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St. Thomas 636 Glenholme Ave, Toronto 416-393-5236

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WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday 9:00 am only
Tuesday- Friday 9:00 am & 7:00 pm
Saturday 9:00 am

SUNDAY MASSES:

Saturday 5:00 pm English
Sunday 9:30 am English
11:00 am Italiano
12:30 pm English
2:00 pm Espanol
7:00 pm English

CONFESSIONS / CONFESIONES

Saturday 4:00 pm or by appointment.
Sábado a las 4pm u siempre para citas.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM - BAUTIZOS

Please contact the office as soon as possible or 3 months in advance.
Llamar a la oficina por lo menos 3 meses antes de la fecha del Bautizo, para entrevistarse y reunirse con los padres y padrinos.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY - BODAS

Please contact the office one year in advance and prior to making all other arrangements.
Llame a la oficina 1 año antes de la fecha estimada para la boda y antes de reservar el Salón.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Please call the office and press ext. 3

SICK CALLS

Please notify the Parish Office for visits or Communion visitations to the sick.

CATECHISM & RCIA

For the sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation) please contact the office.

PARISH REGISTRATION

We welcome you to our Parish Community and invite you / your family to introduce yourself to the priests and REGISTER as soon as possible. Registration forms are available in the Parish Office.

REGISTRACION PARROQUIAL

Le damos la Bienvenida a nuestra comunidad parroquial y lo invitamos a ud y su familia a presentarse con los Sacerdotes y a que se registre lo mas pronto posible. Los formatos de registro estan disponibles en la oficina parroquial

PARISH REGISTRATION (Print Clearly and Completely)

DATE: _____

First and LAST Name: _____ Envelopes #: _____

Address: _____ Apt. #: _____ City: _____

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CORRECTIONS: Please circle/fill out and (Place in collection basket or office)

NEW PARISHIONER

NEW ENVELOPES

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

MOVING OUT OF PARISH

Sunday, December 2, 2018

1st Sunday of Advent (C)	
MASS: Schedule & Intentions	
Saturday Dec. 1:	
5:00 pm	Niso Daneluzzi/Gioacchino Vit Mazzy & Pheffer Da Silva /Honor of Blessed Virgin Mary & in reparation for the blasphemies committed/Blessings & conversion of George Soros, Marivic, Angela, Stanfa, Amo, Nannette, the Shahs & Rick Cruickshank
Sunday Dec. 2: 1st of Advent	
9:30 am	Birthday blessings for Fernando Rio Villanueva & Austin Heath
11:00am	Antonio Palandra e parenti defunti / Ana Maria/Palmino Alfano
12:30pm	For healing OF Mariela Misiri/Filomena Calitri/Ernest & Lawrence Perez Sandino/
2:00 pm	Bendiciones en el cumpleaños de Ana Sofia De Anda y Maria de los Angeles Villanueva/ Bendiciones para la familia Calle Marquez
7:00 pm	Honor of Blessed Virgin Mary & in reparation for the blasphemies committed/Blessings & conversion of George Soros, Marivic, Angela, Stanfa, Amo, Nannette, the Shahs & Rick Cruickshank/ Birthday blessings for Fernando Rio Villanueva, Austin Heath & his twin brother.
Monday Dec. 3: St. Francis Xavier	
9:00 am	Honor of Blessed Virgin Mary & in reparation for the blasphemies committed/Blessings & conversion of George Soros, Marivic, Angela, Stanfa, Amo, Nannette, the Shahs & Rick Cruickshank
Tuesday Dec. 4: St. John Damascene	
9:00 am	For the community
7:00 pm	For the community
Wednesday Dec. 5:	
9:00 am	For the community
7:00 pm	Gacinto Gimma
Thursday Dec. 6: St. Nicholas	
9:00 am	Nicola Galati
7:00 pm	Arminda Cruz
Friday Dec. 7: St. Ambrose	
9:00 am	For the community
9:30 am	Eucharistic Adoration from 9:30-11:30am , 5-6:45pm & 7:30-8:30pm
7:00 pm	For the community
Saturday Dec. 8: Immaculate Conception	
9:00 am	Vittorio Ierullo/In honor of the Immaculate Conception & St. Bernadette/ Thanksgiving for blessings & for a happy death for Chizo Ezeudu

2019 SUNDAY MISSAL

The Sunday Missal is now available for sale here at St. Thomas for \$5.00. Please visit the Sacristy after Sunday Mass or the office during the week for your purchase.

2019 NEW ENVELOPES:

The new envelopes for 2019 are ready in the Hall downstairs. Please check and remember your envelope # and take **ONLY** that same envelope number. If you have any problem, please **don't take any box**, but contact us at the office. Thank you for your continued generosity and support.

**1st Sunday of Advent**

Advent marks the beginning of the liturgical year. While it expresses the deep longing of all humanity for God, it celebrates the three-fold coming of the Lord: remembering the events that surrounded the Lord's coming long ago, celebrating his coming among us today, and looking forward to his final coming in glory. Advent is a season of devout and joyful expectation. Its four Sundays highlight our desire and longing for peace, justice and unity.





This year's **CHRISTMAS CONCERT** will be next Saturday December 8 @6:30pm in the church. Please reserve the date and be there.

CHRISTMAS FLOWERS

TODAY is the 2nd collection for Christmas flowers & decorations! Please donate generously to have our Parish beautifully decorated. We thank you in advance.

UPCOMING AND LAST TRIP FOR 2018

Next Sat-Sun December 8-9

Beaupre, Trois Rivières & Sherbrooke
in Quebec, \$190 per person
Call Edith 416-420-5185

1st COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION

GRADE 7 and Confirmation next class

Saturday Dec 15, 2:30pm in church hall

GRADE 2 and 1st Communion next class

Saturday Dec 8, 3:00 pm in church hall

Blessed Sacrament's Candle & Flowers

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ADVENT RETREATS

Retiro en Espanol " EN CAMINO HACIA BELEN" el Sabado 8 de Diciembre entre 9am -1pm con ciarlas, tiempo para confesiones y....cafe. Todos bienvenidos.

Retreat in ENGLISH Sat. Dec 15 from 9am-1pm with talks about MOTHER MARY & PRAYER. Confession/coffee. All welcome

ADVENT OF MERCY

Collection of FOOD for our church' St Vincent de Paul and CANADIAN FOOD FOR CHILDREN of Dr. Simone

ADVENT RETREATS

Sat, Dec 8 Retiro en espanol 9am-1pm

Sat, Dec 15 Retreat in english 9am-1pm

CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Saturday Dec. 8th @ 6:30pm

CONFESSIONS FOR SCHOOLS

Tues, Dec.11th – D'Arcy McGee School

Wed, Dec.12th – St. Thomas School

CONFESSIONS FOR COMMUNITY

Wednesday Dec. 12th: 7:30 – 8:30pm

SIMBANG GABI—CHRISTMAS NOVENA

SIMBANG GABI will commence on Saturday December 15 at 5:00pm, and will continue until December 23. Join us for potluck in the hall after each mass.

NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY

New Year's Eve tickets (\$50) are now available in the office during the week & in the sacristy after weekend masses! Come and celebrate with us.

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