

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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Twelfth Sunday of Ordinary Time

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

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Deacon

Mrs. Martha Orozco

Parish Secretary

Parish Bookkeeper-call office

Mrs. Kelly Floyd

School Principal

Mrs. Tamara Landers

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Mrs. Martha Mireles

School Secretary

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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

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.

Early Bulletin Due Date

For Sunday, July 5's Bulletin, please have submissions emailed in by Thursday, June 25 at 5 PM to allow extra time for Independence Day Holiday, per publisher's request.
Thank you kindly!



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 21

10:30 AM

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

Monday, June 22

8:30 AM

Tuesday, June 23

4:00-5:30 PM Confession & Adoration

6:00 PM Bilingual Mass

Wednesday, June 24

8:30 AM

Thursday, June 25

8:30 AM

Friday, June 26

8:30 AM

Saturday, June 27

5:30 PM English

7:00 PM Spanish

Sunday, June 28

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



**Pregnant?
Worried?
Need Help?**

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We can help.*

The Gabriel Project
Call: 800-910-0191

Ministry Days 2026

You're invited to Ministry Days 2026, the largest gathering of Catholic ministry leaders and volunteers in the Diocese of Sacramento on Saturday, September 26, 2026. This year, the day focuses on mental health and challenges us all to encounter the Sacred Heart of Jesus as the ultimate source of mercy and healing. Enjoy a great day of networking, prayer and fellowship as we discuss new ways to serve families as they navigate the complexities of mental health. Tickets are on sale now at ministrydays.com.

The Pastor's Voice

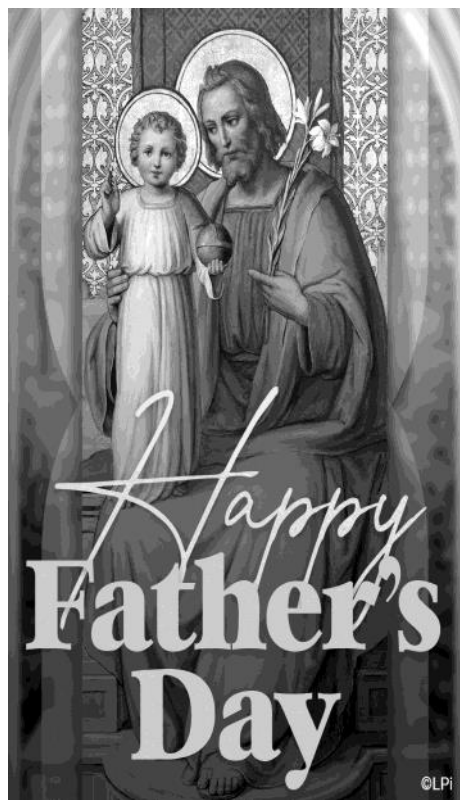
Is the Catholic Church Truly Holy?

The Church's Universal Mission

The Church's holiness is also evident in its universal mission to spread the Gospel to all nations (*Matthew 28:19*). This missionary mandate reflects its role as a light to the world, bringing Christ's truth to every culture. The Church's global presence, spanning continents and centuries, testifies to its divine vitality. Despite facing persecution, schisms, and cultural challenges, it has endured and grown. The CCC describes the Church as "catholic" in its universality, embracing all people and adapting to diverse contexts (CCC 830). Misconceptions arise when critics view the Church as a Western institution, ignoring its deep roots in Africa, Asia, and beyond. The Church's ability to inculturate the Gospel—proclaiming Christ while respecting local traditions—demonstrates its holy adaptability. Its missionary work, often carried out under hardship, reflects a commitment to Christ's command. This universal scope distinguishes the Church as a divine institution, not merely a human organization. Its mission continues to shape its identity as a holy community.

<https://www.thecatholicanswers.com/?p=1879> / Is the Catholic Church truly holy

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Readings for the week of June 21, 2026

Sunday: Jer 20:10-13/Ps 69:8-10, 14 and 17, 33-35/Rom 5:12-15/Mt 10:26-33

Monday: 2 Kgs 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18/Ps 60:3, 4-5, 12-13/Mt 7:1-5

Tuesday: 2 Kgs 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36/ Ps 48:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 10-11/Mt 7:6, 12-14

Wednesday: **Vigil:** Jer 1:4-10/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5-6ab, 15ab and 17/1 Pt 1:8-12/Lk 1:5-17
Day: Is 49:1-6/Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15/Acts 13:22-26/Lk 1:57-66, 80

Thursday: 2 Kgs 24:8-17/ Ps 79:1b-2, 3-5, 8, 9/Mt 7:21-29

Friday: 2 Kgs 25:1-12/ Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6/Mt 8:1-4

Saturday: Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19/ Ps 74:1b-2, 3-5, 6-7, 20-21/Mt 8:5-17

Next Sunday: 2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a/Ps 89:2-3, 16-17, 18-19/Rom 6:3-4, 8-11/Mt 10:37-42)

Observances for the week of June 21, 2026

Sunday: 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time; *Father's Day*

Monday: St. Paulinus of Nola, Bishop; Sts. John Fisher, Bishop, and Thomas More, Martyrs

Wednesday: The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

Saturday: St. Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

Next Sunday: 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time