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Mass Schedule *Itinerario de Misa*

Monday/lunes.....8:30 A.M.
Tuesday/martes.....8:30 A.M.
Wednesday/miércoles.....8:30 A.M.
Thursday/jueves.....8:30 A.M.
Friday/viernes.....8:30 A.M.
Saturday/sábado.....5:00 P.M.
Sunday/domingo.....9:00 & 11:30 A.M.

Sacrament of Penance/Confesiones
4:00 P.M. Saturday and anytime
by request.....252-0976

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Septimo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

February 19, 2017

Mass Intentions For the Week

Intenciones Para Las Misas

Monday/lunes	8:30am
Sir 1:1-10/Mk 9:14-29 Gisela Rosebaum by Al Rohrenbeck	
Tuesday/martes	8:30am
Sir 2:1-11/Mk 9:30-37 Pat Rapeznski, Raymond Quinn, Simon Williams & all our friends at Summit Trace By Tom Szykowny & Susan Dutton	
Wednesday/miércoles	8:30am
1 Pt 5:1-4/Mt 16:13-19 James & Louise Kramer by Their Estate	
Thursday/jueves	8:30am
Sir 5:1-8/Mk 9:41-50 Living & Deceased Members of St. Thomas School Alumni	
Friday/viernes	8:30am
Sir 6:5-17/Mk 10:1-12 Yohanne & Reddae Family by Sarah Reddae	
Saturday/sábado	5:00pm
Sir 17:1-15/Mk 10:13-16 Jerry McCarty by His Family	
Sunday/domingo	9:00am
Is 49:14-15/1 Cor 4:1-5/Mt 6:24-34 Sharon Columbini Wing by Al Rohrenbeck	
	11:30am
Living & Deceased Members of St. Thomas the Apostle	

This Week At St. Thomas

Esta Semana en Santo Tomás

Tuesday/martes, February 21
9:00am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 7:00pm Choir Rehearsal
Wednesday/miércoles, February 22
5:00, 6:00, and 7:00pm ESL in the Parish Center 7:00pm Adoration & Reconciliation
Saturday/sábado, February 25
9:00am St. Vincent de Paul Society
Sunday/domingo, February 26
10:15am Religious Education

Sick in our Parish/Enfermos en nuestra parroquia

Por favor, recuerden a los enfermos y los inválidos in sus oraciones. Please remember the sick and homebound in your prayers, Dora Barra, Dick Clark, Sr. Julianne D'Amato, Joe Gibboney, Sr. Noreen Malone, Cathy Mann, Mark Mann, Lena McCarty, Len Myers, Renee Nesbitt, Dolores Page, Karen Pearon, Bill Pritchett, Ann Rapp, Louis Sharp, Donna Kay Smith.

Prayer Chain/Cadena de oración

Santo Tomás tiene una cadena de oracion para solicitar oraciones por los enfermos en parroquia. St. Thomas has an active prayer chain. If you have a prayer request, such as illness or surgery, please call Louise Layne (614-258-6406) or Kathy Myers (614-471-8027).

Please remember to pick up your new envelopes for 2017 in the back of the church. If your envelopes are not there, please write your name down on the paper provided and then take one of the "extra" boxes and fill in your name. Thank you.

Liturgical Ministry Schedule for February 25th & February 26th/Horario de Ministerios – 25 de Febrero & 26 de Febrero

	Sat. 5:00pm	Sun. 9:00am	Sun. 11:30am
Reader 1	Pat Huffman	Gabe Hyde	Bill Pantoja
Reader 2	Dominic Cavello	Kitsy Friarson	Arturo Martinez
Communion 1	Cindy Taylor	Julie Warner	Eliodoro Ovalle
Communion 2	Tom Needles	John O'Neil	Colleen Cannell
Communion 3	Jean DeLimond	Colette Compton	Isaac Nnyanzi
Server 1	Joannie Neal	Mary Polemeni-McGovern	John Morales
Server 2		Dominic Polemeni-McGovern	Juan Ovalle

**Note: Communion 1 ministers the Eucharistic Bread; Communion 2 & 3 minister the cup
If you are not able to make your assigned ministry, please find an alternate or call the Parish Office.**

What does the Church say?

God of Mercy, You who went out to encounter the disciples on the way to Emmaus, grant us a missionary spirit and send us forth to encounter our brothers and sisters, to walk along beside them, listen to their hopes and dreams, rekindle their faith with the fire of your Word, prepare them to recognize you in the Eucharist and send them as missionary disciples to share the joy of the Gospel to present and future generations of every race, language, and culture. We ask you this from our burning hearts filled with the Holy Spirit, in the Name of your beloved Son and through the intercession of our Mother, Mary of Guadalupe, Star of the New Evangelization. Amen.

Dios misericordioso, Tú que saliste al encuentro de los discípulos de Emaús, concédenos un espíritu misionero para salir al encuentro de nuestros hermanos y hermanas, unirnos a su caminar cotidiano, escuchar sus tristezas y alegrías, encender sus corazones con el fuego de tu Palabra, prepararlos a reconocerte en la Eucaristía y enviarlos como discípulos misioneros a compartir la alegría del Evangelio a generaciones presentes y futuras de toda raza, lengua, y cultura. Te lo pedimos desde nuestros corazones ardientes en el Espíritu Santo, en nombre de tu Hijo amado y por la intercesión de nuestra Madre, Maria de Guadalupe, Estrella de la Nueva Evangelización. Amen.

Last Saturday, Will Anderson was Honored as Member of the Year of the Columbus Whist Players Society at their 11th Annual Black History Program . Will was the founder of this event and has spent his entire life as a civil servant to help his community. He belonged to and established many programs, all of which were to provide a better life for the citizens of Columbus. Please stop and congratulate and thank Will when you see him. We are so proud to have him as a member of the St. Thomas community.

The Catholic Men's Conference will be held next Saturday, February 25th, at the Cardinal Hall from 8am to 3pm. Brochures are also available in the back of the church and at the side door.

Please start bringing your old palms to be burned and used on Ash Wednesday. There is a container in the back of the church to put them in.

St. Thomas will have our annual Mardi Gras celebration on Tuesday, February 28th starting a 6:30pm. We will begin with eating deserts, followed by the burning of the ashes and the Mardi Gras.

We have MANY weekdays and weekends available for Memorials Masses. If you have anyone you wish to have a Mass said for, please fill out an envelope that can be found in the back of the Church and drop it in the basket.


Stations of the Cross will be offered each Friday, beginning March 3rd and every Friday of Lent. At 5:30pm the Stations will be said in English and at 7:00pm they will be said in Spanish. Please plan to join us.

ITS'S NOT TOO LATE!!! For a minimum donation of only \$17 (parish rate) you will receive the weekly news of what's happening in the Catholic world. Use the envelope provided in your packet, or simply write your name and "Catholic Times" on a plain envelope, make your check payable to the parish, and drop it into the collection basket. As an evangelization tool, Bishop Campbell encourages all Catholic households in the diocese to receive and read our diocesan newspaper, the Catholic Times. Come enjoy "A Journal of Catholic Life in Ohio".

The St. Charles Preparatory School Drama Department is proud to announce its winter production, *The Diviners* by Jim Leonard, Jr. *The Diviners* will be presented Thursday, Friday and Saturday, February 23, 24, & 25 at 8:00pm and Sunday, February 26 at 3:00pm in the St. Charles Campus Theatre. Adult tickets are \$10 each, and student tickets are \$5 each. Reservations may be placed by calling the St. Charles main office at 614-252-6714 between 9am and 4pm, Monday through Friday.

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<p>In Loving Memory of and in Grateful Thanksgiving for the Lives of:</p> <p>Alex & Mary Zag Michael & Elizabeth Zag Charles & Mary (Zag) Stolpa Mickey & Betty Stolpa James Zag Annie Zag Helen Zag John Zag Frank Zag Richard (Richie) Zag Glenn Eanes (Beloved Husband of Irene (Zag) Eanes) ... Lars Larsen (beloved Husband of Monica (Zag) Larsen) Joseph & Donna (Kennedy) Zag ...</p>	<p>In Memory of...</p> <p><i>Eddie Homer Jimmy Trainor Joseph Thomas George Monroe John Knauer Bob Burkart Perry Evans Carolyn (Vitali) Tarnell Elizabeth (Paudicz) Walcutt Leo Gallick Lucille (Zborovsky) Maher Annie Zag Joe Dymek Andy Markoff</i></p> <p>Class of St. Thomas 1934</p>	<p>PROUD PARISHIONERS OF ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE</p> <p>KAREN & PHIL PAGE PEDON & PAGE REAL LIVING HER</p> <p>614-273-8414</p>	<p>SERRAN PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS</p> <p>O God, Who will not the death of a sinner · but rather that he be converted and live · grant we beseech you · through the intercession of the Blessed Mary ever Virgin · Saint Joseph, her spouse · Blessed Junipero Serra · and all the saints · an increase of laborers for your Church · fellow laborers with Christ to spend and consume themselves for souls · through the same Jesus Christ · Your Son · Who lives and reigns with You · in the unity of the Holy Spirit · God forever · and ever. Amen.</p>
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