

St. Thomas More Parish

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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 MinistryYouth ChaplainFr. Antonio Pereira SCJ stthomasmore@rogers.comYoung Adults for ChristRacine Senining.....stmyac@gmail.com**Parish Groups**Parish Council

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

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The Holy Spirit

The Gospel for this 6th Sunday of Easter contains Jesus' tender farewell to His disciples. The Gospel starts with a very beautiful statement: "**Whoever loves Me will keep My Word.**"

Jesus will go away but His departure will not mark the end of His ministry and of His mission to bring people back to God. In fact, His death and resurrection will be the culmination of His work. But He will also mark a different kind of His presence among us. He will no longer walk with His disciples as the Rabbi of Nazareth. He will be the glorious but invisible Lord.

Yet, He will not leave them orphans. He will send the Holy Spirit as their Paraclete, that is, their consoler, advocate, inspirer and one who will teach them everything about Jesus. With the help of the Holy Spirit, they will certainly be capable of continuing Jesus' work: to announce the Good News of salvation to the whole world. The Spirit will remind them of all things Jesus taught them.

The same Holy Spirit that Peter and his companions received still is working until now to help and make sure that we know the implication and meaning of the Word of Jesus Christ in the ever changing and ever more complex realities of modern life. The Holy Spirit makes us be sure what Jesus would do and how He would act in the present concrete situations of our daily lives.

The problem is: do we realize that the Holy Spirit is in our lives? What should we do to work together with the Holy Spirit in our daily lives?

Fr. Aegi Warsito SCJ

**Mass Intentions for
May 21 – 28, 2022**

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	+Joseph Teixeira, requested by the Gonsalves-Teixeira family
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	+Doris Gutierrez, requested by the Uncad family
	10:00 a.m.	+Mina Gomez, requested by the Dabu family
	11:30 a.m.	Intentions of the parish community
	8:00 p.m.	Intentions of Georjo Tabucan
Monday	9:00 a.m.	+Mary & Michael McPherson, requested by the family
Tuesday	7:30 a.m.	In thanksgiving, Jaden, Joshua & Jordan Rey
	7:00 p.m.	+Carl Gonsalves, requested by the family
Wednesday	7:30 a.m.	+Chandra Appiah, requested by S. McDoom
	7:00 p.m.	+Pasquale Palumbo, requested by the family
Thursday	7:30 a.m.	+Souls in Purgatory
	7:00 p.m.	Intentions of Ninette Peres
		+Ofelia Lim, requested by the James family
		Intentions of Roland Attong
		+Ven Faundo. Requested by the James family
		+Maria Ravelas Buenaventura, requested by L. Pagsanghen
+Luciano Perez Bernal & Gregory Myers, requested by the family		
Friday	7:30 a.m.	+Amanda M. Lobo, requested by the family
	7:00 p.m.	+David Francis., requested by the family
Saturday	9:00 a.m.	+Emilio Yambot, requested by the family

Children's Liturgy of the Word

Bring your children, ages 4 to 10, to the Children's Liturgy of the Word on Sundays to the 10:00 a.m. Mass.



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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!

Rosary at the Grotto (in May)

Saturdays in May at 6:15 p.m. (after Mass)



The Legion of Mary will pray the Rosary after the Saturday 5:00 p.m. Mass during the month of May at the Marian grotto outside by the parking area.

Everyone is most welcome to attend!

Train your heart to give sympathy and your hand to give help!

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.

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.

Our group will meet on Sat., May 28 at 6:15 p.m. in the parish hall. Light refreshments will be served.


Prayers Needed for the Sick

We are praying for the sick: Mary Lavrisa, Natividad San Luis, Don Lee, Roland Attong, Victoria Munson, Neil Abray, Sheri-Anne Asaro, John Jeffery, Helen Lazo, Emmanuel Fernando, Diosbado Dabu, Edna Singh, Kathy Kimmerly and those with COVID-19. May they be supported by our prayers, pastoral ministry and by the grace of God.

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