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Let us be thankful ...

*Let us be thankful for
the blessings we receive.*

Let us be thoughtful of others.

Let us remember dear and close friends.

Let us have faith in tomorrow.

Let us live life as a Golden Rule.

Let us find sunlight through the clouds.

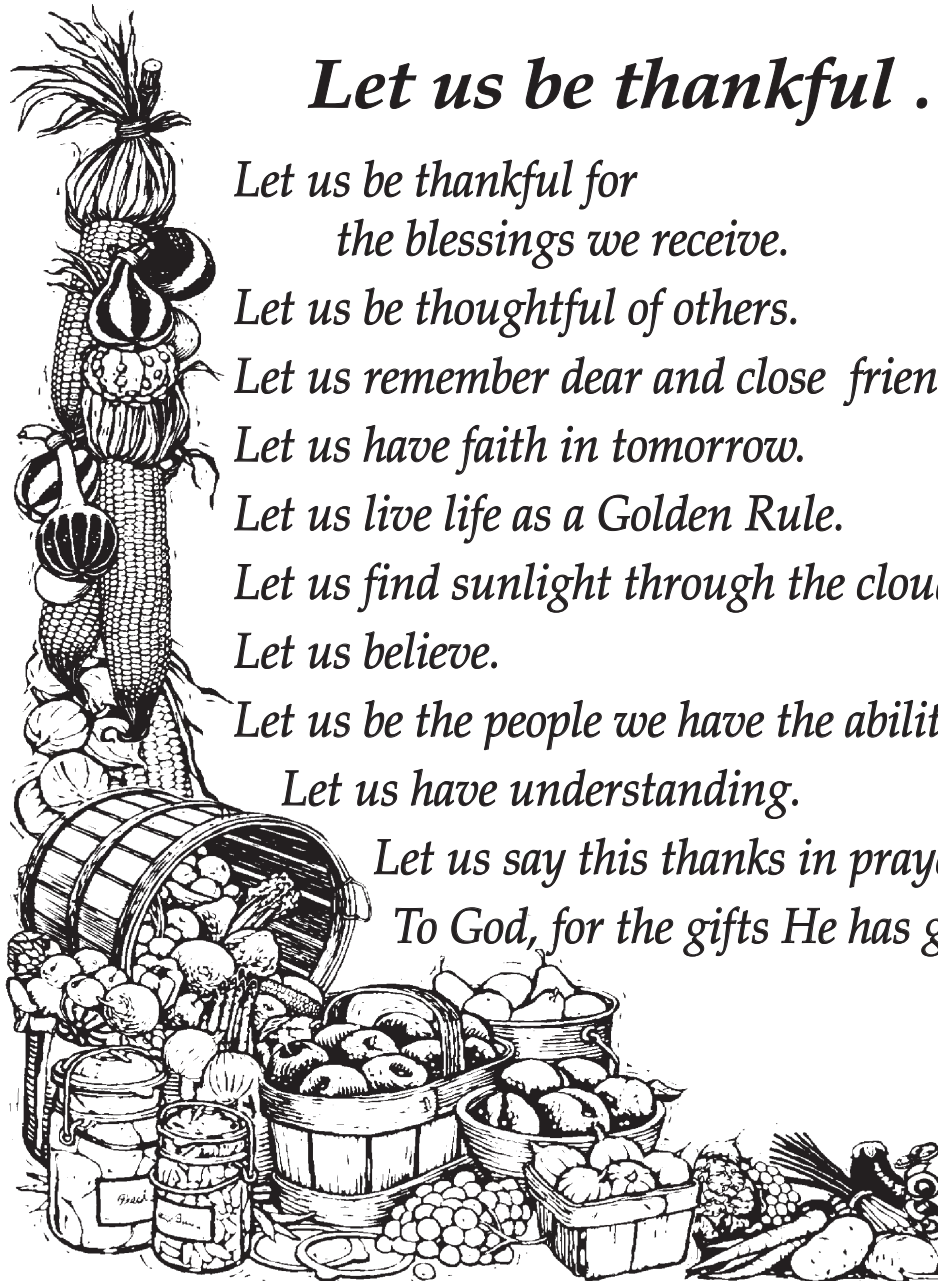
Let us believe.

Let us be the people we have the ability to be.

Let us have understanding.

Let us say this thanks in prayer

To God, for the gifts He has given.



TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Mass Intentions for the Week

- Monday, October 8th @ 9 am** (St. Mark Church)
Thanksgiving Day Mass
- Tuesday, October 9th @ 7 pm** (St. Mark Church)
† Daniel Ciardullo req. by Mario and Lucy Ciardullo
† Corey Hay req. by Hay Family
† James Kehoe req. by Barbara and Harry Renaud
- Wednesday, October 10th @ 7 pm** (St. Mark Church)
Pope, Cardinals, Bishops & Priests req. by Anonymous
- Thursday, October 11th @ 7 pm** (St. Mark Church)
† Kyle Knox req. by Fr. Michael
- Friday, October 12th @ 7 pm** (St. Mark Church)
† Peg Rusling req. by Munro Family
† Greg Morrison req. by Maureen Morrison
- Saturday, October 13th**
@ 9:00 am (St. Mark Church)
Pope, Bishops, Priests, World Conversion, Hughes & McConville Families req. by Fr. Michael
† Francisco Lomibao req. by Carlos and Emy de Asis
† Petra Ward req. by Damiana McQuigge
@ 5:00 pm (St. Mark School)
† Gennaro Bruno req. by Bruno Family
- Sunday, October 14th**
@ 9:00 am (St. Mark School)
St. Mark Community & Pereira Family req. by Fr. Michael
@ 11:00 am (St. Mark School)
† Domenico Metauro req. by Anna Metauro & Family

Sign-up for Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG)

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Give via pre-authorized transfers directly from your bank account.

To sign-up for St. Mark's Church Pre-Authorized Giving program, **Please go to:**

www.stmarkstouffville.ca, click on the "Contact" heading then "Donations" to print off the form.

Complete the form and attach a void cheque which can be dropped off at the church office or put in the collection basket.

PAG allows you to support your parish even when you are away - a benefit to the church, since expenses continue all year long.

Municipal Elections 2018

A municipal election will be held on October 22, 2018. To help learn more about the candidates for Catholic School Board Trustee, Cardinal Collins has given permission for these candidates to distribute literature to parishioners departing Mass. We hope you'll take the time to get to know those seeking elected office.

Relic of the True Cross of Christ

Saturday, October 13th at 4 pm Mississauga



The relic of the True Cross of Christ is coming to St. Maximilian Kolbe Parish. This relic is a part of the cross on which Christ our Lord died and redeemed the world. The relic will visit Mississauga from the Shrine of the

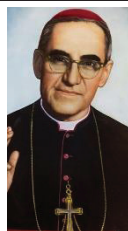
Precious Cross in Poland and has a certificate of authenticity. Holy Mass will be presided by Most Rev. Bishop Wayne Kirkpatrick, followed by private adoration of the relic of the Holy Cross.

Saturday, October 13 – 4 p.m.

St. Maximilian Kolbe Parish 4260 Cawthra Rd., Mississauga

Canonization of Blessed Oscar Romero

Sunday, October 14th at 9:30 am



Blessed Oscar Romero will be canonized in Rome on Sunday, October 14. The Mass will be broadcast at 9:30 a.m. on Salt + Light Television. To celebrate, Toronto-based Romero House has organized a number of local events, running from

Thursday, October 4 to Sunday, October 28.

For more information, please visit

<http://bit.ly/OscarRomeroCanonization>.

Theology on Tap

Monday, October 15th from 7 pm to 9 pm

Theology on Tap



Want to discuss faith and justice topics relevant to your life? Want to meet other young adults who share these interests?

Faith Connections invites young adults 19-39 to join us for evenings of thought-provoking theological discussions and presentations in a comfortable setting.

Monday, October 15th from 7 pm to 9 pm

Location: Le Spot Billard Lounge, 4531 Sheppard Ave. E.

Topic: Equip Yourself! What We Believe as Catholics in Under 5 Minutes (Deacon Doug McManaman)

Project Rachel Retreat

October 26th to 28th

Are you still hurting from an abortion experience?

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Call 416-629-8264 or e-mail

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A weekend retreat for women whose hearts have been broken by abortion: October 26-28, 2018.

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OCTOBER 7, 2018



Confirmation Registration

A mandatory Parent Meeting will take place on
Friday, October 12th
registration beginning at 6:45 pm
at St. Brendan School in the gym.

For more information, go to www.stmarkstouffville.ca

Charismatic Prayer Group

October 15th at 7 pm, St. Mark School Library



The Charismatic Prayer Group will meet on
Monday, October 15th 2018 at 7 pm in the Library
at St. Mark's School. We will listen to and discuss
afterward a CD teaching by Fr. Michael Schmitz on the
subject "Does It Really Matter." Fr. Schmitz debunks the
epidemic myth of relativism. All are welcome.

Lives of the Saints Program

Beginning October 30th at 7:30 pm, St. Mark's School

An engaging 4-Part DVD Study on

St. Francis of Assisi and G.K. Chesterton

Dates: Tuesdays - October 30, Nov. 6, 13, 20

Time: 7:30 pm to 9:00 pm

Location: St Mark's School Library

Register at: stmarkspastoral@bellnet.ca

Please provide your name, phone # and email address

Come and See Weekend

November 2nd to 4th at St. Augustine's Seminary

Friday, November 2 to Sunday, November 4
6:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.

St. Augustine's Seminary 2661 Kingston Rd.

The Office of Vocations is hosting a Come & See
Weekend for 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.

CONTACT: Office of Vocations

PHONE: 416-968-0997

EMAIL: vocations@archtoronto.org

REGISTRATION: www.vocationstoronto.ca

Parish Dinner Dance Fundraiser

November 17th at Spring Lakes Golf Club



SAVE THE DATE

Make sure to mark your
calendars for the

St. Mark's Dinner Dance Fundraiser

Date: Saturday, November 17th

Location: Spring Lakes Golf Club

Tickets will be sold after Mass
starting the weekend of October 6th/7th

Ticket Cost: \$50/person

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Rosary Coast To Coast

October 7th at 3 pm, Gather at St. George St.



Toronto Event

October 7, 2018

3:00 PM - gather at Newman Centre
(89 St. George Street, Toronto, ON M5S2E8)

Rosary Rally through Queen's Park to City Hall
5:00 PM - Feast Day Mass at St. Michael's Cathedral
(65 Bond Street, Toronto, ON M5B1X1)

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