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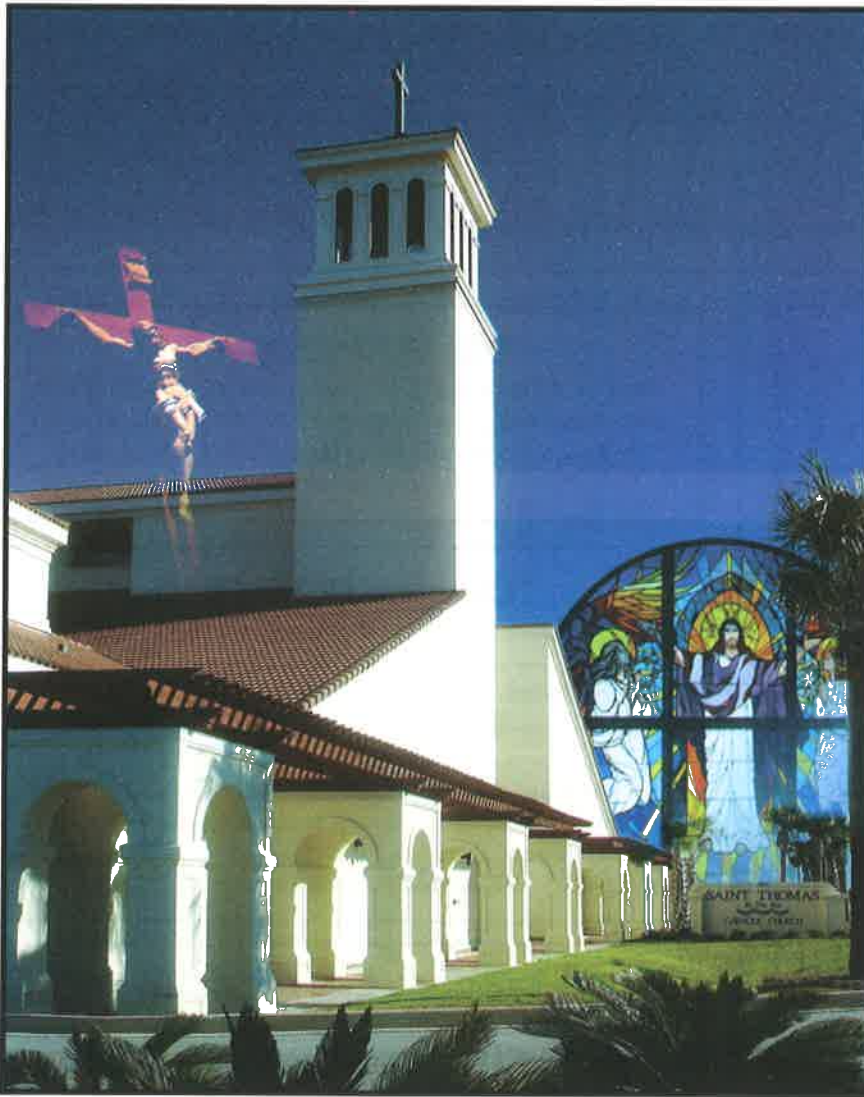
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Welcome!

On behalf of our church family, we are pleased to welcome you to St. Thomas by-the-Sea Catholic Church, and to our beautiful gulf beaches. If you are a new parishioner, or a long-term or frequent visitor, please take time to complete a registration form (in the church pamphlet). We hope you will enjoy your time in Orange Beach.

Rev. Paul Ravi, HGN Deacon Stephen Seymour

Mass Schedule

- Weekends:** Saturday, 5:00 p.m.
Sunday, 8:00 and 10:00 a.m.
- Weekdays:** Monday, 9:00 a.m.
Communion Service
Tuesday-Friday, 9:00 a.m. Mass
- First Fridays:** Morning Mass is followed by Holy Hour.

Our Chapel is open every day for prayer.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays, 4:00-4:45 p.m. (and upon request)

- Altar Rosary Society:** President, Laura Bosarge 251-209-2187
- Driving Service:** Anyone needing a ride to a doctor's appointment or elsewhere can call 205-999-5802
- Hispanic Ministry:** Contact St. Margaret of Scotland 251-943-4009
- Ministry of Care:** (to sick and bereaved) –
Parish Office 251-981-8132
- Respect Life Committee:** Suzanne Laurier 251-981-1918
- CCD:** Contact Father Paul
- Choir Director:** Paul Anderson 251-377-7923
- Parish Council:** Chairperson, Anne Quinn 303-324-3526
- Finance Council:** Chairperson, Annette Mitchell 251-978-4067
- Memorials:** Church Office 251-981-8132
- Ministry:** To serve as a Lector or Eucharistic Minister, contact Father Paul
- RCIA:** Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. (September through Easter).
Contact Father Paul
- St. Benedict School:** Contact Father Paul 251-981-8132
- Winter Visitor Contact:** Ellen Passage 517-881-6615
- Sacrament of Baptism:** Contact Church Office at least one month prior
- Sacrament of Marriage:** Contact Church Office at least six months prior
- Wedding Coordinator:** Cheryl Robinson 251-422-1268
Nancy Dickhute 402-980-3258

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THIS WEEK AT ST. THOMAS-BY-THE-SEA

SATURDAY, JUNE 12

4:00-4:45 p.m. Confessions
5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass

SUNDAY, JUNE 13

8:00 a.m. Mass
Mass Intention: Tom & Mike Barnett
10:00 a.m. Mass

MONDAY, JUNE 14

8:40 a.m. Rosary
9:00 a.m. Communion Service

TUESDAY, JUNE 15

8:40 a.m. Rosary
9:00 a.m. Mass
Mass Intention: Rosemary Rathmel

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 16

7:00 a.m. Men of St. Joseph
8:40 a.m. Rosary
9:00 a.m. Mass
Mass Intention: Beverly Callaway

THURSDAY, JUNE 17

8:40 a.m. Rosary
9:00 a.m. Mass
Mass Intention: David Cranston

FRIDAY, JUNE 18

8:40 a.m. Rosary
9:00 a.m. Mass

SATURDAY, JUNE 19

4:00-4:45 p.m. Confessions
5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass

CONDOLENCES

Pray for the repose of the soul of **Mark Karazim** who went to his eternal rest on May 30, 2021. Sincere condolences to his family, and especially to his beloved wife Jo-Ellen.

DID YOU KNOW?

The **Quick Response (QR)** code can take you to the Parish website instantly? Just aim your smart device camera at the weird box on the bulletin cover and check out e-giving!

Bill C. – Finance Council

YOUR GIFTS TO GOD

May 29-30, 2021

Offertory \$ 8,497.36
Building Fund..... \$ 2,934.66
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June 5-6, 2021

Offertory \$ 14,134.00
Building Fund..... \$ 2,762.00
Miscellaneous..... \$ 1,051.00

Thank you for your generosity!

SECOND COLLECTION

Next weekend the second collection will be for our Seminarians. Please be generous.

PARISH DATABASE

We are updating our database. We are asking all our full and part-time parishioners to please go to our NEW web site, stthomasbythesea.com. Click on and complete the "registration form." Paper registration forms are also available in the narthex. Our goal is to improve communication with all the members of our St. Thomas-by-the-Sea Church family. Thank you for your cooperation.

HOME VISITS & CONFESSIONS

Father Paul is available to bless your home. Please call the parish office at 251-981-8132 for an appointment. You can also call to schedule the Sacrament of Reconciliation if you can't come on a Saturday.

PLEASE PRAY FOR: Dominique deSanctis, Chad Smith, Rita Michelle Garner, Tim Glennon, Babe Rohan, Lydia Williams, Mark Miller, Deacon Hank Pouliot, Dolores Mills, Sarah Knoll Lammons, Edward O'Brien, Lavonne McCumber, Donna Zepponi, Brandt Quinn, Margaret Smith, Craig Horn, Katheryn Bennett, William Chambers, Frances Gagliano, Anthony Baroco, Kathy Montecio, Stephanie Keeler, Ed Zyniewicz, Daphne Stanford, Karen Kelley O'Brien, Joel Rivera, Susan Berezuk, Bill Sukman, Carly Barrett, Janet & Tommy Pollman, Jenifer Davis, Sally Ashurst, Gene Brymer, Norman Hankins, Mary Schmid, Pat Chambers, Mavis Adams, Matt Bosarge, Maureen Kiernan, Sue Pizzitola, Tony Crawford, Ann Wilson, Jane Fleshman and Claire Hughes.

WORD OF LIFE

"It is so hard to express in words what a unique experience adoption has been for us. There were times when our faith was shaken and we weren't sure we could handle our cross. But adopting Andrew has made us more aware of God's power and of his love for us. We realize that He always has a perfect plan for our lives.."

*USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities
'An Adoption Love Story'*

RESPECT LIFE

Update on Pensacola Abortion Clinic: Currently Sidewalk Advocates are denied access to the right-of-way, which is private. They are working with the Thomas More Society to legally gain back the right to access. At present time, the clinic is not performing surgical abortions but still providing the abortion pill. Please pray that very soon all 'prayer warriors' will again be allowed to pray and advocate for Life in front of this clinic.

EMAIL ADDRESS UPDATE

Our new Office email address is:
parishoffice@stthomasbythesea.com.

Father Paul's new email address is:
frpaul@stthomasbythesea.com.

Please make note of these changes –
the current addresses will be deleted very soon!

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NEWS FROM THE ARCHDIOCESE OF MOBILE

The dispensation from the obligation to attend Mass ended on Saturday, May 29. It is important for all parishioners to again attend Mass in person, and be blessed by the priceless gifts God gives us in Word and Eucharist. Of course, anyone unable to physically come to church, or whose health would be endangered by attendance at Mass, or anyone caring for someone whose health would be endangered, does not need to attend in person; they can continue to enjoy our Sunday, 10:00 a.m. Mass streamed live on our web site.

MINISTRY THIS WEEK

Saturday, 5:00 p.m.

Lector: Kathleen Shine

Communion: Andree Drouilhet, Tina D'Aversa,
Mary Dalton, Jay Powell

Ushers: Jim & Agnes Johnson, Oliveth Archer, Joe Fierrp

Sunday, 8:00 a.m.

Lector: Terry Barnett

Communion: Kathy Lindley, Marian Smith, Anne Quinn,
Betty McDuffie

Ushers: JoEllen Karazim, Kelley Ouzts

Sunday, 10:00 a.m.

Lector: Ricky Maxwell

Communion: Darlene Kerchner, Suzanne Laurier,
Merrie Henderson

Altar Server: Ricky Maxwell

Ushers: Steve Kercher, Mark Dickhute

MEMORIALS

The Chapel pews have been added to the list of available memorials in our Parish. The suggested donation is \$1,000.00; the names of the donors and of those who are being honored will be on a plaque affixed to each pew. Brick memorials are also still available, for \$100.00. Call the office for more information.

FLOWERS FOR A SPECIAL OCCASION

You can donate the weekend Altar flowers for a special occasion, or in honor of a loved one. You can also donate a memorial bouquet in the Virgin Mary or St. Joseph alcove. Contact Cheryl Robinson to reserve your selected date at 251-422-1268.

MINISTERS

Our parish is in great need of Ministers, especially Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Altar Servers and Ushers, at all Masses. If you feel inspired to help, please contact the church office by phone or email. Training will be provided.

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