



St. Thomas Catholic Church

PARISH & CAMPUS MINISTRY

SERVING CHRIST TOGETHER



SUNDAY, MAY 5, 2019 • 3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER



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[Jesus] said to him, "Follow me." - Jn 21:19b

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SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil..... 5:30 p.m.
 Sunday 8:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.,
 2:30 p.m. (Spanish)

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Wednesday.....9:00 a.m.
 Main Church
 Thursday9:00 a.m.
 Day Chapel
 Friday.....9:00 a.m.
 Main Church

CATHOLIC CAMPUS MINISTRY MASS

Wednesday..... 5:30 p.m.
 Student Center Chapel
 (During school session)

HOLY DAY MASS SCHEDULE

Please consult bulletin or website

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday..... 4:30 - 5:00 p.m.
 & by appointment

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Monday.....10:00 a.m.

PRAYER & WORSHIP

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY MAY 4

7:30 PM Mass for Frank Zagar, deceased

SUNDAY MAY 5

8:00 AM Mass for the People of the Parish
 11:00 AM Mass for Lupita Castro, Davis & Jose Maria, deceased

2:30 PM

MONDAY MAY 6

TUESDAY MAY 7

WEDNESDAY MAY 8

9:00 AM Mass for Laura Chavez, deceased

THURSDAY MAY 9

9:00 AM Mass for Gerardo E. Pena, deceased

FRIDAY MAY 10

9:00 AM Mass for John R. Smith III, deceased

SATURDAY MAY 11

5:30 PM Mass for Dorothy Corbitt, deceased

Sunday may 12

8:00 AM Mass for Ramon Valtierra & Maria Franco

11:00 AM Mass for the People of the Parish

2:30 PM

Monthly Altar Flowers

May 4th & May 5th

In memory of Henry & Bianca Brock

In memory of Ed & Norma Smith

May 11th & May 12th

In memory of Mrs. Louise Panos

In memory of McClary family & deceased members

SUNDAY'S READINGS

First Reading — We are witnesses of these words as is the Holy Spirit. (Acts 5:27-32,40b-41)

Psalm— I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me. (30:2,4,5-6,11-12,13)

Second Reading— Worthy is the Lamb that was slain to receive power and riches. (Revelation 5:11-14)

Gospel— Jesus came and took the bread and gave it to them and in like manner the fish. (John 21:1-19)

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 6:8-15; John 6:22-29

Tuesday: Acts 7:51—8:1a; John 6:30-35

Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8; John 6:35-40

Thursday: Acts 8:26-40; John 6:44-51

Friday: Acts 9:1-20; John 6:52-59

Saturday: Acts 9:31-42; John 6:60-69

Sunday: Acts 13:14,43-52; Revelations 7:9,14b-17 ; John 10:27-30

Sacristan May 11th & 12th

5:30 PM JoAnn Peacock; 8:00 AM Bruno Navarro;

11:00 AM Jena Evanko; 2:30 PM Avalos & Garcia Family



Eucharistic Adoration

Come spend time with Jesus in Eucharistic Adoration. 1st & 3rd Friday of each month. Friday adoration begins at noon and ends on Saturday at noon. For more information or to sign-up call RoseMarie Vetrano 620-0051 or cell 370-6618. Adoration is held in the Chapel at the Student Center.

The next Adoration will be May 17th

		EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	LECTORS	ALTAR SERVERS	USHERS
Saturday May 11	5:30 PM	Jeanne Graffo, Carol Schmidt, Tena Whitworth, Joe Graffo, Deacon	Mary Keiser Brenda Picou	MC- Matthew CO-MC - Kaylin Reece	Thomas Graye Bill Conway Ron Hoff
Sunday May 12	8:00 AM	Gloria Quebodeaux, Teresa & Bruno Navarro, Jim Keating, Deacon	Mike Ash Ann Hicks	MC- Kevin CO-MC - Carson Fatima, Carlos, Jackson, Rachel	Roland Burns Norma Russo Jim DeWilds
	11:00 AM	Michael Fisher, Shawn Howard, Lucy Mallery, Fran Massey, Cathy Barber, Rob Caliento, Deacon, Sue Caliento	Matt Stitt Leland Wallace	MC- Mia CO-MC- Brooke Millie, Evie, Liam, Joel, Wes	Matt Massey Ken Massey Jasper Levio
	2:30 PM (Spanish)	Rosa Martinez Geraldo	Lupe Anguiano Xochitile Avalos		Heron Patrick

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS & INFORMATION

MAY 5 TO MAY 11, 2019

SUNDAY MAY 5

8:00 AM Coffee & Donuts
 9:15 AM Rosary | Main Church
 9:30AM-10:45AM No Faith Formation
 No Inquiry Session
 No RCIA
 9:45 AM Adult Faith Formation
 12:15 PM Divine Mercy Celebration

MONDAY MAY 6

8:30 AM-4:00 PM OFFICE OPEN
 6:00 PM Spanish Dancers
 6:30 PM Lectio Divina

TUESDAY MAY 7

6:00pm Spanish Classes

WEDNESDAY MAY 8

8:30 AM-4:00 PM OFFICE OPEN
 9:00AM Mass
 5:30 PM No Catholic Campus
 7:00 PM Adult Scripture Study

THURSDAY MAY 9

8:30am-4:00pm Office Open

FRIDAY MAY 10

8:30am-12:30pm Office Open
 Adoration begins at noon

SATURDAY MAY 11

Adoration ends at noon

Feast of the Ascension 6/1-2

The Feast of the Ascension is celebrated on the weekend of June 1-2 in the Diocese of Birmingham. Thursday, May 28 is celebrated as a weekday in Easter Season.

Graduates' Weekend 5/4-5

St. Thomas Parish will honor all graduates at the Masses on the Weekend of May 4-5. Congratulations to all the graduates in the parish.

K of C Meat Sale 5/25-26

The Knights of Columbus are taking pre-orders for smoked pork butts, ribs, and chickens for the Memorial Day weekend. Orders will be available for pickup in the parish hall after the masses on May 25 and 26. Prices are: \$30 for a pork butt, \$15 for a full rack of ribs (only full racks sold), and \$10 for a whole chicken. Payment may be made when you order, or preferably when you pick up your order Memorial Day weekend.

Lee County Tornado Thank You

Thank you for your contributions to the Lee County Tornado Relief Collection. Through your generosity, St. Thomas raised \$1,911.00.

Pastoral Staff

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 alcook46@outlook.com

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Mission Statement

We, the parish family of St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church, proclaim our belief in the message & mission of Jesus Christ.

We are committed to sharing our time, talent & treasure through worship, spiritual formation & outreach.

Parish Office Hours

Mon-Thurs | 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
 Friday | 8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Parish Telephones

Parish Ph: 663-3936 | Fax: 663-0657
 Rectory Ph: 665-0968

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Weekly Collection of 4/28/19

	BUDGET	ACTUAL	DIFFERENCE
Offertory	\$9,500.00	\$7,929.00	-\$1,571.00
Building Fund	\$7,000.00	\$6,074.47	-\$925.53
Total	\$16,500.00	\$14,003.47	-2,496.53

Year-to-Date Collection 07/01/18—06/30/19

	BUDGET	ACTUAL	DIFFERENCE
Offertory	\$418,500.00	\$435,562.16	+\$17,062.16
Building Fund	\$308,000.00	\$297,887.99	-\$10,112.01
Total	\$726,500.00	\$733,450.15	+6,950.15

With the advice of the Parish Finance Council, Saint Thomas Parish will do financial planning according to a fiscal year (7/1/18 to 6/30/19) rather than a calendar year. Thus, the numbers above have been adjusted to reflect the new budget which began on 7/1/18.

Baptisms

Please contact Fr. Ray or Deacon Bill Alexiou at 663-3936 for Baptismal Preparation.

Marriage

Parish Membership and a six month preparation period are required. For weddings, please contact Father Ray at 663-3936.

Ministry of the Sick

Please contact the office at 663-3936 if someone is in need of Holy Communion at home/hospital.

Membership in the Parish

All Catholic adults, 18 and older, who regularly participate in the Liturgy here should register in the parish. Those who enroll in Faith Formation programs or request Baptism or Marriage in our church should already belong to our community. To register, please contact the Parish Office. Those moving are asked to let us know.

PARISH ACTIVITIES

High School Youth Group Manna Ministries 5/4

High School Youth are invited to volunteer at Manna Ministries Saturday May 4th from 7:30-11:30am. The address is 333 Smokey Rd. Alabaster, 35007. Ignite Your Torch Summer Retreat in Huntsville from July 11-14 deadline is May 10. For more information visit igniteyourtorch.com. If planning to attend either of these events or for more information please contact Maria O'Dea at 205-529-5368 or Brian O'Dea at 266-5447.

Rosary Group Celebrates May Crowning May 12

The St. Thomas Rosary Group invites all to join in a celebration of May Crowning for Our Blessed Mother. It will be held in the Main Church on May 12 at 9:15 am after 8 am Mass. All are welcome and encouraged to attend.

May Crowning 5/12

The annual May Crowning of the Blessed Virgin Mary for St. Thomas Parish will be celebrated at the 11:00 AM Mass on Sunday, May 12th.

First Holy Communion 5/19

First Holy Communion will be celebrated at St. Thomas Parish on Sunday, May 19th at 11:00 AM and the 2:30 PM Masses.

Vacation Bible School - July 8-12, 2019

Vacation Bible School will be at St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church July 8-12 from 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. each day! It is open to all three-year-olds (must be potty trained) through those students who finish fourth grade. Please mark your calendars and plan to join us for a fun-filled, Christ-centered week! Our theme this year will be Totally Catholic ROAR: Life is wild. God is good. For more information, please contact Chalane Tucker at cjarvis1@hotmail.com.

Vacation Bible School Volunteers Needed

We are in great need of Vacation Bible School teachers and assistants! There are a variety of volunteer opportunities for adult and youth (must have finished fifth grade) volunteers. Our VBS will be July 8-12, 2019 from 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. each day. Please consider volunteering your time and talent to help us with this wonderful ministry! To volunteer, please contact Chalane Tucker at cjarvis1@hotmail.com.

Padre Pio Prayer Group 5/25

The Padre Pio Prayer group will meet on Saturday, May 25th at 10am at Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic Church! All are welcome to join in prayer, Adoration and Holy Mass! For more information call Angela Kolar at 991-9554. PRAY, HOPE and DON'T WORRY! Join us as we pray with our Holy Patron Saint.. Padre Pio!

Manna Ministries

Manna Ministries is a local food rescue charity that serves 700 plus families a month. We distribute supplemental food items, including produce, sweets, bread, pizza, meats, milk, and eggs at no charge. We function 100% on donations and volunteers that are not paid at all.

Manna Ministries is a 501(c)3 non profit organization. Our need is simple. We need donations of any food items, but more specifically, we are in need of financial assistance for our building fund. We are in desperate need of a larger space in order to continue to meet the needs of our community. Please visit our table after mass the first weekend in May to learn more about Manna Ministries and to support this worthy cause!

Welcome to St. Thomas!

St. Thomas Parish is happy to welcome all people to our community. If you live in this area, we invite you to register as a parishioner. Registration forms in both English and Spanish are available in the Gathering Area.

Faith Formation

Adult... Sun. 9:30-10:45 a.m.
1st-10th Grade ... Sun. 9:30 -10:45 a.m.
Catechumenate ... Sun. 9:30 - 10:45 a.m.
Ladies Bible Study
Wed. 10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
(September - May)

K of C Monthly Meeting 5/19

The K of C Council will hold their meeting on May 19, 2019. The meeting will start at 6pm in the modular building. We will be having our Assembly meetings for fourth degree Knights at 5pm.

Ladies' Auxiliary 5/19

Our next monthly meeting will be on Sunday, May 19, 2019. We will meet at 6 pm at Jim n' Nicks in Alabaster. Please call Carol Schmidt at (205) 620-9082 by May 17 for details.

K of C Squires Meeting 4/28

Squires Monthly Meeting: The third Sunday at 12:15 till 1:30pm. The next meeting will be on April 28, 2019 in the modular building. If any questions please call Brian O'Dea at 205-266-5447.

St. Thomas Pictorial Directory

The St. Thomas Parish Pictorial Directories have arrived. Those who had photos taken for the directory, may pick up their free directory in the Parish Office. Everyone may purchase a directory for \$ 10.00.

Altar Flowers for 2019

The sign-up list for donating altar flowers is in the gathering space of the Church. Thank you for helping us have flowers on the altar. The cost is \$90 for the whole arrangement or \$45 for half.

College Student Mass and Dinner

St. Thomas Parish sponsors a special Wednesday evening Mass and Dinner for college students each Wednesday while the University of Montevallo is in session. The Mass is celebrated at 5:30pm at the Campus Chapel on the corner of Highland and Moody, and a dinner prepared by teams from the parish follows immediately after Mass. The Mass and dinner will resume in the Fall.

PARISH ACTIVITIES

Wednesday's Evening Bible Study

The Wednesday night study group will meet in the St. Joseph's room. All parishioners are invited to join the Wednesday Adult Scripture Study for a study of Bishop Baker's Pastoral Letter, "Called, Formed, Sent; Missionary discipleship and its Consequences for Ministry in the Diocese of Birmingham." This is a Pastoral Letter in preparation of the 50th anniversary of the Diocese of Birmingham in Alabama and the Eucharistic Congress June 28 - 29, 2019. The study will take place in three, one-hour sessions to be held in the St. Joseph Room, beginning May 1 at 7:00 PM. Call Debbie or Bill at 664-2066 for information. Call Debbie or Bill at 664-2066 for information.

Inspired by Pope Francis' apostolic exhortation, "Joy of the Gospel," Bishop Baker's Pastoral Letter explores our role in Missionary Discipleship in the areas of Vocation (Called), Formation (Formed) and Mission (Sent). All are welcome and books will be provided. All who attend the classes will be recognized at the Eucharistic Congress with certificates indicating their readiness for missionary discipleship in the diocese.

Congratulations to 2019 RCIA Group

Congratulations to the members of the RCIA Group on receiving Sacraments of Initiation Easter. Weekend. Those receiving the sacraments include:

Zack Barnes	William Darden	Janet Dickerson	Randall Dickerson
Casey Fondren	Erika Gutierrez	Blake Hays	Megan Hays
Melissa Mack	Cisco Miculek	Miriam Nieto	Harley Stewart

Easter Flowers 2019

In memory of Kelly Blevin-Russell
In memory of Hugh Taylor
In memory of Ron Everling
In memory of Carol Serio
In memory of Ken Waltsgott
In memory of Wm & Doris Waltsgott
In memory of James M. & Florence B. Coyle
In memory of the McClary family
In memory of Julia F. Kren
In memory of Francis Dyar
In memory of Ann Martin
In memory of families of Ingram/Graffo
In memory of Henry & Bianca Brock
In memory of Umberto & Mary Caldora
In memory of Alton J. McArdle Jr.
In memory of the families of Paul & Mary Hester

In memory of Mia Hite
In memory of Becca Parcells
In memory of Harris & Siener Families
In memory of Richard Hayden Hurst
In memory of Robert & Grace Hotchkiss
In memory of the Pegunsky family
In memory of Vivian Sellers Sanford
In memory of James E. Osborne Jr.
In memory of Margaret Jackson
In memory of Elijah Martin
In memory of V.A. & Mary Graffo
In memory of friends of Ingram/Graffo
In memory of William & Mary Brock
In memory of Ralph & Alma Epperson
In memory of Millie McArdle Gumpert

In memory of Bryan Daniel
In memory of George Masson
In memory of Ed & Norma Smith
In honor of the Burn family
In memory of A.L. & Alyce Ingram

Adult Faith Formation

Adult Faith Formation meets on Sundays from 9:45 to 10:45 in the Youth Room in the back of Church. There is a wide range of discussion topics that focus on broadening our knowledge of the Catholic faith and our spiritual growth. The format includes videos, DVDs, CDs, scripture readings and handouts and there is time for open discussion and individual participation is encouraged. Please come and join us and all are welcome to attend.

Interested in Becoming Catholic?

You may have been coming to Catholic Church for a long time with a family member or friend, but you had not thought about the possibility of becoming Catholic. Would you consider that possibility now? Would you like to learn more about the Catholic Church to consider your decision?

If you would like to know more about the RCIA, please call Father Ray at 663-3936 or Jackie Lampton at 249-1171. Inquiry classes are meeting at 9:30am Sundays in the Modular Building.

Ladies' Bible Study Group

The Ladies are now studying the book fulfilled on Wednesdays at 10:00 AM in the St. Joseph's room. For more information call Deb at 205-616-0920.

Primetimers 5/14

For parishioners men, women and their guests who are 50 or older. We get together once a month on the 2nd Tuesday. If you would like to cook or provide something for the meal, please call JoAnn Peacock at 670-0355 or Susie Leckness at 664-3268. Our next meeting will be Tuesday, May 14. The cooks provide the meal. We will have a special guest. Father Ray Remke will celebrate the Mass.

EPIC Youth Group

Our schedule are as follow:

Joe's Dog World-TBA;

Sunday, May 19th lesson (8) 6-7:30pm;

As you all know the meeting here at St. Thomas are in the Parish Hall (fellowship). All 6th-8th grades are welcome. Jessica and Michelle



LECTURAS: DEL DOMINGO

Primera lectura — Somos testigos de estas palabras, como es el Espíritu Santo. (Hechos 5:27-32, 40b-41)

Salmo — Tú, Señor, alabaré por que me ha rescatado. (30: 2, 4, 5-6.11-12 y 13)

Segunda lectura — Digno es el cordero que fue inmolado, de recibir poder y riquezas. (Apocalipsis 5:11-14)

Evangelio— Jesús vinieron y tomó el pan y lo dieron a ellos y de igual manera los peces. (John 21:1-19)

LECTURAS PARA LA SEMANA

Lunes: Hechos 6:8-15; Juan 6:22-29

Martes: Hechos 7:51—8:1a; Juan 6:30-35

Miércoles: Hechos 8:1b-8; Juan 6:35-40

Jueves: Hechos 8:26-40; Juan 6:44-51

Viernes: Hechos 9:1-20; Juan 6:52-59

Sábado: Hechos 9:31-42; Juan 6:60-69

Domingo: Hechos 13:14,43-52; Apocalipsis 7:9,14b-17; Juan 10:27-30

Clases de Bautismo 5/6

Las clases de bautismo son a las 6pm Lunes, 6, de Mayo para **miembros de Santo Tomás**. Si asiste a otra parroquia traiga una carta de el sacerdote que tiene permiso para tomar la clase. Padrinos casados por la Iglesia Católica.

Flores de altar para 2019

Flores de altar para 2019 la lista está en el atrio. Gracias por ayudarnos a tener flores en el altar. El costo es de \$90 para el arreglo entero o \$45 por la mitad.

Directorios Pictórica de Santo Tomás

Han llegado los directorios pictórica de parroquia de Santo Tomás. Los que tenían fotos tomadas por el directorio, pueden recoger su directorio gratis en la oficina parroquial. Todos comprar un directorio por \$ 10.00.

Quien Me Invita a su Casa?

Te gustaria LLevarte la Virgen a tu casa? Por favor comunicate con María Perez al 451-2915 o Rosa María al 901-0470

Mayo Coronación 5/12

La anual posible coronación de la Santísima Virgen María de la parroquia de Santo Tomás se celebrará a las 11:00 el Domingo, 12 de Mayo.

Fiesta de la ascensión 6/1-2

La fiesta de la Ascensión se celebra el fin de semana de Junio 1-2 en la diócesis de Birmingham. El Jueves, 28 de Mayo se celebra como un día de semana en temporada de semana Santa.

Registro de formación de fe

Vamos a inscripción para la formación en la fe en Agosto para el 2019-2020 clases.

Fin de semana de egresados 5/4-5

Parroquia de Santo Tomás rendirá homenaje a todos los graduados en las Misas el fin de semana del 4-5 de mayo. Felicidades a todos los graduados en la parroquia.

Primera Comunión 5/19

Primera comunión se celebrará en la parroquia de Santo Tomás el Domingo, 19 de Mayo a las 11:00am y las 2:30pm misas.

Clases de Bautismos

Las clases del bautismos ha terminado para el año y comenzará en Agosto.

Bienvenidos a Santo Tomas!

Parroquia de Santo Tomás es felices dar la bienvenida a todas las personas a nuestra comunidad. Si usted vive en esta área, te invitamos a registrarse como un feligrés. Formularios de inscripción en inglés y español están disponibles en el área de reunión.

MINISTERIO HISPANO

HORARIO: OFICINA DEL MINISTRO HISPANO

LUNES- JUEVES: 8:00 AM-4:00 PM Y

VIERNES: 8:00AM-12:30PM

Padre Ray Dunmyer

Misa en Español:

Padre Bruce Bumbarger **755-5498**

Horario de la Misa Español

los Domingos 2:30 p.m.

Platicas Prebautismales

Deben registrarse antes del bautismo en el libro situado en el espacio a la entrada de la Iglesia. **Comuníquese con el Padre Bruce | (205) 755-5498 o 663-3936**

Catequesis para niños

Domingos | 9:30 A.M.-10:45 A.M.

Karina Lizbeth Campos | (205) 281-9847

Hora Santa

Viernes | 6:00pm-7:00pm cada 1er y 3er

Viernes en la capilla en Montevallo

Lectio Divina

Los Lunes | 6:30pm

Preparaciones para los adultos

Marisol Millan | 205-432-8940

Preparaciones para quinceañeras

Magda Rivera | 643-2659

Novenas o Rosario

RosaMaria Angel | 205-901-0470

Cambios para el nuevo año

El nuevo año me gustaría formar un grupo o Comité de personas que le gustaría ayudar en diferentes ministerios. Por favor oren sobre él y me llame al 663-3936.

Escuela Bíblica de Vacaciones 7/8-12

Escuela bíblica de vacaciones estará en Santo Tomás la Iglesia del Apóstol 8 al 12 de Julio de 9:00-12:00 cada día! Está abierto a todos los niños de tres años (debe ser insignificante entrenado) a través de los estudiantes que terminan el cuarto grado. Por favor marque sus calendarios y planee a unirse a nosotros para una semana divertida, centrada en Cristo! Nuestro tema este año será totalmente católica ROAR: la vida es salvaje. Dios es bueno. Para obtener más información, póngase en contacto con Chalane Tucker en cjarvis1@hotmail.com.

Se Necesitan Voluntarios 7/8-12

Se necesitan voluntarios de escuela bíblica de vacaciones estamos en gran necesidad de maestros de escuela bíblica de vacaciones y asistentes! Hay una gran variedad de oportunidades de voluntariado para adultos y jóvenes (debe haber terminado quinto) voluntarios. Nuestro VBS será 8-12 de Julio de 2019 de 9:00-12:00 cada día. Por favor considere su tiempo y talento para ayudarnos con este Ministerio maravilloso. Para ser voluntario, póngase en contacto con Chalane Tucker en cjarvis1@hotmail.com.