

Saint Thomas Aquinas Catholic Church

July 30, 17th SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Dear Parishioners,

The fiscal year begins in July, as you well know, and here are our budget figures (in simplified form) for this year. One figure that has significantly changed from last year is that of capital improvements: much of that is being consumed by the tuck-pointing taking place on the school building across the street. It was a serious structural issue with that building, but it's being expertly handled by the crew on the job.

Any parishioner who has questions about the budget may direct them to the members of the parish finance committee, who are, at the moment: Tom Barone (chair), Brent Mirgon, Ruth Ann Lynn, and Michael Morris.

ST. THOMAS AQUINAS PARISH BUDGET 2017-2018

Projected revenue

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| Gifts, bequests, societies | 101,000.00 |
| Offertory | 514,100.00 |
| Parish activities | 78,700.00 |
| Other parish income..... | 44,650.00 |
| TOTAL PROJECTED REVENUE | 738,450.00 |

Projected expenditures

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|-----------------------------------|-------------------|
| Personnel costs..... | 303,100.00 |
| Rectory supply & expense..... | 5,400.00 |
| Office supply expense | 10,000.00 |
| Transportation/travel..... | 6,000.00 |
| Church supply & expense | 15,000.00 |
| Parish charities..... | 1,500.00 |
| Utilities | 32,550.00 |
| Maintenance, supply & repair..... | 22,800.00 |
| Insurance | 21,000.00 |
| Property tax..... | 400.00 |
| Diocesan assessment..... | 48,000.00 |
| School subsidies | 216,200.00 |
| Major capital expenditures..... | 55,000.00 |
| Religious ed. expenditures | 1,500.00 |
| TOTAL PARISH EXPENSES..... | 738,450.00 |

The clock is ticking down. Things have been busy. In less than two weeks Fr. Sullivan will assume the reins here as pastor, and on the 13th we'll be celebrating a Mass marking the transition. From the beginning, I've encouraged people not to worry about this no longer being a Dominican parish. Yes, there will be some changes, and some noticeable immediately, probably. But being ministered to by priests of certain religious orders simply isn't to your salvation, or anyone's. It's the sacraments of the Church, in which Jesus Christ directly acts upon us, that communicate his sanctifying grace to us. So be joyful that you will still have this same parish Church to call yours, and hopeful for its future. Blessings upon you all. —Fr. Peter

NEW SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE BEGINNING NEXT SUNDAY!

Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 8:00 and 11:00 a.m.



SAVE THE DATE:
Sunday, August 13, 2017, 11:00 AM
Mass with Bishop Frederick Campbell



*to welcome Fr. Jan Sullivan as pastor of
St. Thomas Aquinas
and bid farewell to the
Dominican friars*

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MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, July 30

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5:00 pm Mr. & Mrs. James Hamme (+)
7:00am People of the parish
9:00am Jacob Iczkowski
11:00am Sam Rosta (+)

Monday, July 31

9:00am Schaumleffel Family

Tuesday, Aug 1

St. Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop & Doctor (M)
9:00am Sam Rosta (+)

Wednesday, Aug 2

Blessed Jane of Aza, Mother of St. Dominic (Opt. M.)
9:00am William Heil Family

Thursday, Aug 3

9:00am Bob & Bette Mattingly (+)

Friday, Aug 4

St. Jean-Marie Vianney, Priest (M)
9:00am Mr. & Mrs. James Hamme (+)

NEW SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE BEGINS

Sunday, Aug 6

TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD (S)

5:00 pm (Sat.) Carolyn Awalt (+)
8:00am People of the parish
11:00am Gerry Kuhn (+)

Please pray for the home-bound of the parish...

Margaret Gladys Abbott, Nancy Arledge, William & Jan Barry, Mary Batteiger, Gertrude Bell, Madelyn Bronkar, Mathilda Clark, Bart & Josephine Cooper, Mary Cowden, Herman Crock, Michael Curtis, Evelyn DiVincenzo, Shirley Echemann, Betty Fedor, Frances Feerick, Beverly Foley, Mary Ellen Grafton, Sandra Honeywell, Patricia Huck, Eileen Johnston, Mike Kline, Dorothy Loewendick, Henry Long, Nancy Longstreth, David Macenko, Dolores Mahon, Josephine Marshall, Charles & Patricia Perone, George Phillis, Alice Pitcock, Mary Polascak, Mary Postlewaite, Mary Rosta, George and Barb Ridenour, Joe and Barbara Ritchey, Regina Ritchey, Mardy Ryan, Mary Lou Scott, Barbara Schumacher, Loretta Silfko, Terri Woods

Please remember

SAINT THOMAS AQUINAS CHURCH

in your will

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday, July 31

7:00 p.m. Scouts (Parish Center)

Tuesday, Aug 1

6:00 p.m. Rosary for Life (church)
7:00 p.m. Musk. Valley Right to Life (parish office)

Wednesday, Aug 2

Eucharistic exposition following 9:00 a.m. Mass
Confessions 6:15-6:45 p.m.
7:00 p.m. Benediction
7:00 p.m. Choir rehearsal (church)

Thursday, Aug 3

6:30 p.m. Bible Study (Parish Office)

PARISH FINANCES

Weekend of July 23

Main collection total \$5,659.23*
Weekly Budget 11,538.00
This week's deficit -4,933.92

Thank you!

** This figure includes envelope and loose amounts. It does not include automatic electronic donations.*

Upcoming special collections

Aug 6 The Church in Latin America
Aug 27 Trinity Dome/Basilica of the National Shrine

The Dresden Knights of Columbus will hold their annual ice cream social Saturday, August 12th, at St. Mary's in Mattingly Settlement, at the Church Shelter House, from 3:00-7:00 p.m. There will be sandwiches, noodles, baked beans, macaroni salad, and other picnic food items, along with Tom's Ice Cream and assorted drinks. For more information contact Ron House at (740) 452-9446.

The Basilica & National Shrine of Our Lady of Consolation, Carey, Ohio invites you to come and pray during the Novena of Our Lady, August 6th-14th at 8 p.m. Fr. Paul Gawlowski will be the Novena preacher. Join us on this journey of faith, hope and healing. For more information call (419) 396-7107 or look us up at olcshrine.com.

FROM WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

"We should have done this a long time ago!" That's what you'll be saying after a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend. Marriage Encounter is 44 hours where married couples can get away from jobs, kids, chores, and phones—and focus on one another. The next weekend for central Ohio is September 15-17. For more information or to apply, contact Paul and Marilou Clouse at (614) 834-6880 or visit www.wmecolumbus.org.



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Lector Schedule

In lieu of a full schedule for all liturgical ministers, here is one for lectors, through the end of September—subject to revision. As for servers, we invite them to check in before Masses to see if they're needed. We never have a surplus of servers, so that's welcome. Extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion we will call up to the sanctuary as needed.

Weekend of Aug 5/6

5pm A. Morris
8am S. Maxwell
11am T. Cano

Weekend of Aug 12/13

5pm M. A. Ewart
8am E. Bucknam
11am A. Hoffman

Weekend of Aug 19/20

5pm A. Morris
8am B. Mirgon
11am K. Johnson

Weekend of Aug 26/27

5pm M. A. Ewart
8am L. Baughman
11am J. Von Gunten

Weekend of Sep 2/3

5pm A. Morris
8am J. Steiger
11am T. Cano

Weekend of Sep 9/10

5pm M. A. Ewart
8am H. Smith
11am A. Hoffman

Weekend of Sep 16/17

5pm A. Morris
8am K. Gates
11am B. Mirgon

Weekend of Sep 23/24

5pm M. A. Ewart
8am S. Maxwell
11am K. Johnson

FROM THE DIOCESAN COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN

Introducing the Mother Teresa Award of Charity, Compassion, and Service: To recognize those special women in our Diocese who exemplify the life of Christ and the spirit of St. Teresa of Calcutta, the Diocesan Council of Catholic Women (DCCW) will host a reception for the inaugural class of award recipients on Sunday, August 27, at Immaculate Conception Parish in Columbus. For nomination, table, and ticket information, visit columbuscatholic.org/mother-teresa-award or contact Mickey McCormick at (614) 228-8601 or mjmcormick@columbuscatholic.org.

Young People, the Faith, and Vocational Discernment: Pope Francis announced that the theme for the 15th Ordinary General Assembly of the Synod of Bishops in October 2018 will be "Young People, the Faith, and Vocational Discernment." The Holy Father has asked that the voices of young people be heard and considered in the Synod. In the Diocese of Columbus, we are proposing two methods to collect the thoughts of young people, and we need your help. The first is to have individual youth and young adults, as well as parents of young people and ministry leaders, complete online surveys found at cducation.org/YouthYoungAdult/Synod2018. The second way is to have parishes, Catholic high schools, college campus ministries, and other groups serving young people conduct focus groups with adolescents and young adults; guidelines for this process can be found at the web address listed above. The responses from surveys and focus groups should be submitted by September 1, 2017.

Dominican Rite

Mass of Saint Dominic

St. Patrick's Church cordially invites you to a Missa Cantata (Sung Mass) celebrated in Latin according to the Dominican Rite (the extraordinary form of the Mass proper to the Dominican Order) in honor of St. Dominic, THIS FRIDAY, August 4th, 2017 (*the old feast of St. Dominic*) at 7:00 p.m. St. Patrick's is located at 280 North Grant Avenue, Columbus, Ohio. *Latin-English worship aids will be provided. After Mass, light refreshments will be served in the parish hall.*



AND BAKE SALE! NEXT WEEKEND!

Fri., Aug 4, 11:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

Sat., Aug 5, 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Sun., Aug 6, 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

All proceeds go to the Beauty of the Feminine Catholic Women's Conference October 7th.

We are seeking clean/sellable items including: toys, baby stuff, clothes, household items, decorations, tools, furniture etc.

Donation Days/Times:

- THIS SUNDAY after 9:00 & 11:00 a.m. Masses

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED TO MAKE THIS A SUCCESS!

- Donate a baked good to be sold
- Set up, Thursday, August 3 (5:00 p.m.)
- Sign up for a 2 -hour shift August 4, 5, or 6
- Breakdown/clean up Sunday, August 6 (afternoon)

Contact Cate at (740) 705-0982, or Laura at (740) 221-9997, or email thebeautyofthefeminine@gmail.com

...we who have taken refuge might be strongly encouraged, to hold fast to the hope that lies before us. This we have as an anchor of the soul..."
Hebrews 6:18,19



The Beauty of the Feminine Catholic Women's Conference

ANCHORED IN HOPE

Saturday, October 7, 2017

St. Thomas Aquinas Church, Zanesville, OH

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