

ST. THOMAS AQUINAS PARISH
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New Parishioners

Welcome to our Parish Community! Please register at the parish office and feel free to contact anyone on our staff regarding the Parish and its activities.

First Friday Masses

7 :00 am
8:15 am (School Mass)
12:10 pm

Sanctuary /Blessed Mother Candles

May be memorialized for a sick person, a deceased loved one, or in celebration of a special intention. Please call the parish office to reserve a date.

Parish Center Rentals
Contact The Parish Office

Rev. Victor T. Martin
Pastor

Rev. Lawrence A. Larson
Parochial Vicar

Rev. Roger F. McDonough
Retired-Resident Priest

Deacon Daniel J. Ianniello
Retired-Parish Deacon

Mary Jane Edwards
Pastoral Associate

Catherine T. Lopata
Office Admin./Cemetery Mgr.

Gerrie Desio
Office Receptionist



Baptisms and Marriages

By arrangement with Parish Office.

Pre Baptismal Instruction

Required prior to Baptism.

Pre-Cana

Required prior to Marriage. Arrangements should be made at least 8 months in advance.

Communion Visit for the Homebound

Please call the parish office to request a visit

Jacqueline Herbert
Dir. of Religious Ed

David E. Harris
Organist/Music Director

Dr. Patrick Higgins
School Principal

Jessica Nayden
Youth Minister

Robert and Jessica Nayden
RCIA Coordinator

Jean Correa
Parish Accountant
203-255-1097

Mr. Richard Miller
Parish Advisory Bd. Chair
203-259-0824

Mr. Edward Dayton
Parish Finance Bd. Chair
203-255-5141

CHURCH SCHEDULE

Saturday

Vigil Mass 5:00 pm

Sunday

7:00 am, 9:00 am, 10:30 am, 12 Noon

Weekday Masses

7:00 a.m. and 12:10 Noon

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays: 4:00 to 4:45 pm

Mission Statement:

For St. Thomas Aquinas Parish, prayer and liturgical worship is the essence of our faith community. The Gospel message is proclaimed by word and deed, nurtured by ongoing opportunities for religious formation, evangelization, social action and worship.



Mass Intentions
FOR THE WEEK 

Sat.	5:00 pm	Allie and Anne Richard
Sun.	7:00 am	Elizabeth D'Agostino
	9:00 am	Joey Kulaga
	10:30 am	Mary L. Riley
	12:00 Noon	James Lubeck
Mon.	7:00 am	For Our Parish Family
	12:10 pm	Jerry Wholey
Tues.	7:00 am	James Joseph Kennedy
	12:10 pm	Joan Seirup (1st)
	5:00 pm	Kenneth & Hildegard Spigarolo
Wed.	8:00 am	Joseph Meeker
	10:00 am	Mass for the New Year
	12:00 pm	Elizabeth D'Agostino
Thurs.		No 7:00 am Mass
	12:10 pm	Stuart Lamb
Fri.	7:00 am	Fiore and Eleanor Corbo
	8:15 am	Paul Magnano
	12:10 pm	James Joseph Kennedy
Sat.	5:00 pm	Robert Gasker
Sun.	7:00 am	Sally Gore
	9:00 am	Rev. Gerald Devore
	10:30 am	Carey Gilbert
	12 :00 Noon	Anne P. Richard
	5:00 pm	Sr. Catherine Leonard CND

PRAYERS REQUESTED FOR

Barbara McShane Gerry Cohane
 Amelia Mikulka Nancy Roche
 James McNerney Edward Malloy
 Maria Ines Galindo Anna Tapia Mary Toth
 Amanda Morguelan Laura Terranova
 Carl Collica Annette Ham Susan Hasiuk
 Walter Murphy Ryan Keith Tom Lopex
 Charlie Capalbo Rebecca Scalera
 Sally Cohane Margaret Novicki
 Jane Harwood James Rooney Liam Crane
 Margaret Carroll James S. Filippone
 Delores Weis Romano DeCastro
 Jill McCormack Daly John Lengen
 Brendan Maguire Joseph Mitchell Molloy
 Veronica Hughes Noreen Hernandez
 Zosia Bartusiak Sharon Mulcahy
 Anthony DeFeo Jane Broderick
 Maureen Broderick

THE SANCTUARY LIGHT WILL BURN THIS WEEK



In Loving Memory of Joseph Meeker

THE BLESSED MOTHER ALTAR CANDLE IS LIGHTED THIS WEEK FOR



Joseph Krotki 5th Anniversary

OUR ST. JOSEPH ALTAR CANDLE IS LIGHTED FOR



*All those Unemployed
(Praying for job opportunities)*

MASS OF GRATITUDE

On Sunday—January 12, 2020 The Feast of the Baptism of Our Lord.

We will celebrate with all those families who had babies baptized in the Year 2019.

At our 9:00 am Children's Mass we will give a special Blessing to all those baptized and their families.

Following Mass there will be a reception in our parish rectory.

Thank You 

As we continue to celebrate our Christmas time of the year, I would like to thank everyone for their generosity and help for the many collections that have been taken up for the support of our parish. This time of the year – you are a God-sent, and I truly thank you for all your sacrifice and help throughout the year!!!

At the same time I would like to thank all those who contributed in so many different ways during this holiday season, because of their time and talents with the many ministries here at St. Thomas.

To our organist and choir, altar servers, readers, special ministers of the Eucharist, ushers, greeters, those who decorated our church both outside and inside, to our parish staff who help us throughout the year.

Finally, to those who are not here to thank you for all that you did for them as YOU gave to them in this year's Advent Giving Tree Drive. Thank you ALL for making it a success and allowing many many people and families to celebrate Christmas with their families.

From a grateful pastor – I thank you all!

Father Martin

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

**Beginning on Sunday
January 5, 2020
our St. Thomas Church
will add an additional
Mass on Sunday
afternoons at 5:00 p.m.**

SPREAD THE WORD

WEEKDAY MASS POLICY

**If Fairfield schools are
CLOSED due to inclement
weather conditions, our
policy is that our 7:00 am
morning Mass will also be
cancelled.**

**If schools are DELAYED
our 7 am Mass will be
celebrated.**

**This is for the safety of all!
Father Martin**



**Knights of Columbus
Council 2616**

The Knights meets every first Tuesday of the month at 7:30 pm in our church chapel.

The Columbiettes meet on the 4th Monday of every month at 7:30pm.

Men and women 18 years of age are invited to join.

Columbiettes Meeting Dates Changes for January and February 2020

Sat. January 18th at 2:00pm

Sat. February 22nd at 2:00pm



January News

Thurs. Jan. 2nd- Classes Resume

Mon. Jan. 13th- Grade 8 Confirmation Retreat 5:30-8:30pm- Parish Center

**** Grades 6th and 7th No Class****

Mon. Jan. 20th: No Classes

Questions please contact Jackie at 203-255-1984 or Sthoaqccd@aol.com

When Fairfield Schools are closed or an Early Dismissal CCD classes are automatically canceled.

For information on weather related cancellations TV Channel 3, Channel 8, or Channel 12 and ctweather.com

ON LINE GIVING

St Thomas Aquinas parish has a method to accept your GIFTS to your parish without writing checks.

Through ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFER your offertory contribution will be sent DIRECTLY from your checking account or credit card . Info at www.stthomasfairfield.com and click the On Line Giving link



All teens in grades 9-12 are invited to be part of Fairfield Life Teen, Sunday evenings from 6-8pm. !

Sunday January 5th-

Questions? ffldlifeteen@gmail.com

Middle school students are invited to join Fairfield Edge, a dynamic and fun ministry, which meets each Wednesday from 6:30-8pm at St. Pius

January

Pre- Baptism Class will be held on Saturday January 4th at 10:00am in the parish center conference room.

