March 16/17 2024

Welcome to our parish!

# St. Thomas the Apostle Patholic Phurch

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Romanino, Girolamo. Christ carrying the cross. c. 1545

# The Fifth Sunday in Lent

"The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified.

Amen, amen, I say to you,
unless a grain of wheat falls to the ground and dies,
it remains just a grain of wheat;
but if it dies, it produces much fruit.
Whoever loves his life loses it,
and whoever hates his life in this world
will preserve it for eternal life.
Whoever serves me must follow me,
and where I am, there also will my servant be.
The Father will honor whoever serves me."
John 12:23-26



# Sacraments

### Saturday:

1st Saturday Mass for Our Lady 8am Confession 3-4:30pm Mass 5pm

### Sunday:

Mass 8am Mass 10am

### Tuesday:

Holy Rosary 7:15am
Daily Mass 8am
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Devotion
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
Confession 9-10am

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

= Papal Reflection ==

"Fasting is the soul of prayer, mercy is the lifeblood of fasting. So if you pray, fast; if you fast, show mercy; if you want your petition to be heard, hear the petition of others. If you do not close your ear to others, you open God's ear to yourself." - St. Peter Chryosologus

# Mass Intentions

3/16 5 PM Elizabeth Strow Birthday

3/17 8 AM † Tom Jefferson 10 AM OCIA Elect

3/18 8 AM No Mass

3/19 8 AM Steve Strow Birthday

3/20 8 AM † Mary Runkle

3/21 8 AM NOSDA Club (No One Should Die Alone)

3/22 8 AM Ladies Auxiliary

3/23 5 PM Kathy Krapfl Birthday

3/24 8 AM † James Mangen 10 AM People of Parish

# Thank you to our Sacristy Sponsors:

**Incense: The Garcia Family** Pascal Candle: Anonymous Rosaries: Knights of Columbus Altar Candles: Ladewig Family in Memory of Marge Capaul Congregational Candles: Ubalde Family Stations of the Cross FRIDAYS 6PM





in the Parish Center **Following Stations** 6:30PM

Hosts will provide 3 meatless soups and bread. Attending families are asked to bring a soup/bread to share as well

### PALM SUNDAY

Gather in the PC Lower Level by 9:50 am so we can start the procession to the Church promptly at 10 am.



Please bring your own rakes, tarps, and gloves.

Triduum Schedule

Holy Thursday: March 28th No 8am Mass Mass of the Lords Supper 6pm

(with feet washing) † Adoration until 9pm

Good Friday: March 29th No 8am Mass • No Confession • No Adoration
Stations: 12pm (Church) 3pm (Outside)

Passion of our Lord 6pm † Adoration of the cross

Easter Vigil: March 30th No Confession
Holy Mass 7:30pm

Welcome OCIA!
(Handheld candles provided Easter Sunday: March 31st

Holy Mass 8am & 10am (Easter Egg Hunt after both Masses)

# **FORMED**

Catholic HIGHLIGHTS OF THE WEEK

Movie: Padre Pio: Miracle Man Video Series: Bread of Life: The Eucharist in Galilee Children: Forgiven: The Blessings of Confession | **Brother Francis** 



First Holy Communion

Sunday, April 21 @ 10am Mass

Retreat & Rehearsal: Saturday, April 13 @ 9-llam in the Church

# Confirmation

Tuesday, April 23 7:00pm @ St. Thomas



Rehearsal with Sponsor: Thursday, April 18 @ 7pm in Church

## Youth Essay-Art Contest



Submit an original drawing, or 400-600 word essay to parish office by

### Wednesday, April 24th

to win CASH PRIZE of \$50, \$35, or \$25. Separate category for Middle & High Schoolers

Sponsored by Serra Club of N. Idaho. Contact Diana Decker @ 208-819-0939 for details.

Easter Sunday March 31st

After the 8am and 10am Masses

Donations Needed!

Please bring donations of filled eggs or pre packaged egg filler to the box in the connector



The Feast of )ivine Mercu **Chaplet of Divine Mercy** 

**Adoration Benediction** repare for the Feast: Begin the Divine Mercy Noven

# News & Upcoming Events: March 16/17

- Mar 17: PC Atrium: CGS Level 1. 9:30am
- Mar 17: Healing Prayer Team after 10am mass
- Mar 17: OCIA (Formerly RCIA) Meeting. MH Library 11:30am
- Mar 17: NICYA Meeting @ Lyfe Public House lpm
- Mar 17: K of C St. Patrick's Day Dinner 6pm
- Mar 19: Feast of St. Joseph Daily Holy Mass 8am- Eucharistic Consecration following Mass
- Mar 19: St. Thomas Community Kitchen Dinner PC 4:30pm. Please bring donations to Narthex or Connector
- Mar 20: Choir Practice. Choir loft 5pm
- Mar 21: CGS Level 1. PC Atrium 9am
- Mar 21: CGS Level 2. PC Atrium 4pm

### Mar 21: All Parish Penance Service 6pm

- Mar 21: Sac Prep 6pm MH Dining
- Mar 21: Kids Bible Study 6pm MH Library
- ♦ Mar 22: Stations of the Cross lead by Cabrini 6pm. Soup to Share PC 6:30pm. Thank you Cabrini!
- Mar 23: Exodus 90 Men's group. 6:30 am MH Dining
- Mar 24: PC Atrium: CGS Level 1. 9:30am
- Mar 24: Healing Prayer Team after 10am mass
- Mar 24: OCIA (Formerly RCIA) Retreat. MH Library 11:30am -4pm
- Mar 24: NICYA Meeting @ Lyfe Public House lpm
- Mar 26: Divine Mercy Prayer Group. MH Library 9am
- Mar 26: St. Thomas Community Kitchen Dinner PC 4:30pm. Please bring donations to Narthex or Connector

Mar 27: Choir Practice. Choir loft 5pm



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(no closing, please leave in silence)

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# Prayers for the Sick

Let us pray for 3 months

Jeff Woltemath, Mariah Lowman, Eleanor Krapfl, Taylor Torgerson, Chanda Young, Sally Perkins, Kyra Bermel, Jessica Shehan, Mary Guidice, Talena Guidice, Kathy Littell, Michael Lenke, Todd Harrington

# Prayers for the Deceased

Let us pray for 3 months
Lillian Moore, Sheryl Coyle, Monica Martinez,
Randall James McCutcheon, Suzi McCoy,
Bernice Guinasso, Jane Rupiper

# **March Contributions**

March 3: \$9,565.52 March 10: \$10,621.98

Total: \$20,187.50

Monthly Budget: \$60,000.

Thank you for donating!

St. Vincent's Blue Bucket
March \$1,304.00

Building fund: \$742.00

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

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

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



Open Arms Real Choices Clinic is a non-profit, non-political emergency pregnancy clinic that serves women and families in our community who are facing unexpected pregnancy.

They offer education, parenting classes, pregnancy testing and limited OB ultrasounds.

Because of your generosity they provide these services at no cost to their clients.

Please fill the bottles provided with your gift of coins, paper currency, or checks and return them on or before

Palm Sunday, March 24th

your charges lives! All donations are tax deductible.

Please make checks out to "Open Arms"



# Ladies Auxiliary

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

3rd Monday 1pm Mission House Dining Room

# **Healing Ministry Team**

Is available to pray with you!

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

Individual appointments available at other times. Please contact: Debbie Zember 760-427-0964



Order of Christian Initiation (OCIA) Sunday 11:30am-1pm (after 10am Mass) MH Library

# Community Kitchen

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

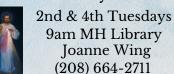
Please bring donations to the Narthex and the Connector for pick up on Tuesdays. Monetary donations can be given to the Parish office. Contact: Norm 208-964-3026 Kathy 208-664-2885



Serra Club of North Idaho Join us once a Month for our Tri- Parish gathering

### **Divine Mercy Cenacle**

12pm Rosary, 12:30 Meeting



### **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 Women's Bible Study

Video Study: Fearless and Free

Wed 6-8pm. MH Dining April 3rd- May 8th

Ianice Slusser: 650-400-2688



YOUNG ADULTS

MEETINGS ON SUNDAYS AT 1PM LYFE PUBLIC HOUSE

FOR MEETING SCHEDULE AND UPDATES: @NICYA\_JMJ FLOCKNOTE: TEXT 84576 TO STTHOMASCDA

Holy Family Catholic School: Please join us for Mass every Wednesday at 10 am in the school gym.

Considering a faith-based, academically rich education for your child? Holy Family Catholic School is accepting applications for the 2024-25 school year! Visit www.hfcs-cda.org to learn more about our school, schedule a tour, and apply. Questions? Call (208)765-4327 or email admissions@hfcs-cda.org.

### Parish Office: 208.664.9259 | Website: stthomascda.org

Church/Mission House: 919 E. Indiana Ave. | Parish Center 406 N. 10th St Office Hours: Mon-Thurs 9am-3pm, Fri 9-12pm \*Closed for lunch 12pm-12:30pm Church Calendar (liturgical and facility) https://stthomascda.org/facilityusecalendar Parish News, Events & Sacramental Reminders: Youtube, Facebook @stthomascda

Fr. Mariusz Majewski, Pastor x.9 Deacon Andy Finney, Deacon 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 Rodney & Bessie Geilenfeldt, OCIA x.6 rcia@stthomascda.org Prayer Chain Mass Intentions & ICR Submissions

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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!