

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

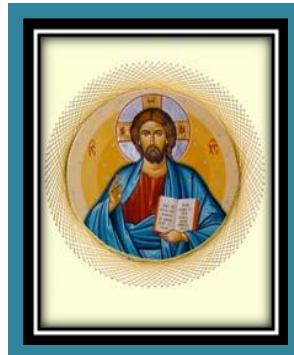
Following the Friday 8:45 AM Mass

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



September 19, 2021

Twenty-Fifth Sunday In Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions

Saturday, September 18th

5:00 pm † **Anthony & Gloria Nappi**
By Angela Gross

Sunday, September 19th

8:00 am **Living & Deceased Members of St. Theodore**

10:30 am **Robert Gross & Charles Folk**
By Angela Gross

Monday, September 20th

8:45 am † **Margaret Doonan**
By The George & Georgianne Merlo

Tuesday, September 21st

8:45 am **Birthday Blessing for Bernadette Ryan**

Wednesday, Sept. 22nd

8:45 am † **Father Emmanue Le Cueto Ramos**

Thursday, September 23rd

No Mass

Friday September 24th

8:45 am † **George Reynolds**
By Family

Saturday, September 25th

5:00 pm † **Dorothy Mitchell**
By Charlie & Nancy Guerriere

Sunday, September 25th

8:00 am † **Blessings for Michael Kovacs**
By The Kovacs Family

10:30 am † **Virginia Borello**

By Ginny & Tim Moran

Your Offertory Gift

September 12th, 2021

First Collection: \$3,119

Peter's Pence: \$ 347

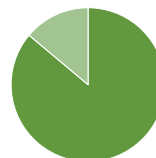
Property & Liability: \$ 132

Votives: \$69

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**Next week's second collection will be for
Assessment Fund**

Assessment Fund



■ Assessment
\$23,400
■ Collected \$3,778



Daily Mass resumes

Sept. 20th 8:45 am

First day of CCD

Sept. 20th 6:15 pm Mass

After Mass 7th & 8th meet in parish hall with Father & teachers

Capital Campaign Receptions:

Tuesday, September 21st 6:30 pm - Parish Hall

Friday, September 24th 6:30 pm -Parish Hall

Wednesday, September 29th 6:30 pm - Parish Hall

8th Grade Hospitality

Sept. 25th After 5 pm 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

Daily Mass resumes Monday September 20th at 8:45am
There is NO better activity that anyone in the entire world can do than attend a Mass in the state of grace, and receive Jesus in the Eucharist.

Bulletin^{the} Board

Welcome Back!

Welcome back Father Damian, we hope you had a relaxing and joyful visit with your family in Poland. Your family here at St. Theodore is so happy to have you back to lead the flock!

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St. Mathew, Apostle & Evangelist

Feast Day September 21st

Little is known about St. Matthew, except that he was the son of Alpheus, and he was likely born in Galilee. He worked as a tax collector, which was a hated profession during the time of Christ.



According to the Gospel, Matthew was working at a collection booth in Capernaum when Christ came to him and asked, "Follow me." With this simple call, Matthew became a disciple of Christ.

From Matthew we know of the many doings of Christ and the message Christ spread of salvation for all people who come to God through Him. The Gospel account of Matthew tells the same story as that found in the other three Gospels, so scholars are certain of its authenticity. His book is the first of the four Gospels in the New Testament.

Many years following the death of Christ, around 41 and 50 AD, Matthew wrote his gospel account. He wrote the book in Aramaic in the hope that his account would convince his fellow people that Jesus was the Messiah and that His kingdom had been fulfilled in a spiritual way. It was an important message at a time when almost everyone was expecting the return of a militant messiah brandishing a sword.

Michael Kovacs, John Schuttler,
Christopher Picht, Lisa Moyer,
Det. Misotis Familia, Mary Whitman,
Michael, Robert, Helen, Sam, Marietta, Edward
Kirby, William & Joan Prosser.



Please join us for a reception
to discuss plans for our
Capital Campaign. The
parish capital and fiscal
needs will be addressed.

We are offering 3 dates and times, *listed below*, in the hope that you can join us for one of the scheduled receptions help in the parish hall.

Tuesday - September 21st 6:30 P.M.
Friday - September 24th 6:30 P.M.
Wednesday- September 29th 6:30 P.M.

To RSVP for one of the dates please call the parish office at
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