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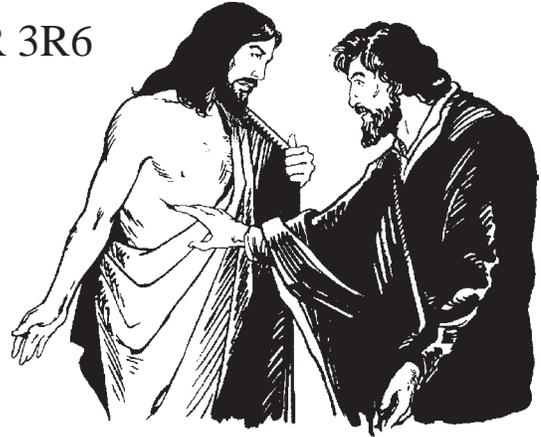
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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Sunday 10:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Administrator - Fr. Allyn Rose (ext. 222)

Deacon - Everis Munroe (ext. 223)

Deacon - Sarfaraz Pinto (ext. 226)

Secretary - Jackie Mackenzie (ext. 221)

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 9:00, 10:30 and 12:00 noon

Ask ushers for listening - aid devices

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday through Friday 12:10 and 7:30 p.m.

Saturday 9:00 a.m. (at Convent)

Thurs. evening Mass is in Latin - *forma ordinaria*

ADORATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Thursdays and Fridays after noon Mass until
Benediction at 7:15 p.m.

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays 8:30 a.m. (at Convent) and 4:00-4:45

Monday through Friday 11:45-12:00 and 7:00-7:15

DEVOTIONS TO

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

Wednesdays before & after evening Mass.

BAPTISMS

Last Saturday at 10:00 a.m. each month.

Second Sunday at 2:00 p.m. each month.

An information package should be picked up
at the Parish Office before meeting with the deacon.

MARRIAGES

An information package should be picked up at the Parish
Office before meeting with the priest.
One year advanced planning is required.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Families should notify the Parish Office
in the event of serious illness.

SCHOOLS

Mother Teresa	(905) 475-8025
St. Benedict	(905) 475-9646
St. Francis Xavier	(905) 470-2225

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PARISH GROUPS

Altar Boys	Father Allyn Rose	Parish Office
Lectors	Anna Torres	(416) 335-9142
Ushers	Alex Ho-Shue	(905) 479-2543
Children's Liturgy	Winnie Thien	(905) 940-1059
Screening Coordinator	Liz Pinto	(905) 889-5755
R.C.I.A.	Juliette Huang	(416) 495-1067
Youth Group	Juliette Huang	(416) 495-1067
Legion of Mary Sr.	Amy Rebeiz	(647) 643-2232
Legion of Mary Jr.	Juliette Huang	(416) 495-1067
Prayer Group	Al Jacob	(905) 477-0632
Society of St. Vincent de Paul		(905) 474-1224 ext. 230
Knights of Columbus	Philip Lee	(905) 475-6776

PARISH MUSICIANS

Organists

Christopher Ku/Kevin Ku	(416) 298-2541
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DAY CARE

St. Mary of Leuca	(905) 475-2536
St. Mary of Leuca CONVENT	(905) 475-2350
HighBirch Before and After School	(416) 580-8876

Mass for the Intentions Week

Monday	9:00 a.m.	In Thanksgiving and for the intentions of Lourdes Merino
Monday	7:30 p.m.	NO EVENING MASS
Tuesday	12:10 p.m.	+Elsie Tang (Family)
Tuesday	7:30 p.m.	+Rolly Papa (Family)
Wednesday	12:10 p.m.	+Thomas Belen (Family)
Wednesday	7:30 p.m.	+Maria Nardozi (Nardozi Family)
Thursday	12:10 p.m.	+Anthony Kong (Sze Family)
Thursday	7:30 p.m.	In Thanksgiving and for the intentions of Ivy and Athaide Family
Friday	12:10 p.m.	+Danielle Servos (Jacob Family)
Friday	7:30 p.m.	+George and Rufina Ling (Ling Family)
Saturday	9:00 a.m.	Intentions of Kaillen Chiu (John and Teresa Chiu)
Saturday	5:00 p.m.	+Margaret Cheng and Betty Chung (Cheng Family)
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	For the people of the parish
Sunday	10:30 a.m.	In Thanksgiving and for the intentions Father Richard Andrews (Jefferson Tse)
Sunday	12:00 p.m.	+Carmen S. Tionsgon (Tionsgon Family)

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER SUNDAY MAY 21, 2017

PRAY FOR THE SICK:

Kathleen Angus, Bob Hustins, Cleo Savoie, Elizabeth Wong, Raquel Pinto, Joseph Yu, Anne Canagasuriam, Harry Ramadhin, Johnny Luu, Eric Maddan, Rita Yu, Erwin Ishmael, Luiza Pinto, Peter Ngan, Helen Yu-Kiu Leung, Giuseppina Sala, Michael Ramoutar, Alwin Siu, Fu Pui, Anna Starkiewicz, Olivia D'Souza and Lori Go Juan.

PRAY FOR THE DEAD:

For those who have no one to pray for them.

ON HOLIDAY MONDAY THERE IS ONE MASS AT 9:00 A.M. IN THE CHURCH

PLEASE KEEP SUNDAY JULY 2, 2017 OPEN. THIS DAY, FATHER ALLYN ROSE WILL BE INSTALLED AS THE PARISH PRIEST AT ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE AT THE 12:00 NOON MASS BY BISHOP WAYNE KIRKPATRICK.

We have permission this day to celebrate the Feast of St. Thomas the Apostle on the Sunday. (Normally celebrate on July 3. There will be a reception in the Large Hall afterwards. More details later.

PHOTO ALBUM – For those who did not get a chance or who were unable to have their picture taken earlier this year. There will be one more weekend when the photographer will be available - Friday June 9th and Sat. June 10th, 2017. If these dates are suitable and you would like your family picture added to the church photo album, please call the Parish Office to make an appointment.

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

The Lord said, "I will not leave you orphaned." Pray for an increase of vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, and consecrated life. If God is calling you, **contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997. email vocations@archtoronto.org www.vocationstoronto.ca**

PROVIDE A MEAL is a monthly opportunity for the people of our parish to bring a frozen shepherd's pie which will be picked up by the Good Shepherd Centre and provide a meal for those in need. The empty containers are available for pick-up the first weekend every month and the donated pies are collected in our freezer the second weekend every month. Thanks to many parishioners who have been participating for years of help meet the needs of the homeless. For more information contact Juliette Huang (416) 495-1067

ALL PARISHIONERS SHOULD BE REGISTERED and are asked to support the parish and the needs of the Church by using Sunday Offertory Envelopes and for making up for an absence during vacation. **New parishioners are asked to register in the parish office.**

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

May 21, 2017 Living the Gospel by caring for the elderly...

“Words cannot convey our gratitude to Elizabeth and to the Society of Sharing for giving our mother a new meaning to her life. Before the friendly visit program started, our mother was very depressed and unmotivated. However, her life changed when Elizabeth started to visit her. Elizabeth is a very kind, energetic and enthusiastic volunteer and her hobby is artwork. She decided to share her talent with our mother and has been giving her art lessons in acrylic painting. The intellectual stimulation has been tremendous and, as a result, has enhanced her health and her quality of life as she relaxes and focuses on her art projects. Thank you again, for all your support.” **Last year ShareLife-supported agencies provided outreach programs that met the needs of over 2,200 seniors.**

Next ShareLife Sunday is June 4, 2017

Please give generously

OUR SHARELIFE PARISH GOAL IS SET AT \$112,300.00 AS OF TODAY, WE HAVE COLLECTED \$50,226.40

New Members are welcome. The Senior Legion meets in the Sacristy on Thursday at 8:10 p.m. and the Junior Legion on Friday from 6:00 – 7:00 p.m. in the parish hall. For more information, please contact Amy Rebeiz 647-643-2232 or amy.rebeiz@gmail.com

CRADLE OF HOPE

Come join the celebration of the 50th Anniversary of the Catholic Charismatic Renewal Council of the Archdiocese of Toronto with his Eminence Thomas Cardinal Collins, Saturday, June 24, 2017 – 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Sunday, June 25, 2017 – 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Location: The Attwell Centre, 272 Attwell Drive, Toronto TTC accessible and plenty of FREE parking Ticket cost for both days: Adult \$30, Youth \$5, Children are FREE Holy Mass, Eucharistic Adoration and Healing Procession, Praise & Worship, Confession
Renowned Guest Speakers: Michelle Moran ICCRS, Bishop Sam Jacobs NSC (U.S), Bishop Christian Riesbeck and David Mangan, Duquesne University 1967 – where it all began. For more information, please call Pauline 647-669-7524 or Mary 647-887-5517 or visit www.ccrctor.com This Conference/Rally/Retreat is for all to be Blessed and Renewed.

THE SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL in our parish is looking for few new members to accomplish their good work serving our community. Volunteer hours for High School students in the community may be served in our parish. For more information contact Patrick Lynch (905) 477-3703

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