
 April 7: **1:30 p.m.** Good Friday Liturgy (English)
3:30 p.m. Good Friday Liturgy (Polish)
 April 8: **7:00 p.m.** Easter Vigil
 April 9: 8:30 a.m. For the Parishioners of St. Mark
 10:00 a.m. For the Parishioners of St. Mark
 11:30 a.m. For the Parishioners of St. Mark

EASTER COLLECTION: On Easter Sunday, there will be a second collection. Special pink envelopes are included in the offertory envelope boxes for this purpose. Additional Easter Offering envelopes are available on the tables at the back of the Church for those who do not use the regular boxes. *Thank you!*

WHEN IS EASTER? In the western Church, Easter can fall between March 22 and April 25. The date is the first Sunday after the Paschal full moon, that is the full moon after the vernal equinox (first day of spring—taken to be March 21). This year the first full moon of spring is on Wednesday, April 5, so the first Sunday after that is April 9, Easter Sunday.

CONFIRMATION: The sacrament of Confirmation will be administered in our parish on **Saturday, April 15**, at the **5:00 p.m.** Mass, by Bishop Ivan Camilleri, Auxiliary Bishop of Toronto for the Western Pastoral Region.

SHARE LIFE: Thank you to all who contributed \$3,115 in last weekend's first ShareLife collection.

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.

Holy Week and Easter Schedule

Palm Sunday (April 2): Usual weekend Mass times. Palms will be blessed at all of the Masses.

Holy Thursday (April 6): **7:00 p.m. (English)**
Mass of the Lord's Supper, with **Adoration** until **9:00 p.m.**

Good Friday (April 7): *Commemoration of the Lord's Passion*
1:30 p.m. (English)
3:30 p.m. (Polish)

Good Friday is a day of fasting (for those 18 to the day of their 59th birthday), and of abstinence from meat (for those 14 years of age and older). (The annual collection for the Holy Land takes place today. Special envelopes are available.)

Holy Saturday (April 8):

Blessing of Easter Foods (Polish), from **11:00 a.m.** until **12:30 p.m.** (every 15 minutes).

Easter Vigil: 7:00 p.m. (English)

(N.B. No 5:00 p.m. Mass or confessions today.)

Easter Sunday (April 9):

8:30 a.m. (English)
10:00 a.m. (Polish)
11:30 a.m. (English)

Easter Monday (April 10): **10:00 a.m. (Polish)**
(No evening Mass today.)

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday, April 1: 4:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
 Monday, April 3: 6:00 p.m. to 6:45 p.m.
 Wednesday, April 5: 6:00 p.m. to 6:45 p.m.

(N.B. No Confessions on Holy Saturday.)

THE CROSS OF CHRIST. Today marks the beginning of Holy Week, the most important and solemn week of the Church's liturgical calendar. In the Gospel this Sunday we are invited to reflect on the passion and death of our Lord Jesus Christ. The cross is the most recognizable symbol of our Christian faith. We see crucifixes hanging in Churches, schools, homes and even worn around many people's necks. However, we can become so used to this constant presence of the crucifix that we become indifferent to what it signifies. Let us take a moment to grasp the beauty and truth found in the cross.

God became man and was willing to be crucified for the forgiveness of our sins. It is through the cross that Christ defeats Satan and triumphantly attains our salvation, allowing us to enter our heavenly home. The entire course of human history was dramatically altered because of the cross of Christ. As stewards, we should always view the salvation won through the cross as the greatest gift that God has bestowed on us.

As we approach the Holy Triduum, let us take some time each day this week to reflect on the passion of Christ. Many great saints strongly promoted this practice of calling to mind the sufferings of Christ. We can do this in many ways such as praying the Stations of the Cross or the sorrowful mysteries of the Rosary, reading the passion narratives in the Bible or simply gazing upon a crucifix. Let us never fail to appreciate the sublime beauty of Jesus' sacrifice on the cross. (*source: archtoronto.org/stewardship*)

NEW LIVING WITH CHRIST SUNDAY MISSALS are for sale in the vestibule of the Church for **\$6.00** each. Simply place the money in the offering box on which the Missals are displayed. In addition to the Mass prayers and readings for every Sunday, the Missals have many other prayers and hymns, as well as other materials.

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.

Niedziela Palmowa - A

HOSANNA I UKRZYŻUJ. Te dwa okrzyki słyszymy niejako obok siebie w dzisiejszej liturgii słowa. W rzeczywistości dzielił je niecały tydzień czasu. W niedzielę Jezus jest uwielbiany przez tłumy, w piątek—prawdopodobnie te same tłumy—domagają się Jego śmierci.

Często tak bywa i w naszym życiu, że po dniach chwały przychodzą nagle dni klęski i poniżenia, dni trudne i straszne. W naszym codziennym życiu też jest wiele cierpienia. Może wynikać ono z ludzkich, fizycznych dolegliwości albo z różnych duchowych przeżyć. Są również cierpienia zadawane nam przez drugiego człowieka. Syn Boży utożsamiając się w tajemnicy Wcielenia z każdym z nas, niezmiennie uczestniczy w tych wszystkich doświadczeniach, które nas spotykają.

Wiemy z relacji osób...które na różne sposoby były męczone i doznawały prześladowań..., że moc do wytrwania dawała im świadomość zjednoczenia z męką Chrystusa. Kościół również jest złączony z Chrystusem udręczonym i wierzy, że po przezwyciężeniu cierpienia będzie się radował chwałą zmartwychwstania. We wspólnocie Kościoła my także wierzymy, że Bóg każdy ludzki krzyż przemieni w radość.

DROGA KRZYŻOWA: W każdy poniedziałek podczas Wielkiego Postu o godzinie **7:25** wieczorem (po Mszy św. o godz. **7:00**.)

WILNA. Uroczystości odpustowe ku czci święta Bożego Miłosierdzia w Wilnie odbędą się w **sobotę, 15-go kwietnia**. Homilie wygłosi misjonarz z Polski, O. Sławomir Dworek OMI. Program Pielgrzymki: 11:30 Różaniec; 12:00 Uroczysta koncelebrowana Msza św.; 13:00 Koronka do Bożego Miłosierdzia.

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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