

# St. Thomas the Apostle

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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 A.M.  
& (Bilingual) 11:30 A.M.

## Sacrament of Penance *Confesiones*

4:00 P.M. Saturday and anytime by  
request.....(614) 252-0976

***Fifth Sunday of Easter***  
***Quinto Domingo de Pascua***  
***May 14, 2017***

**Mass Intentions For the Week**  
**Intenciones Para Las Misas**

**Monday/lunes 8:30am**

Acts 14:5-18/Jn 14:21-26  
 Bill & Sue Finneran by Bill & Mollie Shonebarger

**Tuesday/martes 8:30am**

Acts 11:19-28/Jn 14:27-31a  
 Helen W. Rogers by The Kinnell Family

**Wednesday/miércoles 8:30am**

Acts 15:1-6/Jn 15:1-8  
 Deceased Members of the Pieramico Family by Alex & Sharma Pieramico

**Thursday/jueves 8:30pm**

Acts 15:7-21/Jn 15:9-11  
 Emma Alaskiewicz by Carol Bensing

**Friday/viernes 8:30pm**

Acts 15:22-31/Jn 15:12-17  
 Living & Deceased Alumni of St. Thomas the Apostle School

**Saturday/sábado 8:30pm**

Acts 16:1-10/Jn 15:18-21  
 The McKinnon Family by Ann McKinnon Serran

**Sunday/domingo 9:00am**

Acts 8:5-8, 14-17/Pt 3:15-18/Jn 14:15-21  
 Living & Deceased Members of St. Thomas the Apostle Church

**1 1:30am**

St. Thomas the Apostle Church by Araceli & Alfredo de Jesus Leon

**This Week At St. Thomas**  
**Esta Semana en Santo Tomás**

**Tuesday/martes, May 16**

9:00am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament  
 7:00pm Choir Rehearsal

**Wednesday/miércoles, May 17**

5:00, 6:00, and 7:00pm  
 ESL in the Parish Center  
 7:00pm Adoration & Reconciliation

**Thursday/jueves, May 18**

7:00pm Worship Committee

**Sunday/domingo, May 21**

10:15am Religious Ed

**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, Carol Bensing, Dick Clark, Joe Gibboney, Sr. Noreen Malone, Marva Martin, Cathy Mann, Mark Mann, Lena McCarty, Len Myers, Renee Nesbitt, Dolores Page, Karen Pearson, Bill Pritchett, Ann Rapp, Carl Skobrak, Margaret Skobrak, Pat Skobrak, Donna Kay Smith, Anna Villarroel.

**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).

**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.**

**Liturgical Ministry Schedule for May 20th & May 21st/Horario de Ministerios – 20 de Mayo & 21 de Mayo**

	<b><u>Sat. 5:00pm</u></b>	<b><u>Sun. 9:00am</u></b>	<b><u>Sun. 11:30am</u></b>
Reader 1	Tom Hores	Mike Warner	Gabriella Serrano
Reader 2	LaVerne Hill	Shirley Nyhan	Maria Ovalle-De Los Angeles
Communion 1	Joe Davis	Bill Pritchett	Marjorie McFadden
Communion 2	Harley Preston	Roslyn Diggs	Silvia Rangel-Ibarra
Communion 3	Jean DeLimond	Dcn. Tom Phillips	Dcn. Tom Phillips
Server 1	Joannie Neal	Palesa Carle	Tania Morales
Server 2		Benetta Hartman	Ryan Morales

**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?

### Encuentro

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 la Nueva Evangelización. Amen.

**Deacon Stephen Vaccaro will be ordained on June 10th, 2017 in Arlington, Va. If you would like to send a card, his address is 4806 Birch Lane, Alexandria, VA, 22312.**

**We have received a generous grant of \$3000 from the Marian Foundation. We would like to thank them for their continued support of St. Thomas.**

**Next Sunday will be our last PSR class for this school year. Thank you to those teachers, assistants and parents who helped to make this year a success. Our students are always a joy to work with. Please have a blessed, happy and safe summer.**

**The 40<sup>th</sup> annual diocesan Senior Citizens Celebration** is Tuesday, June 6, 2017, at St. Joan of Arc Church, 10700 Liberty Rd., Powell, Ohio. Bishop Frederick F. Campbell will celebrate Mass at 10:30am. Mass will be followed by a luncheon. Registration for the celebration is \$10. This annual event is a great opportunity of faith, food, and fellowship with senior citizens from the 23-county Catholic Diocese of Columbus. To register, please send a check payable to the Office for Social Concerns, Catholic Diocese of Columbus, 197 E. Gay St., Columbus, OH 43215. For questions, call (614) 241-2540 or email at [socmail-box@columbuscatholic.org](mailto:socmail-box@columbuscatholic.org). Registrations are requested by June 1.

**Heroin and Drug Addiction: Start Talking**  
Families in Ohio are suffering from heroin and other drug addiction. The Ohio Bishops issued a statement on Prescription Drug and Heroin Addiction in Ohio and encouraged Catholics to participate in the Start Talking program. To read the statement visit [www.ohiocathconf.org](http://www.ohiocathconf.org). For the Start Talking Program, visit <http://starttalking.ohio.gov>. Visit the Ohio Attorney General's website on drug abuse for resources <http://www.ohioattorneygeneral.gov/Individuals-and-Families/Victims/Drug-Diversion>.

**Mt. Carmel East Hospital is looking for volunteer R.N.'s for their Congregational Transitions of Care Program. This provides a way to smooth the transition of those in your congregation after they are released from Mount Carmel East Hospital to home. Upon discharge to home, the patient will receive a phone call from the Volunteer Congregational Nurse from your faith community. If you are a nurse and are interested in volunteering for this program, contact Maxine Bryant, R.N. at 614-546-4634.**

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