

SAINT THEODORE

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Our Mission:

We proclaim to all people the salvation which has appeared in Jesus Christ, so that by the lives we live and in our apostolic activities, all may come "to know You, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom You have sent" and have life in all its fullness. (John 17:3),



Contact Information

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 Parish Office Hours: Monday through Thursday
 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Parish Staff

Father Damian Tomiczek, SDS ext 4
 Mass Schedule ext 3
 Elizabeth Saam, Director of Religious Education ext 2
 Mary Kovacs, Parish Secretary ext 1
 Chris Lance, Music Director

Ministry

RCIA.....Father Damian Tomiczek, SDS
Care of the sick.....call Parish Office
Altar Rosary Society:Meetings First Wednesday
 of the month7:00 PM
Youth Group Kevin McLaughlin

Holy Sacrifice of the Mass

Saturday 5:00 PM
 Sunday8:00 AM and 10:30 AM
 Weekdays..... Monday through Wednesday, and
 Friday.....8:45 AM
 First Friday and First Saturday.....8:45 AM

Holy Days

Vigil Mass.....6:30 PM
 Holy Day..... 8:45 AM and 6:30 PM

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Monday-Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday
 30 minutes before Mass or by appointment.

Devotions

Miraculous Medal Novena

Following Monday 8:45 AM Mass

St. Joseph Devotion

Following Tuesday 8:45 AM Mass

Divine Mercy Chaplet

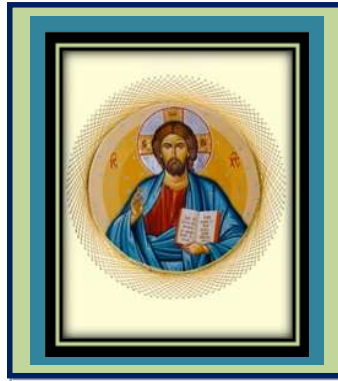
Following the Friday 8:45 AM Mass

Eucharistic Adoration

After 8:45 morning Mass:

First Friday with Divine Mercy Chaplet

First Saturday with Rosary Devotion



Salvatorian Fathers, SDS

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 international society founded by
 Fr. Francis Jordan in 1881. We
 Salvatorians are called to follow
 Jesus Christ, the Divine Savior,
 by living as community within
 the universal Church for apostolic
 service.*

PASTORAL CARE INFORMATION

Baptism: Expectant parents are encouraged to call the Parish Office to register for a preparation program.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults): The preparation process for adults who wish to consider becoming Catholic or who wish to complete their Catholic sacramental formation. Contact the Parish Office.

Marriage: Couples planning to marry should contact the Parish Office at least one year prior to a tentative wedding date.

Care of the Sick: Please contact the Parish Office when someone is sick, hospitalized or unable to attend Mass so that arrangements may be made for those who wish to receive Communion and the Anointing of the Sick.

Program of Religious Education.....Monday 6:15 PM at School

We provide a Roman Catholic religious education to the children grades Kindergarten through 8th. We teach the doctrine of our Catholic Church utilizing Diocesan programs. Our Catechists share their own faith commitment as well as their knowledge, always mindful of our Catholic traditions. We offer preparation for the Sacraments of First Holy Communion, Reconciliation, and Confirmation.

The Youth Ministry is ready for an exciting year with lots of fun, social stewardship, and spiritual activities. Any youth in grades 6th thru 12th, are invited to join. College students, and adults are welcome to participate on a volunteer bases. This ministry is not a requirement of Rel. Ed. classes but should be thought of as a great opportunity for young adults to become involved in their church and give back not only themselves but others. Contact Parish Office for more information.

Trustees: Stanley Wantrobski, Ginny Moran

Parish Council: Bob Gagliano - President, Nancy Guerriere, Theresa McLaughlin, Dorothy Wantrobski, Stanley Wantrobski, Chris Lance, Mary Kovacs, Elizabeth Saam



June 26, 2022

Thirteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 25th The Immaculate Heart of Mary
5:00 pm **Father's Day Remembrance**

Sunday, June 26th Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00 am † **Sabino & Antonitta Antinolfi**
By Daughter

10:30 am † **Marie Sirianni**
By St. Theodore Parishioners

Monday, June 27th
8:45 am **Father's Day Remembrance**

Tuesday, June 28th
8:45 am † **Lori Baldwin**
By Jim & Eileen Mattison

Wednesday, June 29th
8:45 am † **Paul Boccolini III**
By Mom, Dad, & EJVind

Thursday, June 30th
No Mass

First Friday July 1st
8:45 am † **Michael & Barbara Kovacs**
By Kyle Beben

First Saturday, July 2nd
8:45 am **Living & Deceased members of St. Theodore**

5:00 pm † **Francis Blevins**
By Family

Sunday, July 3rd Fourteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time
8:00 am **Blessings for Dorothy & Stanley Wantrobski**

10:30 am **Deceased members of the Feeney, Berry & DiMartile Families**
By Pam DiMartile

Your Offertory Gift

June 19, 2022

First Collection: \$2,055

Air Condition Fund: \$698

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The 2023 Mass intention book is now open.

The stipend is \$10.00 per Mass.

To schedule a Mass call the Parish office at

908-689-8318

Sanctuary Candle symbol of Christ's presence

If you wish to have the Sanctuary Candle burning for a week in memory of a loved one, or a special intention make arrangements with the Parish Office. The cost of the candle is \$10.00 for the whole week.



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be used towards our church operating expenses. They are sold through the Altar Rosary Society after all Masses. Stop in the Narthex to get more info!!!



Daily Mass & Devotions

Blessed Virgin Mary—Monday 8:45 am
Saint Joseph – Tuesday 8:45 am
Divine Mercy – Friday 8:45 am
Rosary Prayer – 1st Saturday 8:45 am

FROM FATHER DAMIAN



Dear Parishioners:

Please be advised that I will be on vacation from July 4th thru Aug 4th. Father Artur Zaba, a Priest from Diocese of Paterson will celebrate weekend Masses. There will be no week day Masses during that time however I will take those Mass intentions to Poland with me. I will remember you in my prayers and ask that you remember me in yours.

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| First Friday Devotion | First Saturday Devotion |
| July 1 st at 8:45 am | July 2 nd at 8:45 am |

As the devotion to the Sacred Heart spread, a cloistered nun, Sister Margaret Mary Alacoque, received a series of visions. Christ himself directed St. Margaret Mary to foster devotion to His Sacred Heart.

One of these devotions was to make the first Friday of each month a special day of observance. Specifically, the devotion involved receiving Holy Communion on nine consecutive first Fridays with the intention of making reparation to “the Heart that has loved men so and is loved so little in return.” Jesus told St. Margaret Mary of His great love for souls and His desire to shower His mercy on those who were devoted to Him.

He revealed several promises for those who lovingly practiced the First Friday devotion. Among the promises were: **final perseverance in the Catholic faith, reception of the sacraments before death, and death in the state of grace, as well as the consolation of Christ’s love at the time of death.**

Devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary developed alongside devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. The heart of Mary mirrors the heart of Jesus both in great love and in sharing His suffering. This devotion increased after the appearances of the Blessed Mother to three children of Fátima, Portugal, early in the twentieth century.

The Blessed Mother told the eldest of the children that she would “**assist at the hour of death with all the graces necessary for the salvation of their souls**” **all who, for five months, on the first Saturday of each month:**

- confess their sins,
- receive Holy Communion,
- recite the Rosary,
- and keep Mary company for fifteen minutes while meditating on the fifteen mysteries of the Rosary,
- all offered in a spirit of reparation.

Parish 50/50 Raffle

Tickets must be submitted by July 3rd!
The drawing will be July 10th at 12pm in the Parish Center, you do not need to be present to win. Tickets can be purchased after all Masses through the Altar Rosary Society. Last year’s first place winnings were almost \$2,500!
GOOD LUCK!



There are only 8 gardens that need tending to so please make time to get involved!

We also need more people to rotate cutting the grass. You may choose your own garden area to maintain on your own schedule.

**For more information contact the parish office:
908-689-8318**

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