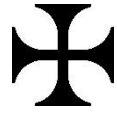


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**ORDINARY FORM – ENGLISH**  
XIX Sunday in Ordinary Time

**EXTRAORDINARY FORM - LATIN**  
IX Sunday after Pentecost

## ATTENDANCE & OFFERINGS

| Attendance   | July 13 | July 20 | July 27 | Aug 3 | Average |
|--------------|---------|---------|---------|-------|---------|
| English Mass | 118     | 109     | 94      | 121   | 111     |
| Latin Mass   | 166     | 181     | 238     | 188   | 193     |

|               |          |          |          |          |          |
|---------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| Cash/Checks   | \$ 6,229 | \$ 4,124 | \$ 4,233 | \$ 4,139 | \$ 4,681 |
| Online Giving | \$ 446   | \$ 678   | \$ 715   | \$ 1,321 | \$ 790   |
| TOTALS        | \$ 6,675 | \$ 4,802 | \$ 4,948 | \$ 5,460 | \$ 5,471 |

Our weekly average target amount is **\$5,500**. Thank you for your donations in support of our community. They are certainly needed, as is your ongoing generosity and continued prayer. **Please remember to use the collection boxes on your way up to communion or at any time before or after Mass.**

## PRAYING FOR THE SICK & INFIRM

**PRAYER LIST** Those who are in special need of intercession by our prayerful community may have their names listed in our bulletin. To put names on the list, leave a message at 585-305-6394.

|                    |                    |                       |
|--------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
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## GUIDELINES FOR COMMUNION

Catholics need to remember the Church's traditional rules on the reception of Holy Communion. Practicing Catholics who are spiritually prepared (i.e. not conscious of mortal sin on their souls) may approach the altar rail to make a worthy Communion. If one has been away from Masses of Obligation (due to one's own fault) or if there is another reason for being ill prepared, the Sacrament of Penance (Confession) is necessary before the reception of the Most Holy Body and Blood of the Lord. We should always approach this awesome Eucharistic Mystery with souls empty of grave sin and full of great love. As in the awesome Incarnational Mystery of the Word-made flesh in the stable of Bethlehem, here holy fear and deep love co-mingle. Catholic couples in cohabitation (living together without the Sacrament of Matrimony) or in irregular marriages (without the blessing of Christ's Sacrament) are advised not to receive Holy Communion. These brothers and sisters of ours are of deep pastoral concern to the Church. Hopefully they will soon take steps to rectify their situation.

# NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

**2025-2026 FAITH FORMATION UPDATE** Melissa Claybaugh will be taking over the Faith Formation Coordinator role from Andy Follaco this coming year. Thank you, Andy, for leading and growing the program the past several years! Melissa, along with her husband Dan and their five children, has been attending St. Thomas since 2021. The Faith Formation program was a primary reason her family joined the parish and remains an integral part of the shared community they enjoy at St. Thomas. **Registration for 2025-2026 is now open!** Our program starts at Pre-K 3 and continues through Confirmation Year 2. Please visit the parish website at [www.skt-lmc.org](http://www.skt-lmc.org) and navigate to the “Our Community” tab or scan to QR code to complete registration. We are in need of substitute teachers! Reach out to Melissa if you are interested (585) 704-8039.



**THE CHOIR** will have its first practice on September 3<sup>rd</sup>. The first sung Mass will be September 7<sup>th</sup>. All vocal ranges are needed. If you're interested in joining please contact Director of Music Barbara Seppeler.

**STORY HOUR** for children on Friday nights has ended for the season!

**WATER DOES NOT BREAK YOUR COMMUNION FAST** While the weather is hot and the church is uncomfortable, please remember to drink water before Mass to avoid dehydration.

**HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION** August 15, this week on Friday the Church celebrates the ASSUMPTION OF MARY, a Holy Day of Obligation, which means that faithful Catholics are obligated to attend MASS. ENGLISH VIGIL MASS will be on Thursday at 5:30pm, and LATIN HOLY DAY MASS will be on Friday at 5:30pm.

# ORDINARY FORM - ENGLISH

|                              |   |
|------------------------------|---|
| Today's Mass Intention       | <b>For Pam Caldwell+</b><br>Requested by the Gabello Family |
| Next Sunday's Mass Intention | <b>For My Wife Jo Ann+</b><br>Requested by Bob              |

**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.

## KYRIE

**GLORIA** Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

## READING 1 Wisdom 18:6-9

The night of the passover was known beforehand to our fathers, that, with sure knowledge of the oaths in which they put their faith, they might have courage. Your people awaited the salvation of the just and the destruction of their foes. For when you punished our adversaries, in this you glorified us whom you had summoned. For in secret the holy children of the good were offering sacrifice and putting into effect with one accord the divine institution.

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Blessed the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.

## READING 2 Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-12

Brothers and sisters: Faith is the realization of what is hoped for and evidence of things not seen. Because of it the ancients were well attested. By faith Abraham obeyed when he was called to go out to a place that he was to receive as an inheritance; he went out, not knowing where he was to go. By faith he sojourned in the promised land as in a foreign country, dwelling in tents with Isaac and Jacob, heirs of the same promise; for he was looking forward to the city with foundations, whose architect and maker is God. By faith he received power to generate, even though he was past the normal age—and Sarah herself was sterile—for he thought that the one who had made the promise was trustworthy. So it was that there came forth from one man, himself as good as dead,

descendants as numerous as the stars in the sky and as countless as the sands on the seashore.

#### **GOSPEL** Luke 12:35-40

Jesus said to his disciples: “Gird your loins and light your lamps and be like servants who await their master’s return from a wedding, ready to open immediately when he comes and knocks. Blessed are those servants whom the master finds vigilant on his arrival. Amen, I say to you, he will gird himself, have the servants recline at table, and proceed to wait on them. And should he come in the second or third watch and find them prepared in this way, blessed are those servants. Be sure of this: if the master of the house had known the hour when the thief was coming, he would not have let his house be broken into. You also must be prepared, for at an hour you do not expect, the Son of Man will come.”

**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.

#### **SANCTUS**

**MYSTERY OF FAITH** Save us, Savior of the world, for by your Cross and Resurrection, You have set us free.

#### **AGNUS DEI**

#### **RECESSIONAL HYMN** (Page 8)

# EXTRAORDINARY FORM - LATIN

|                              |  |
|------------------------------|--|
| Today's Mass Intention       | <b>For Michael Andrew Love+</b><br>Requested by Sara M. Love       |
| Next Sunday's Mass Intention | <b>For Katherine Mazor+</b><br>Requested by Gianni & Kayla Zambito |

## ENTRANCE ANTIPHON Ps. 53,6-7

Behold, God is my helper, the Lord sustains my life. Turn back the evil upon my foes; in your faithfulness destroy them, O Lord, my protector. O God, by your name save me, and by your might deliver me. Glory be to the Father. Behold.

**PRAYER** O Lord, in your mercy hear the prayers of those who call upon you. May they ask only what is pleasing to you, so that their requests may always be heard. Through Jesus Christ.

## EPISTLE Rom. 6, 19-23

Brethren: We should not desire evil things as our fathers did. Do not become idolators as some of them did, as it is written: "the people sat down to eat and drink, and they got up to play." Let us not give ourselves up to immorality, as some of them did, so that in one day twenty-three thousand perished. Let us not test the Lord as some of them put him to the test and were destroyed by the serpents. And do not grumble as some of them grumbled and were killed by the destroying angel. Now these things overtook them to serve as an example. And they have been written down as a warning to us, who are living in the end of the ages. So then, let him who thinks he is standing firm, watch out that he does not fall. No test has been sent you that doesn't come to all men. Moreover, God keeps his promise. He will not let you be tested beyond your strength. He will give you with the test a way of emerging from it successfully, that you may be able to endure it.

## GOSPEL Matthew 7: 15-21

At that time when Jesus was near, within sight of the city, he wept over it, saying, "If only you too had known this day the way to peace. But, as it is, it is hidden from your eyes. For days will come upon you and your enemies will encircle you with a rampart; they will invest you, and press you in on every side; they will wipe you out, you and your children within your walls, and they will not leave in you a stone upon a stone, because you failed to recognize the moment of your visitation." Then he entered the Temple precincts and began ejecting the traders, saying to them: "It is written, 'My house shall be a house of prayer'; but you have made it 'a bandits' den'." He was teaching daily in the Temple.

**OFFERTORY** The precepts of the Lord are right, rejoicing the heart, and his ordinances sweeter than syrup or honey from the comb; therefore your servant is careful of them.

**SECRET** May we celebrate these sacred rites worthily, O Lord, for each offering of this memorial sacrifice carries on the work of our redemption. Through Jesus Christ.

**COMMUNION** "He who eats my flesh, and drinks my blood, abides in me, and I in him," says the Lord.

**POST COMMUNION** O Lord, may the reception of your blessed sacrament cleanse us from sin and make us one. Through Jesus Christ.

**RECESSIONAL HYMN** (Page 8)

## COMMUNITY NOVENA

Novena to the Assumption will begin August 6th, and the intentions are:

1. For the deceased members of our community; Anne Kraft and Cynthia Whited
2. For our country and elected officials
3. For our Holy Father and for a holy successor to bishop Matano when the time comes

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Lord Jesus Christ, You have destroyed the power of death and given the hope of eternal life in body and soul. You granted your Mother a special place in your glory, and did not allow decay to touch her body. As we rejoice in the Assumption of Mary, give to us a renewed confidence in the victory of life over death. You live and reign forever and ever. Amen.

Immaculate Virgin, Mother of Jesus and our Mother, we believe in your triumphant assumption into heaven where the angels and saints acclaim you as Queen of Heaven and earth. We join them in praising you and bless the Lord who raised you above all creatures. With them we honor you. We are confident that you watch over our daily lives and we ask that you intercede for us now. (mention your request) We are comforted by our faith in the coming Resurrection and we look to you for prayers and comfort. After this earthly life, show us Jesus, the blest fruit of your womb, O kind, O loving, O sweet virgin Mary.

O Queen Assumed into Heaven, pray for us. Amen.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Pray: 3 Hail Mary's

In the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit

# RECESSIONAL HYMN



1. Fa - ther, we thank thee, who hast plant - ed  
2. Watch o'er thy Church, O Lord, in mer - cy,



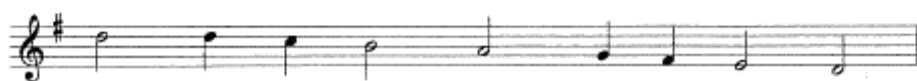
Thy ho - ly Name with - in our hearts.  
Save it from e - vil, guard it still,



Knowl - edge and faith and life, im - mor - tal  
Per - fect it in thy love, u - nite it,



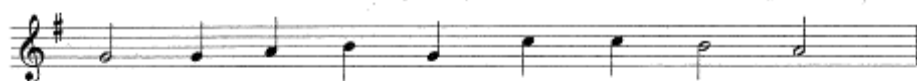
Je - sus, thy Son, to us im - parts.  
Cleansed and con - formed un - to thy will.



Thou, Lord, didst make all for thy plea - sure,  
As grain, once scat - ter'd on the hill - sides,



Didst give us food for all our days,  
Was in this bro - ken bread made one,



Giv - ing in Christ the Bread e - ter - nal;  
So from all lands thy Church be gath - er'd



Thine is the power, be thine the praise.  
In - to thy king - dom by thy Son.

# 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.

# CHURCH ETIQUETTE

**WHEN YOU COME TO CHURCH** please turn OFF all cell phones, hand-held electronic devices, pagers, watch alarms, etc., and anything else that can disrupt our sacred time with God. It is possible for emails and texts to *wait* until later!

**DRESSING PROPERLY FOR CHURCH** Summer brings hot weather, and hot weather brings the need to remind worshippers about proper dress décor in church. Clothing should be neat and modest (un-revealing). No short pants on adults. Shoulders should be covered. Please do NOT “dress down” for Mass, since we are NOT attending a beach party, tennis match, or backyard cook out. Think this through! If you respect the presence of God and your neighbor at church services, you will dress respect-fully. After all, it does matter what we wear to Holy Mass!

**THERE ARE (AT LEAST) THREE REASONS** to maintain a prayerful, quiet atmosphere in the church proper before and after services: (1) RESPECT for the House of God, (2) REVERENCE for the Blessed Sacrament, and (3) REGARD for those who want to pray in peace. The guiding principle should be DEVOTION NOT COMMOTION. Please carry on your friendly conversations in the church vestibules (with inside doors closed), outside, or at the coffee hours. Reverence and friendliness can and should co-exist—in their proper settings!

**IN ADDITION** ...We should make a determined effort to be *on time* for Mass, and we should make the little sacrifice to stay until Mass is over (that is, when the priest-celebrant leaves the sanctuary). When it be necessary to conduct children to the bathroom, please do not travel through the church during the CONSECRATION of the Mass. This will involve only a few moments of delay.

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- ✝ **SACRAMENTS** Baptisms, Marriage Preparation, RCIA, and more are available for community members. Contact Father Bonsignore.
- ✝ **FAITH FORMATION** PreK through high school 10:05-11:05am  
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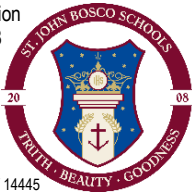


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