

# St. Thomas More Parish

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## Parish Staff

**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	<a href="mailto:stmparish.altarservers@gmail.com">stmparish.altarservers@gmail.com</a>
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 ChaplainFr. Antonio Pereira SCJ [stthomasmore@rogers.com](mailto:stthomasmore@rogers.com)Young Adults for ChristRacine Senining.....[stmyac@gmail.com](mailto: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

**Jesus Loves Us**

I think the Gospel for this 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter is really the Good News for all of us, because Jesus tells us: *“As the Father loves me, so I have loved you, abide in my love.”* And to add to this Good News, Jesus chose to love us. So, Jesus not only accepts us in our unworthy sinful state, but He chooses to love us with the same love that God the Father loves Him. Jesus tells us this so that the joy of His love will be in us and that it will make our love and our joy complete.

When we realise that Jesus chose to love us, that God’s love is given to us in full, and that His love makes our joy complete, then we will realise who we really are and that we will want to remain in God’s love. Then we will not live on other people’s acceptance nor will we die from their rejection. God’s love is enough for us and we only want to remain in His love.

Jesus chose us and He loves us. What we need is just to remain in His love so that we can bear fruits of love for others to receive God’s love and come to know who they are. Let us in turn bear the fruit of love for others so that they will open their hearts to Jesus and that their joy be complete.

Our reflection is: do we realise that Jesus really chose to love us? What should we do to repay the love that we have received from Jesus?

*Fr. Aegi Warsito SCJ*

**Mass Intentions for  
May 8 – 15, 2021**

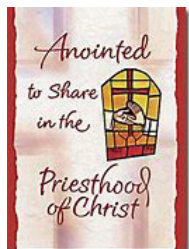
Saturday	5:00 p.m.	+Edward Paboudjian, requested by M. Armour
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	+Loconte Vito Michele, requested by the R. & D. Dalasandro
	10:00 a.m.	Intentions of Fr. John Duffy
	11:30 a.m.	Intentions of the parish community
Monday	8:00 p.m.	+Michael Uno, requested by L. Taylor
	7:30 a.m.	+Mary Magdalen, Lucian De Silva, Bertha Perera and Bertha Pinto, requested by P. De Silva
Tuesday	7:30 a.m.	+Claire O’Reilly, requested by the family
	7:00 p.m.	+Theresa and Victor de Victoris, requested by C. Goller
Wednesday	7:30 a.m.	+Mathew Peters, requested by C. Peters
	7:00 p.m.	+Rita Benedict, requested by the R. Benedict
Thursday	7:30 a.m.	+Justin Josiah, requested by the family
	7:00 p.m.	+Agostinho Teixeira, requested by the family
		+Victorine Stanislaus, requested by the family
		+Dr. Francisco Portugal, requested by L. Cabrera
		+Immacolata Doganieri, requested by L. Cabrera
Intentions of Silene Alsuran		
Friday	7:30 a.m.	Intentions of Olivera Dimeski
	7:00 p.m.	+Leonara Mopas, requested by J. Mopas
Saturday	9:00 a.m.	+John Estefa, requested by the Palos family

**Prayers Needed for the Sick**

We are praying for the sick of our parish: Jane Demers, Leslie Reyes, Sebastian Fretes, Dr. Sanchez, Karen & Peter Wroblewski, Beth Treuer, Edna Singh, Anne Gnana and those with COVID-19. May they be supported by our prayers and pastoral ministry and by the grace of God.

## Ordinations 2021

Saturday, May 8, 2021



His Eminence Thomas Cardinal Collins will ordain two transitional deacons Rev. Mr. Arthur Lee and Rev. Mr. Andrew Taylor with the Sacrament of Holy Orders as they become priests to the Archdiocese of Toronto on Sat.,

May 8 at 10:00 a.m. at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica. Everyone is encouraged to join the Mass at [www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live](http://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live).

## Mother's Day Prayer



Life is more meaningful  
more worth the living

When you have a mother  
who's thoughtful and giving

Life's greatest treasures  
the true worthwhile kind

Who demonstrates love  
by examples she's set

By deeds she has done  
and the trials she has met

Who patterns her life  
to a Power Divine

And I'm thankful that just  
such a mother is mine.

*Clare Kelaart*

## Churches To Stay Open

Cardinal Collins announced that as of Monday, April 19, 2021 all parishes are able to be open from now until May 20, 2021 for private prayer and Communion services. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament is available for private prayer at our parish 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. daily from Monday to Saturday inclusive. Entrance to the church is through the parish office. For Communion services (held from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m. on Saturdays and from 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. on Sundays every 15 minutes) each person must call the parish office at 416-439-1545 to register their attendance.

## Sacramental Prep News

Email: [stmpsacraments@gmail.com](mailto:stmpsacraments@gmail.com)



### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

- First Holy Communion preparations will be available when our Church is open.

### CONFIRMATION

- Registration is now closed.

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

- Classes for R.C.I.A. candidates have already begun.

## Catholic Family Services Counselling



Catholic Family Services is now offering online access single sessions. Single-session counselling is a quick and effective way for individuals, couples or families to address a

mental health or relationship concern. Please contact [info@cfstoronto.com](mailto:info@cfstoronto.com) or 416-921-1163 or 416-222-0048 and leave a message with your name and contact information and a staff person will respond.

## SHARELIFE 2021

Your gift to ShareLife is helping!



ShareLife-funded agencies have been helping thousands of people since the pandemic began. They quickly adapted their programs in light of safety and the changing needs of the people they serve.

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*Cardinal Thomas Collins*

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