### Our Staff.

Fr. William P. Saucier	Pastor
Deacon Charlie Groves	RCIA, Religious Ed. and Altar Server Training
Donna Christian	Office Manager and Religious Ed.
Monique Bosarge	Secretary
Lewis Archer	Director of Music
Kimberly Foster	Communications and Fundraising Coordinator
Bob Bothmann and Frank Coate	Building and Maintenance

### SACRAMENTAL GUIDELINES

**Baptism of infants:** If you are expecting a child or have recently had a child and want to prepare for baptism, please call the parish office to schedule a preparation session.

First Eucharist, Confirmation, RCIA: Contact our parish office for more information.

**Matrimony:** Contact our parish office 6 months prior to intended date of the wedding. We follow all Archdiocesan policies and guidelines.

**Anointing of the Sick, Homebound:** Please keep Fr. Saucier or the Parish Office informed of anyone who is homebound, hospitalized, seriously ill or wishes to receive Holy Communion or Anointing of the Sick. Contact the parish office at 251-452-9837 or Rectory 251-456-7931

**Annulments:** Fr. Saucier and Deacon Groves are available to discuss questions concerning annulments. There is no cost associated with annulments.

**Renting Guidelines:** Please contact the parish office one month before the event for fees, paperwork and Archdiocesan Guidelines.

### **NEW PARISHIONERS**

If you are interested in joining our parish family, please fill out a card located in the back of our church or online at <a href="https://www.stthomastheapostlecatholicchurch.com">www.stthomastheapostlecatholicchurch.com</a>

**Moving or Changing Address?** Please notify the parish office via email <u>office@stthomastheapostlecatholicchurch.com</u> or call 251-452-9837

# Two Parishes, One Family

St. Bridget Catholic Church Est. 1867



3625 West Main Street Whistler, Alabama 36612

St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church Est. 1947



251 North Craft Highway Chickasaw, Alabama 36611

251-452-9837

 $\textbf{Email:} \ \underline{\textit{office@stthomastheapostlecatholicchurch.com}}$ 

### St. Bridget Mass Schedule:

- Wednesday 8 a.m.
- Saturday 9 a.m.
- Sunday 9 a.m.
- Latin Mass 1st & 3rd Sunday of the month at -2p.m.

### St. Thomas Mass Schedule:

- Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday - 8 a.m.
- Wednesday 6 p.m.
- Saturday Vigil 4 p.m.
- Sunday 7 a.m. & 11 a.m.

\*Holidays and Holy Day Mass schedules will be recorded for our answering service and added to our website's calendar.

### Look For Us On:



@St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church and@St. Bridget Catholic Church



\* @St. Thomas Chickasaw



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# Mass Intentions for the Week Third Week of Advent



Day	Date	Where	When	Intentions	
Saturday	Dec. 11th	St. Thomas	4 p.m.	For All Those Affected by Cancer	
Sunday Dec. 12th		St. Thomas	7 a.m.	Parishioners	
	Dec. 12th	St. Bridget	9 a.m.	Mrs. Nancy Thoms	
	St. Thomas	11 a.m.	Retired Religious		
Monday	Dec. 13th	St. Thomas	8 a.m.	Infant of Prague	
Tuesday	Dec. 14th	St. Thomas	8 a.m.	Mary Coates	
Wednesday	Dec. 15th	St. Bridget	8 a.m.	+RIP+ Eunice Lavern Nations	
vvcanesday	Dec. 15th	St. Thomas	6 p.m.	Intercession of the Holy Spirit	
Thursday	Dec. 16th	St. Thomas	8 a.m.	Mary E. Moss	
Friday	Dec. 17th	St. Thomas	8 a.m.	Marianne Whelan	
Saturday	Dec. 18th	St. Bridget	9 a.m.	+RIP+ Oscar Watkins	

Confessions offered—30 mins before each mass.

### THANK YOU FOR YOUR OFFERINGS

We invite you to try electronic contributions and we hope you find it very convenient.

You can use any computer or mobile device to donate electronically towards the General Fund, Building Fund and/or the Legacy Campaign; for either Parish. Please check out our website for more details. As always, we thank you for your generous sharing of treasures in the spirit and practice of stewardship.

\* From November 1st to December 31st the Online Giving program will match all donations (up to \$50) made from NEW accounts set to a Recurring payment. \*

St. Bridget's Collections:

\$1707.00

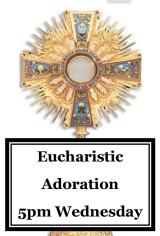
St. Thomas the Apostle's Collections:

\$3620.00

There are several ways you can help our parish family: 1) Link your Amazon account to our St. Thomas the Apostle AmazonSmiles link 2) Buy Scrip cards - gift cards that give a percentage back to the church at no cost to you and 3) Sign up with WeShare or donate directly to St. Thomas the Apostle's Legacy Campaign. For more information or links go to St. Thomas the Apostle's webpage; stthomastheapostlecatholicchurch.com.

## Events and Meetings for the Week \*Events and Meetings May be Subject to Change\*

Daughters of Mary	Weekly Meetings, Thursdays at 830am
Men of St. Joseph	Weekly Meetings, Thursdays at 7am
Knights of Columbus	Meetings are set for the First Thursday of each month at 7pm
Knights of Columbus: Ladies Auxiliary	Meetings are set for the First Thursday of each month at 7pm
St. Vincent de Paul Society	If you would like to join or learn more please leave a message at (251)458-4578





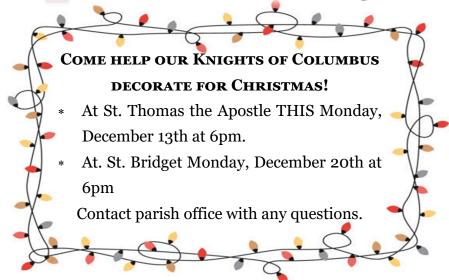
Saturday Morning Bible Study at St. Bridget's starting at 9:30am (We are discussing the Book of Hosea)



Wednesday Night Teaching Mass at St. Thomas begins at 6:00pm

St. Justin the Martyr, 1st & 2nd Apologies Ch. 22, 23 & 24

### Our Parish Family's Announcments





### **Reminders:**

- Latin Mass at St. Bridget is Sunday, December 19th at 2 p.m.
- High School CCD now starts at 4 p.m.
- Last day for CCD is Sunday, Dec 19th and will resume on January 2nd.

Link St. Thomas the Apostle to your Google Calendar to keep up with all the events and upcoming activities.