

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.

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SCHOOLS

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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

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY		12:10 p.m.
	+Bernadette Petrie (Pucyk Family)	
MONDAY		7:00 p.m.
	Souls in Purgatory (D'Souza Family)	
TUESDAY		12:10 p.m.
	+Alex Yan, Alberto Antonia and Maty (Carmen)	
TUESDAY		7:00 p.m.
	Souls in Purgatory	
WEDNESDAY		12:10 p.m.
	In Thanksgiving and for the intentions of Angie Oblonsek	
WEDNESDAY		7:00 p.m.
	Souls in Purgatory	
THURSDAY		12:10 p.m.
	+Effie Goveas (Family)	
THURSDAY		7:00 p.m.
	+Margaret Straub (Genco Family)	
FRIDAY		12:10 p.m.
	+Jin Imm Tan (Tan Family)	
FRIDAY		7:00 p.m.
	For Vocations to the Priesthood	
SATURDAY		9:00 a.m.
	+Lily Philomena D'Souza (Connie D'Souza)	
SATURDAY		5:00 p.m.
	Living and Deceased Members of the Rodrigues and Fernandes Families	
SUNDAY		9:00 a.m.
	+Paul Ping Kwong Chen (Justin and Jean Lee)	
SUNDAY		10:30 a.m.
	+Remedina Tavares (Deacon Sarfaraz Pinto)	
SUNDAY		12:00 p.m.
	+Celestine Lucy Pinto (Deacon Sarfaraz Pinto)	

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY **IN ORDINARY TIME** **SUNDAY AUGUST 30, 2020**

PRAY FOR THE SICK: Eric Maddan, Giuseppina Sala, Michael Ramoutar, Anna Starkiewicz, Fitzroy James, Joyce D'Souza, Lilia Tiongson, Edilberto Claveria, Rowen Lee McBride, Margaret Carter, Elizabeth Wong, Domenic D'Souza, Samantha Fernandes, Marcus Rodrigues and for all those who are sick with the Covid – 19 Virus.

PRAY FOR THE DEAD: For those who have died from the Covid – 19 Virus and for those who have no one to pray for them.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

6:00 – 7:00 p.m. every Friday before
the evening Mass

BULLETIN

Will only be available on the website.

REGISTRATIONS EACH WEEK ON THE WEBSITE

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL HAS ASKED FOR DONATIONS IF YOU ARE ABLE.

The Box is by the grass door entrance.

CANDLE STANDS

Volunteers are needed (two per Mass) one to light
the candle that someone is requesting.
The second to receive the money for the candle.

PARISH OFFERTORY

Weekly goal \$7,500.00 (to meet our expenses)
We received \$4,711.34

August 23, 2020 (Includes Weekly, Pag, Donate
Now, etc.)

LIVING ROSARY ON THE NATIVITY OF OUR BLESSED MOTHER

The Legion of Mary is inviting all of you to Living Rosary prayers to celebrate the birthday of Our Blessed Mother Mary. This event will be held on September 8, 2020 (Tuesday), 6:15 p.m. before the 7:00 p.m. daily Mass. All are welcome!!

HUMANITARIAN RELIEF – LEBANON RELIEF EFFORT

An enormous explosion devastated the city of Beirut, Lebanon, on Tuesday, August 4, 2020 in what the local mayor called “a national catastrophe.”

The situation in Lebanon is dire. At least 154 people died in the explosion and 5,000 were injured – those numbers are expected to rise over the coming days. The explosion also destroyed vital food stores and left 300,000 people homeless (representing roughly 12 per cent of the city’s population). Five hundred hospital beds, as well as important medical supplies needed for the country’s COVID – 19 response, were also damaged in the blast.

At this time, we ask the faithful to please donate to the Lebanon relief effort, if they are able.

The Archdiocese of Toronto will send donations to the Catholic Near East Welfare Association (CNEWA), a papal agency with extensive on-the-ground networks in Lebanon. CNEWA staff are currently working to send food, water, medical supplies and hygiene products to Beirut. Spiritual and psychological support will also be provided to those who lost everything in a blink of an eye. Later, CNEWA will rebuild housing and help re-establish those who lost their livelihoods in this disaster.

Those wishing to help may do so in the following ways:

- Diocese of Toronto website (click the **“Donate Now”** button at the top of the page):
www.archtoronto.org
- By phone through the Development Office – 416-934-3411
- Through the parish, making cheques payable to: Name of Parish – Lebanon Relief Effort – Disaster Relief.

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