

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

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
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



TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY

TIME

SUNDAY JUNE 10, 2018

Monday	12:10 p.m.	+Marie Smith (Jackie Mackenzie)
Monday	7:30 p.m.	+Honorata Tuason (Lo Family)
Tuesday	12:10 p.m.	+Philomena Cheong (Nicholas Bong)
Tuesday	7:30 p.m.	Intentions of Maria Creta and the Rosary Group
Wednesday	12:10 p.m.	+Agnes and Paul Poon (Family)
Wednesday	7:30 p.m.	+Shane Espada-Talebian (Family)
Thursday	12:10 p.m.	+Maria Bernal (Family)
Thursday	7:30 p.m.	+Frank Duff (Legion of Mary)
Friday	12:10 p.m.	Living and deceased members of the Logtenberg family (Jackie Mackenzie)
Friday	7:30 p.m.	+Kevin D'Mello (Su)
Saturday	9:00 a.m. In	Thanksgiving and for the intentions of Kassidy Chiu (John and Teresa Chiu)
Saturday	5:00 p.m.	+Pius Goveas (Family)
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	Intentions of Jackie Mackenzie (Jefferson Tse)
Sunday	10:30 a.m.	+Agnes and Paul Poon (Family)
Sunday	12:00 p.m.	

For the people of the parish

PRAY FOR THE SICK: Bob Hustins, Cleo Savoie, Elizabeth Wong, Joseph Yu, Anne Canagasuriam, Johnny Luu, Eric Maddan, Luiza Pinto, Giuseppina Sala, Michael Ramoutar, Anna Starkiewicz, Fitzroy James, Agnes Yuen, Milton Leung, Gidget Leung, Katie Fung, Louise Barton, Paula Mackie and Andrew Carb

PRAY FOR THE DEAD: Denzil D'Souza, Wayne Holmes and for those who have no one to pray for them.

THANKS TO OUR CATECHISTS who have worked with the candidates for Confirmation and those preparing for First Confession and First Holy Communion in our parish. Let us continue to pray for these candidates and their families.

SOME OF THE CATECHISTS from this year are not able to continue next year. Anyone interested in being a catechist can contact Juliette Ling.

TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother". If you feel the inclination to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, call: **Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto 416-968-0997**

email vocations@archtoronto.org
www.vocationstoronto.ca

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**
amy.rebeiz@gmail.com

ALTAR SERVERS

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

BREAD ON ST. ANTHONY'S DAY

WEDNESDAY JUNE 13

Donated by Maria Creta and the Rosary Group.

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.

PARISH OFFERTORY

Weekly goal \$7,000.00 (to meet our expenses)

Last week's Collection was \$6,824.00

ANNUAL PARISH SHARELIFE CAMPAIGN

Donations may be made in the regular offertory or through the direct mailing or at www.sharelife.org The 2018 ShareLife Parish Campaign goal is \$13.600 million. Our parish campaign goal for this year is **\$118,500.00** So far, we have collected **\$72,180.85**

(This includes what is sent directly to ShareLife for our Parish)

ShareLife serves the whole community through its Catholic agencies throughout the year.

Together we can work wonders!

OUR PARISH PRAYER GROUP WILL PRAY
FOR YOUR INTENTIONS

if you could write out your requests for particular intentions and place them in the box located near the statue of our patron, St. Thomas the Apostle

SAVE SUMMER JOBS AND REACH OUT TO YOUR MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT

Thousands of charitable organizations are being denied funding through the Canada Summer Jobs program. The federal government has introduced a litmus test. To qualify for funding, organizations must agree with the Liberal Government on issues such as abortion and gender expression. This has impacted more than 150 jobs and more that \$1 million in funding in the Archdiocese of Toronto alone. Across Canada 1,500 groups had their applications rejected this year vs. 126 in 2017.

Cardinal Collins invites you to write to your federal Member of Parliament to respectfully express your concerns. Visit www.savesummerjobs.ca to send a message to your MP, a process that will take less than 3 minutes. You can also donate at the same site to support those organizations impacted by the new application guidelines.

"WHY DID THE CATHOLIC CHURCH'S 1968 REAFFIRMATION OF HER PRO-LIFE STANCE WITH REGARD TO CONTRACEPTION AND ABORION CAUSE SUCH AN UPROAR?" **Humanae Vitae – Celebrating 50 years**

Saturday, June 16- 10:00 – 4:00 p.m. \$10.00 admission

Sister Helena Burns, FSP and other local experts address issues and questions regarding Theology of the Body and Natural Family Planning. (Doors open at 9:30) No RSVP necessary. Coffee and snacks provided. Bring your own lunch or dine out. Pauline Books and Media – 3022 Dufferin Street, North York 416-781-9131

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)

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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