

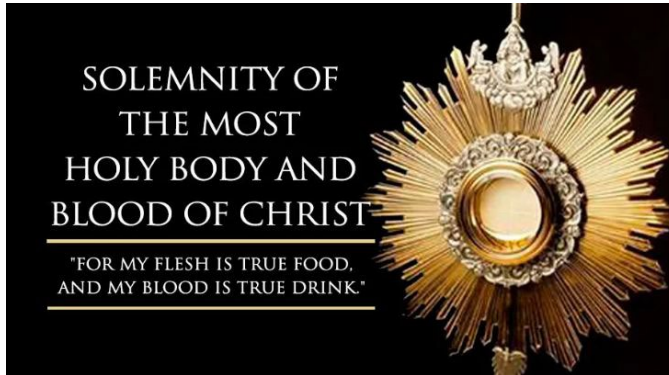


# **St. Thomas of Canterbury**

## **1522 McCoy Avenue**

### **San Jose, California 95130**

*Following Jesus Christ in joy, gratitude and service*



### **The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ**

#### **June 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>, 2022**

Then taking the five loaves and the two fish, and looking up to heaven, he said the blessing over them, broke them, and gave them to the disciples to set before the crowd. They all ate and were satisfied. And when the leftover fragments were picked up, they filled twelve wicker baskets. Luke 9:16-17

#### **General Information**

**Sacrament of Baptism:** Baptism is by appointment. New and expectant parents are invited to call the parish office to begin the process.

**Sacrament of Marriage:** Call the parish office at least six months in advance for an appointment with the pastor.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** 4:45 p.m. on Saturdays or by appointment.

**Visitation of the Sick and Homebound:** If you know of any parishioner who is ill at home or in the hospital, or unable to celebrate the Eucharist, please contact the parish office.

**RCIA:** Anyone interested in learning about and/or becoming a Catholic Christian is invited to call the parish office for information.

**Membership:** If you worship with us regularly and would like to become a member of St. Thomas of Canterbury, please contact the parish office to send you a registration form or register online at:  
<https://www.stthomassj.org/stc-community>

**Streaming Links for Saturday Evening Mass:**  
<https://www.facebook.com/pg/STCSJ/videos/>  
<https://www.youtube.com/c/StThomasSJ/videos>

#### **Parish Office Information**

Telephone: (408) 378-1595

#### **Parish Office Hours**

Monday and Thursday  
1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.  
Tuesdays and Fridays  
2:00 pm to 5:00 pm  
Or by appointment

#### **Parish Staff**

Reverend Andrew C. Nguyen  
Pastor

Vicki Schwoob  
Family Faith Formation

Linda Delescale  
Office Manager

Anton Vu  
Bookkeeper

Parish Website: [www.StThomasSJ.org](http://www.StThomasSJ.org)  
Fr. Andrew: [frandrew@StThomasSJ.org](mailto:frandrew@StThomasSJ.org)

#### **Mass Schedule**

Wednesday through Friday: 8:30 a.m.  
Saturday: 5:15 p.m. (In Person and Live Stream)  
Sunday: 10:00 a.m.

#### **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

Second Saturday each month: 7am-4:30pm  
(exception for June – it will be June 4<sup>th</sup>)

Dear Families and Friends of St. Thomas of Canterbury,

Happy Father’s Day to our dads, godfathers, foster fathers and all who have been a fatherly figure in our lives! May God continue to shower them with His divine grace.

As we begin the three-year National Eucharistic Revival this weekend with the Feast of Corpus Christi, I invite you to pray that we all come to experience the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist and also in our lives. May Jesus, who nurtures us at Mass, continue to bless and strengthen us, His Body of Christ, the Church.

Have a blessed weekend!

*Fr. Andrew*

**WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS:**

Sat.	06/18/22	5:15p: Andrea Beltran † Charlie Epolite † Harry Kurek † Intentions of Chai Family
Sun.	06/19/22	10:00a: Alex Galang (L) Armando & Elly Galang (L) Frederick Kraemer † Nani Quilici (L) Klemm Schieck †
Wed	06/22/22	8:30a: Harry Kurek †
Thurs	06/23/22	8:30a: Renée Jain and Family
Fri	06/24/22	8:30a: Anne Nguyenna Maria Maianh † Tony Quilici (L)

**Interested in being an Altar Server?** Stevie Salcido is looking for more youths who are entering the 5<sup>th</sup> grade or up have made their First Communion to become part of our team. Please reach out to him after Mass or contact the office.



The Pope’s Prayer Intention for June: **Families**  
*We pray for Christian families around the world; may they embody and experience unconditional love and advance in holiness in their daily lives.*

*Please Pray for ...*

***All Those Who Are Sick and those who care for them:***

Pius Chai, Elena Garcia, Aaron Hughes, Cecelia Manago, Jack Oneto and Cheryl Neves.

***And for all Those Who Have Died and their families:***

Harry Kurek

**Scriptures to be Proclaimed Next Weekend:**

**June 25 & 26, 2022:**

**The 13<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

1 Kings 19:16b, 19-21; Galatians 5:1, 13-18; Luke 9:51-62

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:**

Adoration is on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the month.

Come and spend some time in prayer before the Lord in the Thomas Room – from 7:00am – 4:30pm. Our next adoration day is **Saturday, July 9, 2022.**

Watch this video by a nun talking about coming to know Jesus in Eucharistic Adoration:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=msceW5Vmny8>

A heartfelt thank you to all the volunteers who came to help us with making sandwiches for the homeless on Wednesday. Many hands made light work!



**Pray the Rosary** with the St. Thomas community Monday through Friday at 7pm via Zoom.

Visit our website under Prayer Request, then Pray-the-Rosary, for the zoom link:

<https://www.stthomassj.org.pray-the-rosary>



**CAMP T.H.R.I.V.E.**

**July 18 - July 22 and/or July 25-29**

A SUMMER CAMP that helps children become well rounded individuals and understand the value of spiritual reflection, leadership, and communication. For children entering 1st through 5th grades. Cost is \$150 per child per week. Registration is open, space is filling up fast, but spots are still available. Your child can attend one week or both weeks. Please visit St. Thomas website under upcoming events for the details and registration link information. See the flyer in this bulletin!

**FAITH FORMATION: Give Your Children and Grandchildren the Gift of Faith!**

Registration for the upcoming school year will be available by SOON. For information and details, please visit our website at: <https://www.stthomassj.org/family-faith-formation> OR contact Vicki Schwoob, Director of Faith Formation: (408) 766-3270 or [vicki@StThomasSJ.org](mailto:vicki@StThomasSJ.org)

**FRIDAY SUMMER FUN DAYS!!!**



Parishioners, families and friends....all are invited to spend some summer time together and have some fun. Join us for the following Friday evenings: 7pm to sundown.

**July 8:** Movie Night – Encanto

**August 19:** Game Night (bring your favorite board or card game!)

Drinks and light snacks will be provided!

Questions and RSVP's, please contact Vicki or Lucy!

[Vicki@StThomasSJ.org](mailto:Vicki@StThomasSJ.org) or [Lucy.chai@gmail.com](mailto:Lucy.chai@gmail.com)

(408) 378-1595.



**CATECHISTS for Faith Formation:**

*YOU are needed! Share your faith with children and teens!* As planning gets underway for another year of Faith Formation, our parish and program are always in need of catechists. Ideally we would like to

have two catechists per grade. We are most in need of catechists for grades 1-4 and a sub for grades 5/6.

Perhaps you feel intimidated, ill-equipped or afraid to be a catechist. While these are all valid feelings, we are reminded of the words of Jesus, **“Do NOT be afraid.”** On the Solemnity of Pentecost, we were also reminded that Jesus did not leave his disciples empty handed. He left them a Helper, an Advocate, the paraclete, the Holy Spirit. Pentecost also reminds us that we all have the Holy Spirit at our disposal, to help us, to guide us, and to accompany us on our faith journey. Please consider helping with the mission of the Church and with our tiny, but active parish, serving as a catechist.

**Time commitment is:**

- \*once a week for catechism classes, first to sixth grade;
  - \*twice a month (Sundays) for First Communion prep
  - \*twice a month (Sundays) for Confirmation prep.
- Guided training and mentoring will be provided.

**Requirements:**

- Background check with fingerprinting
- Safe Environment training (online course)

Please prayerfully consider this request. ***God does not call the equipped...He equips the called!***

For specific information, please contact, Vicki Schwoob, Director of Faith Formation; [Vicki@StThomasSJ.org](mailto:Vicki@StThomasSJ.org) OR (408) 766-3270. Let's chat!

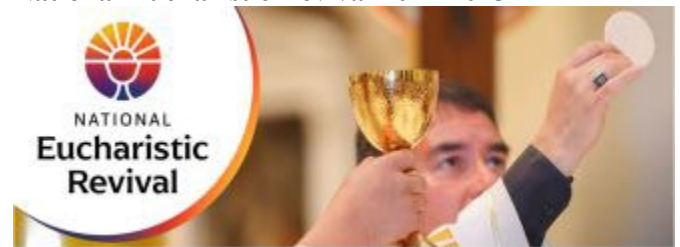


**Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)**

**RCIA Invitation:** If you or someone you know has been coming to Mass for a while but is not Catholic, or are a baptized Catholic who hasn't received all of the sacraments of initiation (First Eucharist or Confirmation), or if you were baptized into another faith but are interested in becoming Catholic, we invite you to look deeper into the Catholic faith with the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults.

Contact **Barbara Louis**, RCIA Coordinator (408) 656-5244 or Linda at the parish office, (408) 378-1595.

**National Eucharistic Revival 2022-2025**



**JOIN THE REVIVAL!**

The Diocese of San José along with dioceses across the country are launching a three-year National Eucharistic Revival this year on the weekend of the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi) which is observed on the weekend of June 18-19, 2022, and will culminate with the National Eucharistic Congress in Indianapolis in the summer of 2024.

The Revival will begin locally (in the Diocese of San Jose) on **Sunday, June 19th at 1 pm** with a Mass with Bishop Oscar Cantú at the Cathedral Basilica of St. Joseph, followed by a Eucharistic Procession around the Cathedral.

All are invited to join Bishop Cantú for the Mass, Eucharistic Procession, and Benediction. This is the first of many opportunities available for the faithful in our dioceses to be part of this revival in the next three years. Information about the Eucharistic Revival is at [dsj.org/eucharistic-revival](http://dsj.org/eucharistic-revival).

A film highlighting the transformative power of the Eucharist, **“ALIVE: Who is there?”**, will have an encore showing in theaters in the U.S. **on June 21**, the day on which the bishops' Eucharistic revival will begin.

<https://www.fathomevents.com/events/Alive-Who-Is-There>

**Your Sunday Offerings:**

	06/12/2022	Month to Date
Needed:	\$4,500	\$9,000
Collected:	\$4,836	\$11,8885
Variance:	+\$336	+\$2,885

**THANK YOU for your generosity!**

Today’s second collection is for Parishioners in need of groceries. Please write check to St. Thomas Scrip. Thank you!

Next week, we will take up the **Peter’s Pence Collection**, which unites us and Catholics around the world more closely with the Holy Father in two ways: it supports the structures of the Holy See through which the Pope governs the Church as well as his charitable efforts to assist victims of war, oppression, natural disasters, and others most in need. Please be generous. For more information, visit <http://www.peterspence.va/en.html>.

All collections are on WeShare. If you’d like to know more, please call Linda in the office. <https://stcsj.churchgiving.com/ws/>

**SCRIP: Get your grocery, restaurant or retail gift cards!** Visit the SCRIP table after Mass or go to web address below to place your order. Please remember checks should be made out to: **St Thomas SCRIP**. Pick up cards after mass or order online: <https://www.stthomassj.org/scrip-program-1>

Note: No one has stepped forward to take over SCRIP, so we will sell out what we have in stock. If interested in helping out with SCRIP, please contact the office.

**Mental Health Ministry (MHM):**

**A Hope and Wellness Circle**

Join a monthly drop-in circle, in the comfort of your home, and be in community with others who are facing mental health challenges or are caring for loved ones who are. The desire and goal are to provide a safe, supportive space to help ensure that no one feels alone in their struggle. On **June 27 from 7:00pm-8:15pm**. Email for Zoom Info: [hopeandwellness@stsimon.org](mailto:hopeandwellness@stsimon.org)

We have a open meeting for all parishioners who would like to participate in a discussion about the future of MHM at Saint Thomas of Canterbury. This meeting will be 45 minutes long on **Thursday, July 21<sup>st</sup> at 6:30 pm** in the Canterbury Room.

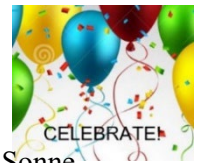
Save these lifesaving numbers:

Suicide Hotline: 855-278-4204

NAMI Warmline: 408-453-0400 (M-F, 10am-6pm)

**Happy Birthday to...**

Lucy Chai, Edna Menezes, Tamara Gallagher, Bryce Wallis, Emiliana Rodriguez, James Campagna, Silvia Fierro, George Mirabella, Abigail Sonne, Tim Clevenger, Mai Han Vu, Kelsey Sullivan, Chrysa Cortright, Skye Hutchins, Rosie Valdez, Allison Dagdagan, Steve Fischer, Donna Poppenhagen, and Anthony Quilici



**Happy Anniversary to...**

Harold & Jennifer Durana, Armando & Elly Galang, Stephen & Christina Kemp, Frank & Becky Muller, Trang & Bao Nguyen, Patrick & Brenda Osborne and Dave & Tracy Silva

Is it your Birthday or Anniversary? - Please let the parish know so we can acknowledge it next year in this space

**Curious about vocations?**

**Quo Vadis Boy’s Retreat: July 11-13, 2022** Join us for Quo Vadis 2022, a high school men's retreat. Registration is free. To register or for more information: [dsj.org/quovadis](https://dsj.org/quovadis). Quo Vadis is Latin for “Where are you going?” “Quo Vadis” is the Latin phrase for “Where are you going?” Legend tells us that St. Peter asked Jesus this question on the outskirts of Rome.

The Quo Vadis Retreats offer guidance and time in prayer, as well as classic camp activities like sports, hiking, swimming and great food. You will have the chance to meet and hang out with diocesan seminarians, who serve as group leaders and help run the retreat. More info or register here: [dsj.org/quovadis](https://dsj.org/quovadis).

**Fiat Girl’s Retreat: July 13-15, 2022** “Fiat” is the Latin phrase for “let it be done”. The Fiat Retreats offer guidance and time in prayer, as well as classic camp activities like sports, hiking, swimming and great food. You will have the chance to meet and hang out with religious sisters, who serve as group leaders and help run the retreat. More info or register here: [dsj.org/fiat/](https://dsj.org/fiat/)