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 Saturdays of each month at9:30 a.m. An information package should be picked up

MARRIAGES

at the Parish Office before meeting with the deacon.

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One year advanced planning is required.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Families should notify the Parish Office in the event of serious illness.



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Altar Boys	Father Allyn R	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	416-697-7179
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

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 905-475-2350

Monday

12:10 p.m.

+Flora Shum (Josie Woo)

Monday

7:30 p.m.

+Anthony Albert (Albert Family)

Tuesday

12:10 p.m.

+Juancho Trinidad

(Linda Bernabe and Family)

Tuesday

7:30 p.m.

+Edward and Margaret Lynch (Family)

Wednesday

12:10 p.m.

+Maria Umali (Loida Ganaden)

Wednesday

7:30 p.m.

In Thanksgiving and for the intentions of Amy Cabilies (Family)

Thursday

12:10 p.m.

In Thanksgiving and for the intentions of Virginia and JP Chan (Chit and Josephine Szeto)

Thursday

7:30 p.m.

+Giuseppa Pucceri (Di Blasi Family)

Friday

12:10 p.m.

+Shum brothers and Family (Josie Wu)

Friday:

7:30 p.m.

+Aurora Lim (Family)

Saturday

9:00 a.m.

Living and deceased members of the McKenna Family

(Family)

Saturday

5:00 p.m.

Deceased Members of the Thomas and Johnson Families (Daunt Family)

Sunday

9:00 a.m.

For the People of the Parish

Sunday

10:30 a.m.

+Luiza Pinto (Father Allyn Rose)

Sunday

12:00 p.m.

+Concettina Nasello (Helen and Dominic Florio)

IN ORDINARY TIME SUNDAY JULY 14, 2019

PRAY FOR THE SICK:

Bob Hustins, Elizabeth Wong, Anne Canagasuriam, Johnny Luu, Eric Maddan, Giuseppina Sala, Michael Ramoutar, Anna Starkiewicz, Fitzroy James, Andrew Carb, Joyce D'Souza, Esther Cholakian, Lawrence Lee, Maribel Monje, William Lee Ah-Chong, Jonrick Carlo Bautista, Antonio Tiongson, Alban Munroe, Nancy Lyn Arsenault, Vartouhi Kapandjian, Ardemis Moushian, Josephine Pereira, Chuba Asad, Margaret Carter, Rita Yu, Yvonne Yih, Louis Ma, Erlinda Tiongson, Belen Alcalde, Peggy Shim, Clemente Magnayi, Andy Pucyk and Gillian Castleford.

PRAY FOR THE DEAD:

For those who have no one to pray for them.

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

It's a simple concept: love God with your whole being and put that love into practice. How is God calling you to love? Have you considered the way of loving called 'priesthood' or 'religious life'? If you think God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto 416-968-0997 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

ALTAR SERVERS – Boys as young as grade 4 who would like to become Altar Servers should contact Mark Huang to begin preparation. This involves a serious commitment and support from parents. Call the parish office at 905-474-1224

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 \$7,500.00 (to meet our expenses)

We received: \$6,015.80 (July 7, 2019)

2019 SHARELIFE CAMPAIGN – Our Parish Campaign Goal this year has been set at \$110,000.00 Our total is \$92,024.55 (This includes what is sent directly to the ShareLife office.) Donations may also be made online.

THE CO-OP MISSION APPEAL WILL BE NEXT WEEK JULY 20/21

Given by Father Jack Martin from the Archdiocese of Newark. The co-op Mission appeal collection will be taken up the weekend of July 28. Please be generous.

BUNDLE UP FOR THE SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL NEXT WEEK JULY 20-21

We do not accept appliances, baby or regular furniture, books, mattresses, dishes, construction material or video tapes.

CATHOLIC COMMUNITY SERVICES OF YORK REGION

Main office: 21 Dunlop Street, Unit 101 Richmond Hill L4C 2M6 1-800-263-2075, 905-770-7040 Ext 241 – Counselling. CCSYR is a multicultural agency and welcomes people from all ethnic, religious and cultural backgrounds regardless of marital status or sexual orientation. CCSYR is a member of Family Service Ontario and is accredited by the Canadian Centre for Accreditation All locations are wheelchair accessible.

SHARELIFE - FIFTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME July 14, 2019

Living the Gospel by supporting the Deaf community

Imagine you're a Deaf child and your parents don't know sign language. Your parents could gesture in rudimentary way, but how do you share your joys, fears and needs? Silent Voice, a ShareLife agency, teaches American Sign Language and Deaf culture to families so they can share a common language. "I'm so passionate about Silent Voice," says one grateful parent, "because their Family Communication Program rescues children from social isolation." Last year more than 700 Deaf people and their family members received help through Silent Voice.

The ShareLife parish campaign ends on July 31. Please make a sacrificial gift through your parish or sharelife.org

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