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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Legion of Mary Sr.	Amy Rebeiz	647-643-2232
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Prayer Group	Al Jacob	416-697-7179
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DAY CARE

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Monday

+Derrick Lee (Family)

Monday

7:30 p.m.

12:10 p.m.

+Ferdinand Moo-Choy

(Family)

Tuesday

12:10 p.m.

Intentions of

Corazon and William Lee Ah Chong

(Paul Chong Ah Yan

Tuesday

7:30 p.m.

Souls in Purgatory

Wednesday

12:10 p.m.

+Olga De Rozario (Atkins Family)

Wednesday

7:30 p.m.

+Corradina Spater (Family)

Thursday

12:10 p.m.

+Mary and Johnny Cannata (Helen and Dominic Florio)

Thursday

7:30 p.m.

+Magno and Cipriana Dinglasan (Family)

Friday

12:10 p.m.

Souls in Purgatory

Friday:

7:30 p.m.

+Margaret and Christopher D'Sylva +Valerie and Jackie Rodrigues (Family)

Saturday

9:00 a.m.

Souls in Purgatory

Saturday

5:00 p.m.

+Charles, Maisie and Trevor Daunt

(Family)

Sunday

9:00 a.m.

+Daniel Kong (Family)

Sunday

10:30 a.m.

For the People of the Parish

Sunday

12:00 p.m.

+Alex Yan, Alberto and Antonia Taguiam (Family)

IN ORDINARY TIME SUNDAY AUGUST 25, 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, Louis Ma, Erlinda Tiongson, Belen Alcalde, Peggy Shim, Clemente Magnayi, Andy Pucyk, Andrew, Junny and Alfonso Hung, Gillian Castleford.

PRAY FOR THE DEAD:

Johnny Luu, and for those who have no one to pray for them.

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen." What do you hope for in the future? 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 email vocations@archtoronto.org

THE EVENING MASS WILL BE AT 7:00 P.M. BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 3rd

DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE INTERESTED IN THE CATHOLIC FAITH?

If you know of anyone in your family or among your friends who has expressed an interest in the Catholic faith or becoming Catholic, invite them to contact Juliette Huang (416)495-1067 before early September. The sessions surrounding the R.C.I.A. (Rite for the Christian Initiation of Adults) will begin in the fall.

9:00 A.M. MASSES ON SATURDAY MORNINGS ARE IN THE CHURCH UNTIL SEPTEMBER 14th **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 is \$7,500.00 (to meet our expenses)

We received: \$6,458.65 (Aug 18, 2019)

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Fundraiser for ongoing Building repairs. Rain or shine. Rosary at 3:00 p.m.

LIVING ROSARY TO BE HELD ON THE NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

On September 7th. Mass at 9:00 a.m. Living Rosary 9:30 – 10:30 in the Church.

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.

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

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.

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