

SAINT THOMAS

By The Sea



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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.

Fr. Paul Iruthayasamy, 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)

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

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22

11:00 a.m. HEALING MASS followed by light lunch in the Parish Hall

4:00-4:45 p.m. Confessions

5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass

Intentions: Dick Domurat † & Chris McDonough †

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23

8:00 a.m. Holy Mass

Intention: Mike & Tom Barnett †

10:00 a.m. Holy Mass

Intention: Patti Hughes & All Parishioners

MONDAY, OCTOBER 24

8:40 a.m. Rosary

9:00 a.m. Communion Service

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25

8:40 a.m. Rosary

9:00 a.m. Holy Mass

Intention: Charles Kenyon, Sr. †

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 26

7:00 a.m. Men of St. Joseph

8:40 a.m. Rosary

9:00 a.m. Holy Mass

Intention: Robert Moore †

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27

8:40 a.m. Rosary

9:00 a.m. Holy Mass

Intention: Bill Chambers †

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28

8:40 a.m. Rosary

9:00 a.m. Holy Mass

Intention: Korte Family

9:30 a.m. Daughters of Mary

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29

4:00-4:45 p.m. Confessions

5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass

Intentions: Bielkiewicz & Dausat Families



PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Milton & Rita Essig, Dominique DeSanctis, Sue Pizzitola, Ann Wilson, Chrissie McKillip, Patrick Rogers, Thomas Cichoski, Tom Powell, Rey Segovia, Patricia Chambers, Elizabeth Von Bergen, Mark Martz, Mary Brabston, Lori Brabston, Cheryl Strockis, Elliott Trahan, Phyllis Peralta, Edith O’Rear, Patricia Ann Cassidy, Sarah Tino, Bishop Gregory Parks, Lisa Hughes, Claire Hughes, Ron Gray, Chuck Coffey, Pam Rohan, Babe Rohan, Paul Rohan, Mary Newsome and Sally O’Donnell

To add someone to the prayer list, please contact the church office.

HOME VISITS AND CONFESSIONS

Father Paul is available to bless your home. Please call the parish office at 251-981-8132 for appointment. You can also call to schedule the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

PALM TREE MEMORIALS...

You may have noticed the new palm tress planted along the West side of the church property. Each of these trees is available as a memorial or honorific, at a cost of \$600.00. A plaque will be affixed on or near your tree with your name and the name of your loved one. If interested, fill out form in the narthex. Brick and flower memorials are also available.



ADULT FORMATION

DAUGHTERS OF MARY

Are you looking for something more? Would you like to journey with other women of faith to a deeper relation-ship with Jesus? Please join us following Mass on Fridays 9:45-11:00 a.m. (on first Fridays 10:30-11:45 a.m.). We meet in the Parish Library (across from Parish Office) For more information, contact Andree Drouilhet at a_drouilhet@yahoo.com.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE CAMPAIGN TO NOVEMBER 6:

We will be praying a pro-life Rosary starting 30 minutes before every weekend Mass until the end of the Campaign. Please arrive early and join us in praying for an end to the barbaric practice of abortion in our country and in the world.



YOUR GIFTS TO GOD

October 16, 2022

Offertory	\$ 5,087.00
Budgeted	\$ 8,634.00
Building Fund	\$ 3,450.29
Votives	\$ 32.00
Memorials	\$ 130.00
Online Giving	\$ 1,369.34

THE SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND IS FOR:

“HERALDS OF GOOD NEWS”

Thank you for your generosity

“HOLY ROLLERS” BICYCLE CLUB

Want a great opportunity to keep physically and spiritually healthy while getting to know each other better? If you are free on Fridays at 4:30 p.m. and want to join this group, please call the church office at 251-981-8132 for more details. Fr. Paul and others meet at Catman Trail off of Orange Beach Boulevard.

WELCOME HOME...to all of our Winter Visitors. We certainly missed you.

Please join us for COFFEE WITH THE PASTOR immediately following 9:00 Mass on Thursday morning. It is a great time for fellowship and fun in the Parish Hall.



ALL SOULS DAY

Envelopes can be found in the back of church. This is a great way to remember our Beloved Souls of the Faithfully departed. The offerings will all be collected during the month of October and placed on the altar through All Souls Day. The envelopes will stay on the altar through the month of November.

ST. THOMAS BY THE SEA, KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS RAFFLE FOR MARY'S SHELTER GULF COAST

A mega raffle is scheduled for March 2023 with a drawing for a prize every day of the month! Tickets are only \$50.00 each and all proceeds will benefit Mary's Shelter Gulf Coast (MSGC) in Elberta, Alabama.

Please buy a ticket to support this worthy cause. MSGC is the only charitable organization in this five-county area able to offer shelter and support to homeless, pregnant adult women, before and after the birth of their child.

Tickets are being sold in the back of church, the gift shop or in the church office during the week.



Mary's Shelter



FOR CHILDREN WHO WISH FOR JUST ONE GIFT

Spread joy to underprivileged children this Christmas by participating in the Cross Catholic Box of Joy project! You will find the empty boxes on the table in the narthex, together with a list of suggested gifts. Register on the sign-up sheet, and return your box to the table by the weekend of November 6. A donation of \$9.00 is requested for shipping & handling costs for each box – either donate online at crosscatholic.org.box-of-joy/online, drop your check in the mail in the envelope provided, or bring it to the office – DO NOT PLACE YOUR DONATION IN THE BOX. Thank you for your generosity, and for bringing more

MINISTRY NEXT WEEKEND – October 29-30, 2022

	Lector	Communion	Ushers	Altar Server
Saturday, 5:00 p.m. Mass	Kathleen Shine	Mary Dalton, JR Bedel, Jay Powell, Tina D'Aversa	Jim and Agnes Johnson, Joe Fierro, Van Bielkiewicz, Rob Shine, Tim Drouilhet	Patrick Dalton
Sunday, 8:00 a.m. Mass	Nancy Milton	Betty McDuffie, Terry Barnett, Anne Quinn, Vicki Brown, Marian Smith	Paul Brown, JoEllen Karazim, Kelley Ouzts, Robert Turner, Art & Luann Yaroch	Carlos DeSanctis
Sunday, 10:00 a.m. Mass	Alice Madere	Darlene Kerchner, Joanie Pruitt, Melanie Reece, Mary Mercer, Alice Madere	Lee Barnes, Steve Kerchner, Richard Mercer, Dan Cummings, Patty Cummings, Mike Pruitt	Steve Fletcher

**VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED FOR ALL MASSES:
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS, USHERS, LECTORS AND ALTAR SERVERS**

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Ministry

To serve as a Lector or Eucharistic Minister..... Contact Father Paul

RCIA

Tuesday at 7:00 p.m.,
September – Easter
Contact Father Paul...251-981-8132

St. Benedict School

Contact Father Paul...251-981-8132

Winter Visitor Contact

Ellen Passage.....517-881-6615

Sacrament of Baptism

Contact Parish Office at least one month prior251-981-8132

Sacrament of Marriage

Contact Parish Office at least six months prior251-981-8132

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SUNDAY BRUNCH 10AM-2PM

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