

Saint Thomas the Apostle Catholic Parish and Saint Patrick Mission in San Patricio

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Holy Day Vigil @ St. Thomas: 6 PM

Saturday Vigil Mass @ St. Thomas: 5:30 PM

Weekday Masses @ St. Thomas: 12:05 PM Wednesday, Thursday, Friday

Confessions: 30 Minutes before Masses or by appointment

Saturday Vigil Mass @ St. Patrick Mission: 4:00 PM

Holy Day Masses @ St. Thomas: 7 AM & 7 PM

Sunday Masses @ St. Thomas: 8 AM & 11 AM

First Friday Mass @ St. Patrick Mission: 8:00 AM Every First Friday



“When Christ your life appears
then you too will appear
with Him in glory.”

- Colossians 3 : 4

St. Thomas the Apostle Website: www.christon624.com

LECTORS for April 22-23, 2017

Saturday, 7:45 PM: Leesa Sager
Sunday, 8 AM: Yolanda Hominick
Sunday, 11 AM: Terri Chavarry



EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS for April 22-23, 2017

Saturday, 7:45 PM: Michael & Malynn Wahlen
Sunday, 8 AM: Deacon Bill, Kieran & Jenny Tobin
Sunday, 11 AM: Bill & Evon Kelly, Tanya Whitehead, Volunteers

ALTAR SERVERS for April 22-23, 2017

Saturday, 7:45 PM: T. J. Wahlen, Volunteers
Sunday, 8 AM: Caroline Harris, Kayla Tovar, Chelsea Wechsler, Volunteers
Sunday, 11 AM: Caleb Emory, R. J. Loa, Blake Koether, Volunteers

HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 15, 2017

8:00 PM: VIGIL MASS
@ St. Thomas the Apostle
The Candidates and Catechumens

Mass Intentions



EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 16, 2017

8:00 AM: @ St. Thomas the Apostle
†Peter Martin Ortiz by Rosario Gonzalez
9:30 AM: @ St. Patrick Mission
†Juan J. Guerra and †Julia Ann Guerra by Guerra Family
11:00 AM: @ St. Thomas the Apostle
†Enriqueta Salinas (AOB) by David & Delma Tamez

MONDAY, APRIL 17, 2017 @ St. Thomas the Apostle
No Mass

TUESDAY, APRIL 18, 2017 @ St. Thomas the Apostle
No Mass (TBA)

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 19, 2017 @ St. Thomas the Apostle
12:05 PM: †David Tajchman, Jr. by David & Susie Tajchman

THURSDAY, APRIL 20, 2017 @ St. Thomas the Apostle
12:05 PM: †Deceased Members of Catholic Life Insurance
by Robstown Branch #83 of Catholic Life Insurance

FRIDAY, APRIL 21, 2017 @ St. Thomas the Apostle
12:05 PM: †Ruth Wright by Donnie Wright, Jr. & Family

SATURDAY, APRIL 22, 2017
4:00 PM: @ St. Patrick Mission
†Leslie and †Mattie Rychetsky by Jerry & Carmen Rychetsky
5:30 PM: VIGIL MASS @ St. Thomas the Apostle
COLLECTIVE MASS
†Augi Carpenter by Gene Skrobarcek
†Enrique & †Carmen Casas by Ruben & Marybelle Casas
†Florentina Lopez by Minerva Lopez
Pauline Zumbahlen (Healing) by Joyce Compton

SUNDAY, APRIL 23, 2017 @ St. Thomas the Apostle
8:00 AM: †George Rodriguez by Ruben & Marybelle Casas
11:00 AM: †Ismael Pena, Jr. by Yolanda Pena

Please Pray for ...



- Emil & Mary Jo Prukop, Conrad & Christine Prukop,
- Hattie Kotara, Kenneth Haunschild, Charlie & Jean Chapman,
- John Quinn, Jerry & Margie Vogel, Alex Barrera, Jayla Silva,
- Anna Marie Kocurek, Leonard & Leona Logue, Glenda Tvrdik,
- Mason Leibham, Geneva Lintner, Don Ermis, Stephanie
- Landreth, Jim Landreth Sr., Gracie Herrera, Marty Douglas,
- Alma Brauchle, Emma Perez, Renee Pena, Patrick Nemeck,
- Joyce Franklin, Aida Deases, Diane Saenz, David Rowden,
- Rene Canales, Oscar Gonzalez, James Light, Brock Pratt,
- Andrew Arevalo, and Tommy Morgan.

Call/email the rectory office to include a person on the 2017 PRAYER LIST
along with your contact information.

EXPLORE

SAVE the DATE ~ JUNE 26–30, 2017. EXPLORE is a summer experience for young men, enrolled in high school or who will be enrolling this fall, as well as recent high school graduates, who want to understand their faith better, know themselves better, have fun, and make new friends from all over the diocese. Staffed by priests and deacons, along with seminarians and others thinking about a vocation to the priesthood, EXPLORE often helps a young man consider his own life. In a society that does not seem to understand how someone could accept a vocation to the priesthood, it helps him to meet others who would like to know more and also those who have been in priestly formation. However, EXPLORE is not just all talks or prayer, but also a lot of fun! The facilities at Camp Aranzazu in Rockport include fishing, sports facilities, swimming pool and much more. Cost is \$50. For more information contact the Vocation Office, Rachel Dimas at (361) 334.2781.

NEWMAN CATHOLIC CAMPUS CENTER

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CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to all those who received Sacraments this weekend. God's blessings be on you and your family.

SENIOR MASS AND RECEPTION

SAVE THE DATE: Sunday, May 21, 2017. Students graduating in 2017 will be honored at the 8:00 a.m. Mass with a reception following Mass in the I. C. Hall.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS COURT #2290

SAVE THE DATE: Sunday, May 21, 2017. The Catholic Daughters Court #2290 of St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church will celebrate their 30th Anniversary at the 11:00 a.m. Mass with a reception following in the I. C. Hall.

CZECHFEST 2017 KICK-OFF MEETING

SAVE THE DATE: Monday, May 8, 2017. The kick-off meeting for Czechfest 2017 is on the calendar. All our invited to the first meeting of Czechfest.

DEER CREEK CAMP

SAVE THE DATES: July 16-21, 2017. Camp fee is \$625. Registration deadline is June 1, 2017 or until camp capacity. For more information contact Heath Garcia at the Office of Youth Ministry at 361-882-6191.

QUINCEANERA RETREAT

SAVE THE DATES: The Quinceañera Retreats for 2017 are: July, 8, 2017 and September 16, 2017 and November 11, 2017. These retreats are for young ladies and men 14 years of age who are interested in learning the spiritual and cultural aspects of the Quinceañera Celebration. Enrollment is limited, so early registration is encouraged. The registration fee is \$25.00 and must be paid by the deadline. Registration forms are available at the St. Thomas the Apostle rectory office. Call the Missionary Sisters of Jesus, Mary & Joseph, 12940 Leopard Street, Corpus Christi, TX at 361-241-1955 for more information.

"The earth is full of the goodness of the Lord."

"This is the day the Lord has made"



Let us rejoice and be glad."

Happy Easter!

MEETINGS AND EVENTS

Confirmation: April 26, 2017 at 6:30 p.m. at the C.C. Cathedral

First Holy Communion: May 7, 2017 at 11:00 a.m. Mass

Altar Flowers: Call the Rectory Office to donate flowers for the altar.

Baptism Class: Next class is to be announced. Call the rectory office to register for this class. All paperwork must be completed before attending class or scheduling Baptism.

Bulletin: Bulletin announcements due on Tuesday by 10:00 AM.

Religious Education: Classes continue on Sunday, April 23rd *Catechesis of the Good Shepherd* (4 yr. olds, K, 1st) — 9:15-10:30 AM *Elementary CCD* (2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th) — 9:15-10:30 AM in the CCD Bldg. *EDGE* (5th, 6th, 7th) — 9:15-10:30 AM in the I. C. Hall R.C.I.C. — 4:00-5:15 PM in the CCD Bldg. Confirmation I & II — 6:00-7:45 PM in the I. C. Hall 11th & 12 Grades — 6:30-7:30 PM in the CCD Bldg. *LIFETEEN* — TBA

Adult Spiritual Formation: TBA

Scripture Study: Sundays at 9:15 a.m. in the KC Bldg.

Catholic Daughters Court #2290: Next meeting is on April 24th at 6:30 p.m. in the I. C. Hall foyer. The 30th Anniversary of Court #2290 of St. Thomas the Apostle is this April.

Knights of Columbus: Next meeting is on May 1st at 6:30 PM in the K.C. Building.

Salt Youth Music Ministry: Meet on Sunday before Mass. Practice every Tuesday from 7:30-9:00 PM in the Church.

Czechfest: *SAVE THE DATE: Sunday, October 1, 2017*

DIVINE MERCY NOVENA

The Divine Mercy Novena begins on Good Friday and ends on Divine Mercy Sunday. In her Diary, Jesus told Sr. Faustina, "I desire that during these nine days you bring souls to the fountain of My mercy, that from there they may draw strength and refreshment and whatever grace they need in the hardships of life, and especially at the hour of death" (Diary, 1209). Please join us as we recite The Divine Mercy for the nine day novena at 6:30 p.m.

DIOCESAN MARRIAGE PREPARATION

The next dates for marriage preparation are: May 20-21 and June 10-11 at the Pax Christi Liturgical Retreat Center. The Diocesan Marriage Preparation Program is a two-day overnight event for the engaged. It is designed to inform couples of the spiritual and practical aspects of Catholic marriage and facilitate couple dialogue on these important issues. Contact the Office of Family Life at 361-882-6191 for more information.

COLLECTION FROM LAST WEEKEND

St. Thomas the Apostle \$8728.75

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Thank you for your stewardship.





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