NOTICES FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 3, 2022

THE PATRONAL FESTIVAL

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Mattins at 7:30 am: Psalm 26; 1 Kings 10.1-13 & Acts 16.6-34

Low Mass at 8:00 am: Page 221, Introit: Psalm 25.16-22; Gradual: Psalm 7.9-12

EVENTS AT A GLANCE

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THE PATRONAL FESTIVAL
7:30 am Mattins
8:00 am Low Mass
10:30 am Combined Service followed by Reception for Fr. Mark Andrews 3:00 pm Evensong & Devotions
TRINITY IV
TRINITY V
TRINITY VI
3:00 pm – First Evensong of Saint James
TRINITY VII
Simcoe Day – Office Closed
THE TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD
SAINT MARY THE VIRGIN
TRINITY X
TRINITY XI TRINITY XI

SAINT THOMAS'S PUBLIC WORSHIP at 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 am, and 3:00 pm All morning Masses are in-person, and the 9:30 and 11:00 am Eucharists are all livestreamed on YouTube, as is the 3:00 pm Evensong and Devotions.

Masking

The Diocese of Toronto has now entered the Green Stage, leaving all policies to the parishes. Masks, preferably N95 or KN95, are encouraged. Please join in heartily in our congregational singing, following suit with the choir in their masking practices.

Though distancing is no longer a requirement, please inquire of your nearest neighbours to ensure that all are comfortable and accommodated.

The Common Cup

As has always been the case, communicants may choose to receive communion in one kind only (i.e. no one should feel obligated to receive both the bread and the wine).

As per Diocesan guidelines, communicants are asked *not* to dip the consecrated host into the chalice with their hand (the practice known as intinction) as an alternative to drinking from the chalice.

Today's Coffee Hour will be in honour of Fr. MARK ANDREWS, as he did not get a proper thank you and send-off due to the pandemic.

ST. THOMAS'S CONTINUES TO GROW its communications outreach and social media presence and is pleased to announce an Instagram account has been created for the Parish to present a curated photo gallery to the online world of life in our church.

Those with Instagram are invited to follow us at: *smokytomsonhuron*, and those without are encouraged to download the app and follow our activities there.

THE FRIDAY FOOD MINISTRY will be meeting this Friday, July 8 to make and serve sandwiches. You are invited to help prepare and serve our meal this week. We need volunteers for one or more of the following shifts:

3:00-5:30 pm Meal Prep

5:30-7:30 pm Meal Service and clean-up

This week we will be welcoming guests back to dine indoors for the first time in two years. We will continue to serve our meals outdoors and guests will be invited into the parish hall to eat. We will need additional volunteers to help make things run smoothly and so you are invited to help join us to make this a success.

The FFM still requires volunteers to be masked and vaccinated against COVID-19, and we have additional measures in place to ensure the health and safety of guests eating indoors.

Please contact Fr. James Shire at *fridayfoodministry@gmail.com* if you would like to join us!

UPCOMING SUBWAY AND ROAD CLOSURES

The TTC lists subway shutdowns in the first part of July that will affect people coming to Church, but sometimes they will unexpectedly cancel a shutdown, or add one – typically they only list shutdowns two weeks in advance. Please check for transit advisories at *ttc.ca*.

July 10 — Bloor Danforth: Broadview to St George – late opening Yonge-University: closure from Lawrence to St Clair

Runs and Marathons

According to the Run Guides calendar (https://www.runguides.com/toronto/runs) there are no runs or marathons taking place on Sundays July.

For a list of planned (and unplanned) road closures due to events or construction in the city, please see the City of Toronto site: www.toronto.ca/roadrestrictions and click on the tab marked "list." This site changes constantly, so check it often.

DAILY MASSES THIS WEEK

(BCP pages 67-86, 219, Tr 3, Pr 14, Yr 2C)

Ordinary Weekday Introit: Psalm 48: We have thought on thy loving-kindness, O God, in the midst of thy temple / O God, according to thy Name, so is thy praise unto the world's end; thy right hand is full of righteousness. (Ps) Great is the Lord, and highly to be praised in the city of our God. Glory be... [Repeat Antiphon]

MONDAY (4) Feria (Green) 12:15 pm Hosea 2.16-23; Psalm 145.1-9; Matthew 9.18-26

TUESDAY (5) *Feria* (Green) 5:30 pm Hosea 8.4-7,11-13; Psalm 115.1-10; Matthew 9.32-38

WEDNESDAY (6) Commemoration (Green) 12:15 pm Thomas More, Lawyer, 1535 Hosea 10.1-3,7-8,12; Psalm 105.1-7; Matthew 10.1-7

THURSDAY (7) *Feria* (Green) 5:30 pm Hosea 11.1-9; Psalm 80.1-7; Matthew 10.7-15

FRIDAY (8) *Feria* (Green) 12:15 pm Hosea 14.1-9; Psalm 51.1-11; Matthew 10.16-23

SATURDAY (9) Commemoration (Green) 10:00 am Stephen Langdon, Archbishop of Canterbury, 1228 Isaiah 6.1-8; Psalm 93; Matthew 10.24-33 SAINT THOMAS'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

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