

St. Thomas Church

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May 13, 2012 (6th Sunday of Easter)

Weekend Mass: Sat. 4PM and 5:30PM Sun. 8:00AM, 11:00AM & 7:00PM

Weekday: Wed & Fri @ 8AM

PARISH STAFF



FR. JEFF HOPPER
SAM FILIATREAU
SCOTT TURNER
LINDA LEWIS
SHARON WATHEN
GAYLE SPALDING
SUSAN WATSON
ROGER LEWIS
TINA PLOWMAN
LOU SMITH
CHARLOTTE ROBY

Pastoral Administrator
Deacon
Deacon
Director of Form. & Ed.
Senior Ministry Coord.
Bookkeeper
Office Manager
Maintenance
Housekeeper
Kitchen Coordinator
Kitchen Coordinator

Office Hours

8:00AM – 4:00PM

Monday - Friday

WEBSITE: www.st-thomasparish.org.

Access weekly parish bulletin, monthly calendar, parish programs. Also LINK to Archdiocese of Louisville, USCCB (US Catholic Conference of Bishops), Congressional information and much more.

PARISH CONTACTS

Fr. Jeff Hopper: Pastoral Needs

Deacons: Sam Filiatreau/Scott Turner

Linda Lewis: Formation & Education

Susan Watson: Parish Membership

Mass Stipends

Cemetery Plots

Pre-Baptism Information

Rentals

John Cissell; Marion Edelen: Grounds

BULLETIN DEADLINE: Noon Wednesday

BAPTISM

By Appointment



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Sat. 3:15 - 3:45PM @ St. Thomas

MARRIAGE PREPARATION

(Call 6 months prior to wedding)

WEDDING LITURGY COORDINATOR

Robin Leake

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Call Parish Office

VISITATION OF SICK & HOMEBOUND

If you or a member of your family is in the hospital, privacy acts prohibit ministers from obtaining names through the hospital; therefore you must contact the parish if you wish a visit. Also, for home-bound visitation if you become ill.

PARISH COMMITTEES

Parish Council

Jason Williams: Chair (827-4036)

Ken Shelver: (348-4850)

Bill Coomes (348-6085)

Nick Filiatreau (350-3270)

Paul Dylag (348-2853)

Glen Stone (349-9291)

Kyle Turner (507-4563)

Isabelle Denton (348-3896)

Carolyn Hayes (270-316-5191)



Administration/Finance

Rev. Jeff Hopper

Edwin Cecil: Chair

Pat Birge

Jean Boone

Pat Filiatreau

Formation

RCIA

Tiny Tots / Children's RE

Youth / Adult / Young @ Heart

Worship

Chair: Libby Hagan

Liturgy / Ministry Training

Music / Art & Environment

Service

Bereavement Dinner

Barbara & Jerry Ball

Hospitality

Jean Boone; Mary Ann Coulter

Men's Club

Ron Corbett President; Mike Brown Vice Pres.

(Ex-Officio) Fr. Jeff Hopper (270-872-7200), Deacon Sam Filiatreau (502-507-8598), & Linda Lewis (502-348-371)

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“I no longer speak of you as slaves, for a slave does not know what the master is about. Instead I call you friends.” **JOHN 15:15**

The good steward is a friend of God’s. Stewardship flows out of our friendship with God and is our response to that friendship.

WEEKEND COLLECTION



This weeks collection	\$4,087.91
Needed weekly to meet budget (rounded)	\$3,700.00
“Under” budget	\$(4,156.16)

Building A Future of Hope

The April report is not yet available from the Archdiocese.
 Thru **March, 2012**, we have pledged **\$224,786.73**, with St. Thomas portion @ **\$112,393.37**. Cash received thru this date is **\$81,198.30**, which is **72.24%** of our pledge.



The Parish Life Center is nearing completion with installation of the flooring our final big step. Your pledge payments are very important as we complete the work and prepare for our dedication in July. Thank you for your continued payments!



QUESTION OF THE WEEK

ADULT: How is love of others connected to love of God?

CHILD: Who needs Jesus’ love this week? How can I show them His love?

MASS INTENTIONS



One Mass per weekend will be celebrated for “People of the Parishes”. This is scheduled one per month at each Mass time as well as St. Monica’s 9AM Mass. *(Multi Mass intentions will still take place on Christmas (and eve), Easter (and vigil), Mother’s Day, Father’s Day and All Souls Day.*

**Masses: Saturday: 4:00PM; 5:30PM
 Sunday: 8:00AM; 11AM; 7:00PM**

Sat	May 12	4:00PM	Ginny Clinard
		5:30PM	(Multiple)
Sun	May 13	8:00AM	
		11:00AM	(Mother’s Day Weekend...
		7:00PM	Multi-Intention)

Vicki Burba, Jeff Roger, Woodie & Margie Vittitow
 Donnie Bradley, Loretta Blair, Gary Boone,
 Mae & Inez Ritchie, Bernadette Wathen, F. D. Ritchie
 Living/Deceased members of Bessie & Lytle Cecil families
 Cathiguy Ritchie, People of St. Thomas and St. Monica,
 Living and deceased members of the Willett, Wimpsett &
 Culver families.

Tues	May 15	10:00AM	Bernadette Wathen (St. Monica)
Wed	May 16	8:00AM	Gladys & Thomas Norris
Thur	May 17	10:00AM	Bernadette Wathen (St. Monica)
Fri	May 18	8:00AM	Living & Deceased Members of Wimpsett & Ballard Families
Sat	May 19	4:00PM	People of the Parishes
		5:30PM	(Multiple)
Sun	May 20	8:00AM	Jim & Juanita Hagan
		11:00AM	Charles Eugene Chavanne
		7:00PM	F. D. Ritchie

SANCTUARY MINISTERS

If you are unable to serve your designated time, please get someone to take your place. Thank you!

WEEK III

SATURDAY 4:00PM

Sacristan:
 Altar Server: Hunter Bradley
 Ushers: Dixie Smith, Leroy Hobbs
 Lector: Robin Leake
 EMHC: Bertie Clark, Sharon Wathen, Dianne Cosgrove

SUNDAY, 8:00AM

Sacristan: Rita Schafer
 Altar Servers: Dakota Bryan, Rebecca Greenwell
 Ushers: Marion Edelen, John Morris
 Lector: Rita Schafer
 EMHC: Wanda & Steve Spalding, Sharon Cecil

SUNDAY, 11:00AM

Sacristan: Sr. Charlene Jacobs
 Altar Server: Chance Bodine, Jack Morgan
 Ushers: Mike Bodine, John Hutchins
 Lector: Scott Baker
 EMHC: Bill & Mary Jones, Patsy King (sub)

CHURCH CLEANERS (MAY)

Please clean church late week prior to your assigned date.
 May 19-20: Steve & Wanda Spalding
 May 26-27: Judy & John Cissell

“LITURGY TIDBITS” PRAYERS OF INTENTION

Church Committee Chairpersons: if you who wish to include a special petition that is church appropriate in the Prayers of Intention, please contact the office.

Area priests are participating in a 15 minute broadcast of talk/prayer each Sunday morning at 11AM on WBRT Radio here in Bardstown.



GRADUATES RECOGNIZED

We will recognize graduates at the 11AM Mass on May 20th. Graduates who would like to be recognized in the bulletin may submit your name by calling or emailing, or drop the name in the mail slot by May 16th. Names will be published in the 20th bulletin.

Formation & Education

RCIA

If you or someone you know is interested in becoming Catholic or needs more information, please contact Linda Lewis @ 348-3717.

TINY TOTS (3-6 Years Old)

On break until fall.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (K-8)

On break until fall.

YOUNG @ HEART

Meetings take place the 1st Sunday of the month, 12:30PM in the Thomas Room with pot luck. With questions call Sharon Wathen @ 348-9320. The next meeting is June 3rd.

MEN'S CLUB

Men's Club meets the 3rd **SUNDAY** of each month; 6:00PM in the Parish Hall. *Ron Corbett has agreed to serve as president of the Men's Club with Mike Brown as vice-president. Thank you Mike for 20+ years of service as our president! Jerry Grace continues as our treasurer.* The Men's Club will have a golf tournament on Sunday May 20th; 1:00PM at Cedar Fil Golf Course here in Bardstown. We play for 50/50 jackpot. All are welcome to play...just be at the club by 1PM.



WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

We welcome **BRADLEY HILL & DANIELLE SARSON**, and **ELIZABETH & RICKEY FIFE** and children **JAMES** and **SUSAN** who registered into the parish is April. Welcome to the parish!



MEETINGS THIS WEEK

ADMINISTRATION/FINANCE MEETING

Tuesday, May 15th; 6:30PM; Howard Room

MEN'S CLUB OUTING

Sunday, May 20th; 1:00PM; Cedar Fill Golf Course



DAY @ THE DOWNS UPDATE

For those going to Churchill Downs, the Coach will be **leaving** St. Thomas parking lot @ **9:30AM** on **Thursday, May 31st**. **Dress** for the day is as follows: Shirts w/collars, sweaters, dresses, pantsuits and slacks are preferred, jackets optional. Blazers, vests, golf shorts, dress jeans and caprices are appropriate. Frayed or torn denim is not appropriate for this area (Millionaire's Row). **Programs:** You will be provided with a race day program once you reach your race day venue. **Tickets:** You will be given your ticket after your board the coach. (*If friends or relatives outside the parish are going, please pass along this information. No formal letter will be sent*).

FAREWELL ROGER LEWIS



After 10+ years of service to St. Thomas Parish as our Maintenance person, Roger will be leaving us to continue in his full-time position in Mt. Washington. Thank you Roger, for your service and good luck in all you do!

IN THE AREA

FAITHFUL CITIZENSHIP LUNCHEON

Tuesday, May 15th- Noon to 1:00PM; St. Joseph Flaget Hall, Maloney Center. Topic "2012 General Assembly: Not with a Bang, but with a Whimper". Presenter is Fr. Patrick Delahanty. All welcome! Bring bag lunch; drinks provided.

CONTEMPLATIVE PRAYER DAY

The St. Catharine Motherhouse monthly Contemplative Prayer Day will be May 19th; 9:30AM-3:30PM. This day is open to all who desire to practice Centering/Contemplative Prayer; and includes prayer sessions, meditative walks, silence, personal prayer time, etc. Call Sr. Mary Otho at 859-284-5201 for more information.

Happy Mother's Day!



ELSEWHERE

ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD

David Carr, Stuart Priddy and Christopher Rhodes will be ordained into the presbyterate of the Archdiocese of Louisville on Saturday, May 26, 2012 at 11:00AM at the Cathedral of the Assumption, 443 S 5th; Louisville, KY. Reception follows in the Undercroft. The people of the Archdiocese are encouraged to attend this joyful celebration. For more information contact the Vocation Office at 502-636-0296.