



## Facts about..... New Parish in Markham

It truly is good news that Cardinal Collins has decreed a new parish be established in Markham. The growth of the Catholic population in Markham can only be seen as a blessing. Following up on my announcement last weekend, here are some brief facts:

**Q. What are the new parish boundaries?**

A. Major Mackenzie Drive to the north  
York/Durham Line to the east  
Steeles Avenue to the south  
Markham Road to the west

**Q. When will the new parish be established?**

A. July 1, 2017

**Q. Who is the new Pastor?**

A. Fr. Joseph Grima

**Q. What schools will be included in the new parish boundary?**

A. St. Brother Andre High School; St. Julia Billiard CES; St. Joseph CES; St. Kateri CES  
and Sir Richard Scott CES

**Q. Where will mass be celebrated?**

A. The location is TBD

**Q. When will the masses begin?**

A. That is up to the new pastor

**Q. Where will the new church be built?**

A. The location of the new church is TBD

**Q. What are the parish boundaries for St. Patrick's?**

A. Major Mackenzie Drive to the north  
Markham Road to the east  
Highway 407 to the south  
Kennedy Road to the west

**Q. What schools are in St. Patrick's boundary?**

A. St. Patrick CES; St. Edward CES; San Lorenzo CES; All Saints CES; St. Matthew CES

Let us pray for Fr. Joseph Grima and the new parish community as they take up the challenging mission of building up the Body of Christ and may our prayers be coupled with concrete support.

In Christ,

*Fr. Dominic*