# 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**

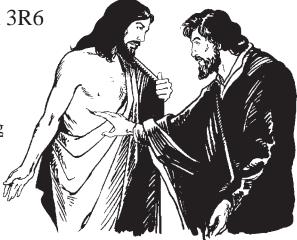
Will be the Second and Fourth Sunday of each month at 1:30 p.m. An information package should be picked up at the Parish Office before meeting with the deacon.

### 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

### YORK CATHOLIC DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD www.ycdsb.ca

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### **PARISH GROUPS**

Altar Boys	Father Allyn Ro	ose 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 9	05-474-1224 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	90-475-2536
St. Mary of Leuca CONVENT	905-475-2350
HighBirch Before and After School	416-580-8876



12:10 p.m. Monday +Mary Kamala Nicholas and Family +Rosaline Thiruchelvam and Family (Family) Monday 7:30 p.m. +Kempton Shaw (Family) 12:10 p.m. Tuesday +Sam and Anne Nasello (Helen and Dominic Florio) Tuesday 7:30 p.m. +William O'Brien (Lynch Family) Wednesday 12:10 p.m. In Thanksgiving and for the intentions of John and Teresa Chiu on their 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary Wednesday 8:30 p.m. Souls in Purgatory Thursday 12:10 p.m. +Necita Vargas (Lynch Family) Thursday 7:30 p.m. +Mary Edna Helfar (John and Yoke Lan Seck) Friday 12:10 p.m. +Father J. Basil Breen +Msgr. Gerard Breen +Father William Breen (Jackie Mackenzie) Friday 7:30 p.m. +Henry De Las Alas (Family) 9:00 a.m. Saturday +Dominic Ng (Lynch Family) Saturday 5:00 p.m. For the People of the Parish Sunday 9:00 a.m. +Francis Tavares (Family) Sunday 10:30 a.m. +Ellie Wu (Family) Sunday 12:00 p.m.

+Collin Hannah (Family)

### THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (CORPUS CRISTI) SUNDAY JUNE 3, 2018

**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

**PRAY FOR THE DEAD:** Eugene Rivera, Wayne Holmes and for those who have no one to pray for them.

### <u>SOLEMNITY OF THE</u> MOST SACRED HEART THIS FRIDAY

### THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

Receiving Eucharist is a real sign of unity in our Church. God nourishes us with the "Bread from Heaven" if we have ordained priests to celebrate the Liturgy. If you feel the inclination to be a priest, religious, or permanent deacon, 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.

### 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

### MOVIE NIGHT IN THE PARISH HALL, JUNE 9 AFTER THE 5:00 P.M. MASS (NEXT WEEK)

The movie is "The Case for Christ". For those who come down right after the Vigil Mass, pizza will be offered and a collection will be taken for ShareLife. **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 \$6,741.50

### WEDNESDAY JUNE 6TH

### ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE OFFICE OF YOUTH (OCY)

Young Adult Ministry is hosting a catechesis on the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass from 7:00 to 8:30 with Mass to follow at 8:30p.m. Please note that the evening Mass that day is rescheduled for 8:30 p.m.

### ANNUAL PARISH SHARELIFE CAMPAIGN

Donations may be made in the regular offertory or through the direct mailing or at <u>www.sharelife.org</u> 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 **\$67,765.85** 

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

**\$59,126.85 collected at the parish and \$8,630.00 sent to the ShareLife Office.** This amount from downtown was shown previously to be mistakenly higher.

ShareLife serves the whole community through its Catholic agencies throughout the year. Together we can work wonders!

### **ROSARY RELAY FOR PRIESTS, FRIDAY JUNE 8, 2018**

Where:King CityTime:2:30 p.m.Lead Location:The Rosary Path at Marylake, 13760 Keele St., King CityMysteries to pray:SorrowfulFor further information:website:www.worldpriest.comemail:rosarypathcy@yahoo.com

### ST. AUGUSTINE'S LAY SPIRITUAL FORMATION PROGRAM PRESENTS.... THE THIRD ANNUAL RETREAT FOR WOMEN – JUNE 9 (BY Dr. JOSEPHINE LOMBARDI)

A Reflection on Some Women of the New Testament using Lectio and VisoDivina 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. (Includes Mass in the seminary Chapel) St. Augustine's Seminary of Toronto – 2661 Kingston Road, Scarborough, ON M1M 1M3

### 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.

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

