

St. Thomas More Parish

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Pastor: Rev. Aegidius Warsito SCJ

Associate Pastors: Rev. Martin Kadamattu SCJ, Rev. Antonio Resende Pereira SCJ
Priests of the Sacred Heart

Secretaries: Josie Elsner, Cathy Dessailly **Religious Ed. Coordinator:** Michelle Peres

Pastoral Council Chair: Mike Carolan **Caretaker:** Rodel Trivino

Office hours: Monday to Friday - 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.; 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Saturday and Sunday - 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

New Parishioners are requested to register in the parish by phone or email.



Mass Schedule

Sunday Masses

Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m.,
11:30 a.m., 8:00 p.m.
Spanish 2:00 p.m.

Weekday Masses

Monday to Friday 7:30 a.m.
Tuesday to Friday 7:00 p.m.
Saturday & Holidays 9:00 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday: 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. and 4:00 to 4:45 p.m.

Baptism: Contact the parish office. Baptisms are scheduled monthly on the third and fourth Saturdays in English; on the second Saturday in Spanish.

Marriage: Contact the parish office one year in advance.

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick: If any family member with a serious illness or preparing for surgery wishes to celebrate this Sacrament, please call the parish office.

Liturgical Ministries

Lectors	Lorna D'Souza	416-431-7685
Eucharistic Ministers	Clara Peters-Onagoruwa	416-439-1545
Music Ministry	Donald Torres	647-449-6583
Altar Servers	Patrick Pillainayagam	stmparish.altarservers@gmail.com
Ushers/Greeters	Dennis Cybulskie	416-494-8858
Children's Liturgy of the Word	Nora Lovgren	416-439-1545
Communion to the Sick	Hy Francis	416-284-7851

Schools

St. Thomas More Elementary School	2300 Ellesmere Road	416-393-5322
St. Edmund Campion Elementary School	30 Highcastle Road	416-393-5356
St. John Paul II Secondary School	685 Military Trail	416-393-5531

Youth Ministry

Youth Chaplain

Fr. Antonio Pereira SCJ stthomasmore@rogers.com

Young Adults for Christ

Racine Senining.....stmyac@gmail.com

Parish Groups

Parish Council

Mike Carolan.....416-282-4750

Finance Council

Alan King.....416-284-7190

Screening Committee

Claudine Goller.....416-289-0307

St. Vincent de Paul Society

Martel Gordon-Tennant.....416-439-7827

Be Patient & Listen

Listening has become a lost art in our contemporary culture. Paradoxically, with the vast number of messages that we are exposed to, we are presented opportunities that resonates with the questions we are exposed to, we are presented opportunities to listen to a message that resonates with the questions we are facing in our lives. God is present in our search for meaning – if only we are patient and attentive to the Spirit operating continuously in our lives, inviting us to “come and see.”

Following Jesus involves listening for the message that both draws us in and teaches a response to our question that is consistent with living in the Spirit. Consider our experience when we’re looking for something - and the panic at not knowing if or when we will find it, along with the feeling of joy that comes when we find exactly what we are looking for. In a similar way does our Teacher – Jesus – work with us in our own lives. We are anxious in our searching, but there is joy when we hear God’s call,

Come and see the enormous feast that awaits us – if only we are open to the Spirit guiding us to move from where God intends us to be. We will benefit if we consider that we are being continuously invited to come and see through our lives.

John O’Brien
Oakville, ON

Mass Intentions for January 16 - 23, 2021

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	+Priscila Celia Lim, requested by the family
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	+Reggie, Linda, and Chandra de Silva & Heloise and Rene D. Bernard, requested by K. de Alwis
	10:00 a.m.	+Deceased members of the Albuquerque family, requested by the family
	11:30 a.m.	Intentions of the parish community
	8:00 p.m.	+Teodora Yambot, requested by the family
Monday	7:30 a.m.	Intentions of Nolita Marin
Tuesday	7:30 a.m.	Intentions of Ben & Uju
	7:00 p.m.	+Camilla Palumbo, requested by the family
Wednesday	7:30 a.m.	Intentions of Adriana Kiriakou
	7:00 p.m.	+Jovita Dayot, requested by G. Nepomuceno
Thursday	7:30 a.m.	+Judith Lorza, requested by the family
	7:00 p.m.	+Charles & Frank Quinlan, requested by F. & L. West
		+Elia Anthony, requested by the family
		Intentions of Imelda Abad
Friday	7:30 a.m.	+Elizabeth Marin, requested by N. Marin
	7:00 p.m.	+Emerenciana C. Lim, requested by the family
Saturday	9:00 a.m.	+Mario Marin, requested by N. Marin

Communion Service



Saturday: 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm (English)
Sunday: 9:00 am to 11:00 am (English)
Sunday: 1:00 pm to 2:30 pm (Spanish)

Please call the Parish Office to register.
Please be on time as only 9 people are allowed in the Church at a time.

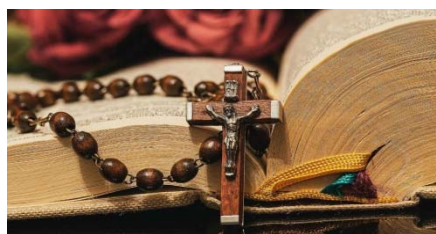
Private Prayer at the Parish

Daily from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

All Catholic churches in Toronto have been closed to public Masses as Cardinal Collins has directed but are allowed to be open for private prayer with up to 10 persons at a time. At our parish Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is available daily from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. This includes weekdays and Saturday. Please come to the parish office, complete a screening form, sanitize your hands and you will be directed to a designated spot for prayer.

Prayers Needed for the Sick

We are praying for the sick of our parish: Mary Lavrisa, Dr. Frank Browne, Rita Browne, Bill Quinn, Frank Kovacs, Rita Britto, Raj Udayasekaran, Ingrid Pereira, Titus Passanha, Wilf O'Connor, Joe Rizza, Ma. Concepcion C. Reyes, John Difalco, Nico Bonifacio, Richard White, Dean Menard, Alex Fernandes, Lee Esmonde and those with COVID-19. May they be supported by our prayers and pastoral ministry and by the grace of God.



Sacramental Prep News

Email: stmpsacraments@gmail.com



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

- Do to COVID restrictions First Holy Communion preparations are postponed until further notice.

CONFIRMATION

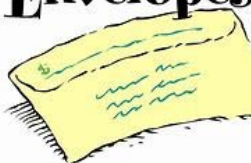
- Do to COVID restrictions Confirmation preparations are postponed until further notice.

R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)

- Persons who wish to become Catholic should contact the parish during office hours.

2021 Sunday Offertory Envelopes

Offering Envelopes



Please call the parish office to confirm our office hours in the coming weeks so that you may pick up your box of Sunday offertory envelopes. Inside the box is a pink form which we ask you to

complete for our recordkeeping. Also, please do not use these envelopes until January 2021.

Is Jesus calling you? Would you give your life for him?



The Church is blessed with a rich diversity of vocations; all of them are born from God as He calls us to participate in his work of redemption. If you are thinking about God's call and trying to find purpose for your life, we are here to help you. Maybe He is inviting you to be a priest, a religious brother or sister, to serve the church with love and generosity. Come and talk to us!

We will help you discern your vocation.

Contact: Fr. Antonio Resend Pereira, SCJ

(Priests of the Sacred Heart Vocation director)



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