



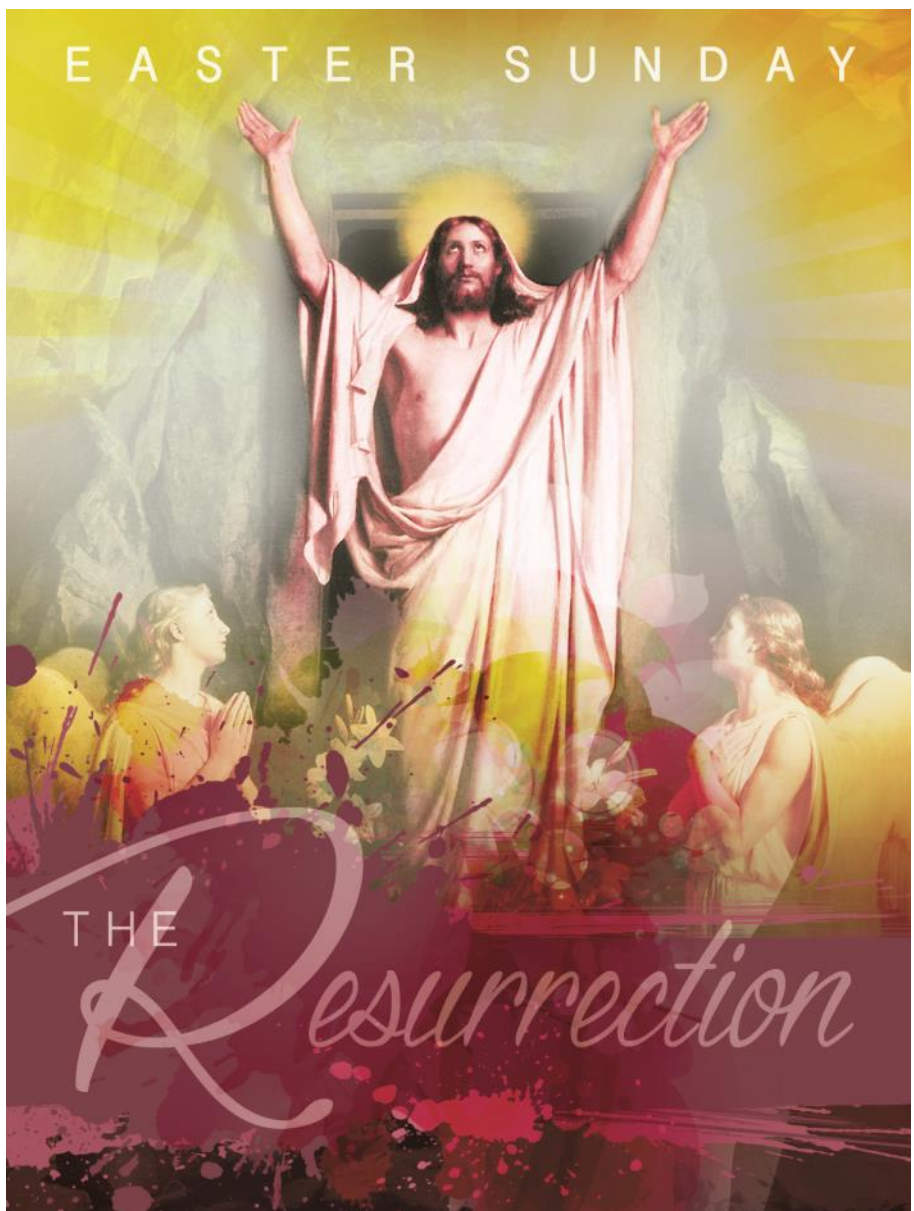
St. Thomas Catholic Church

PARISH & CAMPUS MINISTRY

SERVING CHRIST TOGETHER



SUNDAY, APRIL 21, 2019 • EASTER SUNDAY



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 APRIL 20

7:30 PM Mass for Carroll E. Schmidt, deceased

SUNDAY APRIL 21

8:00 AM Mass for the People of the Parish

11:00 AM Mass for Miguel Luis Navarro, deceased

2:30 PM

MONDAY APRIL 22

TUESDAY APRIL 23

WEDNESDAY APRIL 24

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

THURSDAY APRIL 25

9:00 AM Mass for Wilson Picou, deceased

FRIDAY APRIL 26

9:00 AM Mass for Gerardo Esquivel Pena, deceased

SATURDAY APRIL 27

5:30 PM Mass for Ruth Girdina, deceased

Sunday APRIL 28

8:00 AM Mass for the People of the Parish

11:00 AM Mass for Dan & Connie Stanifer, deceased

2:30 PM



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 3rd & 17th

SUNDAY'S READINGS

First Reading — We ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. (Acts 10:34a,37-43)

Psalm— This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad, Alleluia. (118:1-2,16-17,22-23)

Second Reading— Seek what is above, where Christ is. (Colossians 3:1-4)

Gospel— He had to rise from the dead. (20:1-9)

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 2:14,22-33; Matthew 28:8-15

Tuesday: Acts 2:36-41; John 20:11-18

Wednesday: Acts 3:1-10; Luke 24:13-35

Thursday: Acts 3:11-26; ; Luke 24:35-48

Friday: Acts 4:1-12; John 21:1-14

Saturday: Acts 4:13-21; Mark 16:9-15

Sunday: Acts 5:12-16; Revelation 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19; John 20:19-31

Sacristan April 27th & 28th

5:30 PM Cathy Bailey; 8:00 AM Gloria Q;

11:00 Barbara Youngblood ;

2:30 PM Avalos & Garcia Family

		EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	LECTORS	ALTAR SERVERS	USHERS
Saturday April 27	5:30 PM	JoAnn Peacock, Tony Serio, Bob Picou, Carol Schmidt, Deacon	Mary Keiser Brenda Picou	MC—Angela Renna CO-MC —Hailey Johnson Reece Johnson	Marilyn Waltsgott Sue Ellen Gerrells Mike Gerrells
Sunday April 28	8:00 AM	Clay Reece, Jackie Lampton, Christy Ash, Sarah Burns, Deacon	Mike Ash Ann Hicks	MC— Carson L. CO-MC – Kevin H. Dalton A. Fatima M. Beth F. Daniela R. Rachel S.	Greg Wanat Roger Epperson Mike Greenwood
	11:00 AM	Alyssa Williams, Mary Lowery, Fran Massey, Cathy Barber, Rob Caliento, Michael Fisher, Deacon	Matt Stitt Leland Wallace	MC—Brooke W. CO-MC—Mia H. Millie T. Byron W. Evie P. Liam W. Joel M.	Leland Wallace Wayne Perrin Derek Drescher
	2:30 PM (Spanish)	Lucia Gloria	Magda R. Eva G.		Heron y Patrick

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS & INFORMATION

APRIL 21 TO APRIL 28, 2019

SUNDAY APRIL 21

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

MONDAY APRIL 22

8:30 AM-4:00 PM Office Closed
 6:00 PM No Spanish Dancers
 6:30 PM No Lectio Divina

TUESDAY APRIL 23

6:00pm Spanish Classes

WEDNESDAY APRIL 24

8:30 AM-4:00 PM OFFICE OPEN
 9:00AM Mass
 10: 00 AM Ladies Bible Study
 5:30 PM Catholic Campus
 Ministry/Mass/Turn
 Around Dinner
 7:00 PM Adult Scripture Study

THURSDAY APRIL 25

8:30am-4:00pm Office Open

FRIDAY APRIL 26

8:30am-12:30pm Office Open

SATURDAY APRIL 27

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.

Parish Office Closed 4/22

St. Thomas Parish Office will be closed on Monday, April 22nd in observance of the Easter Holiday.

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.

Thursday's Mass in Day Chapel

The Thursday's morning Mass will be celebrated in the Day Chapel.

Thank You

Thank you for your generosity to the following: Seminarian Fund-\$1,996.00
 Catholic Relief-\$798.00

Pastoral Staff

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RETIRED PRIEST

Rev. Adrian L. Cook
 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 4/07/19

	BUDGET	ACTUAL	DIFFERENCE
Offertory	\$9,500.00	\$10,993.66	+\$1,493.66
Building Fund	\$7,000.00	\$6,822.60	-\$177.40
Total	\$16,500.00	\$17,816.26	+\$1,316.26

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

	BUDGET	ACTUAL	DIFFERENCE
Offertory	\$390,000.00	\$401,429.61	+\$11,429.61
Building Fund	\$287,000.00	\$268,999.77	-\$18,000.23
Total	\$677,000.00	\$670,429.38	-\$6,570.62

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

Easter Blessings

Christ is Risen, Alleluia! We celebrate the Paschal Mystery of the Death and Resurrection of Christ! May the Risen Lord bless you this Easter Season and always!



Faith Formation Registration 4/28

We are going to have early registration for Faith Formation on April 28th after all the Masses. The registration will take place in the parish hall, for the 2019-2020 school year

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.

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.

Divine Mercy Sunday 4/28

St. Thomas Parish will celebrate Divine Mercy on Sunday, April 28th after the 11AM Mass. The celebration will include Benediction and praying of the Chaplet. If any questions, please call Rose Marie Vetrano at 205-370-6618. All are welcome.

Divine Mercy Novena 4/19-28

The novena in preparation for Divine Mercy Sunday is April 19-28. There are materials in the Gathering Area for the novena.

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
Janet Dickerson
Casey Fondren
Blake Hays
Melissa Mack
Miriam Nieto

William Darden
Randall Dickerson
Erika Gutierrez
Megan Hays
Cisco Miculek
Harley Stewart

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 5/12

The K of C Council will hold their meeting on May 12, 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 5/12

Calling all ladies of St. Thomas! Our next monthly meeting will be on Sunday, May 12, 2019 at the St. Joseph room. We invite you to experience the joy that comes from parish and community outreach. Questions? Call Christy Ford at 223-0657.

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. Joseph Devotion

Bishop Baker has designated "A Year of St. Joseph" until May 1st. St. Thomas Parish has been designated "a privileged location for devotion to St. Joseph", with the opportunity to receive a plenary indulgence for devotion to St. Joseph. The details are available in a handout in the Gathering Area.

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.

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.

Vacation Bible School 2019 - Save the Date 7/8-12

Vacation Bible School will be at St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church July 8-12 this summer! It will be open to all four-year-olds through those students who finish fourth grade. Please mark your calendars and plan to join us for a fun-filled, Christ-centered week! If you would like to volunteer to help with VBS, please contact Chalane Tucker at cjarvis1@hotmail.com.

Lenten Cross Ministry Thank You

"We are grateful of the parishioners of St. Thomas the Apostle Church and the Social Concerns Committee leadership for their generosity and Lenten commitment to the YWCA of Central Alabama's Domestic Violence Shelter and Child Development Programs. Their amazing generosity help to provide basic essentials for clients of our domestic violence shelters. In 2018, our shelters and staff provided **10,503 nights** of safety for **226 adults** and **211 children** and responded to **1,688 calls** to the Crisis hotline [205-322-4878](tel:205-322-4878). Additionally, our Child Development Programs and teachers delivered **4,827 days** of **academic** and **enrichment** activities to **77 children** in our afterschool and summer programs and provided **14,152 days** of care to **121 children** in our program for children of homeless and low-income families. To learn more about getting involved, please visit our website at www.ywcabham.org.

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.

Lee County Tornado Relief

St. Thomas Parish is accepting donations for Tornado Relief for the people in Lee County. Please place your donation in the second collection. For cash donations, please put in an envelope marked Tornado Relief. For donations made by check, please make the check to St. Thomas Parish, and please note "Tornado Relief" in the Memo area.

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

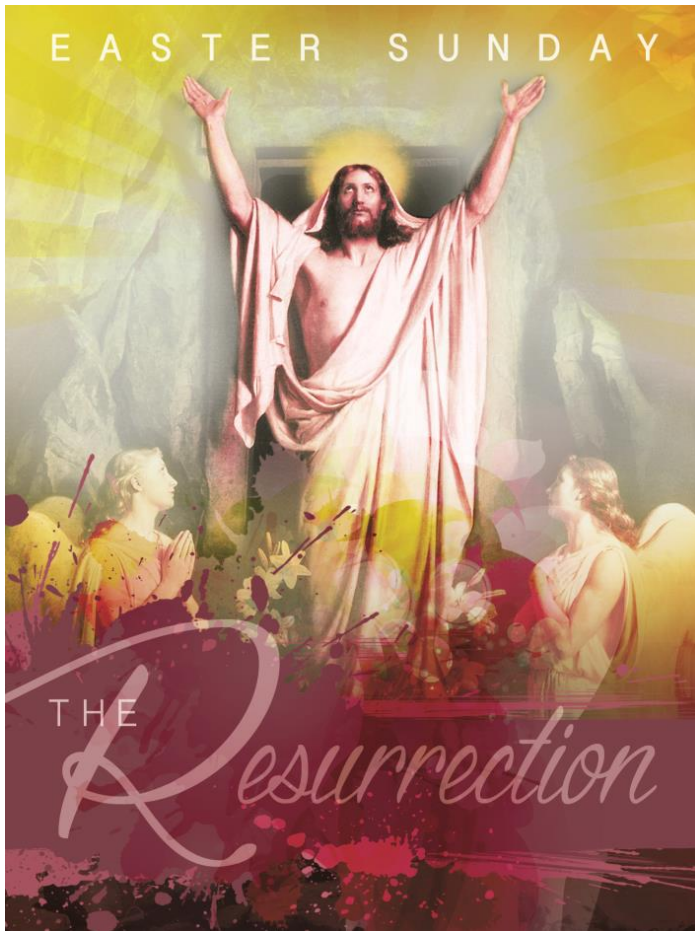
Our schedule are as follow:

Sunday, April 28th lesson (7) 6-7:30pm;

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 — (Isaías 43:16-21)

Salmo — El Señor ha hecho grandes cosas por nosotros; nos llena de alegría. (126:1-2, 2-3.4-5.6)

Segunda lectura — Por medio de Cristo, considero todo como una pérdida, de ser conformada a su muerte. (Filipenses 3:8-14)

Evangelio— Que el uno entre vosotros que esté sin pecado sea el primero en arrojar la piedra contra ella. (John 8:1-11)

LECTURAS PARA LA SEMANA

Lunes: Daniel 13:1-9,15-17,19-30,33-62; Juan 8:12-20

Martes: Números 21:4-9; Juan 8:21-30

Miércoles: Daniel 3:14-20,91-92,95; Juan 8:31-42

Jueves: Génesis 17:3-9; John 8:51-59

Viernes: Jeremías 20:10-13; Juan10:31-42

Sábado: Ezequiel 37:21-28; John 11:45-56

Domingo: Lucas 19:28-40; Filipenses 2:6-11; Lucas 22:14 — 23:56

Divina Misericordia el Domingo 4/28

Santo Tomás celebrará la Divina Misericordia el Domingo, 28 de Abril después de la Misa de 11:00am La celebración incluirá la bendición y la oración de la coronilla. Si alguna pregunta, por favor llame a Rose Marie Vetrano en 205-370-6618. Todos son bienvenidos.

Divina Misericordia Novena 4/19-28

la novena en preparación para la Misericordia Divina el Domingo es abril 19-28. Hay materiales en el área de reunión para la novena.

Registro de formación de fe 4/28

Vamos a inscripción para la formación en la fe el 28 de Abril después de todo las misas. El registro estará en el salón parroquial, las inscripción es para el año 2019-2020.

Fiesta de la ascensión 1/6-2

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.

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.

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

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.

Oficina cerrada 4/22

La oficina parroquial Santo Tomás se cerrará el Lunes, 22 de Abril en la celebración de la fiesta de Pascua.

Ballet Folklórico

Te invita a formar parte del Folklor y cultura en bailes típicas Mexicanas. Para más información llame al Megaly al 222-1958 o Griselda al 478-5110. 6pm-7pm niños 7pm-8pm adolescents y adultos. Todos los Lunes.

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.

Escuela biblica de Vacaciones 2019 -marque la fechas

Escuela bíblica de vacaciones estará en la Iglesia Santo Tomás Apostol de Julio 8-12 este verano! Será para los niños de cuatro años de edad y 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! Si le gustaría ser voluntario para ayudar con VBS, póngase en contacto con Chalane Tucker en cjarvis1@hotmail.com.