



St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Community

Comunidad Católica de Santo Tomás el Apóstol

May 25, 2025 / 25 de Mayo de 2025



MASS SCHEDULE

Weekday Mass

Thursday 8:00 AM

Enter at canopy, door 3

Weekend Mass

Saturday 4:30 PM

Sunday/Domingo 8:00 AM
10:00 AM
1:00 PM

Reconciliation

Saturday 3:15 PM-4:00 PM

Other By Appointment

OFFICE HOURS

Monday–Thursday

8:00 AM-4:30 PM

Friday

8:00 AM–Noon



6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

"Peace I leave with you." - Jn 14:27a

6° DOMINGO DE PASCUA

"La paz les dejo". - Jn 14, 27

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Mission Statement

In the Name of
Jesus Christ,
St. Thomas the Apostle
Catholic Community
Welcomes
Prays
Feeds
Heals
Comforts
ALL!

Declaración de la Misión

*En el Nombre de
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Acoge
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Prayer & Worship

Mass Intentions

Thursday, May 29th

8:00 AM

Marie Rosenbauer

Saturday, May 31st

4:30 PM

Bill Geigel

Sunday, June 1st

8:00 AM

Wayne Voss

10:00 AM

In memory of what would have
been Mark & JoAnn Krejcarek's
40th Wedding Anniversary

Sanctuary Light

May 25th-31st

Bill Geigel

June 1, 2025

Acts 1:1-11

Ephesians 1:17-23

Luke 24:46-53

Who in your family has the gift of
wisdom? How does he or she use
this gift?

Homebound, Sick, or Elderly...

For a minister of care to bring Eucharist to
your home, please call the parish office or
refer to the information below. Sunday
Communion Minister for the homebound
for the week of:

June 1st— Annmarie Ahola-Sohlden
920-901-5796

June 8th— Wayne Wallander
920-946-9002

June 15th— Phyllis Carey
920-901-3657

Dear Folks,

Please continue to read, pray and ponder the little book
entitled *31 Days to Eucharistic Glory*. If you have not
taken a book from the Gathering Space, please do. There
is no cost. You will be able to catch up quickly. **It is not
too late!** As a Church, we will pray the Consecration to the
Eucharist on Ascension weekend, May 31-June 1. Please take a book,
a little book which may change your life!



Remember to keep in prayer Nathan Budde, seminarian for our
diocese, who was ordained a Deacon at St. Francis Xavier Cathedral in
Green Bay on Sunday, 18 May. We will welcome and accompany him
from the end of May to the first weekend in August here at St.
Thomas, immersing him in the life of this local Church. He or I will
write more about his ministry in the coming weeks!

The workers you see at church are repairing/stealing all the cracks on
the EIFS (siding) on the entire building, and repainting. The cost is
not to exceed \$118,000. Thank you to all who have shared a gift and to
those who share their prayers! We have over half of this amount
collected. More on this to come

Please note: the weekend of our parish celebration for our 25th
Anniversary, **June 28 and 29**, there will be two Masses: 4:30pm on
Saturday and 2:00pm Anniversary Mass and celebration on
Sunday. Please mark your calendars! We ask that you enclose your
payment with your reservation(s) for our anniversary dinner at City
Limits in Manitowoc as well.

We are making great progress on our Bishop's Appeal goal of \$46,951,
collecting gifts totaling \$41,430 as of this writing. Thank you! I realize
there are many requests for our hard-earned dollars. I try to do the
best I can! Again, *please* pray, as we need to do in all things, and share
a gift, no matter the size, if you can. Together we can make this
goal! I am grateful!

Finally, let us remember this Memorial Day, those who gave their
lives for their country, the ultimate sacrifice, so that we might live in
freedom and peace.

In Christ's Peace, Fr. Dave

**American Legion Post 477, Auxiliary Unit 477 and Squadron 477 will visit area
cemeteries on Memorial Day, May 26, 2025. The post has set the following
approximate times for ceremonies at the following cemeteries:**

Ucker 7:15 AM Holy Trinity, School Hill 7:35 AM
Meeme Cemetery 8:00 AM Saint Fidelis Cemetery, Spring Valley 8:15AM
St. James Cemetery, Spring Valley 8:30 AM St. Isidore, Osman 8:50 AM
St. Thomas the Apostle, Newton 9:05 AM Salem Ebenezer, Newton 9:25 AM
St. John Cemetery, Newtonburg 9:50 AM Salvatorian St. Nazianz 10:25 AM
St. Gregory, St. Nazianz 10:55 AM



Cleveland Cemeteries Approximate starting time is 7:30 AM

Saxon, Kassa, Hika East, Hika South, Hika Center, Hika North, St. Wendel

Funds received the week of May 11th

Scrip profit for the week **\$576.69**

Kwik Trip Flash sale
Memorial Day Week May 24-May 31
Extra 5% on gas and food cards.

CANCELED



Tithing- Envelopes	\$5,106
Offertory	\$1,063
Capital Improvement	\$110
Unrestricted/Our own needs	\$470
Stole Fees	\$20
Sacramental Donations	\$130
Unrestricted Donations	\$250

Yearly Budget as of March 2025

Tithe-Env, ACH & Online	\$612,034
Offertory	\$33,000
Total Budget Amount	\$645,034
Received as of 12/31/2024	\$427,523
Needed by 6/30/25	\$217,511

Month of March totals

Capital Improvement- Envelopes, ACH & online	\$1,262
Our Own Needs- Envelopes & online	\$3,227

CALENDAR EVENTS

MAY

- 26th- **OFFICE CLOSED**
- 27th- Cleaning Day
10:00 AM **33 Days Study Group**
- 29th- 8:00 AM Mass
6:30PM **33 Days Study Group**

JUNE

- 2nd- Cleaning Day
2:00 PM Coping with Grief
- 3rd- 10:00 AM **33 Days Study Group**
7:00 PM Men's Bible Study
- 5th- 8:00 AM Mass
- 7th- 1:00 PM Wedding
- 9th- Cleaning Day
- 12th- **NO 8:00 AM MASS**
6:00 PM Living Justice
- 14th- 1:00 PM Quinceañera
- 16th- Cleaning Day
- 17th- 7:00 PM Men's Bible Study
- 19th- 8:00 AM Mass
5:30 PM Pastoral Council
6:00 PM Finance Council
- 21st- 12:00 PM Wedding
- 23rd- Cleaning Day
- 26th- 8:00 AM Mass
- 27th- 3:30 PM Wedding
- 29th- **NO 8:00AM/10:00 AM/1:00 PM Mass**
2:00 PM Anniversary Mass
4:00 PM Anniversary Celebration
at City Limits (**reservations required**)
- 30th- Cleaning Day

Through the waters of Baptism, our parish welcomes...

Wylder John Shillcox

Son of Shawn & Calli

&

Isabella Binversie de Castro

Daughter of Pedro & Amy

May you feel God's joy fill your heart every day,
and know that he is deeply in love with you.
Congratulations and many blessings to you and your
family on this special day.



Summer Office Hours

Monday- Thursday
8:00 AM -4:30 PM
Friday
8:00 AM -Noon

Liturgical Ministry Schedule May 31 & June 1

	4:30 PM	8:00 AM	10:00 AM
Server(s)	Ella Grotegut Olivia Grotegut	Kameron Schaefer Mason Schaefer	Kyle Krupka Luana Krupka Erdmann
Hospitality	Mark Heinzen Deb Heinzen Charles Geiser Judy Geiser	Michael Miller Deb Miller Bette Bahnman Diane Lesperance	Jenanne Koch Karl Koch Deirdre McTigue Tim McTigue
Cross Bearer	Daryl Wetenkamp	Anne Neeb	Volunteer Needed
Proclaimers	Andrew Ahola Dick Backus	Dave Diedrich Deb Holschbach	Clevin Hady Lindsey Pioneck
Eucharistic Minister	Diane Hartman Ken Jacky Dcn. Steve Zimmer	Bill Kraemer Adie Minor Greg Schmidt	Tanya Hady Ann Hoban L/D VanderWyst
Sacristan	Bonnie Jacky	Pat/Jerry Zentner	Renee Siikarla

Hispanic Comunidad

Queridos amigos,

Por favor, sigan leyendo, orando y reflexionando sobre el librito titulado "31 Días hacia la Gloria Eucarística". Si aún no han tomado un libro del Espacio de Encuentro, háganlo. Es gratuito. Podrán ponerse al día rápidamente. ¡Aún están a tiempo! Como Iglesia, rezaremos la Consagración a la Eucaristía el fin de semana de la Ascensión, del 31 de mayo al 1 de junio. Por favor, tomen un libro, ¡un librito que puede cambiarles la vida!



Recuerden tener en oración a Nathan Budde, seminarista de nuestra diócesis, quien fue ordenado diácono en la Catedral de San Francisco Javier en Green Bay el domingo 18 de mayo. Lo recibiremos y acompañaremos desde finales de mayo hasta el primer fin de semana de agosto aquí en Santo Tomás, para sumergirlo en la vida de esta Iglesia local. ¡Él o yo escribiremos más sobre su ministerio en las próximas semanas!

Los trabajadores que ven en la iglesia están reparando/renovando todas las grietas del revestimiento exterior (EIFS) de todo el edificio y repintando. El costo no debe exceder los \$118,000. ¡Gracias a todos los que han compartido su donación y a quienes comparten sus oraciones! Hemos recaudado más de la mitad de esta cantidad. Pronto les daremos más información.

Nota: El fin de semana de la celebración parroquial por nuestro 25.º aniversario, el 28 y 29 de junio, habrá dos misas: el sábado a las 4:30 p. m. y el domingo a las 2:00 p. m., la misa de aniversario y la celebración. ¡Apunten sus calendarios! Les pedimos que incluyan su pago junto con su(s) reservación (es) para nuestra cena de aniversario en City Limits en Manitowoc.

Estamos progresando mucho en nuestra meta de la Campaña del Obispo de \$46,951, recaudando donaciones por un total de \$41,430 al momento de escribir este artículo. ¡Gracias! Sé que hay muchas solicitudes para nuestros dólares ganados con tanto esfuerzo. ¡Intento hacer lo mejor que puedo! De nuevo, por favor, oren, como debemos hacer en todo, y compartan un don, sin importar la cantidad, si pueden. ¡Juntos podemos lograrlo! ¡Estoy agradecido!

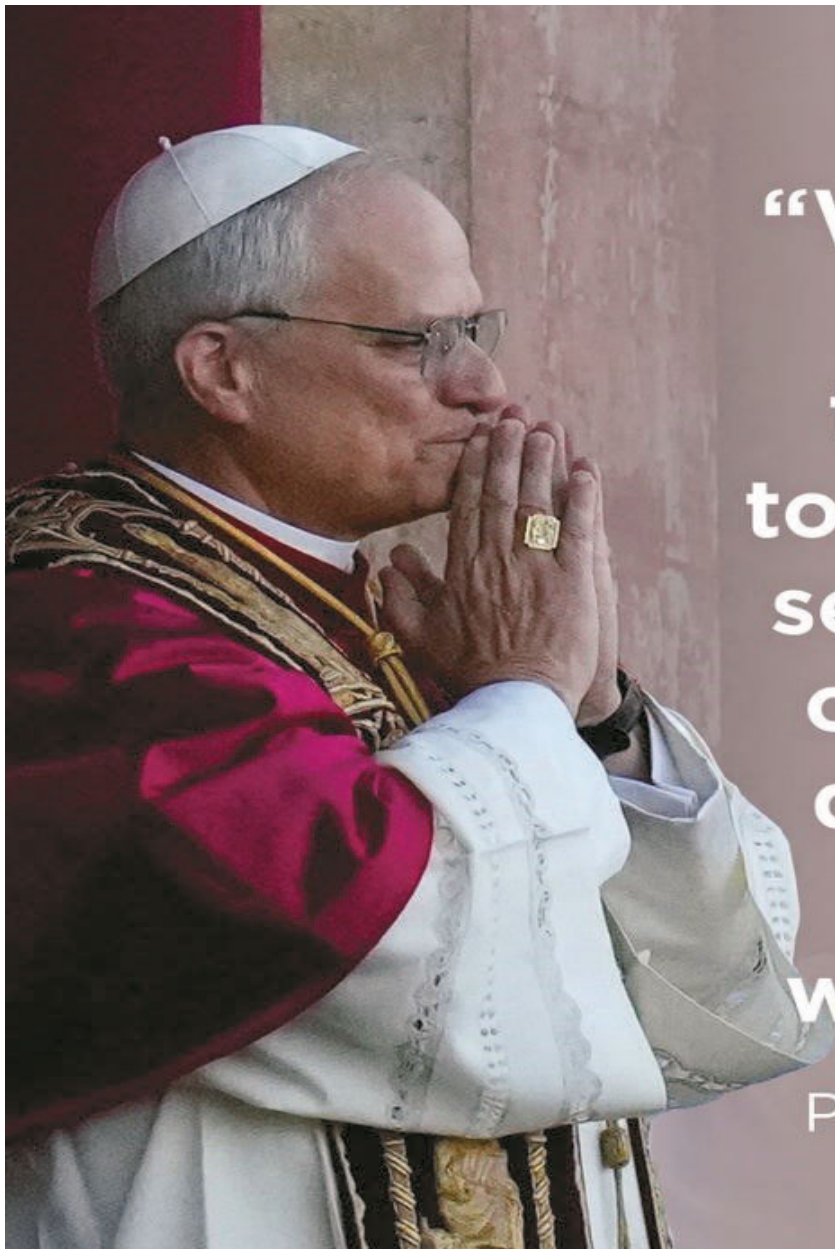
Finalmente, recordemos en este Día de los Caídos a quienes dieron su vida por su país, el sacrificio máximo, para que podamos vivir en libertad y paz.

En la paz de Cristo, Padre Dave

Inspirar el espíritu de Cristo en los jóvenes de St. Thomas the Apostle a través de una comunicación, organización y dirección efectivas del vibrante grupo de jóvenes OTIS - Optimistic Teens Improving Society – (Adolescentes Optimistas Mejorando la Sociedad).

El objetivo es servir como las manos y los pies de Jesús y construir una relación de fe más cercana con Dios. Trabaja en colaboración con líderes adultos voluntarios y miembros del personal en un espíritu colegial; promueve el intercambio de dones individuales a la comunidad católica de St. Thomas the Apostle; lidera con el ejemplo, con cuidado y amor genuinos, demostrando flexibilidad, iniciativa, confidencialidad, adaptabilidad y confianza; al mismo tiempo que se asegura de que la Iglesia local se mantenga fiel a su misión.





**“We must be
a Church
that walks
together, that
seeks peace,
charity and
draws near
to those
who suffer.”**

POPE LEO XIV

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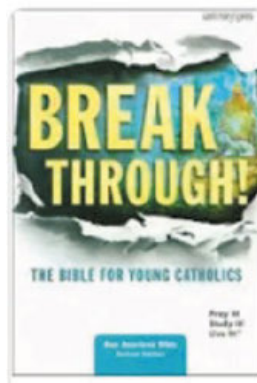
Education Community is looking
for two or three more
committee members!

Reach out to Cathylee to join our team.

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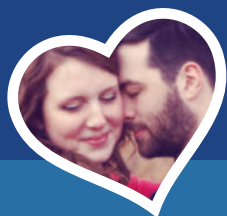
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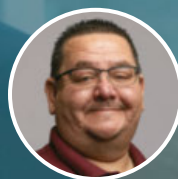
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Parents & Grandparents, mark your calendars for this year's Vacation Bible School.

When: Monday thru Friday, July 14-18
from 1:00-3:30PM

Where: St. Thomas the Apostle Church

Who: Children ages 5 to 10 years old

Our theme this year is Barnyard Roundup! Each day will include Bible stories about Jesus while making new friends, singing songs, playing games, creating crafts, eating snacks, and learning part of Psalm 23!

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We are Looking for a Youth Ministry Coordinator

Inspire the spirit of Christ in the youth of St. Thomas the Apostle through effective communication, organization, and direction of the vibrant OTIS - Optimistic Teens Improving Society —Youth Group. The focus is to serve as the hands and feet of Jesus and to build a closer relationship of faith with God. Works collaboratively with volunteer adult leaders and staff members in a collegial spirit; promotes the sharing of individual gifts to the St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Community; leads by example, with genuine care and love, demonstrating flexibility, initiative, confidentiality, adaptability, and trust; while ensuring that the local Church remains true to her mission.



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