

May 6/7, 2023

Welcome to our parish!

ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE

919 E. Indiana Ave. Coeur d'Alene, Idaho
P. 208.664.9259 | W. stthomascda.org



Rubens, Peter Paul. *The coronation of the Virgin*. c. 1625

The Fifth Sunday of Easter

"I am the way and the truth
and the life."

John 14:6



Subleyras, Pierre. *Saint John of Avila*. 1746
May 10: St. John of Avila

Sacraments

Saturday:

1st Saturday Mass for Our Lady 8am

2nd Saturday Mass for the Carmelites

Confession 3-4:30pm

Anticipatory Mass 5pm

Sunday:

Mass 8am

Mass 10am

1st Sunday Sung Mass 5pm

Monday:

Holy Rosary 7:15am

Daily Mass (Children's) 8am

Tuesday:

Holy Rosary 7:15am

Daily Mass 8am

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Devotion 8:45am

Adoration 6-7pm

Wednesday:

Holy Rosary 7:15am

Daily Mass 8am

Thursday:

Holy Rosary 7:15am

Daily Mass 8am

Confession and Adoration 6-7pm

2nd Thurs Fire & Light: Praise & Worship 6-7pm

Friday:

Holy Rosary 7:15am

Daily Mass 8am

Adoration following Mass until 12pm

1st Friday Litany of the Sacred Heart 8:45am

Confession 9-10am

*For all other Sacraments please call the parish office
to make an appointment

"Prayer is powerful beyond limits
when we turn to the Immaculata who
is queen even of God's heart."

-St Maximilian Kolbe

Mass Intentions

- 5/5 8 AM The Intentions of Tara Durso
5/6 8 AM † Rick Corbin
5 PM † Bill Collard
5/7 8 AM † Graham Mackay
10 AM The People of the Parish
5 PM The Intentions of Bill Abbott
5/8 8 AM The Intentions of Julie Williams
5/9 8 AM Tom Heenan
5/10 8 AM † Barbara Furcron
5/11 8 AM The Intentions of Sylvia Strow
5/12 6 PM The Intentions of Sabastian, Leonor, and Nina Aguirre
5/13 8 AM The Intentions of the Carmelites
5 PM The Intentions of Dianna Decker
5/14 8 AM Jeff Heenan
10 AM The People of the Parish

Faith Formation

Carla at faithformation@stthomascda.org

Mother's Day

Brunch

Hosted by the Knights and

Walking With Purpose

Sunday May 14th

after 8am &

10am Masses

Dear Fellow Parishioners,

According to our bylaws, Parish Council elections are held in May. I have spoken to both Father Remi and Father Mariusz asking how they would like to proceed in regards to electing two new representatives. Both preferred to hold off elections until after Father Mariusz is established.

For now, there will be no elections held in May. If you have ever considered putting yourself forward as a Parish Council member, please speak to any current member or reach out to Father Mariusz when he arrives in July.

Thank you for your support of St Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church,

Mary L Larson,
Parish Council President

Celebrate the
Month of Mary
At St. Thomas!



Rosary

7:15AM WEEKDAYS

*Devotion to
Our Lady of Perpetual Help*
FOLLOWING TUES 8 AM MASS

Adoration

TUES & THURS 6PM



**St Thomas
Knight of the year 2022/23**

Mike Anderson

He has served the Knights and the parish in many capacities for over 25 years!

Thank you Mike!

**St Thomas
Family of the year 2022/23**

Rodney and Bessie Geilenfeldt

They serve our parish so unselfishly in many different ways!

Thank You Geilenfeldt Family!

Please acknowledge these exceptional people for their service to all of us!



Do not neglect hospitality, for through it some have unknowingly entertained angels. – Hebrews 13:2

The mission of the Hospitality Committee Ministry is christian service through hospitality.

We set up for social functions in both the Mission House and Parish Center (i.e. decorating, preparing/serving food & beverages and clean-up chores).

Coffee & Donuts Receptions after Mass
Saturday Evening Socials
First Communion and Confirmation Retreats.

We are looking to grow!
The only qualifications required to serve are a warm heart and a friendly smile!

If you would like to volunteer, please contact
Debbie Schmanski at
dschmanski@gmail.com.

**St. Thomas the Apostle
Catholic Church
Ushers needed!**

THANK YOU FOR ALL THE
NEW USHER VOLUNTEERS!

WE ARE STILL IN NEED:
SATURDAY 5PM

Please contact Gary Johnson
garyandtina@twc.com



Hello St. Thomas Parishioners!

The Liturgical Team is looking for greeters, Eucharistic Ministers of Holy Communion and Lectors to come serve our Lord and Parish Family.

If you are interested or have questions about this ministry please email Deacon Andy Finney at deacon@stthomascda.org.

May God's Peace Be With You

Help Our Marriage Grow
RETRouvaille
 A LIFELINE FOR MARRIED COUPLES

09/29/2023 - 6027 - Seattle - WA, USA

registerseattle@helpourmarriage.org

Retrouvaille is a
 Three-Phase Program:
 Weekend Experience
 Post Weekend Sessions
 Monthly Support

This program is for couples who want help with their marriage struggles. Those who are considering marriage separation and those who are already separated or divorced are encouraged to consider the Retrouvaille Program. There is always hope of reviving your relationship.

(503-225-9191 or 800-470-2230

www.helpourmarriage.com



June 23-25 In Salem, Oregon

August 25-27 in Beaverton, Oregon.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter is a weekend for married Christian couples who value their relationship and desire a richer, fuller life together.

The emphasis is on communication between husband and wife, who, spend a weekend together away from the distractions and the tensions of everyday life, to concentrate on each other.

It's not a retreat, nor a marriage clinic, nor group sensitivity. It's a unique approach aimed at revitalizing Christian Marriage.

WWME® Info: 503-704-0826

*rediscoverthepark.org

PILGRIMAGES FOR VOCATIONS

SAVE
 THE
 DATE



Cataldo Mission

07.07.23 IDAHO VOCATIONS

Vocations Director Fr Nathan Dail & Boise Diocesan Seminarians will lead a Eucharistic Vocations Procession to **Cataldo Mission** – on **Friday, 7.07.23**
Mass scheduled @ 2p, w/Pot-Luck Meal to Follow

----- All Are Welcome -----

sponsored by Serra Club – for more info contact Dianna Decker, President

email digginmydesigns@gmail.com cell 208-819-0939



Engaged Couples!

Spokane Engaged Encounter
 Weekend Retreat

May 5th-7th, 2023

September 22th-24th, 2023

Engaged Encounter weekends help couples prepare for marriage in a retreat setting by providing one-on-one time to learn about each other and marriage based on 5 major themes:

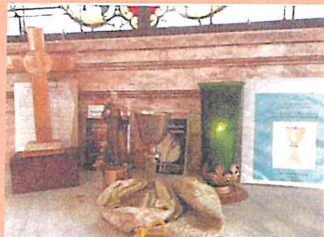
- The Family we Grew up in
- Sacramental Marriage
- Communication
- Intimacy
- Values

The ability to communicate effectively and openly is the most important tool for a great marriage. The retreat focuses on building communication skills within the other four themes. Learn more and register at:

<http://weekend.eespokane.org/registration/>

The Traveling Chalice Program

BY THE SERRA CLUB
OF NORTH IDAHO



Please sign up to pray for religious vocations for one week. The sign up sheet is to the far right side of the altar by the green votive candle
Any questions? Contact Dianna Decker 208-819-0939

GRADUATING SENIORS CONNECT HERE

Join your Catholic faith community on campus today.

signupnc.newmanministry.com



SCAN QR CODE



STEUBENVILLE NORTHWEST YOUTH CONFERENCE 2023

Refuge

MT 11:28

SPOKANE, WA
JULY 14 - 16

HOSTED BY SPIRITUS MINISTRIES NORTHWEST
REGISTER AT SPIRITUSNW.ORG



Now accepting applications for the 2023-24 school year!

Visit www.hfcs-cda.org to schedule a tour and to apply!

St. Thomas Parish invites you to

Pray & Play

FIRE & LIGHT Family Adoration

6:00 pm in the Church

ICE CREAM and Fun

7:05 pm at McEuen Park

Between playground & courts

Thursdays

June 8

July 13

Aug 10



Join us as we grow in *holiness, athleticism, and community* in our 4th year of Strive Sports! This is a fun and engaging camp that begins with a prayer/bible reading, provides solid sport-specific instruction, enhances both basic and advanced skills, and builds community for the whole family!

2023 SUMMER SCHEDULE (ALL START TIMES 10 AM):

JUNE 3RD: **HOCKEY** RAMSEY PARK TENNIS COURTS- LED BY CAMERON EDMAN

JUNE 17TH: **FOOTBALL** PERSON FIELD- LED BY FORMER NFL QB KELLEN CLEMENS

JULY 8TH: **SOCCER** RAMSEY PARK- LED BY FORMER COLLEGE PLAYER GRIFFIN HOWARD, FATHER NATHAN DAIL AND DIOCESE OF BOISE SEMINARIANS

JULY 15TH: **BASEBALL** PERSON FIELD- LED BY FORMER MINOR LEAGUER CAMERON EDMAN

JULY 29TH: **BASKETBALL** MCEUEN PARK COURTS- LED BY FORMER COLLEGE PLAYER CHRIS KIEFER

AUGUST 12TH: **VOLLEYBALL** CITY BEACH PARK- LED BY FORMER COLLEGE PLAYER NATALIE KIEFER

AUGUST 26TH: **ALL SPORTS** SORENSEN SCHOOL- LED BY ALL PARENTS AND FAMILIES!



Verso l'alto!

QUESTIONS? CONTACT: CAM EDMAN 208-409-5532 CAMEDMAN47@YAHOO.COM
COST: \$20/FAMILY FOR THE SUMMER (7 SESSIONS)

Catholic Family Night at the

BALLPARK

TICKET ONLY

\$6*

TUESDAY,

20

JUNE

**SPOKANE
INDIANS**

VS

**TRI-CITY
DUST DEVILS**

AVISTA STADIUM

602 N Havana St Spokane, Washington 99202

**GATES
OPEN
AT 5:35PM**



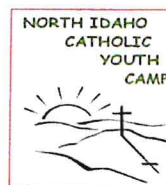
**GAME
STARTS
AT 6:35PM**

*Purchase tickets by scanning the QR code to receive the discounted group rate and ensure that your seats are within our reserved area!

North Idaho Catholic Youth Camp-2023

A Year of Vocations, Knights & Ladies

"God inscribed in the humanity of man and woman the vocation... of love & communion. Love therefore the fundamental and innate vocation of every human being" -St. John Paul II



July 9th-14th @ Shoshone Mountain Retreat

Registration Opens January 1st <https://nicyc.org/>

OPEN TO AGES: 11-18 (Entering 5th grade to recently graduated high school)

Interested in volunteering at camp? Email nicyc2006@gmail.com for more information

Ladies Auxiliary

3rd Monday of the Month
1-3pm Mission House

All ladies are welcome!
Our purpose is to provide
funeral luncheons to our
parish families.

Healing Ministry Team

Is available to pray with you!

**1st and 3rd Sundays
after 10am Mass**

Secondary Confessional
Individual appointments
available at other times.

Please contact: Debbie Zember
760-427-0964

Community Kitchen

Dinner Every Tuesday 4:30pm
Serving members of the parish
and community in need of a
nourishing meal

Please bring donations to the
Narthex for pick up on Tuesday.
Monetary donations can be given
to the Parish office.

Contact: Norm 208-964-3026

Kathy 208-664-2885



Serra Club of North Idaho

Join us once a Month for our
Tri- Parish gathering
12pm Rosary, 12:30 Meeting

Divine Mercy Prayer Group



2nd & 4th Tues 9 AM
Mission House Library
Joanne Wing
(208) 664-2711



Knights of Columbus

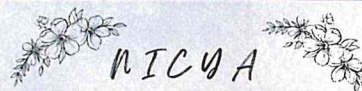
Meeting: 2nd Thursday
Rosary 6:30pm, Meeting in PC 7pm
Pro Life Rosary: 3rd Sunday
9:15am in the Connector

Walking with Purpose

Spring Women's Bible Study
April 20th-June 8th 2023

Thursdays

9-11am & 6:30-8:30pm
Parish Center & Mission House
Janice 650-400-2688
Bessie 619-857-2803



NORTH IDAHO CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULTS

MEETINGS EVERY OTHER
TUESDAY 7PM

FOR MEETING SCHEDULE AND
UPDATES: @NICYA_JMJ
FLOCKNOTE:
TEXT 84576 TO STTHOMASCDA



Rite of

Christian Initiation

Sunday 11:30am-1pm
(after 10am Mass)
MH Library

Holy Family Catholic School -Join us for Mass! Tuesdays at 10:30 am in the school gym.

- Holy Family Catholic School is Now Enrolling for the 2023-24 School Year!
- We're hiring! Holy Family Catholic School is seeking applicants for a certified 4th grade teacher for the 2023-24 school year. Please visit www.hfcs-cda.org and click on the Employment tab for more information and an application.

Parish Office: 208.664.9259 | Website: stthomasda.org

Office Hours: M 1PM-4PM, T 10AM-4PM W-F 9AM-4PM, *Closed for lunch 12 noon-1pm

Church Calendar (liturgical and facility) <https://stthomasda.org/facilityusecalenda>

Parish News, Events & Sacramental Reminders: Youtube, Facebook, Instagram @stthomasda

Fr. Remigius Ihim, Pastor

Fr. Anthony Nnodim, Parochial Vicar

Deacon Andy Finney, Deacon

Kevin Jenne, Pastoral Associate x.6

Carla Loucks, Faith Formation x.4

Brian Bogdanowitz, Sacred Music x.5

Lisa Stewart, Parish Secretary x.2

Ann Marie Shehan, Office Assistant

Jeff Clay, Maintenance Director

Kathy Krapfl, Bookkeeper x.7

Tina Johnson, Cemetery x.3

Marriage Preparation x.6

Rodney & Bessie Geilenfeldt, RCIA

Prayer Chain

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cemetery@stthomasda.org

marriage@stthomasda.org

rcia@stthomasda.org

stthomascdaprayerchain@gmail.com

Church/Mission House:

919 E. Indiana Ave.
Coeur d'Alene, ID 83814

Parish Center Address:

406 N. 10th Street,
Coeur d'Alene, ID 83814

The bulletin deadline
for Current Events is
the Wednesday prior,
by 9am. Inserts must be
submitted 2 weeks in
advance. Thank you St.
Thomas family!



News & Upcoming Events: May 6/7

- MAY 9: Divine Mercy Prayer Group Mission House Library 9-11am
- MAY 9: Parish Council Meeting. MH Dining 3:30pm
- MAY 9: St. Thomas Community Kitchen Dinner PC 4:30-5:30pm. Please bring donations to Narthex.
- MAY 11: Walking with Purpose Parish Center 9am-11am AND Mission House 6:30pm-8:30pm
- MAY 11: Fire & Light - Praise & Worship, Adoration, and Confessions 6-7pm
- MAY 11: Knights of Columbus Rosary 6:30pm, Mtg Parish Center 7:00pm

Sunday May 14th: Mother's Day Brunch in the PC 9:30am and 11:30am

Hand Carved Olivewood available for purchase after all Masses: May 13/14

- MAY 15: Ladies Auxiliary Meeting. MH Dining 1-3pm
- MAY 16: St. Thomas Community Kitchen Dinner. PC 4:30-5:30pm. Please bring donations to Narthex.
- MAY 16: North Idaho Catholic Young Adults Meeting. 7pm
- MAY 18: Finance Council Meeting. MH Dining. 4pm
- MAY 18: Catechesis of the Good Shepherd. PC Atria 9-11am
- MAY 18: Walking with Purpose. Parish Center 9am-11am AND Mission House 6:30pm-8:30pm
- MAY 20: Knights of Columbus. Rosary for Life. Connector 9:15am
- MAY 20: Healing Prayer Ministry Team after the 10am Mass
- MAY 22: HFCS Finance Council @ HFCS 6:30pm
- MAY 23: Divine Mercy Prayer Group Mission House Library 9-11am
- MAY 23: St. Thomas Community Kitchen Dinner PC 4:30-5:30pm. Please bring donations to Narthex.
- MAY 25: Walking with Purpose Parish Center 9am-11am AND Mission House 6:30pm-8:30pm
- MAY 30: St. Thomas Community Kitchen Dinner PC 4:30-5:30pm. Please bring donations to Narthex.
- MAY 30: North Idaho Catholic Young Adults Meeting. 7pm
- JUNE 4: Healing Prayer Ministry Team after the 10am Mass
- JUNE 5: Right to Life of CDA. Mission House Dining. 1:30pm-3:30pm
- JUNE 6: St. Thomas Community Kitchen Dinner PC 4:30-5:30pm. Please bring donations to Narthex.
- JUNE 6: North Idaho Catholic Young Adults Meeting. 7pm
- JUNE 8: Walking with Purpose. Parish Center 9am-11am AND Mission House 6:30pm-8:30pm

 To volunteer to Usher, please call Gary Johnson 208-651-4099 

Prayers for the Sick

Let us pray for 3 months

Bill & Colleen O'Connell, Eric Lindstrom,
Emile & Sami Shami, Laura Higgins, Kate Clemens,
Jon Wood, James Schad, Riley Loe, Fr. Gabriel Morales,
Monica Martinez, Monica Mocny, Fr. Jerome, Fr. Cook,
Bob Cushman, Hadrian Nnodim

Prayers for the Deceased

Let us pray for 3 months

Evelyn Lutovsky, Clarence Joerger, Stanislaw
Majewski, Gary & Patricia Caramella, Dcn Bill Petzak,
Jean Snyder, Neal Tietjen

Find up-to-date calendar events and announcements at stthomascda.org/calendar

April Contributions

Apr 2: \$9,522.40
Apr 9: \$11,285.95
Apr 16: \$7,612.94
April 23: \$6,888.63
April 30: \$6,500.59
Total \$41,810.51

Building fund:
\$510.00

Budgeted Monthly
Income: \$50,000.00



Please note that amounts may change
as online contributions are posted.

Thank you for your generosity of
time, talent and treasure!



Mothers Day

BRUNCH

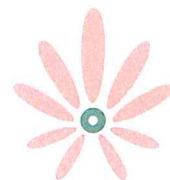
14th May, Sunday

St. Thomas Parish Center

9:30 am and 11:30 am

Enjoy breakfast casseroles, corned beef
hash, fresh fruit salad, breakfast breads and
sweets, juice and coffee

DONATIONS ACCEPTED



walking with purpose



St. Thomas Wedding & Event Guild

The St. Thomas the Apostle Wedding & Event Guild is a group of dedicated volunteers who help make sure that weddings and events held at St. Thomas the Apostle run smoothly and according to liturgical propriety.

Guild members commit to attending the wedding rehearsal where, under the guidance of the priest, they go through the ceremony and define the roles of the wedding party. On the day of the wedding (normally a Saturday or Friday) it is the Guild's responsibility to facilitate the celebration of the sacrament by:

- Opening the church (couples get access 2 hours ahead of the ceremony time)
- Locking the church (couples get 1 hour after the ceremony to clean up)
- Turn lights and PA system on and off.
- Assist the members of the wedding party to have a smooth and beautiful ceremony.
- Place wedding guest book and/or programs in a suitable place.
- Interface with the photographer and florist to facilitate adherence to St. Thomas guidelines and to maintain reverence in our sanctuary.
- Serve as ushers during Communion if appropriate, and ring the bells at the conclusion of the ceremony.
- Tidy up the church afterwards.
- Other duties may be determined and requested as needed.



For more information please contact:
Mary Curlee: 208-416-3906