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Next Sunday, May 29
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Mass Intentions For The Week

Tuesday, May 24th @ 7:00 pm

- † Rosalbino Cassano req. by Cassano Family
- † Teresa Shaw req. by Elizabeth and Domenic Flagello
- † Federico Cimone req. by Family
- † Leonard Bristow req. by Barbara Bristow

Wednesday, May 25th @ 8:30 am

- † Connie Holmes and Intention of Mehran Afshar req. by Pat and Paul McGuire

Thursday, May 26th @ 8:30 am

Oratorians req. by Fr. Michael

Friday, May 27th @ 8:30 am

- † Pat Hughes req. by Fr. Michael

Saturday, May 28th @ 9:00 am

Pope, Bishops, Priests, Hughes & McConville Families req. by Fr. Michael
St. Pauls School req. by Fr. Michael

- † Beverley Semon req. by Michael Semon
- † Fred Cimone req. by D'Ulisse Family
- † Frank Hippmann req. Milka Stipceovich
- † Roland Keens req. by Campbell Family

@ 5:00 pm

- † Lucia Lombardo req. by Tony and Onesima Raponi

Sunday, May 29th @ 9:00 am

St. Mark Community req. by Fr. Michael
@ 11:00 am

Joe and Josie Schwarzli req. by Family
60th Wedding Anniversary

Pray For The Sick

Darrel Boddington, Debbie Beauchamp, Modesta Manias and Margaret O'Boyle (Mother of Peter O'Boyle)

Pray For The Recently Deceased

Frank Hippmann, Viola Crupi, Fred Gaerlan, Megan Crupi, Miguel Paulino, Frank Viapiana, Ada Pietrangelo



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Next Sunday, May 29, 2016 is ShareLife Sunday

Please give generously. You can work wonders!

Vocations

Listen to what Jesus says: "When the Spirit of Truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth." What is the 'truth' of your life? How can you best serve God? If you think God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at **416-968-0997** or email vocations@archtoronto.org

Thank You For Your Generosity

Weekly Offering \$ 6,464

Disaster Relief Fort McMurray Fires

In an effort to support those people in Alberta who have been impacted by this disaster, the Archdiocese of Toronto is accepting funds that will be channeled through the Canadian Red Cross. The Government of Canada has made a commitment to match the contributions to the Red Cross.

Those wishing to help may do so in the following ways:

- Online through the Archdiocese of Toronto website: www.archtoronto.org
- By phone through the Development Office at **416-934-3411**
- Through the parish, making cheques payable to: **St. Mark's Church – Fort McMurray Fires – Disaster Relief**
Humanitarian Relief envelopes can be found in the foyer

Quo Vadis Discernment Retreat May 27th to 29th at St. Augustine's Seminary

"Lord, what do you want me to do with my life?"

This retreat is designed for single Catholic men 18 years and older who want to consider what God's plan might be for their lives.

Location:

St. Augustine's Seminary, 2661 Kingston Rd., Scarborough

Time:

Friday, May 27 at 7 pm to Sunday, May 29 at 1 pm

Contact:

vocations@archtoronto.org or 416-968-0997

Parenting For Character Saturday, May 28th at 7 pm

Dr. Andrew Mullins, a specialist in character education, will give a talk on *"Parenting for Character in Today's World"*

Location: 101 Scarsdale Rd. Toronto

Cost: \$25/person or \$40/couple

Tickets can be purchased at: www.eventbrite.ca

For further information: www.hawthornschool.com

Lectio Divina with Cardinal Collins Sunday, June 5th at St. Mary's Parish, Barrie

Lectio Divina with Cardinal Collins will travel throughout the archdiocese in 2016. On Sunday, June 5, it will be hosted at

St. Mary's Parish, 65 Amelia St., Barrie.

Lectio Divina ("divine, or sacred, reading") is the name given to a spiritual tradition among Christians over the last two thousand years. This form of prayer involves three distinct stages:

- a) reading a short scripture passage
- b) reflecting on the passage and
- c) a short period of silence.

We begin with Vespers (Evening Prayer) at 7 p.m., followed by Lectio Divina from 7:30 to 8:15 p.m. All are welcome to join Cardinal Collins for this special evening of prayer.

Archived Lectio Divina: <https://www.archtoronto.org/lectio>.

Reboot! Live

June 8th from 7 to 9:30 pm in Richmond Hill

Come and join the **St. Mary Immaculate** Parish Community for Reboot!Live. Acclaimed speaker, Chris Stefanick will talk about applying the beauty of the Gospel to every aspect of your life. Tickets cost \$25. For more information, call **416-567-4336** or email adam.caldana@hotmail.com

MAY 22, 2016

Eucharistic Miracle Display
Friday, May 27 to Sunday, May 29 at St. Mark's



**Photographic
Exhibition of
Eucharistic Miracles
from Around the World**

A Photographic Exhibition of Eucharistic Miracles from around the world will be on display at **St. Mark's Church in the Parish Hall.** The verified accounts date from as early as the 3rd Century, with the latest date being 2008.

Exhibition Hours

Friday, May 27th 9 am to 4 pm
Saturday, May 28th 9 am to 5 pm
Sunday, May 29th 10 am to 11 am
& 12 pm to 3 pm

Everyone is welcome!

No charge but a freewill offering would be gratefully accepted.
www.therealpresence.org/eucharst/mir/a3.html

Corpus Christi Procession
Sunday, May 29th after the 11 am Mass
*Come and join our St. Mark's
Corpus Christi Procession*

The procession will start immediately following the conclusion of the 11 am Mass. The route will go from the Church to St. Mark's School, along a portion of Glad Park Avenue and will conclude by returning to the Church for Benediction.

We hope you can join us for this special Celebration!

Women's Ministry Meeting
Monday, May 30th at 7 pm

An Evening of Glory and Praise

Come out for our final meeting of the season! The Spirit will be a-moving as Michelle and Michael Dizon lead us in worship through music and prayer.

Come out and join us...and bring a friend!

If you need a ride to the meeting, contact Bernice van Herpt at bvanherpt@rogers.com

Saint Vincent de Paul - Recruiting
June 4th and 5th

The Saint Vincent de Paul Society is looking for new recruits to help carry out the important work of helping people in need in our community. A representative will be at the church after the masses on June 4th and 5th to make an announcement and answer questions.



Totus Tuus Summer Camp
Snack and Lunch Donations

Our St. Mark's Summer Camp will take place from July 10th to 15th. During that week, arrangements need to be made for daily snacks and lunches for the four missionaries who will be staying in Stouffville as well as for approximately 20 youth who will be attending our evening program (all food items to be peanut and nut free). If you are able to help with snack or lunch donations on a particular day during the week of camp, **please contact Lisa Baker at 905-640-6954 ext. 101 or by email at bakerkelly@rogers.com.**

Relic of St. Anthony

Thursday, June 16th at St. Mark's Church



The Relic of St. Anthony will be coming to St. Mark's Church on Thursday, June 16th.

8:30 am Mass

Veneration throughout the day

7 pm Closing Prayers

**First Communion
Coordinators Needed**

The St. Mark's First Communion Catechetical Program is seeking new Coordinators to help run the program beginning in Fall, 2016.

Do you feel called to help in this amazing ministry which brings our little children closer to Jesus? No experience is necessary. Our existing coordinators will mentor you in this role. A team of two or three people is ideal to run the program. If you are interested, please contact the Parish Office at 905-640-6954 ext. 101.



**Rosary Apostolate
Volunteers Needed**

Do you have a devotion to Mother Mary, love children and pray the Rosary? If so, the Rosary Apostolate would like to hear from you. We are currently seeking volunteers to visit our Catholic elementary schools in Stouffville once a month from October to May. If you are interested in finding out more about the program, **please contact Lisa Baker at 905-640-6954 ext. 101 or by email at bakerkelly@rogers.com.**

There is a great need for volunteers.

Please take the time to prayerfully consider being an Apostle of the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

Volunteers for Church Gardens



Volunteers are needed to care for one of the church gardens over the spring and summer months. If you would be interested in helping, **please contact the church office.**

Upcoming Parish Council Nominations

Parish Council nominations and elections will take place this June for member at large positions. Nomination Forms are now available on the website – see last page of Parish Constitution and at the bookstall. Please consider if you would be interested in serving our Parish Community in this capacity or nominating someone.

Book of the Month

R. Michael Shewchuk Memorial Library book of the month:
Children's Book: St. Catherine of Sienna
Adult Book: A Philadelphia Catholic in King James' Court


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