

# 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

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St. Francis Xavier 905-470-2225

## YORK CATHOLIC DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

[www.ycdsb.ca](http://www.ycdsb.ca)

## 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

## 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



SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME  
SUNDAY JULY 29, 2018

Monday 12:10 p.m.  
+Kao Wai Fong  
(Helen and Fen Nyan Lee)

Monday 7:30 p.m.  
+Magno and Cipriana Dinglasan  
(Family)

Tuesday 12:10 p.m.  
In Thanksgiving and for the intentions of  
Carlos and Susan Ongpin Razuri on  
their 25<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary

Tuesday 7:30 p.m.  
+Margaret and Christopher D'Sylva  
+Valerie and Jackie Rodrigues  
(Family)

Wednesday 12:10 p.m.  
+Glenville and Virginia Stuart  
(Pat Stuart)

Wednesday 7:30 p.m.  
+Raquel Pinto  
(Prayer Group)

Thursday 12:10 p.m.  
+William and Violet Paterson  
(Jackie Mackenzie)

Thursday 7:30 p.m.  
+Rocco Sala  
(Family)

Friday 12:10 p.m.  
+Brendan Lee  
(Family)

Friday: 7:30 p.m.  
For Vocations to the Priesthood

Saturday 9:00 a.m.  
For the living and deceased members of the  
Daughters of St. Mary of Leuca and for their  
living and deceased families.  
(Jackie Mackenzie)

Saturday 5:00 p.m.  
In Thanksgiving and for the intentions of  
Rex and Margaret Tse on  
their 38<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary

Sunday 9:00 a.m.  
In Thanksgiving and for the intentions of  
Mary Albert on her 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday  
(Family)

Sunday 10:30 a.m.  
Intentions of Millie Sum  
(Family)

Sunday 12:00 p.m.  
+Collin Hannah  
(Family)

PRAY FOR THE SICK: Bob Hustins, Elizabeth Wong, Anne Canagasuriam, Johnny Luu, Eric Maddan, Luiza Pinto, Giuseppina Sala, Michael Ramoutar, Anna Starkiewicz, Fitzroy James, Katie Fung, Paula Mackie, Andrew Carb, Joe De Juan and Agnes Yuen

PRAY FOR THE DEAD: For those who have no one to pray for them.

THE FIRST FRIDAY OF AUGUST OCCURS THIS WEEK.  
ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT WILL  
TAKE PLACE UNTIL BENEDICTION AT 11:45

DO YOU HAVE A FAMILY MEMBER AT HOME  
who is too sick or infirm to attend Sunday Mass? Contact the parish  
office to find out how you can bring Communion home to them

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
In the Gospel many people hunger for a small amount of food. In  
our day, there are too many people for the small number of priests,  
sisters, brothers and deacons. We too must trust in the Lord by  
praying for vocations. If you feel God is calling you to be a priest,  
religious, or permanent deacon, call Fr. **Chris Lemieux, Vocation  
Director, Archdiocese of Toronto 416-968-0997**

email [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org)  
www.vocationstoronto.ca

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.

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](mailto:amy.rebeiz@gmail.com)

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 \$5,344.20**

THANK YOU TO ALL WHO CONTRIBUTED TO SHARELIFE.

WE HAVE COLLECTED \$95,072.55 AS OF JULY 22.

## SUMMER VACATIONS

As summer is starting and many of you are planning your vacation time there are two things to keep in mind:

1. The first thing that we should plan is where we are going to go to Mass if we are going to be away on Sundays. There is nothing more important that we can be doing than participating in the Mass. Even if the Mass is in a language we do not know we must come together as God's children and put God first in our lives.
2. Just like when you go away your bills at home still need to be paid, so also bill still need to be paid at your spiritual home, the parish. There is always a drop in the collection during the summer months making it more difficult to keep up with our day to day expenses. Please keep this in mind when you make your offerings either before you go or after you return from vacation.

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.

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](http://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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