

St. Thomas More Parish

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Pastor: Rev. Aegidius Warsito SCJ

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Priests of the Sacred Heart

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

Pastoral Council Chair: Parish Office **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	Percy D'Mello	647-404-5394
Children's Liturgy of the Word	Parish Office	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

Parish Office.....416-439-1545

Finance Council

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Screening Committee

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God's Way

The Gospel for this Sunday talks about Peter and the other disciples at the Sea of Tiberius, doing nothing. Though it was after the resurrection of Jesus, and Jesus had already appeared to them twice, they were not very sure what to do or where to go. That is why Peter suggested they go fishing, hoping that they could make some use of their time; but they caught nothing at all after working hard all night.

This may have been because there was nothing on their minds and in their hearts. It seems like even the fish also didn't want to go near them. Until Jesus called out to them. Then things began to change so quickly. Suddenly, there was a miraculous catch of fish. And then one of the disciples realized that it was Jesus. And when they came back to shore, there was breakfast ready for them. But most importantly, Jesus was with them and life began to look different. Life began to look exciting.

In our own lives, we experience the same things as what the disciples went through. Life, indeed, has many moments of frustration and disappointment. We feel like we wait for nothing and we work for nothing. Our human inclination is to want life smooth and easy. Whether in church, at home, or at work, we want it smooth and easy. Whether in marriage or in bringing up kids or taking care of aged parents, we want it smooth and easy. And we can have it our way; if we are not happy at work, in church, or in our marriage, we can just leave.

The question is: do we want to choose our way or do we want to live life God's way? The disciples choose God's way and they have life. What about us?

Fr. Aegi Warsito SCJ

Mass Intentions for April 30 – May 7, 2022

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	+Mary Sebastian, requested by T. and R. Lopes
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	+Deceased members of the Goh and Rivera families, requested by the families
	10:00 a.m.	+Brenda Johnston, requested by the family
	11:30 a.m.	Intentions of the parish community
	8:00 p.m.	Intentions of David Nelson
Monday	7:30 a.m.	+Belen Secoquian, requested by the Abad family
Tuesday	7:30 a.m.	+Paul Jewell, requested by Sharon and Cathy
	7:00 p.m.	+Joseph Teixeira, requested by the Gonsalves family
Wednesday	7:30 a.m.	+Myra Samuels, requested by the Francis family
	7:00 p.m.	+Kenn Shah, requested by S. McDoom
Thursday	7:30 a.m.	+Varghese, requested by the family
	7:00 p.m.	Intentions of the Serviam Group, our priests and for priestly vocations
		+Mariam Xavier, requested by L. and E. Peters
		+George Kelaart, requested by G. and Y. D'Mello
Friday	7:30 a.m.	+Clyde and Ruby Field, requested by the Kovacs family
	7:00 p.m.	+Conchita Rosales, requested by the family
Saturday	9:00 a.m.	+Rita Browne, requested by S. McPherson



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Senior’s Mass and Luncheon

Wednesday, May 25 at 11:00 a.m.



We are resuming our Senior’s Mass and luncheon activity again. On Wed., May 25 our Senior’s Mass will be held at 11:00 a.m. followed by a

luncheon in the parish hall. All seniors are most welcome!

Faith Development Community

Saturday, May 28 at 6:15 p.m.



Would you like to join an engaging group to discuss Catholic prayer and meditation, books and

literature, music and singing, and social media and film, our four areas of focus?

The Faith Development Community is a new community seeking all parishioners of high school age and above to join in monthly meetings.

Our mission is to foster a greater understanding and appreciation of our Catholic faith through prayer, discussion and contemplation. Please contact us by email:

STMFaithDev@gmail.com.

Sacramental Prep News

Email: stmpsacraments@gmail.com



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

- Registration is now closed.

CONFIRMATION

- Registration is now closed.

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

- Registration is now closed.

Knights of Columbus Council 11133



The Knights of Columbus will be holding a membership drive at all Masses this weekend, April 30 / May 1, 2022. Joining the Knights of Columbus will give you the opportunity to give back to

your community, increase your Catholic faith, protect your families and defend your values in a changing world. **Men of St. Thomas More Parish** you are most welcome to join the Knights of Columbus!

Prayers Needed for the Sick



REQUESTS
—FOR—
PRAYER

We are praying for the sick: Natividad San Luis, Harold Lee, Ken Gordon, Roland Attong, Victoria Munson, Neil Abray, Shiromi Thambyrajah, Sheri-Anne Asaro, John Jeffery, Helen Lazo, Emmanuel Fernando and those with

COVID-19. May they be supported by our prayers, pastoral ministry and by the grace of God.


Children's Liturgy of the Word

Sundays at the 10:00 a.m. Mass




We welcome children ages 4 to 10 to the Children’s Liturgy of the Word at the 10:00 a.m. Mass every Sunday.

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