Saint Thomas the Apostle Church

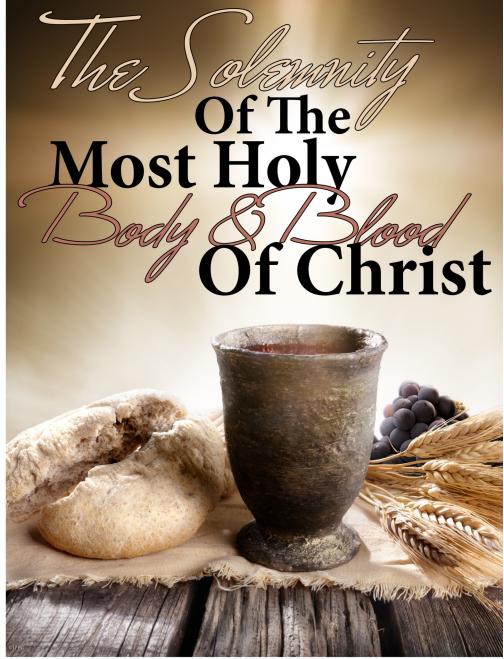
"Lord, You have come to the Seashore..."

331 8th Street So. Brigantine, NJ 08203 Phone: 609-266-2123

Please visit our website: www.stthomasbrigantine.org

June 19, 2022 The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ





MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKENDS

SAT: 4:00PM SUN: 8:00, 9:30, 11:00AM (9:30 livestreamed)

WEEKDAYS

MON. - SAT.: 8:30AM

CONFESSION

Saturday: 3PM or by appointment

PASTOR: Fr. Edward Maher

PAROCHIAL VICAR: Fr. Krzysztof Wtorek

PERMANENT DEACON: Deacon Len Long

FAITH FORMATION & RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

Deacon Len Long & Deb Widmann

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Mon. - Thurs.: 9:00AM - 4:00PM Friday 9:00AM - 1:00pm office@stabrig.org

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DEADLINE- Monday 10:00AM

Assumption Regional Catholic School:

Galloway, 609-652-7134 www.arcs.org Principal Joan Dollinger

WELCOME TO ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE PARISH

To Schedule Baptisms & Weddings

Please call the Parish Office.

Baptisms

Baptisms are held after the 11:00am on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month. One session of Baptism preparation is required prior to Baptism. Preparation sessions are held on the second Wednesday of the month in the Parish Meeting Room at 7:30pm. Registration required. Call the parish office.

Religious Education

Our Religious Education Program is for Grades 1st thru 8th. Also, we have special programs for dren & adults who would like to become Catholic or complete their sacraments.

Care of the Sick

The Parish Office may be called any time for the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. A Priest or Eucharistic Minister will administer the Eucharist to those who are homebound, Our local hospitals also have a catholic priest available.

St. Dismas Ministry "Helping People Anonymously"

This ministry is available to anyone in Brigantine who feels overwhelmed by financial burdens and needs a helping hand. If you are in need of assistance, an application from the Parish Office must be completed first. The application is anonymous and if approved, short-term help will be provided. Please call the Parish Office.

Weekly Devotions

Rosary: Mon. - Fri. : after 8:30am Mass

Saturday: 8:10am & Tuesday: 7PM

Miraculous Medal Novena: Wednesday

Divine Mercy Chaplet: Friday



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

is every Friday from 9am-12noon. If there is a funeral, Adoration is held in the Parish Meeting Room.

St. Thomas Church Brigantine





St. Thomas the Apostle Church of Brigantine, NJ

Mass Intentions

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Saturday June 18

8:30AM John Arena by Family

Johanna Laviano & Marie Zizzamia by Lou Laviano 4:00PM

Ron Bell by Irv & Claire

Sunday June 19 (Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ)

Daniel Klemm by Family 8:00AM

Arlene R. Potenzone by Lange Family Alice Stinson by Paul & Jane Staunton 9:30AM Jean D'Adamo by Linda Bartish-McPhillips

11:00AM Mary Taft by Joe & MJ Kelso

Stella Monroe by Donna Young

Charles Bernhammer by Marie & Mike Brindisi Jerry Highberger by Kathe & John Murray Nicholas Marchesani by Florence Cirillo

Monday June 20

8:30AM Carmela Gentile by Madeline Harvey

Tuesday June 21

Vincenza & Tammaro by Anne Grove 8:30AM

Wednesday June 22

Leo VanWinkle by Family 8:30AM

Thursday

Nicholas Marchesani by Jim & Lora Constantine 8:30AM

June 24 Friday

Joseph Culmone by Sister, Elena 8:30AM

Saturday June 25

Fred Schrandt by Mary Alice Noonan 8:30AM Johanna Laviano by Lou Laviano 4:00PM

Carmela Laviano by Lou Laviano

Tom & Catherine Kelly by Joe & Eileen Kelly Dorothy Berchtold by Joe & MJ Kelso Stella Stockham by Sister, Fran

Sunday June 26

Ellen Riordan by Kim & Bill Hannan 8:00AM Barney Mantz by Pamela Cospito

Raphael Archeval Wishart by Joe & MJ Kelso 9:30AM

Allan Mack by Kim & Chuck Urban

Jayceon Edward Handy by Kenney Family 11:00AM Charles Bernhammer by Madeline Harvey



Begins the weekend of July 2nd & 3rd.

Daily Mass

Monday - Saturday 8:30am

Weekend Masses

Saturday - 4:00pm

Sunday - 7:00am, 8:00am, 9:30am &11:00am

Sunday evening - 5:30pm



Stewardship is a way of life based on the Gospel. As disciples, we are called to be faithful stewards of our time, talent and treasure. Thank you for your continued generosity and participation in our parish.

Weekend of June 11th & 12th

Offertory: \$ 9,583.00 E-Giving: \$ 1,409.00 School: \$ 1,315.00 \$ 12,307.00



Interested in Online Giving?

To get started with online Giving, log onto our parish website: **stthomasbrigantine.org** and click on the **Parish Giving** button.

Congratulations to Our Parishioners Celebrating June Anniversaries

Our prayers and best wishes go with you as you continue to live your vows.

Joanna & Joe Guglielmo, 62 Years Roger & DoAnn Bernhammer, 58 Years Stan & Mary Alicia Seksinsky, 58 Years Rosalind & Robert Miele, 57 Years Kathy & Bill Bennett, 56 Years Paul & Dutchie LaVigna, 55 Years Maggie & Gordon Shindle, 50 Years Gail & Mike Gallagher, 48 Years Marie & Mark Schrenk, 33 Years Kathy & Brian Mulvenna, 28 Years

If you are celebrating an anniversary and would like it to be published in the bulletin, please email: bulletin@stabrig with your name and number of years.

Liturgy and Life

Jesus tells the disciples to feed the crowd, and the loaves and fishes miraculously multiply. The Eucharist is a miracle we celebrate every day. It is a model for social justice. There is no distinction between the wealthy or the poor, the learned or the simple, the language one speaks, or the color of one's skin. Dorothy Day once pointed out that the rich and the poor knelt side by side. Together we are transformed into the Body of Christ. Similarly, the Eucharist is never about a me -and -Jesus moment. We receive the Body and Blood of Christ, and, as we are fed, we are strengthened to go out into the world and to do the work of God.

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FOR ALL OUR RECENTLY DECEASED: June J. Storr

Please keep their families in your prayers.

FOR OUR SICK:

Maryann Atack, Derek Caster, Jim Covert, Erin Fender, Anthony Mauceri, Joan DiBona, Baby Aurora Gross, Lisa Lee, Ralph Lillie Family, Kitty Huegel, Beth LaSerre, Fran Byers, Melanie Caprio, Robert Moody, Armstrong Family, Celine Powell, Christian Afanador, Carol Graham, Richard Warren Marsdale, Frank DiBona, Ryan Ladd, Joan Orlando, Peter Staffieri, Christine Staffieri, Mary Seader, Kristina McDaniel, Dominic Delia, Benjamin Berkowitz, Gary Zimmerman, Donald Jarvela, Regis Goergen, Chris Britton, Mary Jane Burbridge, Joe Fumo, James Offit, Louise Frola, Linda Cullen, Jeffrey Geisler, Diane Kuczynski, David LoManto, Nancy Cocco, John Lee, Michelle Dwyer

FOR THOSE WHO SERVE:

1st Lt. Robert Glanville, USMC, Maj. Jeffrey Moon, USAF Lt. Connor F. Burbridge, US Army, Sgt. Matt Krimm, US Army, Maj. Matt Valnoski, US Army, Cpl. Tristen T. Barry, USMC, Pvt. Austin Rehill, US Army, Cpl. Ronald DeWaal, USMC, Capt. Mark J. Marsella, USMC, PFC Jaryd Witkowski, US Army,

Prayer Chain Network: The network prays for the immediate needs of others. To make a confidential request, please contact Barry Scholcoff at 609-266-7888.

Ministry Schedule June 25th & 26th			
Mass	Presider	Lector	Eucharistic Minister
SAT. 4:00PM	Fr. Ed	R. Barone	F. Streeper, M. Harvey
SUN. 8:00AM	Fr. Abbruscato	L. Camerota	A. Solari, D. Phillips, A. Grove
SUN. 9:30AM	Fr. Ed	M. Harvey	J. Staffieri, M. Brindisi, J. D'Ascenzo
SUN. 11:00AM	Msgr. Morgan	J. Murray	Deacon, R. Wilson, L. Flanagan

SCHEDULE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

If you cannot attend, Please find a replacement. THANK YOU!





If you have already given, THANK YOU! If you haven't donated yet, please return your completed pledge card to the parish or give online at: www.camdendiocese.org/hoc.

Like or Follow

The House of Charity – Bishop's Annual Appeal

And learn how your donations are being used to bring hope this year.

Find us on



@HouseOfCharityDoC

Support the 2022 House of Charity – Bishop's Annual Appeal www.camdendiocese.org/hoc



FRIFNDIY Reminder

St. Thomas Parking Lot

With the arrival of spring, we are happy to be seeing higher attendance at each Mass and ask each of you to please be mindful of the parking lot entrances and exits to prevent traffic backup.

- 1. ENTER thru 7th Street only.
- 2. ALL vehicles face 8th Street.
- 3. Pull up to the next car in front of you as close as possible.
- 4. EXIT ONLY onto 8th Street.
- 5. DO NOT Block the handicap lane next to the church.

Thank you for everyone's cooperation in this very important matter. Together, we can do it!

NEW DATE AND TIME

UPDATED Please join us! **CHICKEN BBQ VOLUNTEER Meeting** TUESDAY, JUNE 21ST @ 7:30PM

We need volunteers! The more, the better! Anyone interested in helping and being part of our famous Chicken BBQ, please attend this very important meeting. If you cannot attend and want to volunteer, call the office and leave your name & phone #, and we will be in touch.

The BBQ is scheduled for Friday, August 19th.





"IT'S A SHORE THING"

1st Prize: 30% of ticket sales 2nd Prize: 15% of ticket sales

3rd Prize: 5% of ticket sales

Cost: \$20 per ticket

Tickets can be purchased at the Parish Office during business hours.

SPECIAL When 3 tickets are purchased at one time, your name will automatically be placed into a special drawing for a \$200 Gift Certificate to Dock's Oyster House Restaurant.

Drawing is Friday, August 19th @ 7:00pm at our annual "Famous Chicken BBQ"

THE CHURCH DOORS WILL BE LOCKED!

As a security measure, beginning on JUNE 20th, all church doors WILL BE LOCKED immediately after each daily Mass and on weekends after the last Mass of the day. If you require entrance to the church, please stop by the Parish Office during business hours and someone will assist you.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION.

CHICKEN BARBEQUE - AUGUST 19TH 2022

Dear Friends.

We are reaching out to you on behalf of St Thomas the Apostle Church.

St Thomas is a non-profit 501(c) (3) organization that relies on fundraisers to help support our parish. This year we are excited to announce that we are "back in business". We will be holding our Chicken Barbeque on Friday August 19th.

We are asking you to consider sponsoring our event by committing to a sponsorship this year. By supporting our event you will be reaching out to all our residents. We greatly appreciate all our sponsors and assure you that your generosity truly makes a difference

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Platinum Sponsor (\$1500): includes four dinner tickets plus signage (approx. 2' x 5')				
Gold Sponsor (\$750): includes two dinner tickets plus signage (approx. 1.5' x 3')				
Gift Basket supplied by Sponsor: name prominently displayed on basket				
NOTE: VINYL SIGNAGE WILL BE CREATED				
Sponsor Name:Address:				
Contact: Phone#:				
Total Sponsorship: \$				
Total Paid: \$				
Baskets can be picked up at your place of business or dropped off at the parish center.				
Please mail this form along with a check payable to				
St. Thomas the Apostle Church 331 8th Street South Brigantine, NJ 08203 ***Attention: Event Sponsorships***				

The Women's Club A caring community of Christian Women within our Church

Our June meeting was a joint birthday party for all our members, complete with food, cake and a fun 'match the baby' game. The Board announced the 2022 scholarship winners of \$250 TD Bank gift cards. The following graduates have chosen to attend Catholic high schools: Meadow DiMuzio, Skyler Hand, Jaxon Hurtt and Gia Porpora (Holy Spirit) and George Henry and Johnathan Wingate (St. Augustine Prep). Congrats from the Women's Club! See you in September for the start of our new year.







Life and Dignity for All

PRAY-REFLECT-ACT

RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY



St. Thomas the Apostle Parish continues to support **"Moms in Need"** at the JERSEY SHORE WOMENS CENTER located at 335 E. Jimmie Leeds Road (Building 200) in Galloway. This pregnancy center provides support to all women and their families, in a loving environment, connecting them to the resources and services they need.

Current Needs: Diapers (Size 4-7); Pull Ups (Sizes 2T-5T); Wipes; Baby Shampoo: Rash Cream

The center is also in need of bassinets and small portable baby items such as gently used strollers, booster seats, pack n plays and high chairs. For more information or to schedule a donation pick up or drop off, call Brian or Kathy Mulvenna at 609-266-2268.

True Spirit Coalition

Hunger Never Takes a Vacation

1501 West Brigantine Avenue Brigantine, NJ 08203 (609)266-7942

Donations of the following items would be appreciated. **All items must be new:**

Toilet Paper, paper towels, cleaning products, laundry detergent pods, sponges, etc.

Donations can be placed in the designated <u>food bank</u> <u>boxes</u> located in the Main Entrance foyer of the church. Your donations will be delivered to the True Spirit Coalition each week. For more information, please call Eileen Robbins at 610-721-7438.

Addictions Healing HELP-LINE: 856-342-4057

Catholic Charities Clinical Services: 1-866-862-2166

NJ Hotline for Addiction: Dial 211.

This is an information and referral service that connects you with substance use disorder and support services

National Suicide Prevention Helpline: 800-273-8255

Diocese of Camden Addiction Hotline: 1-855-5HOPE4U

NJ Veterans Hotline for Suicide Prevention "Life doesn't have to be a battlefield."

Confidential Peer Support for NJ Veterans 1-866-838-7654 or www.njveteranshelpline.org Sponsored by Rutgers NJ Dept. of Military Affairs