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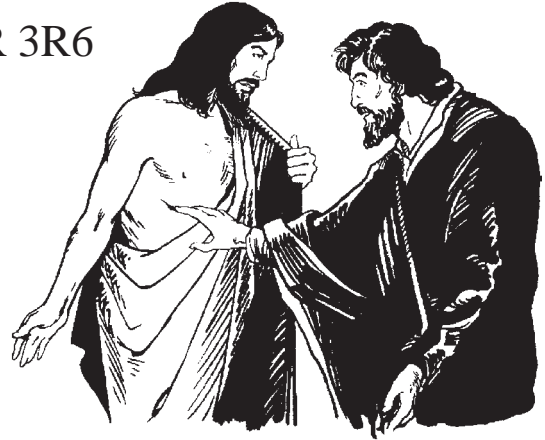
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“Dominus meus et Deus meus”

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

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Screening Coordinator Liz Pinto (905) 889-5755

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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

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	12:10 p.m.
+Sam and Anne Nasello (Dominic and Helen Florio)	
Monday	7:30 p.m.
+Beverley Maxwell (Friend)	
Tuesday	12:10 p.m.
In Thanksgiving and for the intentions of John and Teresa Chiu on their 48 th Wedding Anniversary	
Tuesday	7:30 p.m.
Intentions of Charles and Marie D'Souza and Family	
Wednesday	12:10 p.m.
+Mary Kamala Nicholas and Family +Rosaline Thirchelvam and Family (Family)	
Wednesday	7:30 p.m.
+Allen and Stella Jacob (Jacob Family)	
Thursday	12:10 p.m.
+Claude Valladares (Parish)	
Thursday	7:30 p.m.
+Henry De Las Alas (Family)	
Friday	12:10 p.m.
Intentions of Kat, Mike and Luke Ledermueller (Edwin Chin and Family)	
Friday	7:30 p.m.
+Collin Hannah (Family)	
Saturday	9:00 a.m.
+Christopher Chiu (Alex Bilton, Sean Gladney and Barb Ryner)	
Saturday	5:00 p.m.
+Roger and Helen Lam-Tse-Ting (JP and Virginie Chan)	
Sunday	9:00 a.m.
+Marie Smith (Jackie Mackenzie)	
Sunday	10:30 a.m.
For the people of the parish	
Sunday	12:00 p.m.
In Thanksgiving and for the intentions of Russell and Beulah Mustachi on their 40 th Wedding Anniversary	

PENTECOST SUNDAY

SUNDAY JUNE 4, 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.

CELEBRATING A LEGACY OF FAITH CANADA'S 150TH ANNIVERSARY 1867 - 2017

PRAYER OF CONSECRATION TO THE IMMACULATE HEART OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Mary our Mother, may the Cross of Your Son, planted on Canadian hearts, be known as the Tree of Life, whose fruit is visible and available to all in the garden of this world.

We place our country Canada in the Sanctuary of your Holy Heart for we know that there we will find Jesus, who lives and reigns with the Father in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen

INSTALLATION OF FATHER ALLYN ROSE AS THE PASTOR OF ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE WILL TAKE PLACE ON JULY 2, 2017 BY BISHOP WAYNE KIRKPATRICK.

Permission has been granted that the Feast of St. Thomas the Apostle will be celebrated on July 2 rather than July 3rd this year.

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.

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.**

PENTECOST SUNDAY

“Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love.” Send forth workers into your vineyard. If God is calling you to the priesthood, diaconate, and consecrated life, **contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997.**

email vocations@archtoronto.org www.vocationstoronto.ca

PENTECOST SUNDAY (Third ShareLife Sunday)

Working wonders for those who need help in our neighborhood....

Working with St. Elizabeth HealthCare, ShareLife, through Catholic Charities, has implemented a shared services initiative that has provided support to agencies in the areas of human resources (16 agencies) and financial services (5 agencies). Now is its fourth year of activity, agencies participating in this initiative report that they can improve the quality, competency, and accuracy of their work in these areas. Some Executive Directors reported on the impact of this initiative to their agency. **“It has enhanced our agency’s competence.” Shares one Executive Director, “Before, I was in way over my head, but trying to do my best. Now, I have expertise at my disposal and feel comfortable.”**

Today is ShareLife Sunday – June 4, 2017

Thank you for your generosity

OUR SHARELIFE PARISH GOAL IS SET AT \$112,300.00 AS OF TODAY, WE HAVE COLLECTED \$54,005.85 (THIS INCLUDES WHAT IS SENT DIRECTLY TO SHARELIFE.)

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

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

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.

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