

St. Thomas the Apostle Church

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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.

Pastor - Fr. Allyn Rose (ext. 222)

Associate Pastor - Father Patrick Gnanapragasam (ext 224)

Deacon - Everis Munroe (ext. 223)

Deacon - Sarfaraz Pinto (ext. 226)

Youth Minister - Hill Roshan Arulnesam (ext 225)

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

Saturday 4:30 - 5:00 and 15 minutes before all Sunday Masses

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

Will be the Second and Fourth Sunday
of each month at 1:30 p.m.

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.

“Dominus meus et Deus meus”

SCHOOLS

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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
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	90-475-2536
St. Mary of Leuca CONVENT	905-475-2350
HighBirch Before and After School	416-580-8876

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Mass for the Intentions Week

THE TWENTY- NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SUNDAY OCTOBER 22, 2017

Monday 12:10 p.m.
+Aloysius Seck
(John and Yoke Lan)

Monday 7:30 p.m.
Intentions of Teresa Foong Yin Lim Ahken

Tuesday 12:10 p.m.
Intentions of Goretti and David Du Quesnay
(Jean Pucyk)

Tuesday 7:30 p.m.
+Antonio T. Tiongson
(Tiongson Family)

Wednesday 12:10 p.m.
Deceased Members of the Maya Family
(Family)

Wednesday 7:30 p.m.
+David Silveira
(Family)

Thursday 12:10 p.m.
+Mrs. Shiu Ngor Chan
(Seto Family)

Thursday 7:30 p.m.
Souls in Purgatory
(Lilian)

Friday 12:10 p.m.
Intentions of
Oliver and Cora Kraus and Family
(Virginia Parikh)

Friday 7:30 p.m.
Intentions of
Therese and Charles Chen
(Family)

Saturday 9:00 a.m.
Intentions of Cassidy Chiu
(John and Teresa Chiu)

Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Intentions of Dora Poon
(Family)

Sunday 9:00 a.m.
+Tomy Luiz
(Connie Tavares)

Sunday 10:30 a.m.
For the people of the parish

Sunday 12:00 p.m.
+Patricia Rodrigues
(Family)

PRAY FOR THE SICK:

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, Lori Go Juan, Anthony De Sousa, Lubomir Ivicic, Margaret Wong, Ara Koumd Jian, Alexander Manuel and Ester Cholakean

PRAY FOR THE DEAD:

For those who have no one to pray for them.

PARENT INFORMATION ABOUT THE EDGE MINISTRY SUNDAY OCTOBER 22 FROM 3 – 4 P.M.

For those students from Grade 6 – 8.

THE NEXT BUNDLE UP SUNDAY WILL BE NEXT WEEK, OCTOBER 28 – 29, 2017

Items accepted: All clothing, footwear, bedding, drapery and Towels (Any Condition) Toys (new or nearly new)

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WALK-IN COUNSELLING at Catholic Family Services York Region
(21 Dunlop St., Richmond Hill) on Mondays and Tuesdays from 1:00-9:00 (www.ccsyr.org)

ALL PARISHIONERS SHOULD BE REGISTERED

and are asked to support the parish and the needs of the Church by using Sunday Offertory Envelopes and making up for any absence during vacation. New parishioners are asked to register in the parish office.

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SUNDAY OCTOBER 22, 2017

“Give ... to God the things that are God’s.” That includes you! Is God calling you to service as a priest, deacon, brother or sister? 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**

COME AND SEE WEEKEND - NOVEMBER 3 - 5, 2017 AT ST. AUGUSTINE’S SEMINARY

Inviting single Catholic men 17 years and older, to cultivate a deeper prayer life and relationship with Jesus Christ; leading to better discernment of God’s call for their lives. Time for prayer, reflection and information the process of becoming one of Christ’s disciples as a Catholic priest. Please register online at www.vocationstoronto.ca for more information please contact the Office of Vocations at: 416 968 0997 or email vocations@archtoronto.org Please note: Registrants 17 years old will require parental consent.

THE SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

in our parish is looking for a few new names 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.

LEGION OF MARY

New Members are welcome. The senior Legion meets in the sacristy on Thursday at 8:10 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 amyrebeiz@gmail.com**

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 to help meet the needs of the homeless. For more information contact Juliette Huang (416) 495-1067

ALTAR SERVERS

Boys as young as grade 4 who would like to become Altar Servers should contact Father Allyn Rose to begin preparation. This involves a serious commitment and support from parents.

FORMED

The Parish has paid for a subscription to Formed **FOR THE WHOLE PARISH.** This is only for parishioners. **You can register by going to: Formed.org** Put your own email and the parish access number which is: 6K2ZMY Then register and enjoy: when you are on the website you can go to Study, watch, listen or read.

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