

YEAR A – ELEVENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME – June 18, 2023

Our VBS registration was a tremendous success~ every spot has been taken! Now the real work begins... planning, certifying our LIT (Leaders in Training), coordinating snacks, lessons & activities, etc!

We are looking for many helping hands – please consider volunteering with this life-enriching youth camp!

Anyone 18 yrs and older will require a police check – students from gr. 8 to 17 yrs of age require parental permission to help.

Please direct all inquiries to:

vbsstthomaswaterdown@gmail.com



Notes from the desk of Fr. Francis...

PARKING LOT.... We just completed repaving our parking Lot. We thank King Paving Company for doing such a wonderful job. We need additional funds to pay for the parking. We have three months to make all the payments. I kindly appeal to you if you can donate anything towards this project please considering doing so. You can donate online or through a cheque to St. Thomas. Thank you very much for your generosity.

PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND... it is a journey of lifetime. It brings the Bible to life and enables to walk in the footsteps of Jesus.

Pilgrimage is planned for November 19 to 27, 2023. To register or for information please call **905.412.2242** or **1-800-565-3619**.

Graduation Masses... next week, June 21st & 22nd, we will be celebrating our Grade 8 students from Guardian Angels and St. Thomas the Apostle CES as they graduate. Congratulations and many Blessings!



Mass Intentions

8:00am Tuesday, June 20, 2023

Intentions of John Zeni

8:00am Wednesday, June 21, 2023

Intentions of Melanie Rochester

† Jerry Zwarych

8:00am Thursday, June 22, 2023

† Teresa Chua

† Stanislaw & Bronislawa Golonka

8:00am Friday, June 23, 2023

Intentions of William Parkes

5:00pm Saturday, June 24, 2023

Sisters of St. John the Baptist

† Mary Ann Eckert

† Giuseppe D'Agostino

9:00am Sunday, June 25, 2023

† Stanislaw & Bronislawa Golonka

11:30am Sunday, June 25, 2023

† Valerie Garland

† Sylvia Ramirez

8:00am Tuesday, June 27, 2023

Intentions of Julia & William Macauley

8:00am Wednesday, June 28, 2023

† Tom Sutton

8:00am Thursday, June 29, 2023

Intentions of Garry Eckert

8:00am Friday, June 30, 2023

† Emiliano Jopia

5:00pm Saturday, July 1, 2023

Intentions of Grace Parkes

† Mary Ann Eckert

† Tom Sutton

9:00am Sunday, July 2, 2023

Intentions of the Perini family

Year A – TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – June 25, 2023



*Congratulations to our newly Baptized Parishioners!
Nishan Gill, Kiana Goud, Aoife Rice, Ella Del Rio
and Emery Horne. May God Bless you always.*

Baptism Information... please stop into the Parish Office to pick up a Baptism Package to start the Sacramental process. Requirements for parents: 1 group meeting held on last Tuesday of the month in the Parish from 7 - 8pm **and** one private meeting with Fr. Francis prior to Baptism.

Next Baptismal Dates are: July 9th & July 23rd, Aug.13th & Aug. 27th all at 12:45pm.

Next Parent Information Meeting: LAST INFO Session prior to summer **June 27th 7-8pm.**

STAY READY & GET EXCITED

ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE **YOUTH GROUP** WILL
START AGAIN IN **SEPTEMBER 2023.**



Hosted by Deacon Mark, students & friends are invited to come once a month to enjoy games, & laugh together, all while learning & drawing closer to God. Alleulia & Amen!

**Office Summer Hours begin
for July / August**

**Please reach out via email or
telephone to the office for
all your inquiries.**

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday
8:30am – 4:00pm

Meetings by Appointment.

Call. 905-689-4857

Spring Cleaning & need someone to bring your less valuable things to the dump?
Call/Text Parishioner, Carl, 905-464-0277 to help!

Altar Servers Needed!

Have you completed your First Communion?
Then you are qualified to become an Altar Server! We are gathering names for a summer training session, so we are ready to go come the Fall. Please consider joining this Ministry to help your Faith Community.

Please contact the office to add your name to the list. We will notify you with training dates! Come with a friend and receive a treat!



Join Us for Community Dinner July 16, 2023 at 5:30pm

On Sunday, July 16th at 5:30 p.m., St. Thomas will be hosting their 2nd community dinner in the parish hall: an opportunity to come together, share a meal, and build community. We are inviting individuals and families of all ages to join us. It will be a relaxing evening of bringing people together to share joy, friendship, fellowship, and support with other members of our community.

The meal will be potluck (there is no financial cost to attend): we are asking all who are able to contribute a dish and/or dessert. Refreshments will be provided. **If you are interested in attending, please email Corrie Schneider at corrie@one-spark.ca.**

We are also seeking volunteers to help with the planning and logistics, so please contact Corrie if you are interested in lending a hand. Thank you!