



ST. KATERI TEKAKWITHA
LATIN MASS COMMUNITY
ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE CHURCH



4536 St. Paul Blvd Rochester, NY 14617



- Our Belief is **Catholic** -
- Our Worship is **Traditional** -
- Our Music is **Classical** -
- Our Devotion is **Marian** -
- Our Heart is **Eucharistic** -

DECEMBER 19, 2021

ORDINARY FORM - ENGLISH

IV Sunday of Advent

EXTRAORDINARY FORM - LATIN

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COMMUNITY INFORMATION

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MASS TIMES Sundays 9am-English, 11:15am-Latin
Holy Days as announced in the bulletin.

CONFESSION Sundays before & after 11:15am Mass. Two priests hear confession on the first Sunday of each month.

SACRAMENTS Marriage Preparation, RCIA, and more are available for community members. Contact Father Bonsignore.

FAITH FORMATION PreK through high school 10:05-11:05am Sundays, September through May. No cost for community members.

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VISITORS

We are glad you are joining us today! If you have found a spiritual home in our Latin Mass Community here at St. Thomas', please consider registering with us. We would love to get to know you. A Visitor Guide and Community Registration forms can be found in the vestibules as well as on our website. Drop completed forms in the collection boxes. For membership info please contact Andy Follaco.

HOLY MASS INTENTIONS

Today 9:00am	For Mary E. and John J. O'Rourke++ Requested by Jean Lloyd
Today 11:15am	For the Soul of Joseph LoGiudice+ Requested by His wife
Next Sunday 9:00am	For Donna Skrip+ Requested by Her Grandchildren (Kids)
Next Sunday 11:15am	For Scott Smith Requested by The Goetting Family

Note: All three Christmas Mass Intentions here at St. Thomas are Pro Populo

ATTENDANCE & OFFERINGS

Attendance	Nov 21	Nov 28	Dec 5	Dec 12	Average
English Mass	148	116	158	157	145
Latin Mass	180	183	199	208	193

Cash/Checks	\$ 5,517	\$ 2,802	\$ 4,442	*\$ 5,958	\$ 4,680
Online Giving	\$ 662	\$ 293	\$ 841	\$ 896	\$ 678
TOTALS	\$ 6,179	\$ 3,095	\$ 5,283	\$ 6,854	\$ 5,353

Immaculate Conception Holyday attendance: 95 (Latin) and 80 (English).
Holyday *donations of \$946 are included in the Dec 12 total above.

Our weekly average target amount is \$5,000. Thank you for your donations in support of our community. They are certainly needed, as is your ongoing generosity and continued prayer. *Please make checks payable to St. Kateri Tekakwitha Latin Mass Community, SKT Latin Mass Community, or SKT-LMC.*

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 24, 2021 CHRISTMAS VIGIL MASS
(English) 4:00pm (3:30pm carols for the congregation & choir)

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 25, 2021 CHRISTMAS MASS AT DAWN
(English) Quiet, candle-lit Mass, no music. 9:00am

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 25, 2021 CHRISTMAS MASS DURING THE DAY
(Latin) High Mass 11:15am (10:45am carols for the congregation & choir)

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 26, 2021 There will be no coffee hour after the 9:00am Mass but there WILL be a coffee hour after the 11:15 Mass.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 1, 2022 FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS
First Saturday devotions are held in the Adoration Chapel each first Saturday of the month from 10:30am - 11:30am. We pray the Rosary and Chaplet of the Precious Blood.

GUIDELINES FOR COMMUNION

As Catholics we fully participate in the celebration of the Eucharist when we receive Holy Communion. We are encouraged to receive Communion devoutly and frequently. In order to be properly disposed to receive Communion, participants should not be conscious of grave sin and normally should have fasted for one hour. A person who is conscious of grave sin is not to receive the Body and Blood of the Lord without prior sacramental confession except for a grave reason where there is no opportunity for confession. In this case, the person is to be mindful of the obligation to make an act of perfect contrition, including the intention of confessing as soon as possible. A frequent reception of the Sacrament of Penance is encouraged for all.

WEEKLY NOTICES

LOOKING AHEAD TO CHRISTMAS Please refer to the community calendar for our Christmas Mass schedule.

OUTDOOR LIGHTING PROJECT Thanks to generous donations on the part of several, we have gathered enough funds to go forward with the parking lot LIGHTING PROJECT. This has been a long time in process, and, thanks to the persistent efforts of Tom Grande, the lights will soon be installed to illuminate the campus area between the Church and the Parish Center. Thanks to everyone who helped us with this significant accomplishment.

WEEKLY NOTICES (CONTINUED)

NEW SANCTUARY KNEELING CUSHIONS have been installed on the steps around the main altar. They were hand-produced and will match the coloring of the kneeling pads along the altar rails. This project was originally started by **Mother Paul** at the Carmelite Monastery, and then was completed by the generosity of **Jim LaJoie**. We are grateful, especially the altar servers who find the marble steps to be hard on their knees.

ANOTHER WORD OF GRATITUDE needs to be expressed to everyone who made our children's **Christmas Pageant** and **Meet with Santa** events so successful. These events have added to the meaning and to the festivity of the Advent-Christmas season. A lot of diligent labor was involved, and it paid off.

CONSIDER JOINING THE CHOIR Both our Masses need more singers so that we can develop a strong music program. If you have a passion for church music and a decent singing voice, please consider joining one of our choirs/scholas. See music director Barbara Seppeler after Mass or contact her at 315-573-4076.

CHAPEL HEATING The heating system in the parish center provides the heat for both the parish center and the chapel. It is costly to heat the main parish center area in order to provide heat to the chapel during the week. To conserve costs, radiant heaters were placed in the chapel enabling the parish center to be heated at a lower temperature. Some people have expressed concerns about the safety of space heaters placed in the chapel. The radiator heaters placed in the chapel have multiple safety features to prevent injury and any hazards. Nonetheless, to alleviate any concern, the space heaters have been removed until the heating issue is resolved. Alternate methods of providing independent to the chapel are being explored. Please do not put any space heaters in the chapel. In the interim, the heat settings for the parish center have been adjusted to provide short intervals of heat. At times it will feel too warm, and at other times it will feel cool. Please dress in layers to accommodate the heat variations. Hopefully the chapel will be tolerable until the heating issue is resolved. Your patience and understanding is appreciated.

ORDINARY FORM - ENGLISH

CONFITEOR I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done, and in what I have failed to do; through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

THE FIRST READING Mi 5:1-4

Thus says the LORD: You, Bethlehem-Ephrathah too small to be among the clans of Judah, from you shall come forth for me one who is to be ruler in Israel; whose origin is from of old, from ancient times. Therefore the Lord will give them up, until the time when she who is to give birth has borne, and the rest of his kindred shall return to the children of Israel. He shall stand firm and shepherd his flock by the strength of the LORD, in the majestic name of the LORD, his God; and they shall remain, for now his greatness shall reach to the ends of the earth; he shall be peace.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

R. Lord, make us turn to you; let us see your face and we shall be saved.

THE SECOND READING Heb 10:5-10

Brothers and sisters: When Christ came into the world, he said: "Sacrifice and offering you did not desire, but a body you prepared for me; in holocausts and sin offerings you took no delight. Then I said, 'As is written of me in the scroll, behold, I come to do your will, O God.'" First he says, "Sacrifices and offerings, holocausts, and sin offerings, you neither desired nor delighted in." These are offered according to the law. Then he says, "Behold, I come to do your will." He takes away the first to establish the second. By this "will," we have been consecrated through the offering of the body of Jesus Christ once for all.

GOSPEL Lk 1:39-45

Mary set out and traveled to the hill country in haste to a town of Judah, where she entered the house of Zechariah and greeted Elizabeth. When Elizabeth heard Mary's greeting, the infant leaped in her womb, and Elizabeth, filled with the Holy Spirit, cried out in a loud voice and said, "Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb. And how does this happen to me, that the mother of my Lord should come to me? For at the moment the sound of your greeting reached my ears, the infant in my womb leaped for joy. Blessed are you who believed that what was spoken to you by the Lord would be fulfilled."

CREDO I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, *and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary and became man*. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins, and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

MYSTERY OF FAITH We proclaim Your Death, O Lord and profess Your Resurrection until You come again.



EXTRAORDINARY FORM - LATIN

INTROIT Isaiah 45: 8

Drop down dew, ye heavens, from above, and let the clouds rain the Just: let the earth be opened and bud forth a Savior. (Ps. 18: 2) The heavens show forth the glory of God: and the firmament declares the work of His hands. Glory be. Drop down dew...

COLLECT O Lord, we beseech Thee, stir up Thy power, and come, and with great might succor us: that by the help of Thy grace that which is hindered by our sins may be hastened by Thy merciful forgiveness. Who lives and reigns with God the Father in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.

EPISTLE I Corinthians 4: 1-5

Brethren, Let a man so account of us as of the ministers of Christ and the dispensers of the mysteries of God. Here now it is required among the dispensers that a man be found faithful. But to me it is a very small thing to be judged by you or by man's day: but neither do I judge my own self. For I am not conscious to myself of anything: yet am I not hereby justified, but He that judges me is the Lord. Therefore judge not before the time, until the Lord come: Who both will bring to light the hidden things of darkness, and will make manifest the counsels of the hearts: and then shall every man have praise from God.

GRADUAL Psalms 144: 18, 21

The Lord is nigh unto all them that call upon Him: to all that call upon Him in truth. My mouth shall speak the praise of the Lord: and let all flesh bless His Holy Name.

GOSPEL Luke 3: 1-6

Now in the fifteenth year of the reign of Tiberius Caesar, Pontius Pilate being governor of Judea, and Herod being tetrarch of Galilee, and Philip his brother tetrarch of Iturea and the country of Trachonitis, and Lysanias tetrarch of Abilina, under the high priests Annas and Caiphas: the word of the Lord was made unto John, the son of Zachary, in the desert. And he came into all the country about the Jordan, preaching the baptism of penance for the remission of sins, as it was written in the book of the sayings of the Isaias the prophet: A voice of one crying in the wilderness: Prepare ye the way of the Lord, make straight His paths: every valley shall be filled: and every mountain and hill shall be brought low, and the crooked shall be made straight, and the rough ways plain: and all flesh shall see the salvation of God.

OFFERTORY Luke 1: 28, 42

Hail Mary, full of grace: the Lord is with thee: blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb.

SECRET O Lord, we beseech Thee, look down favorably upon these present Sacrifices: that they may profit us both unto devotion and salvation. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.

PREFACE OF ADVENT It is truly meet and just, right and for our salvation, that we should at all times and places give thanks unto Thee, O holy Lord, almighty Father, eternal God, through Christ our Lord; for in Thy mercy and fidelity Thou hast promised Him as Savior to the lost race of men, to instruct the ignorant with His truth, justify the wicked with His holiness, and help the weak by His power. Now that the time draweth nigh that He Whom Thou art to send should come, and the day of our liberation should dawn, with faith in Thy promises, we rejoice with holy exultation. And therefore with the Angels and Archangels, with the Thrones and Dominations, and with all the hosts of the heavenly army, we sing a hymn of Thy glory, evermore saying:

COMMUNION Isaiah 7: 14

Behold a Virgin shall conceive and bear a Son: and His name shall be called Emmanuel.

POST COMMUNION Having received Thy gifts, we beseech Thee, O Lord: that as we frequent this Mystery, so the world of our salvation may advance. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever.



PRAYERS

SALVE REGINA

HAIL, HOLY, QUEEN, Mother of mercy, our life, our sweetness, and our hope. To thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve. To thee do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this vale of tears. Turn then, most gracious Advocate, thine eyes of mercy towards us. And after this our exile, show unto us the blessed Fruit of thy womb, JESUS. O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary.

PRAYER TO ST JOSEPH by St. Francis de Sales

To provide a solution to the property dilemma:

GLORIOUS SAINT JOSEPH, spouse of Mary, grant we beseech thee, thy paternal protection, through the Heart of Jesus Christ. O thou Saint whose infinite power is extended to all our needs, rendering for us possible that which is impossible, look upon the concerns of thy children with thy fatherly countenance. In the troubles and sorrows that afflict us, we have confident recourse to thee. Deign to take under thy loving protection this important and difficult endeavor, the cause of our worries, and dispose its success to the glory of God and to the benefit of His faithful servants. AMEN.


THE SAINT MICHAEL PRAYER (Pope Leo XIII)

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 power of God, thrust down to hell Satan and all the evil spirits who roam through the world seeking the ruin of souls. AMEN.



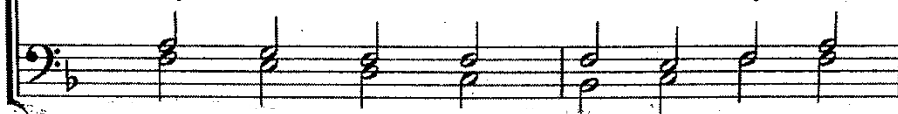
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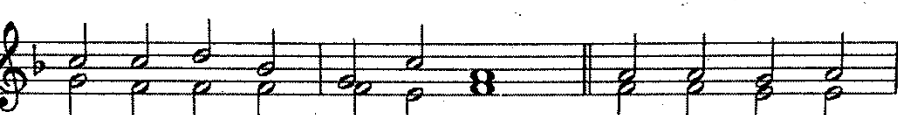


1. Come, thou long - ex - pect - ed Je - sus,
2. Is - rael's strength and con - so - la - tion,
3. Born thy peo - ple to de - liv - er,
4. By thine own e - ter - nal Spir - it

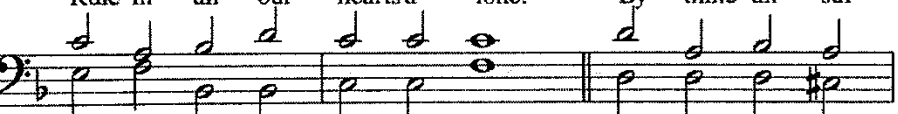
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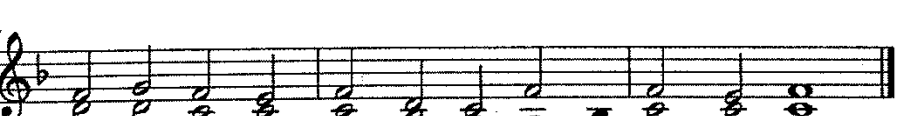
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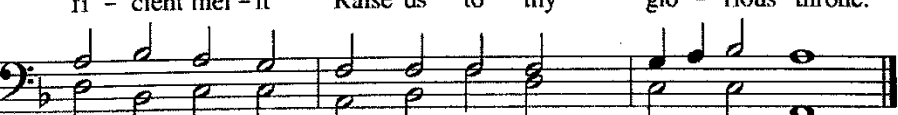
Born to set thy peo - ple free; From our fears and
Hope of all the earth thou art; Dear de - sire of
Born a child, and yet a king, Born to reign in
Rule in all our hearts a - lone: By thine all - suf -



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sins re - lease us, Let us find our rest in thee.
ev - 'ry na - tion, Joy of ev - 'ry long - ing heart.
us for ev - er, Now thy gra - cious king - dom bring.
fi - cient mer - it Raise us to thy glo - rious throne.



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