



ST. THOMAS AQUINAS R.C. PARISH

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WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday- Saturday 9am only

SUNDAY MASSES:

SATURDAY 5:00 pm English

SUNDAY 9:00 am English

10:30 am Italiano

12:00 pm English

2:00 pm Espanol

6:00 pm English

CONFESSIONS / CONFESIONES

Saturday 4:00 pm or by appointment.

Sábado a las 4:00 pm o con cita.

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 THOMAS AQUINAS FOOD BANK SUSPENDED

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 & press **ext. 4**.

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: _____

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CORRECTIONS: Please circle/fill out and place it in collection basket or office

NEW PARISHIONER

VOLUNTEER

NEW ENVELOPES

CHANGE OF ADDRESS/MOVING PARISH

THIS WEEK AT ST. THOMAS AQUINAS



Assumption of our Mother Mary (August 15) Ave.....Maria

Please join us for a solemn Mass at 9am in honor of the singular privilege bestowed upon our Blessed Mother. Unitevi a noi per una Messa solenne lunedì mattina in onore del singolare privilegio concesso alla nostra Madre.



Blessed Sacrament's Candle & Flowers

By the kind generosity of Maria Bagnoli. Thank you and God bless you. Grazie tanto. Dio vi benedica!
If you would like to offer flowers or a candle to the Blessed Sacrament please contact the office during the week.

Wanted, wanted, wanted! Our parish is asking for enthusiastic, faith-filled and faithful **volunteer teachers/catechist** for our FHC/Confirmation kids. Please call the parish office to register your interest.

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.

Parish Summer BBQ & Intercontinental food display galore!

Date: Saturday, Aug. 27th

Time: 11am to 8pm

Who's invited? : Everyone
Requirement: Big appetite!
See you there. Ci vediamo li. Nos vemos alli.



We are accepting Mass Intentions through the office during the week.



MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

August 13th to 20th 2022

SATURDAY, August 13th

5:00pm Birthday blessings upon Sheobbie Marie Climacosas

SUNDAY, August 14th

9:00am Harry Ycaza † Lucia Carlota Ayala de Ycaza † Lucy Tama †
10:30am Suor Isolina Andreatta †
12:00pm Healing upon Han Ycaza, Birthday blessings upon Natalia Lucia Anaya
2:00pm Julio Rivera † Por el reposo del alma de Maria Paula Rodriguez Pineda, Por las almas del purgatorio y los agonizantes, Por la sanacion de Marcela Melendez, Isabela Eedy, Dina Murga de Hidalgo
6:00pm End of abortion and euthanasia, All priest living and deceased

MONDAY, August 15th

9:00am Maria Madalena Ngu † Giuse Deon † Lescek † Kristof † Wadek † Wiesiek † In thanks giving to our lady, All priest living and deceased, For healing and blessings upon Ania, Julian, Michael, Luana, Paul Michael, Alice, Carlos, Martin Velez

TUESDAY, August 16th

9:00am Peter Andersen † Vincent Tuong † Adaberto Gomez † Rosa Raquel Santillana † Miguel A. Gomez † Silvio Navas † Healing of baby Rosalyn, Rheal Therrien, Otto Rivera

WEDNESDAY, August 17th

9:00am Gioan Baotixita Tingh † Maria Dao † Jorge Calle † Maria de los Angeles Olivera de Villanueva † Healing and blessing upon Jonathan Wahba, Julio Cesar Rivera, Maria Rio, Birthday blessing for Aida Cayas

THURSDAY, August 18th

9:00am Vinent Nguyen † Maria Dinh † Cecilia Cuellar de Castaño † Hector & Lisimaco Castaño † Healing and blessings upon Jose Mauricio Castaño, Diego Hernan Castaño, Diego Fernando Maya

FRIDAY, August 19th

9:00am Carlos Santos † Vincent Nguyen † Maria Dinh †

SATURDAY, August 20th

9:00am Emilia Colucci † Birthday wishes for DJ Drogo

AROUND THE COMMUNITY



Sept. 24, 2022: Visit Oxford County, the dairy capital of Canada. Explore the Ingersoll Cheese & Agricultural Museum in Ingersoll and cheese factories in Salford. All aboard for fun and a scenic ride on the train in Port Stanley.

Cost? 90 per person.

For more information, please contact Edith at 416-420-5185

Information Session: Ethics and Values at the Heart of Quality Education

**Friday, August 15, 2022
from 9:00am to 10:00am**

In this information session, the [Globethics.net](https://www.globethics.net) Academy will showcase its September-October courses. Participants will have an opportunity to listen to the testimonies of former students of how they benefitted professionally and personally through the content and learning tools received at the academy. Future and past participants will be able to connect and build relationships with those interested in ethical education in an ecumenical setting.



Toronto Serra Clubs

"The harvest is plentiful, but the laborer's are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborer's into His harvest."

*Pray for vocations! If God is calling you, to be a priest or religious deacon contact
Fr. Matt McCarthy,
Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of
Toronto at
416-968-0997*

From the Pastor's Desk!

Jesus says in the Gospel of today: "I came to bring fire to the earth, and how I wish it were already kindled?"

You might be wondering: what is this fire that Jesus brought to mankind? It is the fire of the Holy Spirit. It is the fire of love, peace, joy, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control (Gal 5:22-23). These virtues definitely distinguish the children of light; but they also make some people uncomfortable. Here is a great prayer to say every-day: "Come, Holy Spirit and fill the hearts of your faithful, and enkindle in them the fire of your love". Amen.

What did Mother Teresa say about hope?

We can't live without hope. But hope doesn't really start with us; it starts with God. He is the One who promises to always love us, never leave us, be strong when we are weak, provide direction when we are lost and wisdom whenever we ask for it. Never lose hope!

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