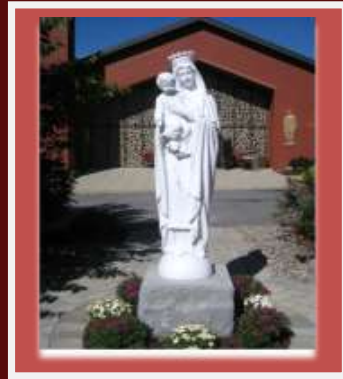


SAINT THEODORE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

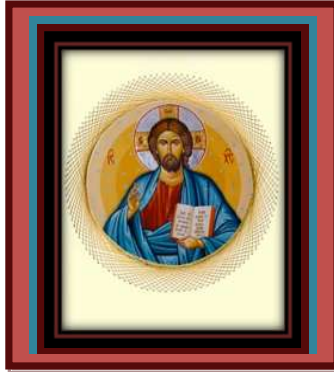
Following the Friday 8:45 AM Mass

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, Pam Di Martile



November 7, 2021 **Thirty - Second Sunday In Ordinary Time**

Mass Intentions

Your Offertory Gift
October 31, 2021

Saturday, November 6th

5:00 pm † **Theresa Rebinski**
By Henry Rebinski

Sunday, November 7th

8:00 am † **John Jr., Theresa & John Adamiak**
By Clem & Clara Wyker

10:30 am † **George & Susan Reynolds**
By Family

Monday, November 8th

8:45 am † **Violet & Earl Johnson**
By Jim & Eileen Mattison

Tuesday, November 9th

8:45 am **All Souls Remembrance Mass**

Wednesday, November 10th

8:45 am **In honor of The Sacred Heart of Jesus**
By Angela Gross

Thursday, November 11th

No Mass

Friday November 12th

8:45 am † **Margaret Doonan**
By The Kovacs Family

Saturday, November 13th

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

Sunday, November 7th

8:00 am **In honor of The Madonna of Health**
By Angela Gross

10:30 am **Living & Deceased Members**
of St. Theodore

First Collection: \$3,074

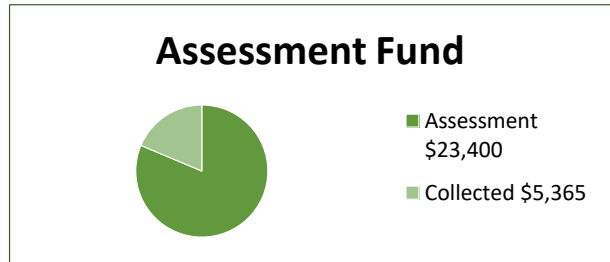
Propane: \$826

All Saints \$130

Votive: \$67

Thank you for your support!

Next weeks collection will be for the
Assessment Fund



The 2022 Mass intention book is now available. The stipend is \$10.00 per Mass. To schedule a Mass call the Parish office at 908-689-8318



Sanctuary Candle

Blessings for
Diamantino Manas &
the poor souls in purgatory

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

St. Theodore's offers our heartfelt condolences to the Jones family. May Susan Jones soul be at peace with our Heavenly Father. We pray for peace and comfort for you and your loved ones at this difficult time and offer our condolences to you all. Her gentle soul will always be in our hearts.





St Theodore Feast Day November 14th

Please join us for St Theodore
Feast Day Sunday November
14th 2021.

A covered dish reception will
follow after the 10:30 Mass.

A poster will be in the Narthex for you to sign up and share your specialties with your fellow parishioners. It is helpful to get an idea of what needs to be filled in. We are looking forward to this celebration and fellowship.

Parish Giving Tree

Our Parish Giving Tree will be on display in the Narthex from now until Dec. 13 th. A flier explaining how the program works is hung on the bulletin board in the back of the church. As always, thank you for your generosity as we try to make this Christmas season a special one for those less fortunate.



Working towards a Free Turkey at ShopRite or Weis? Or doing some early Christmas Shopping?

YOUR Gift Card purchases made possible a \$375 donation to the Parish in October!

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Or call Irma (908-892-4403) or Theresa (973-271-8469)

Susan Jones, Michael & Christion,
Helen & John Schuttler, Christopher
Picht, Lisa Moyer, Mary Whitman,
William & Joan Prosser.



St. Martin of Tours, Bishop

Feast Day November 11th

Patron: of the poor, soldiers, conscientious objectors, tailors, and winemakers
Birth: 316 or 336
Death: 397

Saint Martin of Tours was born in Savaria, Pannonia in either the year 316 or 336 AD. That region is what is today the nation of Hungary. Martin and his family went with his father when he was assigned to a post at Ticinum, in Northern Italy. It is here that Martin would grow up.



Martin's parents were pagans, but at the age of 10, Martin chose to respond to the call of the Gospel and become a Christian.

At the age of fifteen, Martin was required to follow his father into the cavalry corps of the Roman military.

As a young soldier, Martin encountered a beggar in Amiens. The beggar was unclothed and it was very cold. Martin removed his cloak and with his sword, he cut it in half. He gave this half to the beggar and dressed himself in the remnant. That night, Martin had a vision in which Christ appeared to him. The vision spoke to him, "Martin, a mere catechumen has clothed me." A catechumen is one who is being instructed in the Christian faith. In the early centuries of Christianity, that was a long process of instruction - and Martin was deeply dedicated to it.

About the age of 20, Martin made clear to his superiors that he would no longer fight, following his formed Christian conscience. He refused his pay prior to a battle and announced he would not join in the combat. He became the first recognized conscientious objector in recorded history. His proclamation occurred before a battle near the modern German city of Worms. His superiors accused him of cowardice and ordered that he be imprisoned. Martin offered to demonstrate his sincerity by going into battle unarmed. This was seen as an acceptable alternative to jailing him, but before the battle could occur, the opposing army agreed to a truce and no conflict took place. Martin was subsequently released from military service.

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