

UNIVERSITY OF SANTO TOMAS

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

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TO : THE THOMASIAN COMMUNITY

FROM : OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

RE : SANTÍSIMO ROSARIO PARISH-UST FIESTA CELEBRATION

DATE : 17 SEPTEMBER 2022

The Foundation Act of 1611 provided the first name of the University: 'Colegio de Nuestra Señora del Rosario', which was definitively renamed in 1623 as 'Colegio de Santo Tomás' (Later, UST).¹ The Marian character of the Order of Preachers is attributed to St. Dominic de Guzmán (ca. 1170-1221), our founder, whose great devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary is related to his ministry of preaching.

On the occasion of the 80th Anniversary of the Canonical Establishment of the **Santísimo Rosario Parish**², the University is one with the parish community in celebrating the following activities:

A. *Dalaw Patrona* (Please see Appendix A for details)

- The original ivory image of *Nuestra Señora del Santísimo Rosario de la Universidad de Santo Tomás* is set to visit her former homes, as follows:
 - *Plaza Santo Tomás* in Intramuros (19 September 2022, Mon, 9:00 am);
 - The Manila Cathedral in Intramuros (19 September 2022, Mon, 12:15 pm);
 - Our Lady of the Most Holy Rosary Parish in Binondo (20 September 2022, Tue, 5:30 pm); and
 - The Minor Basilica of San Lorenzo Ruiz in Binondo (21 September 2022, Wed, 12:15 pm).

B. Parish Fiesta Masses (Please see Appendix B for details)

- Enthronement Mass (22 September 2022, Thu); Rosary (4:30 pm); Holy Mass (5:15 pm)
- Novena Masses (23 September 1 October 2022)
 - Weekdays | Rosary (4:30 pm); Holy Mass (5:15 pm)
 - Weekends | Rosary (3:15 pm); Holy Mass (4:00 pm)
- Fiesta Masses (2 October 2022, Sun, Parish Church)
 - Holy Masses | 6:00 am, 7:30 am, 10:00 am (*Misa Mayor*), 4:00 pm, 5:30 pm, 7:00 pm;
 - Procession (5:00 pm)

As one Thomasian community, may our devotion to the Blessed Mother continuously guide us in our institutional and personal witnessing. Thank you.

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Secretary-General

¹ cf. Villaroel, Fidel OP, A History of the University of Santo Tomás: Four Centuries of Higher Education in the Philippines (1611-2011), Vol. I, (UST: Manila, 2012), pp. 37-41.







² Acta Capituli, Manila 1947, Appendix ix, pp.131-132.

Appendix A

DALAW PATRONA Santísimo Rosario Parish-UST

September 19-21, 2022

19 September 2022 (Monday)			
8:00 am	Departure of Motorcade/Convoy for Intramuros		
8:30 am	Estimated Time of Arrival (ETA) of Motorcade in Intramuros		
	Welcome Rite		
	Procession going to Plaza Santo Tomás		
9:00 am	Program at Plaza Santo Tomás		
	1. Incensation of the image and Prayer		
	2. Entrance of Colors, singing of the <i>Philippine National Anthem</i>		
	3. Reading of short history of UST and the image of our Lady		
	4. Message of Rev. Fr. Pablo T. Tiong, OP on behalf of the UST Rector		
	5. Message of Mayor Ma. Sheilah H. Lacuna-Pangan of Manila		
	6. Wreath Laying		
	7. Awarding of tokens and photo opportunity		
	8. Singing of <i>Awit ng Maynila</i> to be followed by the <i>UST Hymn</i>		
9:45 am	Procession to Manila Cathedral		
10:00 am	Rite of Receiving the image and Enthronement of Nuestra Señora del		
	Santísimo Rosario de la Universidad de Santo Tomás (NSSR-UST)		
10:15 am	Flower Offering		
10:30 am	Concierto en honor a Nuestra Señora del Santísimo Rosario de la Universidad de		
	Santo Tomás		
11:00 am	Health Break		
11:15 am	Recitation of the Holy Rosary and Act of Consecration to Our Lady		
12:15 pm	Holy Mass presided by His Eminence José F. Cardinal Advincula, DD		
2:00 pm to 5:00 pm	Recitation of the Holy Rosary c/o parish organizations		
20 September 2022 (T	uesday)		
11:30 am	Recitation of the Holy Rosary at the Manila Cathedral		
12:15 pm	Holy Mass at the Manila Cathedral and Farewell Rite		
1:30 pm	Departure of the Convoy to the Binondo Chinese Parish		
2:00 pm	ETA of convoy in Binondo Chinese Parish and Welcome Rite		
2:30 pm to 5:00 pm	Recitation of the Holy Rosary		
5:30 pm	Holy Mass		
6:30 pm to 10:00 pm	Vigil		
21 September 2022 (V			
8:30 am	Transfer of the image of NSSR-UST to Minor Basilica of San Lorenzo Ruiz		
9:00 am to 11:30 am	Recitation of the Holy Rosary		
12:15 pm	Holy Mass		
1:30 pm	Departure for UST		

Rev. Fr. Yaul Reagan O. Talavera, OP Parish Priest

Appendix B

80TH PATRONAL FIESTA

Santísimo Rosario Parish-UST

September 3 to October 2, 2022

DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY
3 September 2022 (Saturday)	10:00 am	Binyagang Bayan (Mass Baptism)
18 September 2022 (Sunday)	10:30 am	Kumpilang Bayan (Mass Confirmation)
22 September 2022 (Thursday)	3:15 pm	Procession around campus
	4:30 pm	Enthronement and Recitation of the Holy Rosary
	5:15 pm	Holy Mass
September 23, 26 to 30 (Weekdays)	4:30 pm	Recitation of the Holy Rosary and Novena
	5:15 pm	Holy Mass
24 September 2022 (Saturday)	10:00 am	Unang Pakikinabang (First Communion)
September 24 to 25	3:15 pm	Recitation of the Holy Rosary and Novena
and October 1 (Weekends)	4:00 pm	Holy Mass
2 October 2022 (Sunday)	6:00 am	Fiesta Mass
	7:30 am	Fiesta Mass
	10:00 am	Fiesta Misa Mayor Presider: His Eminence José F. Cardinal Advincula, DD
	4:00 pm	Fiesta High Mass Presider: Rev. Fr. Paul Reagan O. Talavera, OP
	5:00 pm	Procession (<i>Note</i> : The Procession depends on the weather condition or the health directives of the government.)
	5:30 pm	Fiesta Mass
	7:00 pm	Fiesta Mass
	8:00 pm	Closing Rite and Despedida a la Virgen

Note: The Dalaw Patrona and the aforementioned activities for the Patronal Fiesta of the Parish shall be streamed live via the official Facebook page of the parish (@SantisimoRosarioUST).

Rev. Fr. Paul Reagan O. Talavera, OP Parish Priest