

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

June 6, 2021



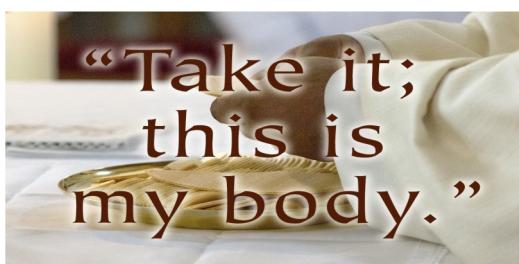
This is CSA Weekend! Thank you to those of you who have already mailed your CSA pledge cards. This will ensure that our parish will continue to "Fuel the Mission" to witness Christ.

I am asking all parishioners to join me in contributing to this year's Catholic Service Appeal. If we all give, we will easily meet St. Thomas the Apostle's 2021 CSA target of \$80,722.00, which is our parish share of the support of more than 170 CSA-funded ministries, programs and services that our parish and all parishes benefit from.

Any gifts we receive over our target will be returned to our parish in full. We plan to use our CSA refund to continue the many ministries and services we offer here at St. Thomas as well as address many projects of deferred maintenance that need to be addressed, such as, masonry work on the Ministry Building, sidewalk repair by the church and church floor and tile repair.

If, however, we do not meet this target, we will have to make up the shortfall from our general fund.

If you are still prayerfully considering your CSA pledge, you may mail your completed pledge card in the pre-addressed envelope that was mailed to you. You may make your pledge in the Gathering Area of the church after Mass or drop it in the collection basket. You may also pledge your gift to our parish's campaign online at givecsa.org. Thank you and may God bless your generosity many times over!



Mass Times

Tuesday and Friday
8:30 am in Church

Saturday
4:30 pm in Church

Sunday
9:00 am and 11:00
am in Church

Confessions will be
heard every
Saturday at 3:30 pm

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This N That by Deacon Skip

I just got off the phone with my neighbor. She called me from the airport in L.A. She had forgotten to remind me to water her flowers and her tomato plant while she was gone. I'm more than happy to do that. With a little luck my intellectual capacity will rise to that task.

What struck me was that she pulled a phone out of her purse in an airport on the Pacific coast of the United States to call me and neither one of us thought a thing about that. I very clearly remember a time when a long distance phone call was an super big deal. If she called me from an airport, she would have hunted down something called a pay phone, dialed the operator, and fed the telephone with enough quarters to make a two minute call. Her alternative would have been to call from her friend's house. I would have gotten the call after 10 P.M., since the rates went down after 7, her time.

This morning after Mass, a parishioner and I had to figure out how to shut down the remote broadcast when things were done. Who would have thought that we could broadcast a Mass from our church? Not that many years ago, it would have taken a remote television broadcast crew to broadcast the Mass. Quite frankly, it would not have happened.

It hit me that we are living in the future we speculated about as kids. Mounting telephones on the wall was a big deal back then. Remote broadcast over a laptop computer? We didn't have computers back then. If someone was super-sophisticated, he or she could use something called a slide-rule. (Explain that one to the grand-kids.) Computers would come in our life-times, but the first ones took up a warehouse and were used for mathematical computations and the first commercial application was to track life insurance policies. Now we can talk over computers that we carry under our arms.

A lot has changed, and the future is now. What has not changed is that we live in a world filled with people who deserve our care and respect. It was the same back in the day, and it is the same today. People still need us and we are still called to their care.

Stay tuned for announcements about the parish festival.

Don't forget the food pantry.



The jewelry committee is now asking for jewelry donations for the Fall jewelry sale! Please drop off jewelry in box designated in the gathering area of the Church.

In His Joy,
Mary Krempasky and Tina Aquilina

Scripture Readings for the Week of June 6, 2021

Sunday, June 6, 2021

Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)

Ex 24:3-8; Ps 116:12-13, 15-16, 17-18;
Heb 9:11-15; Mk 14:12-16, 22-26

Monday, June 7, 2021

2 Cor 1:1-17; Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9;
Mt 5:1-12

Tuesday, June 8, 2021

2 Cor 1:18-22; Ps 119:129, 130, 131, 132,
133, 135; Mt 5:13-16

Wednesday, June 9, 2021

Saint Ephrem, Deacon and Doctor of the Church

2 Cor 3:4-11; Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 8, 9;
Mt 5:17-19

Thursday, June 10, 2021

2 Cor 3:15—4:1, 3-6; Ps 85:9ab and
10, 11-12, 13-14; Mt 5:20-26

Friday, June 11, 2021

Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9; Is 12:2-3, 4, 5-6 (3);
Eph 3:8-12, 14-19; Jn 19:31-37

Saturday, June 12, 2021

Memorial of the Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

2 Cor 5:14-21; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10,
11-12; Lk 2:41-51

Sunday, June 13, 2021

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ez 17:22-24; Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16;
2 Cor 5:6-10; Mk 4:26-34

Bulletin Editor

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Bulletin article deadline is Monday before the issue date by 12:00 p.m. During holidays articles must be submitted two Mondays before issue. All articles and submissions are subject to approval and editing.

Ministries Center (734) 425-9771



Current food pantry needs include: Instant potatoes, rice or pasta sides; pasta sauce; cans of tuna, beef stew, or chili; dish soap or laundry soap. Thanks for your continued support.

The food pantry is open every Thursday from 10 am-12pm in the Ministries Building. If you would like to receive items from the food pantry, please call (734) 425-9771.

First Saturday Memorial Association 2021-2022

The opportunity to renew/join our First Saturday Memorial Association is now through June 28.

The St. Thomas the Apostle First Saturday Memorial Association is a special offering made by the parishioners celebrated on the first Saturday of every month at the 4:30 PM Mass throughout the year.

These intentions will be published weekly in our bulletin. New membership will begin July 2021 and run through June 2022. Cost is \$75.00 for the year.

Please fill out the information below and return it in an envelope with your payment through the collection basket, mail or dropped it off in the Parish Center mail box. Thank you!

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____

INTENTION: _____

Please PRINT clearly ONLY ONE LINE PER INTENTION.

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Mission Statement

We, as St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Parish, recognize that we are the Body of Christ. Our purpose is to honor God and grow as one in Jesus Christ. Under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, we strive to serve others through Christian Service, Prayer and Worship, Education and Evangelization. We keep within our hearts and minds the statement of faith and conviction of our patron St. Thomas the Apostle, **"My Lord and my God."**

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Worship Schedule		June 12 & 13, 2021	
MINISTERS	SAT 4:30 PM	SUN 9:00 AM	SUN 11:00 AM
CELEBRANT	FATHER LAWRENCE ZURAWSKI	FATHER LAWRENCE ZURAWSKI	FATHER LAWRENCE ZURAWSKI
ALTAR SERVERS	MACKENZIE JORDAN	MOLLY BAKER	ANTHONY WOODWARD
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST	CANDY HENRY DEBBIE SMITT FRANK TOFIL	DAN LOBB GLORY MCGAHAN JOAN PALMER	DENICE BIELSKI EVIE BURGESS SALLIE QUINN
LECTORS	LINDA LUDTKE	TOM WILHELM	VICTORIA
SACRISTAN	CAROL STEC	ANN MYLES	SALLIE QUINN
MASS INTENTIONS	+EUGENE FRANCKOWIAK RICHARD HALL +TED GEBAUER +JENNY WALTIERE	+TED GEBAUER +HOLLY CHILDS	+EDWARD KIRAS +MARGUERITE BOYCE

Weekend Collection
May 29 & 30, 2021

Envelope contributions:	\$6,152.00
Loose contributions:	993.00
Total Sunday Offertory	\$7,145.00
Budgeted per week	\$10,404.00
Below the budgeted amount	-3,259.00
Total # of envelopes	201
Average envelope contribution	\$35.54
SPECIAL COLLECTIONS	
Holy Day	\$ 76.00
Utility	\$ 138.00
TOTAL	\$ 214.00

Thank you for your support and may God bless you!
Please remember St. Thomas the Apostle when writing
your will.

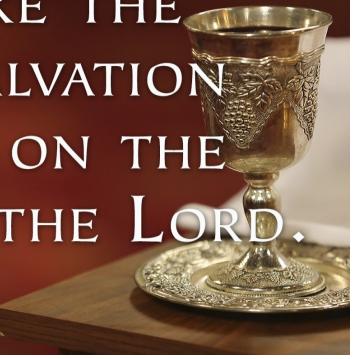
Weekday Masses

June 7-11, 2021

Tuesday, June 8
8:30 am.....CHURCH
PARISHIONERS OF ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE

Friday, June 11
8:30 am.....CHURCH
PARISHIONERS OF ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE

I WILL TAKE THE
CUP OF SALVATION
AND CALL ON THE
NAME OF THE LORD.



ARE YOU REGISTERED AT ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE?

If you have been looking for a new parish we would appreciate you considering St. Thomas the Apostle as your parish. Stop by the Parish Center and fill out a registration form or download one from our website www.thomastheapostle.org.

You can stop by the office, or put it in the collection basket at Mass. Young adults over 18 should be registered on their own registration form.

Please Pray For...

Akwaegbu, Kingsley Ejike	Cunningham, John	Kusluski, Walter	Needham, Jim	Skorupa, Peter
Altizer, Brynn	Daughtery, Jeff	Larry, Bruce	Newman, Theresa	Smitt, Deb
Armstrong, Sean	DeGrande, Colleen	Levoir, Lorraine	Niemczewski, Gordon	Sokol, Dennis J.
Arsenault, Cathy	DeGrande, Sam	Luther, Brian	Nizich, Jeff	Stacherski, Ann
Arsenault, Fran	DiVitto, Rita	Lynn, William	Palucki, Rachel	Staudacher, Jason
Asini, Eloho	Dzendzel, Mary Ann	Maddix, Erin	Pardo, Charel	Summet, Fred
Asini, Margaret	Esson, Pat	Malek, Thomas	Parker, Sharon	Szura, Samantha
Bargardi, Carl	Farr, Viola	Malish, Rosemary	Pastula, Shirley	Tetreau, Audrey
Bargardi, Frances	Galdes, Julie	Malone, Della	Perreira, Dennis	Thomas, Michael
Bartlett, Carol	Gau, Sandy	Marchand, Susan	Persondek, Cristina	Tomasi, Jack
Baumgardner, Patty	Grant, Donald	Marsh, Bob	Pietszak, Carol	Vaughn, Kelly
Boyak, Carolyn	Hamm, Jo	Mathison, Bonnie	Pryce, Mary Ann	Wood, Virginia
Bufalini, Rose	Hayes, Jacqueline	Mathison, Jackie	Radford, Magdalen	Woodward, Todd
Burke, Larry	Henry, Bernadine	Mayfield, Sally	(Maggie)	Wysocki, Ken
Burrell, Fred	Herlihy, Patrick	McGrath, Jim	Rawlings, Therese	Zonca, Barbara
Burris, Nikita	Hrllic, Charlene	Maddix, Erin	Robertson, Michael	Mike Z.
Burris Family	Hrllic, Charles	Merritt, Dan	Rodgers, Hiedi	Ziolkowski, Norm
Carol and Ronnie	Humphrey, Dawn	Miklousich, Lena	Romanowski, Ronald	
Chicila, Pam	Irwin, Mary	Mirabitur, Timmy	Saenz, Carlos	
Christopoulos, Ellen, Jim	Jones, Marie	Mondoux, Andre & Del	Sanregret, Anna	
	Kietur, Deanna	Murray, Colleen	Serafini, Loretta	
	Koslosky, Alphonse	Nantz, Janice	Shankin, JoAnne	

Pray for the First Saturday Memorial Association from July 2020-June 30, 2021

Deceased members of the Ajlouny & Blaty families
 Loving memory of Aunt Loretta Brandt
 In Loving Memory of Walter and Mary Burdis
 Memory of Sgt. Bryan Burgess
 Deceased and live members of the Butka & Wojtkowiak family
 Loving memory of Coach Dave Cain
 Loving Memory of Herman Cain
 Special Intention DAK
 In loving memory of Gorny & Kushnir family
 Loving memory of Jessie & Chester Gugala
 In loving memory of Bob & Ann Hoelscher
 Kapanke-Omilian Families
 Deceased Members of the Kattula Family
 In memory of Madeline, Frank & Michael Mangold
 In loving memory of Aline Mele
 In Loving Memory of John R. Mondro
 Loving Memory of Jerry Moynahan

Deceased members of The Musolino & Wilson Families
 Angel Dr. Dominic J. Noonan
 Angel Danny P. Pepera
 My loving wife of 66 years, Mary J. Pepera
 In loving memory of Joseph Potter
 Deceased members of Pattock & Stuecken families
 In Memory of Richard & Eleanor Reed
 In loving memory of Kathy Rodgers
 In loving memory of Edward and Helen Romanowski
 Deceased members of Szuba-Balawajder family
 In loving memory of Jerome Tesarz
 Deceased members of the Ulivi & Preville family
 Memory of Bob, Millie, Judy, Collette Warner
 Loving Memory of Sherwood & Carolyn Webber
 In loving memory of William E. Wilson
 Loving Memory of Mitchel Yount
 In loving memory of Mary Zarzycki

Pray for those Serving in the Military

Ainsworth, Amber	Ainsworth, Raymond	McGaw, Douglas	Meadows, Erin
Angelovic, Adrian	Angelovic, George	Miller, Maj. David C.	Mondoux, Ian
Ardinger, Stephanie	Baumgardner, AJ	Moody, Samantha	Murray, Daniel
Becker, Justin	Bregand, David	Nguyen, Staff Sgt. Truong	Ohannesian, Brandon
Brozek, Timothy	Campbell, Mary	Pastula, Michael Thomas	Persondek, Michael
Canfield, Chaz	Chokr, Jamel	Porcaro, Jeff	Preba, Danny
Cinka, Jonathan	Coatsworth, Michael	Rosa, Brian J.	Rosa, Douglas J.
Comment, Scott	Dempsey, Joseph	Rousseau, Philip	Sheko, Destiny
DiCicco, Bill	Dwyer, Tyler	Smith, David	Smitt, David
Ellsworth, Justin	Fisher, Bob	Spiczka, Cathy	Spiczka, Greg
Gentilia, Anthony	Goudeseune, Russell	Sparrow, Justin	Spoehr, Raymond
Griglio, Matthew	Kashou, Christopher	Squires, Derek	Szerszen, Michael
Laichalk, Robert	Logan, Jonathon	Tesarz, Ian Michael	Waldo, Michael
Logan, Sean Patrick	Logan, Jeff	Webb, Brian	Wiertella, Jonathan
Masiarak, Luke	McHale, Sgt. Shawn	Witt, Christopher	
McCarville, William E.	McGahan, Wade		



Missy Taylor
Director of Religious Formation & Coordinator of Youth Ministry

SAVE YOUR SPOT FOR SUMMER VBS!!!

Even though we are unable to host our own "in-person" Vacation Bible School this year, I am happy to say that we can provide you with this opportunity to take part in a program that the whole family will enjoy!! This will be sent to you via email each day during the week when we would normally hold our VBS (June 21-25), and you can work on it as a family based on your own timeframe. What a blessing to continue our faith journey as a family! Please contact me to be added to the mailing list for this great way to share our faith with our young people!!

ATTENTION ALL GRADUATES!

If you are graduating in 2021, we would like to celebrate you at our Baccalaureate Mass next Sunday, June 13th at 11:00AM. Please call me to add your name to the list or pick up a registration form in the Gathering Space! It is important that you pre-register!!



"This has everything covered, and I can just let one of the older children guide."

-Angel in NC

"This is a great option for a Catholic VBS program, one that you can keep simple or add to as you see fit."

-Faith & Family

"We just finished up our family VBS with your program and we ALL REALLY enjoyed it very much! You have a lovely family and we love using your products not only for VBS but for Homeschooling as well. God Bless you and your family!"

-The Sheldrake Family

The CATHOLIC Vacation Bible School

"A great resource for parents and/or parishes that would like a flexible Catholic Vacation Bible School you can do in your own family or with a group."

-Faith & Family

"This package has everything needed to make VBS easy to do, even at home for a homeschooling family!"

-Rachel in TX



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