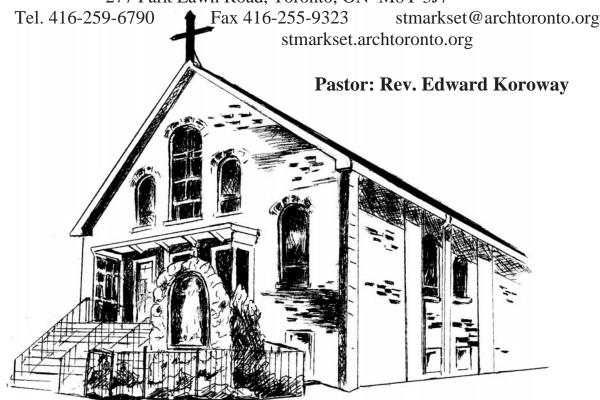
# St. Mark's Catholic Church

277 Park Lawn Road, Toronto, ON M8Y 3J7



#### 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

9:00 a.m. (English) Monday 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. Holy Rosary weekdays at 8:30 a.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**

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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)

# Masses This Week 🕏

June 7: 5:00 p.m. For the Parishioners of St. Mark's

June 8: 8:30 a.m. Christopher and Tadeusz Sadowski

10:00 a.m. Za Henrykę Koroway

(10-tą rocznicę śmierci)

11:30 a.m. Maria Wysłobocki

June 9: 9:00 a.m. Tadeusz Taras (birthday)

June 10: 9:00 a.m. Margaret Bruce (birthday)

June 11: 9:00 a.m. Special Intention

June 12: 9:00 a.m. Special Intention

June 13: 9:00 a.m. Leonardo Morassutti

June 14: 5:00 p.m. Blessings for the Jachna Family

June15: 8:30 a.m. Ted Koroway (12th anniversary)

10:00 a.m. Za Jana Stupkiewicza

i Mariana Piekarskiego

11:30 a.m. For the Parishioners of St. Mark's

MARYGROVE CAMP: The annual collection for the camp operated by the Society of St. Vincent de Paul for some 1000 girls with financial or domestic hardship will take place *next* weekend. Special white envelopes are available at the back of the Church for this purpose.

**SHARE LIFE:** The third ShareLife collection will be held *this* weekend. Green envelopes and brochures are available at the back of the Church for those who did not receive one in the mail.



Fifty days after Easter, the Church celebrates the great solemnity of Pentecost (a Greek word meaning "the fiftieth day"). It was the day the Holy Spirit came down upon Our Lady and the apostles, gathered in prayer in the upper room, in the form of tongues of fire. The apostles, strengthened by the gift of the Spirit, and the gift of being able to speak in different languages, were able to go out and preach the Gospel to all nations. Pentecost is considered the birthday of the Church. It also marks the end of the Easter season in the Church. After Pentecost, the Paschal candle is moved away from the altar, and placed near the baptismal font.



Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of Your faithful, and enkindle in them the fire of Your Love.

Send forth Your Spirit, and they shall be created; and You shall renew the face of the earth.

Let us pray. O God, who has taught the hearts of Your faithful by the light of the Holy Spirit, grant that by the gift of that same Spirit, we may be always truly wise and ever rejoice in His consolation. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### The seven gifts of the Holy Spirit:

1. Wisdom 5. Knowledge

2. Understanding 6. Piety

3. Counsel 7. Fear of the Lord

4. Fortitude

### The twelve fruits of the Holy Spirit:

Charity
 Kindness
 Joy
 Goodness
 Hodesty
 Peace
 Generosity
 Self-control
 Patience
 Gentleness
 Chastity

**VANDALISM.** On Monday, May 26, at 1:10 p.m., two young men dumped a large quantity of rocks and concrete construction debris into the ravine behind the Church. They were in a red Chevrolet older model pickup truck. They returned on Wednesday around 3:00 p.m. and dumped more material. On Wednesday, the back window of the red pickup truck had the word "*Masonry*" written in white script. The licence plate on the vehicle was BD14191. If you see this vehicle, please let us know where you saw it. There is a montage of colour photos (from the videos) of the vehicle and suspsects on the bulletin board in the vestibule. Thank you.

<u>TOTUS TUUS</u> summer camp is coming to Our Lady of Sorrows Parish, Etobicoke. Children and youth are invited to join us for a fun and faith-filled summer camp this July. Day Camp for children in Grades 1 to 6 runs from **July 7 to 11, 8:45 a.m.** to **2:30 p.m.** (late pick-up until 4:00p.m. by request). Evening Camp for teens in Grades 7 to 12 runs from **July 6 to 10, 6:00** to **9:00 p.m.** 

The cost is only \$135 for the day camp (includes lunch, snacks, and a camp t-shirt) or \$75 for the evening camp (includes dinner and a camp t-shirt). Sibling discounts are available. Register at https://bit.ly/42SWDAg or by emailing totustuus@sorrows.ca. Registration deadline: June 19.

MARTYRS' SHRINE GALA DINNER. The National Shrine to the Canadian Martyrs (Midland) is holding a Gala Dinner at the Bellvue in Vaughan, Ontario on Wednesday, June 11, with all proceeds going to support upgrades to its infrastructure during its centennial year. With special guest Cardinal Leo, guests will enjoy food at booths hosted by some of the major ethnic pilgrimage groups, and a banquet dinner. Tickets are \$200 and available at martyrs-shrine.com/spring-gala.

<u>VOCATIONS.</u> Pray to know how God wants to use your talents and abilities. Could it be He is calling you to consider priesthood, religious life or diaconate? If God is calling you to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, please speak with Fr. Koroway, or contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto. Email: <a href="mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org">vocations@archtoronto.org</a>.; website: <a href="mailto:https://www.vocationstoronto.ca">https://www.vocationstoronto.ca</a>. Phone: 416-968-0997.

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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.

## Zesłanie Ducha Świętego

Zapal w nas ogień miłości. Pycha ludzka doprowadziła do podziału między ludźmi – symbolem tego podziału jest wieża Babel. Dziś wspominamy i przeżywamy przeciwieństwo tamtego wydarzenia – Pięćdziesiątnicę. Duch Święty przychodzi do młodego, zalęknionego i zamkniętego Kościoła zebranego w Wieczerniku. Jego powiew sprawia, że zgromadzeni tam uczniowie wychodzą do innych ludzi, aby mówić o wielkiej miłości Boga do człowieka objawionej w Jezusie, który za nich cierpiał, umarł, zmartwychwstał, przyniósł pokój i życie...

Ducha ofiarowanego przez Zmartwychwstałego Pana nie widać, ale można zobaczyć skutki Jego działania. W uczniów Chrystusa wstępuje odwaga, zapał, tworzy się jedność... Nie mogą usiedzieć w miejscu, Duch Święty przynagla ich do tego, by głosili, rozgrzeszali, rozpalali świat słowami Ewangelii. Napełnieni Jego siedmioma darami, potrafią mówić tak trafnie i z taką mocą, że owoce są zaskakujące.

Chrystus przekazał Ducha Świętego oraz ustanowił sakrament pokuty i pojednania. My dziś możemy odnowić w sobie misterium bierzmowania, przez które staliśmy się uczestnikami wydarzeń z wieczernika. Dary Ducha są w nas, ale potrzebują naszego otwarcia, wołania z wiarą, by zaczął działać. Duch Święty nie przymusza, bo jest Duchem miłości! Możemy też wyrazić wdzięczność za dar spowiedzi ...by nie gasić Miłości, by nie gasić Ducha w sobie! ... (ks. Bogusław Laskowski – paulista)

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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