

# 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 month .....7:00 PM  
**Youth Group** ..... Kevin McLaughlin

**Holy Sacrifice of the Mass**

Saturday ..... 5:00 PM  
 Sunday .....8:00 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**

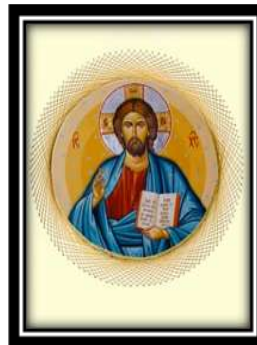
Following the Friday 8:45 AM Mass

**Eucharistic Adoration**

After 8:45 morning Mass:

**First Friday** with Divine Mercy Chaplet

**First Saturday** with Rosary Devotion



**Salvatorian Fathers, SDS**

*Religious and apostolic, 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



**August 14, 2022**

**Twentieth Sunday In Ordinary Time**

**Mass Intentions**

**Saturday, August 13<sup>th</sup> ~ St. Pontian, Pope**

5:00 pm † **Gaetano Viola**  
By Marylou Viola

**Sunday, August 14<sup>th</sup> ~ Twentieth Sunday**

8:00 am † **Margarita Caballery**  
By The Socorro Family

10:30 am **Blessings for Victor Vallo Sr.**  
**Guerriere family**  
By Victoria & Robert Dicheck

**Monday, August 15<sup>th</sup> ~ Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

8:45 am † **Sergio & Sabina Cappelluti**  
By Sam & Marietta Tridente

**Tuesday, August 16<sup>th</sup>**

8:45 am † **Henry Rebinski**  
By The Boccolini Family

**Wednesday, August 17<sup>th</sup>**

8:45 am † **Irene Sanocki**  
By The Altar Rosary Society

**Thursday, August 18<sup>th</sup>**

No Mass

**Friday, August 19<sup>th</sup>**

8:45 am **Birthday Blessings for**  
**Bernadette Reynolds**  
By Family

**Saturday, August 20<sup>th</sup> ~ St. Bernard, Abbot & Doctor of the Church**

5:00 pm † **Henry Rebinski**  
By Gleba Family

**Sunday, August 21<sup>st</sup> ~ Twenty-First Sunday**

8:00 am † **Henry Rebinski Sr.**  
By Family

10:30 am † **Lorraine & Edward Feeny**  
By Pam DiMartile

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St Theodore's Altar Rosary Society will begin meeting again September 7, 2022 at 6:30 PM.

Rosary is said in church with meeting to follow in parish center. Meetings are every first Wednesday night.



All women of the parish are welcome to come see what we are all about. We welcome all that have an interest in service to the church and fellowship with our members. For more information please contact the parish office.

St Theodore offers our heartfelt condolences to the Ervin Family May Alice Ervin's 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 heartfelt condolences to you all.

**Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord.  
And let perpetual light shine upon her.  
May she rest in peace.  
Amen**



**Daily Mass & Devotions**

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



**Welcome**

# Bishop Checchio

Welcome you and thank you for coming. We thank God for this wonderful day and we glorify his most holy name for granting you a safe trip to our Parish.

You are a special gift to our Diocese, a seasoned administrator, a humble and simple chief shepherd, source of inspiration and encouragement to many who have come your way.

Enjoy this hospitality of your good people in this parish of St. Theodore. Once more, welcome bishop and have a wonderful day!

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



**Registration forms should be submitted by August 15<sup>th</sup>.**

Forms can be found in the Narthex by the children's bulletin board and also online.

### Garden Club

~ Thank you to our Garden Club members ~  
Mary Provincial, Mary Kovacs, Steve Sabol,  
James DeStefano, Karl Strohmaier, Ivans  
Smith, Mike Paul, George Merlo &  
Howard Sargent

The Garden Club maintained the grounds, rebuilt the rock wall, power washed walkways, cut the grass & trimmed! Apologies to anyone who was missed! The garden club saves thousands of dollars on landscaping every year. If you would like to help, just pull a weed walking by!

**Many Hands make light work**

### Mother Teresa's Humility List

1. Speak as little as possible about yourself.
2. Keep busy with your own affairs and not those of others.
3. Avoid curiosity.
4. Do not interfere in the affairs of others.
5. Accept small irritations with good humor.
6. Do not dwell on the faults of others.
7. Accept censures even if unmerited.
8. Give in to the will of others.
9. Accept insults and injuries.
10. Accept contempt, being forgotten and disregarded.
11. Be courteous and delicate even when provoked by someone.
12. Do not seek to be admired and loved.
13. Do not protect yourself behind your own dignity.
14. Give in, in discussions, even when right.
15. Choose always the more difficult task.



Humility is the mother of all virtues; purity, charity and obedience. It is in being humble that our love becomes real, devoted and ardent. If you are humble nothing will touch you, neither praise nor disgrace, because you know what you are. If you are blamed you will not be discouraged. If they call you a saint you will not put yourself on a pedestal.

St. Teresa of Calcutta

#### Remember to pray for those in need



Victoria Dicheck, Barbara, Al DiFonzo,  
Juan A Cuello, Lauren Hardy, Steven,  
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