



Prayer in Time of COVID

Gracious God,
you who are the author of all life, and who desire the well-being of all people,
during these dark days of COVID-19, increase in us,
respect and reverence for all human life.

Grant restored health to the sick, comfort and hope to the dying,
eternal peace for those who have died, strength to family members, relatives,
clergy, friends and volunteers, renewed energy to hospital workers, PSWs, nurses and doctors,
and perseverance to all in the health care professions.

Grant wisdom to scientists for the development of effective and moral vaccines,
discernment and right judgment for legislators, aid to the discouraged, poor and vulnerable,
courage and justice for front-line workers and all who risk their lives for the benefit of others,
and keep always in our minds the vision of the true common good of all the world.

We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Bishop Robert Kasun, CSB Auxiliary Bishop, Central Region, Archdiocese of Toronto

*Written for the Toronto Chinese Catholic Task-Force in support of their
"National Thank, Care and Support COVID-19 Heroes" initiative.*

PARISH OFFICE

The parish office remains closed to the public as per the directives of Public Health. You can still contact us either via email or by phone. Please leave a message on our answering machine and we will get back to you as soon as we can.



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

At this time, Confession will be heard by appointment only. Please call the office to make an appointment with Father.

VIRTUAL ROSARY AND REFLECTION MONTH OF MAY

Everyone is welcome to join us each Wednesday evening during the Month of May from 7:00pm - 8:00pm for a virtual (via Zoom Video & Audio Conferencing) gathering of the Rosary and Reflection with Fr. Thomas.

****The dates for our virtual gathering will be
Wednesday May 5th, 12th 19th and 26th.**

Vocations Corner...

The Good Shepherd calls his own sheep by name and leads them. Is He asking you to help others to find Him? Pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, and religious life, especially for our Archdiocese, that God will raise up good shepherds in our midst. If God is calling you, contact Fr. Matthew McCarthy, Vocation Director Archdiocese of Toronto

Phone: 416-968-0997

Email: vocations@archtoronto.org

Web: www.vocationstoronto.ca



APRIL 2021 OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS

Weekly Offertory	\$14,343.13
Building Fund	\$ 3,648.00
Share Life	\$ 3,088.00
Easter Offering	\$ 2,710.00
Good Friday	\$ 2,189.65

Thank you for your generous support!

DONATIONS

Many parishioners continue to donate to the church despite our current restrictions. Some have made it through the Archdiocesan website (donate now); others have switched to Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG); while some have either mailed in their donations, or dropped them off at the office.

Just a reminder... we have installed a new secure mailbox located in front of our parish office. Anyone who wishes to drop off their donations in person may do so by simply placing them into the mailbox. You do not need to contact the office or make an appointment. The mailbox contents are removed daily.

Thank you for all your donations!

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

If you have not picked up your 2021 offertory envelopes, please call the office in order to set an appointment for curbside pick-up.

If you wish to be added to our pandemic email list in order to receive regular parish updates, please send us an email with your contact information.

A Farewell Message from Fr. Canisius



30th April, 2021

Dear Fr. Thomas, Enza and all the Parishioners,

My last day at Our Lady at the Airways has finally come, and although I am excited for the new chapter of my mission, I am also sad to leave a place I had called my home for almost the last 3 years.

When I first came to OLA, I came with an open mind and a desire to learn. With your help, I feel like I have succeeded with my mission. Through these past few years, I have truly learned a lot about the ministry and the culture here, and I can honestly say that I have grown spiritually and knowledgeably, thanks to your help and guidance.

You all became like family to me for the last few years so of course I will be leaving with some saddened feelings. But just as I have learned so much at OLA, I am sure I still have much learning and growing to do.

I wanted to express my deepest appreciation and gratitude for everything you and the parishioners have done for me. The Parishioners at OLA welcomed me, shared their hospitality, and trusted me to guide them spiritually and for that I will be eternally grateful. I hope to have impacted their lives as much as they did mine.

Although I will no longer be a part of the OLA ministry, I would like you all to know that I will keep OLA in my thoughts, my heart, and my prayers always.

Thank you and Farewell.

Loving in Christ,



Rev. Fr. Canisius Raj Guyamar Felix