

St. Thomas the Apostle Church

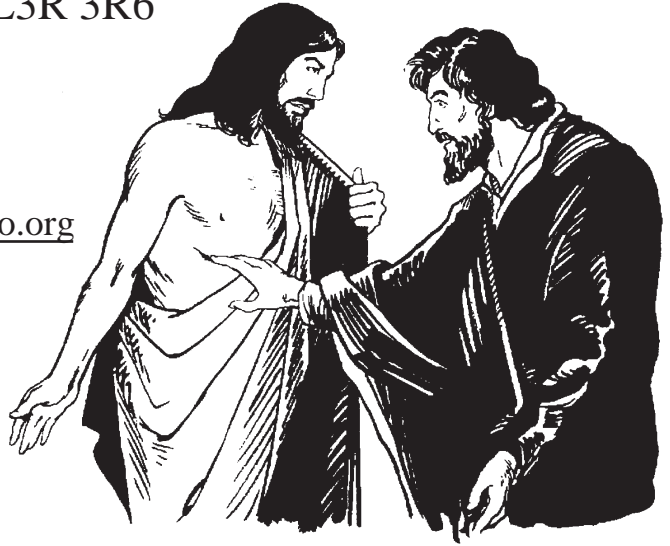
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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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 7:00 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 6:45 p.m.

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 4:30 - 5:00 and 15 minutes before all Sunday Masses

Monday through Friday from 11:45-12:00 and 6:30 to 6:45

DEVOTIONS TO

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

Wednesdays before & after evening Mass.

BAPTISMS

Will be the Second and Fourth Saturdays
of each month at 9:30 a.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”

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DAY CARE

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All Weekend and weekday
Masses have been cancelled until
further notice.

The Church and Offices are closed
until further notice.

The phone and email are checked
each day.

Father Allyn Rose and Father
Patrick will be available for
confession by appointment.
Leave your Name and number and
they will get back to you.

They are also available for
anointing of the sick

The Masses each day are said for
the People of the parish. No one
can attend these but they are
offered for this intention.

No other Mass intentions will be
accepted at this time.

The Masses that have been
scheduled will have to be
rescheduled after all this is over.

Father Allyn Rose would
like your email so he
can keep in touch with
you.

**PALM SUNDAY OF THE
PASSION OF THE LORD
SUNDAY APRIL 5, 2020**

PRAY FOR THE SICK: Bob Hustins, Elizabeth Wong, Eric Maddan, Giuseppina Sala, Michael Ramoutar, Anna Starkiewicz, Fitzroy James, Joyce D'Souza, Esther Cholakian, Lawrence Lee, Maribel Monje, William Lee Ah-Chong, 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, Clemente Magnayi, Bettina Isabel Andal, Angelo Drago, Lilia Tiongson, Marian Pereira, Gene Chong, Maris-Stella Ram-Kumar, Ancilla Campo, Bernard Ho, Loretta Ho Agnes Yuen, William Liu and for all those who are sick with the Covid – 19 Virus.

PRAY FOR THE DEAD: Joseph Luk, Maggie Leung, and for all those who have died from the Covid – 19 Virus and for those who have no one to pray for them.

This is a difficult time for everyone in many ways.

Especially during this very solemn and beautiful Liturgical time of the year. Thankfully most of us will be able to watch it on tv or on the internet as the parish priests will still be doing all the Liturgies.

Let us be patient and accepting during this trial. God can always bring good out of evil and what He want most of all is to draw us to Himself. That is the ultimate goal. To be with Him for eternity and we begin that here.

Pray and watch the Mass on tv following it with all the responses. Receiving Jesus through Spiritual Communion. Pray the Rosary every day. We need our mother. Pray to the Saints (they are our friends) Pray to our Guardian Angel. And know and believe that Jesus our Saviour is with us 24/7

Pray much for those who we love, our family, relatives our neighbors. Pray for our Country, for the World.

BE THANKFUL TO GOD FOR ALL

PARISH OFFERTORY

Weekly goal \$7,500.00 (to meet our expenses)

We received \$1,078.00 March 29, 2020 includes what people have mailed in and Pag.

Ways of sending your offering to the Church.

Best way. Through archtoronto.org go to Donate Now. Top Righthand corner.

Go your parish. Scroll down to our Parish St. Thomas the Apostle Parish, Markham and then put in your offering amount. You can pay by credit card. Or you can mail in your offering.

In your free time you could catch get back to or catch up on your reading.

Some good books are (they are all on Amazon)

In alphabetical name by Author

History of the Catholic Church – James Hitchcock

His Angels at our side – Fr. John Horgan

The Baltimore Catechism of the Catholic Church

Novena Prayers and Devotions

Diary (St. Faustina)

Great books by Peter Kreeft:

Everything you ever wanted to know about Heaven

How to be Holy

Making sense of Suffering

The God who love us

All great books

The Fulfillment of all Desire – Ralph Martin

Hunger for God – Ralph Martin

In Sinu Jesu

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