



Saint Thomas the Apostle CATHOLIC PARISH

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Our Parish Family includes Saint Thomas the Apostle Parish,
Saint Thomas the Apostle School, and Saint Anthony of Padua Mission Church.

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The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Parish Mission

Under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, we the church answer the call of Christ to be a visible sign of His presence by participating in: Scripture and Sacraments, Worship and Prayer, Spiritual and Academic Education, Evangelization and Witnessing, Service and Charity, Fellowship and Community. Through our words and actions with our universal community of believers, we strive to share the love of God with the greater Oroville community and throughout the world.

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil

5:30 PM
7:00 PM (Spanish)
at St. Thomas in Oroville

Sunday

8:00 AM & 10:30 AM at
Saint Thomas in Oroville,
12:30 PM Saint Anthony's
in Challenge

Daily Mass

Monday: 8:30 AM
Tuesday: 6:00 PM
Wed-Fri: 8:30 AM

Fr. German Ramos

Pastor
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Thomas O'Connell

Deacon

Mrs. Martha Orozco

Parish Secretary

Parish Bookkeeper-call office

Mrs. Kelly Floyd

School Principal

Mrs. Tamara Landers

School Bookkeeper

Mrs. Martha Mireles

School Secretary

Parish Office

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Mon - Thurs | 9 AM - 12 PM
Fridays | 9AM - 2PM

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PARISH INFORMATION /
INFORMACIÓN PARROQUIAL

Baptisms (Bautizos) Please contact the parish office
Sick Calls or Sacrament of Anointing (Unción de los Enfermos)

Please contact the parish office as soon as possible

Weddings (Matrimonios)

Minimum of six (6) months require for preparation. Please contact the parish office.

Funerals Please contact the parish office, for assistance in arranging a funeral service. We can also arrange a reception after the funeral if desired.

Sick Calls

Father Ramos would like to reach out to those parishioners who are homebound, or otherwise unable to attend Mass. If you, or someone you know, needs to receive a visit, or Sacraments you can find a Sick Call/ Home Visit Request form in the Church Vestibule, the Parish Office or an on-line fillable electronic form, in English and Spanish, on the STAP website (<https://orvillecatholic.org>)."

Mass Intentions: If you wish to have your intentions offered up at Mass, you may do so by contacting the Parish Office at 530-533-0262.

Prayer Requests

To add/remove a name, please email: SaintThomasBulletin.Oroville@gmail.com
Thank you for your continued prayers for those in need.

Please Remember in Your Prayers

-Alan Armstrong	-John Ritter
-The Monsen Family	-Margaret Carnahan
-Joan Briggs	-Patricia Laird
-Jimmy Potestio	-Julie Silveira
-Patty Webber-Smith	-Daniel Briggs
-Jane Frericks	-Jeffery Spoor
-Ray Firpo	-Kana McCauley
-Jose Lopez	-Pamela Pritchett
-Pat McCarthy	-Frank Clanton
-Kayhli & Kelsie	-Thomas Edward Winter
-Ann & Russ Lewis	-Jodi Williams
-Jose Ignacio Ramirez-	-John Miller
Gutierrez	-Claudia Goebel
Williams	-Mason Ray
	-Tina Molinaro
	-Glen Gabourel

Schedule Info

Father Ramos and principal Kelly Floyd will be accompanying the St. Thomas 7th and 8th grade class on a trip to Washington DC from June 8 to 13. Monday and Tuesday, June 8 and 9 there will not be any daily mass. Wednesday the 10th through Friday the 12th, Deacon Tom will lead a service of Liturgy of the Word with distribution of the Eucharist.

Faith Formation Update

We are pleased to announce that Cynthia Paniagua is the new Faith Formation Coordinator for St. Thomas the Apostle. She succeeds Steve and Patricia Hutton who coordinated this program for the past 3 years. Many thanks to the Huttons for their time and dedication.

Parish Feast Day

Mark your calendars for the Annual Parish Feast Day Celebration.

On Saturday, July 4 there will be a special bi-lingual mass at 6:00 PM followed by a potluck dinner. Watch the bulletin for details.

5:30 and 7:00 mass will be canceled that night and there will only be one mass at 6:00 PM.



The mission of St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic School, in union with our parish, is to form disciples of Jesus Christ who show reverence for the Eucharist, embody virtuous behavior, live out Gospel values, and pursue academic excellence.

**LITURGICAL CALENDAR
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Sunday, June 7

10:30 AM

12:30 PM @St. Anthony's in Challenge

Monday, June 8—cancelled

8:30 AM

Tuesday, June 9—cancelled

4:00-5:30 PM Confession & Adoration

6:00 PM Bilingual Mass

Wednesday, June 10

8:30 AM—with Deacon Tom

Thursday, June 11

8:30 AM—with Deacon Tom

Friday, June 12

8:30 AM—with Deacon Tom

Saturday, June 13

5:30 PM English

7:00 PM Spanish

Sunday, June 14

8:00 AM

10:30 AM

12:30 PM @St. Anthony's in Challenge

Rosary: St. Thomas after the 8:30 AM Mass during weekdays, and after the 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM Sunday Masses

Sacrament of Reconciliation

4:00 PM Tuesdays

4:00 PM Saturdays

Or by Appointment

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

Every Tuesday: 4:00 PM-5:30 PM

Every Friday: 9:00 AM-11:00 AM

3rd Saturday of Every Month, 8 PM



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Congratulations to Scholarship Winners

Knights of Columbus Council 2603 would like to announce this year's recipients of the 26th Annual Joseph C. Ghianda Memorial Scholarship in the amount of \$2,500.00 each! Congratulations to TRINITY NOREEN MARSHALL and DYLAN JAMES SAPP both of Las Plumas H.S. Trinity plans to attend Butte College then transfer to Washington University majoring in Biology. She is the granddaughter of brother Dennis Smith and his wife Patti. Dylan plans to attend Chico State majoring in Civil Engineering & Youth Pastoral Ministries. He is the grandson of brother Mark Sapp and his wife Paula. They both received their scholarship on May 12th at the LPHS Senior Scholarship Awards Night. Our prayers and best wishes to both in all their future endeavors.

The Pastor's Voice

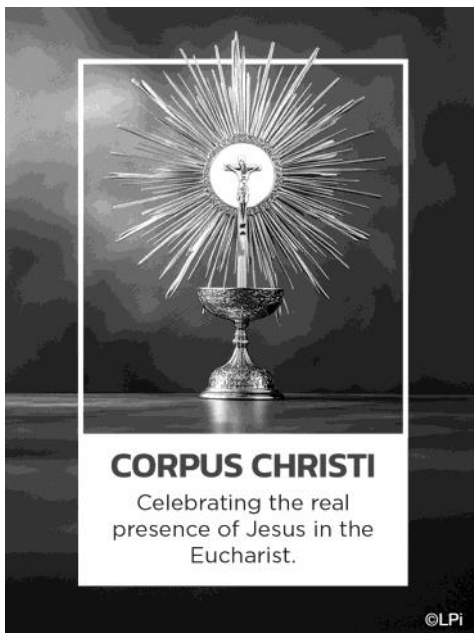
Is the Catholic Church Truly Holy?

The Witness of the Saints

The Church's holiness is vividly displayed through the lives of its saints, who exemplify heroic virtue and devotion. Saints like Francis of Assisi, Teresa of Ávila, and John Paul II demonstrate the transformative power of God's grace. Their lives counter the notion that the Church is merely a flawed human institution. Canonized saints are recognized for their extraordinary holiness, but the Church also teaches that all members are called to sanctity (CCC 825). The process of canonization involves rigorous scrutiny, ensuring that only those who truly reflect Christ's teachings are honored. Critics sometimes dismiss saints as exceptions, arguing that their holiness is not representative of the broader Church. Yet, the Church's ability to produce such figures across centuries underscores its sanctifying mission. The saints' diverse backgrounds—spanning cultures, eras, and vocations—highlight the universal call to holiness. Their witness serves as a powerful apologetic for the Church's divine character. Through the saints, the Church shows that holiness is attainable, even amidst human weakness.

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Readings for the week of June 7, 2026

Sunday: Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20/1 Cor 10:16-17/Jn 6:51-58
Monday: 1 Kgs 17:1-6/ Ps 121:1bc-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8/Mt 5:1-12
Tuesday: 1 Kgs 17:7-16/ Ps 4:2-3, 4-5, 7b-8/Mt 5:13-16
Wednesday: 1 Kgs 18:20-39/ Ps 16:1b-2ab, 4, 5ab and 8, 11/Mt 5:17-19
Thursday: Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3 (580)/Ps 65:10, 11, 12-13/Mt 5:20-26
Friday: Dt 7:6-11/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 10/1 Jn 4:7-16/Mt 11:25-30
Saturday: 1 Kgs 19:19-21/Ps 16:1b-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10/Mt 5:33-37
Next Sunday: Ex 19:2-6a/Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5/Rom 5:6-11/Mt 9:36-10:8

Observances for the week of June 7, 2026

Sunday: The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
Tuesday: St. Ephrem, Deacon and Doctor of the Church
Thursday: St. Barnabas, Apostle
Friday: The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus
Saturday: The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary; St. Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church
Next Sunday: 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time; *Flag Day*

Pentecost is not over. In fact, it is continually going on in every time and in every place, because the Holy Spirit desires to give Himself to all. " - St Elizabeth Guerra (1835 - 1914)