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**MASS SCHEDULE/HORARIO DE LAS MISAS**

Monday / *lunes* .....8:30AM  
Tuesday / *martes* .....8:30AM  
Wednesday / *miércoles* .....8:30AM  
Thursday / *jueves* .....8:30AM  
Friday / *viernes* .....8:30AM  
First Saturday of month /  
*Primer sábado del mes* .....8:30AM  
Saturday / *sábados* ..... 5:00 PM  
First Sunday of month (Spanish) /  
*Primer domingo del mes (en español)* ..... 5:00 PM  
Sunday / *domingo* ..... 9:00AM & 11:30 AM  
(11:30 Mass is bilingual / 11:30 Misa es bilingüe)

**ADORATION / ADORACIÓN**

Tuesday / *martes* ..... 9:00AM  
Wednesday / *miércoles* .....7:00 PM

**HOLY DAYS / VACACIONES**

Please consult the bulletin or website.  
*Par favor consulte el boletín o sitio web.*

**RECONCILIATION / CONFESIONES**

Saturday / *Sábados* .....4:00 PM  
Until all are heard or by appointment  
614-252-0976 / *hasta que todos sean escuchados orpor*  
*cita 614-252-0976.*

## *Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord*

Solemnidad de la Epifanía del Señor  
*January 6, 2019*

### Mass Intentions For the Week

#### Intenciones Para Las Misas

**Saturday/sábado 5:00pm**

Is 60:1-6/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12

The deceased members of the McKee and Gaumer Families

**Sunday/domingo 9:00am**

Is 60:1-6/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12

Robert Hatem by Tina Butler

**Sunday/domingo 11:30am**

Living & Deceased Members of St. Thomas Church

**Monday/lunes 8:30am**

1 Jn 3:22 – 4:6//Mk 4:12-17, 23-25

**Tuesday/martes 10:00am**

1 Jn 4:7-10/Mk 6:34-44

**Wednesday/miércoles 8:30am**

1 Jn 4:11-18/Mk 6:45-52

Denny Nietfeld by Louise Bistrick

**Thursday/jueves 8:30am**

1 Jn 4:19 – 5:4/Lk 4:14-22

**Friday/viernes 8:30am**

1 Jn 5:5-13/Lk 5:12-16

Sunday, January 13th the 9:00 Mass will be celebrated for Thomas Phillips, Sr. and the 11:30 Mass will be celebrated for Living & Deceased Members of St. Thomas Church

### Esta Semana en Santo Tomás

**Monday/lunes, January 7**

8:15am Rosary

**Tuesday/martes, January 8**

8:15am Rosary

9:00am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

7:00pm Choir Rehearsal

7:00pm Pastoral Council

**Wednesday/miércoles, January 9**

8:15am Rosary

10:00am English Bible Study

5:00, 6:00 and 7:00pm, ESL

5:00pm Estudio Biblico

7:00pm Adoration & Reconciliation

**Thursday/jueves, January 10**

8:15am Rosary

7:00pm Worship Committee

7:00pm Zoomba

**Friday/Viernes, January 11**

7:30pm Young Adult Ministry

**Saturday/sábado, January 12**

9:30am St. Vincent de Paul Society

10:00am English Bible Study

**Sunday/domingo, January 13**

10:15am Religious Ed.

*Saint Michael the Archangel,  
defend us in battle.*

*Be our protection against the  
wickedness and snares of the devil.*

*May God rebuke him, we humbly pray;  
and do Thou, O Prince of the  
Heavenly Host,*

*by the Divine Power of God,  
cast into hell Satan and all the evil  
spirits who roam throughout the world  
seeking the ruin of souls.*

### Liturgical Ministry Schedule for January 12th & January 13th/Horario de Ministerios – 12 de Febrero & 13 de Febrero

	<u>Sat. 5:00pm</u>	<u>Sun. 9:00am</u>	<u>Sun. 11:30am</u>
Reader 1	Tom Hores	Judy Hardy	Gabrielloa Serrano
Reader 2	Pat Huffman	Mollie Shonebarger	Violeta Morales
Communion 1	Laverne Hill	John O'Neil	Marcia Gastaldo
Communion 2	Cindy Taylor	Julie Warner	Maria de Los Angeles Ovalle
Communion 3	Jean Hartwell	Dcn. Tom Phillips	Dcn. Tom Phillips
Server 1	Joannie Neal	Mary Polemeni-McGovern	Ryan Morales
Server 2			Tania 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.**

We have MANY weekdays and weekends available for Memorial 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.

**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, Al Blair, Dick Clark, Nancy Donahue, Joe Gibboney, Hilda Hartman, Mary Kasler, Louise Layne, Lori Maite, Sr. Noreen Malone, Len Myers, Renee Nesbitt, Dolores Page, Bill Pritchett, 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 (614-371-9819).**

If you would like to put something on the St. Thomas website, please call the parish office at 614-252-0976 . If you would like to look at the website go to <https://saintthomasapostle.org/2.0/>.

**January is Poverty Awareness Month. One way of helping with this very important need would be to bring canned goods and non-perishables to the St. Vincent de Paul food pantry. If you would like to find other resources about what you can do to address poverty, visit [www.povertyusa.org](http://www.povertyusa.org).**

**National Migration Week is January 6 – 12. This year’s theme is “Building Communities of Welcome” which emphasizes the importance of proactively engaging immigrant and refugee communities and creating a culture of welcome that will assist in the integration process in our parishes and communities. For more information, visit <https://justiceforimmigrants.org>.**

**“Heart of a Priest”** Relic Pilgrimage of St. Jean Vianney’s Incorrupt Heart at St. Patrick Church, 280 N. Grant Ave., on Tuesday, January 8<sup>th</sup>. Veneration from 11:30am – 6:30pm. Mass begins at 11:45am. Confessions will be available following the conclusion of Mass.

**New Sessions of Surviving Divorce begin January 9<sup>th</sup>.**

A 22 week program of hope and healing that offers answers and guidance to the many issues surrounding divorce, annulments, remarriage, parenting, and more. Call the Marriage and Family Life Office at 614-241-2560 for more information.

**Are you grieving because of a loss** of a child? Have you, perhaps, lost someone close to you because of an abortion? Although identifying and acknowledging your loss is painful, it is an important step toward the healing of your grief. You are not alone. Those who participate in Bethesda Healing Ministry have been on this healing journey, perhaps a few months or many years. We will receive you with empathetic open hearts. Our prayers for you make us friends. Come and see! Please call Bethesda Healing Ministry to speak to someone who has been there and can help. Bethesda Healing Ministry confidential lines: [614-309-2651](tel:614-309-2651) or [614-309-0157](tel:614-309-0157) or visit our website at [bethesdahealing.org](http://bethesdahealing.org)

**The next Catholic Women’s and Men’s Conferences for the Diocese of Columbus will be held at the state fairgrounds on Saturday, February 16<sup>th</sup> for the Women and Saturday, February 23<sup>rd</sup> for the Men. The Conference will begin at 8am and go through 4:30pm at the Ohio Expo Center. The theme for this year is “*Inspired by Faith*”. There will be featured speakers at each conference. More information will be coming.**

**The Catholic Record Society preserves the history of the Diocese of Columbus and supports the Diocesan Archives, which retains the official records of the Diocese. Meetings are held quarterly and members receive a calendar year subscription to the monthly Bulletin. The Society responds to genealogical inquiries and requests for historical inquiries.**

**Courage Ministry** -- “Before all else comes the individual person,” Pope Francis wrote, “and people should not be defined only by their sexual tendencies. We are all destined to receive infinite love.” The Courage apostolate welcomes men and women who experience same-sex attractions as brothers and sisters in Christ, and helps them to respond to their vocation as sons and daughters of God, created in his image and likeness. Together with a priest chaplain, Courage members strive for chastity, build authentic friendships, and grow in holiness. For more information, please contact Fr. Pat Toner at 614-296-7404 or [patricktoner00@gmail.co](mailto:patricktoner00@gmail.co)

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