

Pray the Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy!

Join us in front of the Rectory at our Guadalupano grotto as we pray for our Family and Friends... our Parish and Faith Community, our City, State, Nation and the World.

We join in prayer daily at 7 pm - ***Rain or Shine!***
(inclement weather... we meet in the church).

If you can not join us here at the parish... please... at 7 pm - take a moment from whatever you may be doing - and join us in prayer. God Bless.

¡Rezar el Rosario y la Divina Misericordia!

Acompáñenos enfrente de la Rectoría en la gruta de la Virgen de Guadalupe mientras rezamos por nuestras familias y amigos... nuestra Comunidad Parroquial y de Fe, nuestra Ciudad, Estado, Nación y el Mundo.

Para unirnos en oración todos los días a las 7 pm -
¡Mientras el tiempo nos permita!

(nos reunimos en la iglesia si hay problemas con el tiempo).

Si no puedes unirse con nosotros aquí en la parroquia... Por favor... a las 7 pm – tomar un momento de lo que está haciendo - y únase con nosotros en oración.

Que Dios los bendiga.

A Reminder

We are now able to attend Mass... *With the following restrictions:*

- We ask that no more than 100 persons attend any particular Mass.
- Face masks (coverings) are required... unless there is a medical reason
(you are on Oxygen... have asthma... or other respiratory problem).
- We are obliged to maintain our “social-distance” (6 ft) from one another.
Unless you are attending as a couple or family.
- There should be no hugging, shaking of hands etc. at the sign-of-peace...
again, unless you are attending as a couple or family.
- During this time, Holy Communion is to be received “in the hand” only.

Additionally... While other parishes have been cutting Masses from their schedule... or combining them...

Fr. Tomy has added a Mass (Sunday @ 5 pm) to our schedule to help prevent over-crowding at other Masses.

Please take advantage of this Mass.

Un Recordatorio

Ahora podemos asistir a Misa... *Con las siguientes restricciones:*

- Pedimos que no más de 100 personas asistan a ninguna misa en particular.
- Se requieren máscaras faciales... a menos que haya una razón médica
(usted está en oxígeno... tienen asma... o otro problema respiratorio).
- Estamos obligados a mantener nuestra "distancia social" (6 pies)
A menos que asista como pareja o en familia.
- En la señal de la paz, No debe haber abrazos, saludos de manos, etc..
otra vez, a menos que usted está asistiendo como pareja o son su familia.
- Durante este tiempo, la Santa Comunión debe ser recibida "sólo en la mano".

Además... Mientras que otras parroquias han estado cortando las misas de su horario... o combinándolas...

El Padre Tomy ha añadido una Misa el (domingo a las 5 p. m.) a nuestro horario para ayudar a prevenir el exceso de personas en las otras misas.

Por favor, aproveche esta misa.

Question: Why do Catholics baptize babies?

Answer: For adults who want to be baptized, the celebration only takes place after a long, guided, and thoughtful process through the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults. This is also true for many Protestant Christians, who are baptized later in life, often after a personal, transforming religious experience. So, it seems fair to ask why our Catholic tradition includes infant baptism. After all, if we make adults who want to become Catholic wait months and even years as they grow in their understanding of Christ and his teachings, why should babies — who “do nothing” — be baptized?

Our custom of infant baptism dates back to the earliest days of the Church, when St. Paul baptized entire households, including, we presume, children (see Acts 16:15, 33; 18:8). That had become common practice by the second century. When Christianity was legalized 200 years later, infant baptism became the normal practice throughout the Church.

We recognize that in Baptism, we are given the grace to overcome original sin — the human tendency to choose ourselves and our own wills over God — and to become members of the Church. This is the gift we give to infants in Baptism.

In its essence, the baptism of infants also reminds us adult Christians that the gift of salvation and membership in the Church (i.e., the Body of Christ) is God’s initiative. It is freely offered to us, regardless of where we might be in life’s journey. Salvation isn’t something we earn. Instead, we see that Baptism is the beginning of a lifelong process of growing into the kind of disciples that Jesus wants us to be.

To learn more, see the “Catechism of the Catholic Church” (no. 1250-1252 and 1262-1270).



School News

(A Message from the Principal - Mrs. “G”)

We are enrolling for the 2020-2021 school Year!

Tours can not be given during this time but we encourage you to email us with any questions regarding our school.

Leticia Brown, our Admissions/Office Manager can be reached at lbrown@stmcs62.org or myself, at kgutierrez@stmcs62.org

Visit us on our web site: st-thomas-more-school.org

Hope for the Future Tuition Assistance applications are also still available through the following link:
www.archsa.org/hope/

Blessings,

Mrs. Kimberly A. Gutierrez,
Principal



Faith Formation News

Faith Formation Registration

Registration has begun! You may register your child / children for next school year (2020-2021) at the church office Monday - Friday beginning July 22nd between 9 am and 3 pm.
The last day to register for the English classes is Aug 3^{1st}.

Note: Please make sure you have a zero balance before registering for the new cycle.

Noticias de Formación de Fe

Inscripciones de Catecismo

¡Las inscripciones han comenzado! Pueden inscribir a sus hijos para el siguiente ciclo (2020-2021), los lunes a viernes de 9 a.m. a 3 p.m. en la oficina.
Empezamos 22 de julio y Último día para registrar es el 31 de agosto

Nota: Favor de asegurarse que no tenga ningún balance antes de registrar a su hijo/hija.

More information to follow / más información seguirá



St. Thomas More English Prayer Group

July 16 - Prayer and Worship
“When we discover our powerlessness”
Please wear your mask!

Prayer Group meets at 7 pm
Contacts: Olga Guerrero: (210) 657-1610 or
Stella Lopez: (210) 618-6977



Grupo de Oración

Familias compartiendo la palabra

El grupo de oración se reúne los viernes a las 7 pm.
Para mas informacion contacte Maria Isabel Hernandez.



This Week at our Parish

Sunday, July 5, 2020
Monday, July 6, 2020
Tuesday, July 7, 2020
Wednesday, July 8, 2020
Thursday, July 9, 2020
Friday, July 10, 2020
Saturday, July 11, 2020
 4:00 pm Reconciliation - Rectory Court Yard
Sunday, July 12, 2020

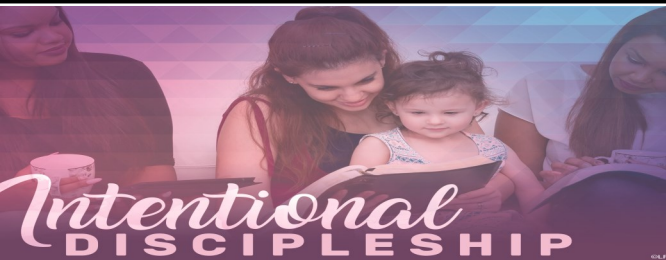
**MAY SHE REST IN PEACE:**

May God comfort the families and friends of

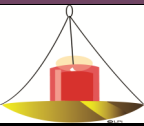
Kelly Alvarado

who died this past week

Our sincere sympathy and assurances of prayers are extended to the Alvarado Family.

**Sanctuary Light Intention:**

†John (TV) Duong

**Liturgical Roles****Saturday, July 18, 2020**

5 pm **Altar Servers** - (None)
Eucharistic Ministers - Dcn Tim
Lector - T. Guerrero

Sunday, July 19, 2020

8 am **Altar Servers** - (None)
Eucharistic Ministers - Dcn Tim
Lector - M. Torres

10 am **Altar Servers** - (None)
Eucharistic Ministers - Dcn Rolando
Lector - S. Saldana

12 pm **Altar Servers** - (None)
Eucharistic Ministers - Dcn Rolando
Lector - E. Garcia / H. Gomez

5 pm **Altar Servers** - (None)
Eucharistic Ministers -
Lector - Volunteer

Mass Intentions**Saturday, July 11, 2020**

8:00 am †John TV Duong by Wife
 5:00 pm †Ray DuMenil by Family
 †Matthew St. Laurent by Family
A Special Intention by Mary Monteverdi

Sunday, July 12, 2020

8:00 am †Frank Cortez
 10:00 am †Medardo E. Morales by Morales / Briseno Families
 †Paul Blea by Family
 †Evelina G. Morales by Family
 †Max Pena, Sr. by Elda & Ralph Garcia
 12:00 pm †Jose Luna
 †Olimpia Orasco
 †Sherman R. Griffey
 5:00 pm **†For Everyone who Has Died**

Monday, July 13, 2020

8:00 am †Vincent & Teresa Hoi by Kim Nguyen
†For Everyone who Has Died

Tuesday, July 14, 2020

8:00 am †John TV Duong by Wife

Wednesday, July 15, 2020

8:00 am †Rosie Reyes by Eddie Reyes
 †Suzell Waller by Eddie Reyes

Thursday, July 16, 2020

8:00 am †Kelly Alvarado

Friday, July 17, 2020

8:00 am †Betty Jane LaCombe by Hirschak Family
 †Alejandra & †Alejandro Reyes by Eddie Reyes

Saturday, July 18, 2020

8:00 am †Bud & †Eileen Brenner
 5:00 pm †Will Larson

Sunday, July 19, 2020

8:00 am †Jeremy Espinoza by Guadalupanos
 †Vincent Rivas by Rivas Family
 †Mary Vasquez by Elda Garcia
 10:00 am †Carolina & Salome Briseno by Morales / Briseno Families
 †Mardonio M. Serratos by Family
 †Betty Jane LaCombe by Hirschak Family
 12:00 pm †Maria Davila
 5:00 pm †Anne Bonge

Lecturas de la Semana del Julio 13 - 19

Lunes: Is 1:10-17; Sal 50:8-9,16-17,21,23; Mt 10:34-11:1
Martes: Is 7:1-9; Sal 48:2-8; Mt 11:20-24
Miércoles: Is 10:5-7,13-16; Sal 94:5-10,14-15; Mt 11:25-27
Jueves: Is 26:7-9,12,16-19; Sal 102:13-21; Mt 11:28-30
Viernes: Is 38:1-6,21-22,7-8; Is 38:10-12,16; Mt 12:1-8
Sábado: Mi 2:1-5; Sal 10:1-4,7-8,14; Mt 12:14-21
Domingo: Sab 12:13,16-19; Sal 86:5-6,9-10,15-16;
 Rom 8:26-27; Mt 13:24-43

Readings for the week of July 13 - 19

Monday: Is 1:10-17; Ps 50:8-9,16-17,21,23; Mt 10:34-11:1
Tuesday: Is 7:1-9; Ps 48:2-8; Mt 11:20-24
Wednesday: Is 10:5-7,13b-16; Ps 94:5-10,14-15; Mt 11:25-27
Thursday: Is 26:7-9,12,16-19; Ps 102:13-21; Mt 11:28-30
Friday: Is 38:1-6,21-22,7-8; Is 38:10-12,16; Mt 12:1-8
Saturday: Mi 2:1-5; Ps 10:1-4,7-8,14; Mt 12:14-21
Sunday: Wis 12:13,16-19; Ps 86:5-6,9-10,15-16;
 Rom 8:26-27; Mt 13:24-43