



ST. THOMAS MORE CATHOLIC PARISH

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 Permanent Deacons: **Randy Abele, Tom Sudsbear & Gordon Taylor**
 Office Hours: Mon - Thu 9 am - 9pm | Fri 9 am- 4 pm | Sat 8:30am - 2 pm | Sun 1 pm - 4:30 pm, Closed on Stat Holidays



June 7, 2026

Body & Blood of Christ

WEEKDAY LITURGIES (JUN 9 – JUN 12)

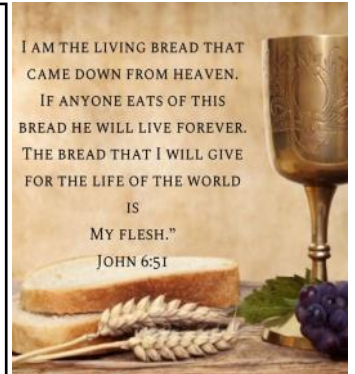
Tuesday: No Confession/Mass: **9:30am**
Wednesday: No Confession/Mass: **9:15am**
Thursday: Confession/Mass: 4:15/5pm
Friday: Confession/Mass: 8:15/9am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: 45 MINUTES
 BEFORE WEEKDAY MASS & Saturday, 3pm to 4 pm.

SUNDAY MASS TIMES (JUN 13 & JUN 14)

Saturday: Communal Rosary 3:55/Mass 4:30 pm
Sunday: Communal Rosary 7:25/Mass 8 am
 Mass 9:30 am (Rosary in Private)
 Mass 11am (Rosary in Private)
 Mass 12:30pm (Rosary in Private)

I AM THE LIVING BREAD THAT
 CAME DOWN FROM HEAVEN.
 IF ANYONE EATS OF THIS
 BREAD HE WILL LIVE FOREVER.
 THE BREAD THAT I WILL GIVE
 FOR THE LIFE OF THE WORLD
 IS
 MY FLESH."
 JOHN 6:51



THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Sunday, Jun 7: Mass at 8am, 9:30am, 11am & 12:30pm
Tuesday, Jun 9: No Confession/St. Stanislaus school Mass: **9:30am**
 CWL Fellowship at 5:30pm
 1st Communion class, 6:15 to 7:30pm
 Liturgy Committee meeting at 7pm
 Knights of Columbus meeting at 7pm
 Legion of Mary at 7pm
Wednesday, Jun 10: No Confession/ St. John XXIII school Mass: **9:15am** with parishioners
Funeral of Veronika Zimmermann at 11am
Thursday, Jun 11: Pastoral Team Planning meeting, 8:30am
 Game Zone, 12:30pm to 3:30pm
 Confession/Mass: 4:15/5pm
 Adult Choir at 7pm, (last practice until Fall)
Friday, Jun 12: Confession/Mass: 8:15/9am
 Wedding: Aris & May Villyn, 5pm
Saturday, Jun 13: Wedding: Obumname and Odinaka at 1pm
 Confession/Mass: 3-4pm/4:30pm
Sunday, Jun 14: Mass at 8am, 9:30am, 11am & 12:30pm
 Younger family BBQ after 9:30am Mass
 Infant Baptisms at 2:30pm
 First Eucharist Mass at 4:30pm



MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Tues Jun 16: CWL Year-end Potluck after the 5pm Mass
Wed Jun 17: AJM school Mass at 9am with parishioners
Fri Jun 19: AJM Gr. 9 farewell Mass at 5:30pm

You can register at

<https://stm.caedm.ca/> for the sacrament of

Confirmation (Summer Intensive)

(Monday – Thursday – Children to bring bagged lunch and drink;

Friday – Lunch provided by St. Thomas More



Aug 11, 6:30-7:30pm	Parent & Child Orientation
Aug 17, 18, 19, 20 & 21	Catechetical classes from 10am - 2:30pm
Aug 21:	Confessions from 12:30pm to 2:30pm

Confirmation Mass, August 23 at 3pm

Sunday Gospel Reflection

By Deacon Tom



The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (John 6:51-59)

Today, Jesus challenges each one of us to believe, offering us eternal life ("Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life") which will come in the resurrection at the end of time ("and I will raise them up on the last day").

The words Jesus speaks over the breaking of the bread symbolizes the coming sacrifice of his life on the cross and his words over the cup echo the Book of Exodus, where Moses not only sprinkled blood on the altar, but also sprinkled the blood on the people, to purify them of their sins so they could stand in God's holy presence.

We have been sprinkled with the blood of Christ in our Baptism and washed clean of our stain of sin.

Today Jesus invites us to come and drink His blood, which he poured

out for us and to eat His body, the very flesh that was sacrificed for our sins, so that we can receive the new life that He purchased for us on the cross.

Paul states that through communion with Christ, we enter into union with all those who share the "one bread" of Christ's body ("we who are many are one body, for we all partake of the one bread").

Today we are offered the real bread from heaven, Jesus' flesh and blood as food and drink, the real presence of Jesus in the Eucharist. This food and drink not only sustain life, they are a pledge of eternal life.

Prayer Corner...

Prayer for the Sick



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH: For those struggling with sickness, facing surgery, or in recovery, especially Lucy Longo, Darren Day, Marcella Cloran, Carl & Jackie Blansjaar, Orest Witiw, Julie Lee, Ashley West, Stelios Kiliaris, Alfred Morrill, Lillian Gartner, Bob Gerow, Mary Jane Olivier, Guenivere Swan, Jayantha Wickrama, Robert Gibeault, Beth Garcia, Rudy Pisesky, Greg Wademan, Anna Rayar, Lorraine Kasha, Charlotte Henderson, Maureen Neville, Mary Kutty Matthew, Adriana Cordero, Mary Morris, Gloria Lamigo, Jennifer Crocker, Wendy Derdak, Greg Nelson, Ruth Harrison, Caelan Deatty, Veronica Sprysak, Sam Amelio, Fern Beaudoin, Fr. Mark McGee, Zachary Tavares, Zack Norman, Nora Nolden, Sandra Jardine, Louise Hawker, Marika Alylua, Debbie Lamont, Phyllis Montgomery, Jessie Ferreira & Patsy Kelly that they may be given the strength and guidance they seek.



PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE RECENTLY DIED: for those who have gone into the presence of our Father, and for those

whose names are recorded in the parish Book of Remembrance, especially for Caroline Ufoh-Williams, Eric Simpson, Rita L'Heureux, Consolacion Olive Bigayan, Ludwig (Louie) Zsoldos, Bertie Goulet, Larry Phillips, Oliver O'Connor & Isabelle Zielinski, that He will raise them up to live forever.

28th CATHOLIC FAMILY LIFE CONFERENCE



THE HOLY FAMILY

DIVINE MERCY

July 3rd - 6th 2026 • Lac Ste. Anne, AB

The Very Reverend Chris Alar, MIC • Fr. Michael Bombak
Dr. Ryan Topping • Fr. Paul Moret
Archbishop Stephen Hero • Bishop Gary Franken



The Very Reverend Chris Alar, MIC
Provincial Superior of the Marian Fathers of the Immaculate Conception located in the United States, England, and Argentina. He wrote and produced the popular "Divine Mercy 101" DVD and the "Explaining the Faith" YouTube series. He is the author of the best-selling books "After Suicide: There's Hope for Them and for You" and "Understanding Divine Mercy", as well as his newest release, "Understanding the Sacraments: God's Grace Guaranteed". He is host of the EWTN show "Living Divine Mercy".

**EARLY BIRD RATE MUST BE PAID BY:
SUNDAY, MAY 31 at 11:59 PM**

Higher Rates will be automatically applied beginning JUNE 1st

www.catholicfamilyministries.com

Thank-you for your generous support, the raffle is sold-out, so the draw date is changing

CATHOLIC PARISH OF ST. THOMAS MORE

Divine Mercy Project Raffle

AGLC License # 778449

Draw Date Change:

~~Sunday August 9, 2026~~

Friday June 19, 2026

@ 10:00 am - Church Hall

You can register at

<https://stm.caedm.ca/> for the sacrament of

**First Reconciliation
& First Communion**

July 13 to July 17: 10am to 11:30am
(Summer Intensive)



First Holy Communion on July 19

WEDNESDAY MORNING LADIES' SCRIPTURE STUDY GROUP

The Fall session of the Wednesday Morning Ladies' Scripture Study Group will begin on Wednesday September 9, 2026.

We will be studying "Foundations of Faith: A Journey Through the Catechism of the Catholic Church".

We meet after the 9:00 am Mass in the Rosary Room until 11:30.

With presenters from Ascension Press, including Fr. Mike Schmitz and Edward Sri, we will learn about the Four Pillars of the Catechism: What We Believe, How We Worship, How We Live and How We Pray. This series includes 20 videos filmed in 40 different locations across 11 countries and includes an interactive workbook for each participant. The videos are 50 minutes in length, which we usually view twice, so this study will extend into the 2027-2028 season.

Cost will be about \$60.00. Please contact Annette at 780 437 4044 (abpatterson@shaw.ca) by June 15.

A bed to sleep in, a table and chairs to share a meal with family, a comfortable chair in which to rest at the end of the day. These are some of the items our Furniture Team provides to our friends in need. **The Society of St. Vincent de Paul** is desperately seeking truck drivers and movers to volunteer for this important ministry. Pick ups and deliveries occur on Tuesday and Wednesday mornings from approximately 8am to 1pm. The amount of time you volunteer is at your discretion – no need to volunteer each week. If you are interested in learning more about this role, please contact Beth at beth.ssvpdm@gmail.com.



What's coming up? June 2026 Youth & Family Ministry Events

4 - Game Zone (Gr. 1-6)

10 - Moms & Tots

11 - LAST Game Zone (Gr. 1-6)

12 - Friends of Frassati (Ages 18-35) - Social

13 - Duc In Altum (Gr.7-9) & Verso L'Alto (Gr. 10-12)

14 - LAST Younger Families Ministry - BBQ

17 - LAST Moms & Tots

26 - Friends of Frassati (Ages 18-35) - Social

27- LAST Duc In Altum (Gr.7-9) & Verso L'Alto (Gr.10-12)

Feast days



June 07 - Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ



June 12 - Solemnity of the Most Sacred heart of Jesus

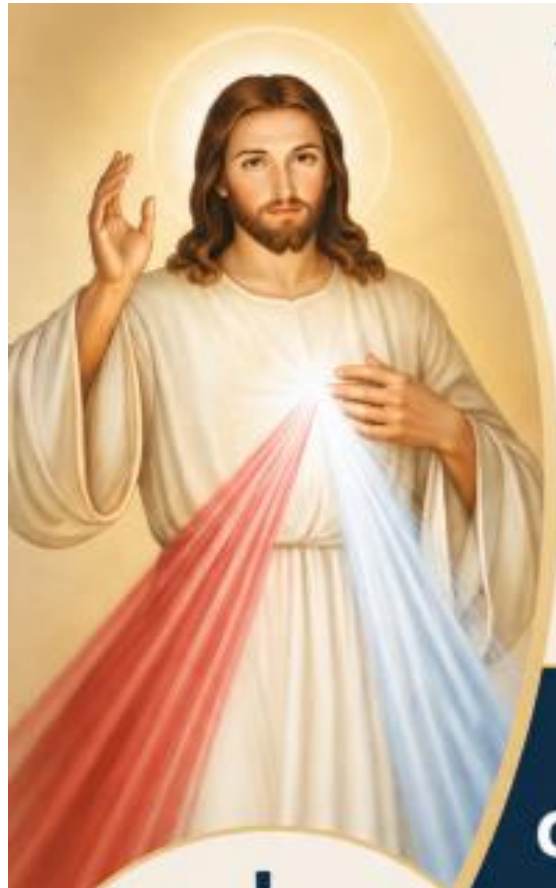


June 22 - St. Thomas More



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VOLUNTEERS *Needed!*



Be the hands and heart of Jesus.
Help build a community of faith,
mercy and mission.

IN THE COMMITTEE ON COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT for the Divine Mercy Project



DIVINE MERCY
— PROJECT —

JESUS, I TRUST IN YOU!

*Your time.
Your talent.
Eternal impact.*

COMMITMENT:



1 Attend meetings to discuss activities to promote parishioners' involvement in the DMP.



2 Implement programs/activities for DMP.



3 Spearhead Divine Mercy devotionals in the parish.

**COME, SERVE
AND BE A BLESSING!**



INTERESTED?

Please contact the parish office
at (780) 434-6313.

For those interested, a sign-up sheet
will be available after masses at the
back of the church the weekend of
JUNE 13-14, 2026.

Thank you for your participation.



*"As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another
as good stewards of God's varied grace.", 1 Peter 4:10*