



ST. MARY STAR OF THE SEA

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Harbour of refuge, beacon of hope

Parish Hours

Office Hours

Monday - Thursday: 10:30am-5:00pm

Friday: CLOSED

Saturday - Sunday: CLOSED

Church Hours

Monday: 9:00am-3:00pm

Tuesday: 9:00am-3:00pm/5:30pm-7:30pm

Wednesday-Saturday: 8:00am-5:00pm

Sunday: 8:00am-12:30pm

Weekday Masses

Monday: No Mass

Tuesday: 7:00pm

Wednesday - Saturday: 9:00am

Lord's Day Masses

Saturday (vigil): 5:00pm

Sunday: 9am & 11am

Adoration

Wednesday & Thursday: 9:30am - 10:30am

Friday: 9:30am - 12:00pm

First Fridays: 7:00pm - 8:00pm

Confession

Saturday: 9:30am-10:30am or by appointment

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A Welcome to Our Parish this Easter Season

Christ is Risen! He is Truly Risen! We warmly welcome you into our parish family this Easter. Our parish seeks to be a place where everyone may come to encounter and adore the Risen Lord. We pray that you may find the true joy of the Resurrection this blessed Easter season.

Ways to Support Our Parish

- In person or by mail:** You can drop off or mail your regular weekly offertory contribution to the parish office
- By Credit Card:** Make a one-time or recurring gift to the parish offertory or other special funds
- Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG):** Set up automatic monthly donations. Forms are available at the parish office or can be downloaded from the parish website.
- Online Banking:** You can also contribute through your online banking by emailing campaign@archtoronto.org

Weekly Mass Intentions

To request a Mass intention or votive dedication please contact Marilyn Fernandes

Saturday, April 18th | 5:00pm

Third Sunday of Easter

For the People of the Parish

Sunday, April 19th | 9:00am

Third Sunday of Easter

† Alan Sr & Alan Jr del Puerto

Sunday, April 19th | 11:00am

Third Sunday of Easter

Special intentions of Ettore Binotto

Monday, April 20th

Third Week of Easter

No public Mass

Tuesday, April 21st | 7:00pm

Third Week of Easter (St. Anselm)

Special intentions of Peggy Hicks

Wednesday, April 22nd | 9:00am

Third Week of Easter

†Olivia Maynard, Gertrudes Cantos & Anoja Homer

Thursday, April 23rd | 9:00am

Third Week of Easter (Sts. George & Adalbert)

†Roberto Enriquez

Friday, April 24th | 9:00am

Third Week of Easter (St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen)

†Valerie Alexander

Saturday, April 25th | 9:00am

Memorial of St. Mark

†Josephine Ricci and Special intentions of Anthony Lobo

This Weeks Prayer Intentions

*For the Repose of the Soul of Olivia
For all prayers that have been kept anonymous*

Votive Lamp Dedications

Tabernacle

Special intentions of Ettore Binotto

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Sacred Heart of Jesus

In thanksgiving

For the Souls in purgatory

Blessed Mother

In thanksgiving

For the Souls in purgatory

St. Joseph

In thanksgiving

St. Anne

For the souls in purgatory

St. Jude

In thanksgiving

Pastor's Corner

This beautiful parish is about to embark on a new chapter in her 112 years of ministering to the people of Port Credit. As generations of families have come through the door, the parish culture changing over time, the mission of the Church stays the same, to go and make disciples. The Easter gift of the Holy Spirit is moving and working.

This year, our parish has been prayerfully discerning the launch of an Alpha ministry so that we continue to live the mission of the Church. Alpha is a series of gatherings designed for those who are curious about faith, those who feel distant from the Church, or those seeking a deeper understanding of life's big questions. Rooted in the Gospel and aligned with Catholic teaching, Alpha complements our sacramental life by creating a relational bridge where people can explore faith in a relaxed and supportive environment. In a Catholic context, Alpha is not a replacement for parish life, but a doorway into it. It fosters genuine relationships, encourages open dialogue, and gently leads participants toward a personal encounter with Christ. This encounter with Christ will find its fullness in the Eucharist and the life of the Church.

At this time, we invite you to join the parish council in praying for this initiative. And during that prayer, consider who you might invite to the course. Evangelization begins with invitation, and often the simplest gesture can open a heart to God's grace: "Come and See."

May we trust that the Lord is already at work in those we will meet, and may we be faithful instruments of His love.

Week at Glance

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
20	21	22 <i>No Adoration</i> Craft Group Meeting (10:00am)	23	24 Divine Mercy (3pm - online)	25 Men's Group (7:00am)

SSVP - Thank You For Supporting Bundle Up!

Our SSVP Team is grateful for the many donations contributed to our Bundle Up collection last weekend. The next Bundle Up at St. Mary's will be on the weekend of Sept. 26/27. In the meantime, if you would like to drop off donations or shop at one of our stores, the nearest SSVP store is at 60 Newcastle Street in Etobicoke, close to the Mimico Go Station.

SSVP Helpline

For assistance please call **647-628-2058** and someone will get back to you at the earliest.

Pre-Planning Seminar: Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services - Archdiocese of Toronto

Planning ahead is one of the most thoughtful and compassionate decisions you can make for your family. Join us for an informative seminar designed to help you understand your options and make confident, faith-informed decisions.

Learn about:

- Funeral and burial options
- Planning in advance to ease burden on loved ones
- Catholic teachings on cremation
- Flexible payment options (including 0% financing options)

Dates & Locations:

Queen of Heaven Catholic Cemetery & Funeral Home (Woodbridge)

April 25, 2026, at 9:00 AM

To register: 905-851-5822 ext. 1

Assumption Catholic Cemetery & Funeral Home (Mississauga)

May 2, 2026, at 9:00 AM

To register: 905-670-8801 ext. 1



The Late Mary Badali Memorial Drive for Vita Centre

The CWL is Collecting Donations

Help Us Stock

the Vita Centre Care Closet

to Support Vulnerable Families in Need

Date: April 25th/26th Weekend

When: Before and After ALL Masses

Where: Main door of the Church

Most Needed Items:

Baby hygiene items and formula: baby shampoo / bodywash, baby lotion, diaper rash cream, Similac stage 1, Similac stage 2, Enfamil A+ stage 1, Enfamil A+ stage 2

Diapers for pre-schoolers: sizes 4, 5 and 6

They are also grateful for baby cereal and baby food pouches

Vita Centre is dedicated to the provision of excellent support, education and counselling for vulnerable parents with children up to 6 years of age in Peel region (Mississauga, Brampton, Caledon). The Care Closet is available to their clients.



Prayer Intentions

We invite you to submit your prayer intentions through our parish website. Intentions received will be lifted up in prayer by our parish community through the bulletin (if indicated) and during our First Saturday Intercessory Prayer. Please visit our website to share your intentions with us or scan the QR code



Smile of the Week

Someone asked what “snail mail” was.
I told them it was when you send a letter “as cargo”

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