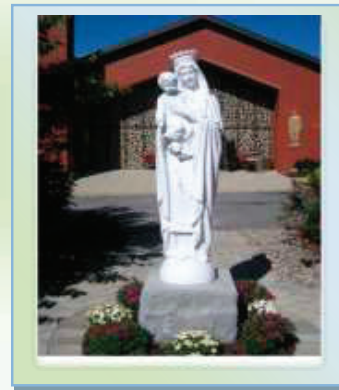


SAINT THEODORE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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),



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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

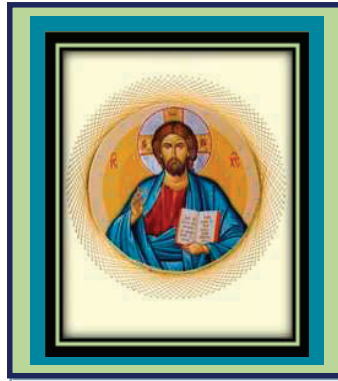
Following the Friday 8:45 AM Mass

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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Salvatorians are called to follow
Jesus Christ, the Divine Savior,
by living as community within
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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 5th, 2022

Pentecost Sunday

Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 4th

5:00 pm † **Ann Guerriere**
By Charlie & Nancy Guerriere

Sunday, June 5th Pentecost Sunday

8:00 am † **Mary Wittmann**
By Family

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

Monday, June 6th

8:45 am † **Henry & Theresa Rebinski**
By Henry Rebinski

Tuesday, June 7th

8:45 am **For the living & deceased member of
St. Theodore**

Wednesday, June 8th

8:45 am **Blessings for George Merlo**
By Pat & Arta O'Malley

Thursday, June 9th

No Mass

Friday June 10th

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

Saturday, June 11th

5:00 pm † **Francisco Verarde**
By Jack Mateus

Sunday, June 12th The Most Holy Trinity

8:00 am † **Luisa Lance**
By Stan & Dorothy Wantrobski

10:30 am † **Michael & Barbara Kovacs**
By Greg & Gail Hudson

Your Offertory Gift

May 29, 2022

First Collection: \$1,571

Diocese Communication: \$319

Ascension Sunday: \$240

**Thank you for your generosity.
The second collection next weekend is
for the missions of the
Brothers of the Sacred Heart.**

Calendar of Events

Fellowship Picnic

Sunday, June 5th 11:30am

Parish Council Meeting

Wednesday, June 8th 6:30pm

Brothers of the Sacred Heart Missionaries

June 11th & 12th weekend Masses

Warren County's Right to Life Booth

Volunteers needed for Warren County's Right to Life's booth at Warren County Farmers Fair: Saturday 7/30/22 through Saturday 8/6/22 for a few hours or whatever time possible to cover the booth. This year, due to circumstances and vacation planning, we are trying EARLIER to set up the schedule. Please call 973-876-3580 or 908-300-2605

Happy 75th Wedding Anniversary



Congratulations and many blessings to Sam & Marietta Tridente who will celebrate their 75th wedding anniversary on June 8th.



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

Barbara, Al DiFonzo, Juan A Cuello, Lauren Hardy, Steven, Michael & Christion , Helena & Christopher Picht, Lisa Moyer Det. Misotis Familia, Mary Whitman, Michael, Robert, Helen, Sam, Marietta, Edward Kirby, William & Joan Prosser, Victoria



**Join us for lunch, fun & fellowship
Sunday, June 5th after 10:30 Mass
On the lawn**



There will be Music, Games & Activities
and a Silent Auction too!
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Parish 50/50 Raffle

We're kicking off the Parish 50/50 raffle!
The drawing will be on
**July 10th at 12pm in the Parish Center, you do
not need to be present to win.**
You should have received your tickets by mail.
Last year's first place winnings were almost
\$2,500! So get selling and good luck.

**BROTHERS
OF THE SACRED HEART**



The second collection next weekend is for the missions of the Brothers of the Sacred Heart. The Brothers, who staff schools and other establishments in over thirty countries, are asking for your prayers and financial assistance. Your contributions will benefit schools and needy students in the countries of Kenya, Lesotho, Mozambique, Uganda, Zambia, Zimbabwe.

A representative of the Brothers of the Sacred Heart will be asking for your prayers and financial assistance at all Masses next weekend. Your contributions will benefit schools and needy students in the countries of Kenya, Lesotho, Mozambique, Uganda, Zambia, Zimbabwe and the Philippines. Please be generous.

Pentecost Sunday June 5th

On the Feast of Pentecost, Christians commemorate the descent of the Holy Spirit upon the Apostles, gathered around the Mother of the Lord (Acts chapter 2).

Pentecost comes from the Greek word for “fiftieth” (*pentecoste*). The reason is that Pentecost is the fiftieth day after Easter Sunday.

What does Pentecost represent in the New Testament?

It represents the fulfillment of Christ's promise from the end of Luke's Gospel:



“Thus it is written, that the Christ should suffer and on the third day rise from the dead, and that repentance and forgiveness of sins should be preached in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things. And behold, I send the promise of my Father upon you; but stay in the city, until you are clothed with power from on high” [Luke 24:46-49].

What does Pentecost mean to us?

As one of the most important solemnities on the Church's calendar, it has a rich depth of meaning, but here is how Pope Benedict summarized it in 2012:

This Solemnity makes us remember and relive the outpouring of the Holy Spirit on the Apostles and the other disciples gathered in prayer with the Virgin Mary in the Upper Room (cf. Acts 2:1-11). Jesus, risen and ascended into Heaven, sent his Spirit to the Church so that every Christian might participate in his own divine life and become his valid witness in the world.

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