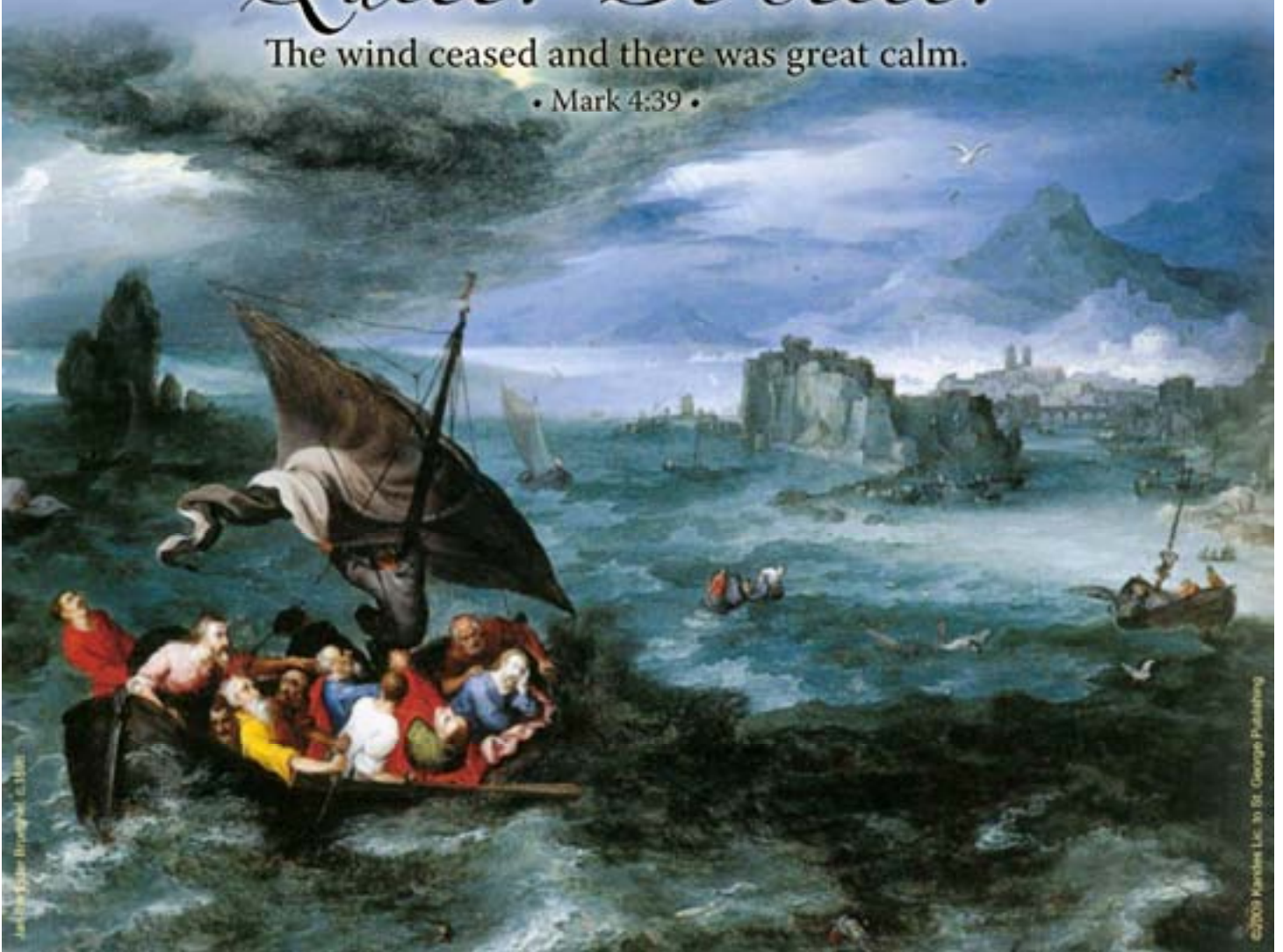


Saint Thomas the Apostle Parish
Igreja São Tomé, O Apóstolo
Salem Peabody Danvers
June 21, 2015

*He woke up, rebuked the wind,
and said to the sea,
“Quiet! Be still!”*

The wind ceased and there was great calm.

• Mark 4:39 •



Andreas Scherbrunn, c. 1300

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Our Mission as a parish is:

- To reach out to everyone with the joyful gospel of God’s saving love.
- To form one another as disciples who encounter Jesus Christ deeply through word, sacrament and service.
- To live as a Spirit filled, multicultural community of mercy, justice and compassion within the Catholic Church.

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Mass Intentions...


Saturday 4:00PM	June 20 John F. Raposo +
Sunday 8:30AM	June 21 Jack & Mary Lynch +
10:30AM	Ann & Robert Tivnan +
Saturday 4:00PM	June 27 Genevieve Butler +
Sunday 8:30AM	June 28 Parish Community +
10:30AM	Maria & Antonio Firelli +

Mass cards are available in the Parish Office after all Sunday Liturgies and during the week Mon.- Fri., 9:00 am-12:00 pm

Scripture for the week of June 21, 2015

21 SUN	Jb 38:1, 8-11/2 Cor 5:14-17/Mk 4:35-41
22 Mon	Gn 12:1-9/Mt 7:1-5
23 Tue	Gn 13:2, 5-18/Mt 7:6, 12-14
24 Wed	Wed Vigil: Jer 1:4-10/1 Pt 1:8-12/Lk 1:5-17 Day: Is 49:1-6/Acts 13:22-26/Lk 1:57-66, 80
25 Thu	Gn 16:1-12, 15-16 or 16:6b-12, 15-16/Mt 7:21-29
26 Fri	Gn 17:1, 9-10, 15-22/Mt 8:1-4
27 Sat	Gn 18:1-15/Mt 8:5-17
28 SUN	Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24/2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15/Mk 5:21-43

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Please remember the deceased of our Parish and those who were buried from St. Thomas Parish during the past weeks. May their souls and the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen


Schedule for Weekend Mass
Please join us often!

St. Thomas the Apostle	St. John the Baptist
Saturday, 4:00 PM	Saturday, 4:00PM
Sunday, 8:30AM, 10:30AM, 7:00PM Brazilian Mass	Sunday, 8:00AM, 10:00AM, 11:30AM(Spanish), 5:00PM
Weekday Masses: Monday & Friday, 8:30 AM	Weekday Masses: Monday - Saturday, 6:45AM
Reconciliation: Saturdays, 3:15PM	Reconciliation: Saturdays, 3:00-3:30PM

Parish Activities

Twelfth Sunday of Ordinary Time

June 22	8:30AM Mass—Chapel
June 23	6:15PM Girl Scouts Troop#361
June 24	6:15PM Girl Scouts Troop#233 7:00PM Bible Study—S.L.C.
June 26	8:30AM Mass—Chapel



Dear St. Thomas Parishioners,

Please come join us to celebrate the 2nd annual St. Thomas Festival on June 27 from 4-11pm! This fun-filled evening will feature live music, delicious food, drinks and plenty of entertainment for the children. Tickets will be sold for beer, wine, food and children's activities.

For those who would like to contribute, we ask of your generosity once again in providing contributions for raffle prizes and/or something to donate to our silent auction.

We would also accept any baked goods and especially your valuable time to help us make the festival run smoothly.

For any questions or for more information, please call or email Stephanie Dallaire ([978-821-6581](tel:978-821-6581) or ssdallaire@gmail.com) or the Parish office ([978-531-0224](tel:978-531-0224)).

Once again, Thank You and God Bless!
St. Thomas Festival Committee



Liturgy Memorials

The Altar wine & hosts have been donated for the month of June for the honor and glory of God in memory of Fr. Louis D. Bourgeois by the Keith & Gabriel Families, The Sanctuary Lamp has been donated in memory of Leonard Dunleavy by Nancy Dunleavy & Family and the Candle Oil in memory of John F. Raposo from The Raposo Family. The Flowers on the Main Altar are donated this weekend in memory of Ann & Robert Tivnan from the Tivnan family.



This week, June 21, 2015

The first collection will be for the parish.
The Second collection is for the Fuel & Utilities

June 14th Collection: \$2,843.87
Fr. Dan Sheehan Spiritual Life Ctr. \$1,362.00
Next week the first collection will be for the parish.
The second collection is for Peter's Pence Collection.

Thank you for your generous sacrifice.



St. Thomas Children's Closet

We are in need of boys & girls slacks, dungarees, jerseys, blouses sizes 5 to 16. Donations may be dropped off at the closet between 1-3pm on Saturdays.

Thrift Shop

Thank you to everyone who has supported the Thrift Shop. We need Jewelry, pots, pans, kitchen wares, small appliances, toys, old tools, rugs, men's toiletries, just about anything you don't need. As usual you can drop things off on Saturdays between 9am to 1pm or call Bob & Sylvia at 978-977-9672 to arrange a time. God's blessing to all of you. Please remember we cannot

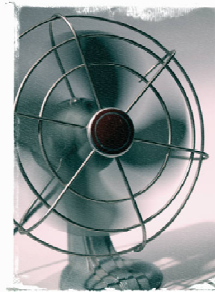
GYM AVAILABLE FOR LEASE

The Eastern Basketball Company is ending their rental of our gym.

We are interested in a new lease with organizations or companies that have need of a gym (Mon-Fri).

We reserve the use of the gym for our parish functions on weekends.

If you or someone you know may be seeking to enter into a lease, please contact Tracy or Sheila at the parish office at Saint Thomas: 978-531-0224 or email: stthomas344p@comcast.net



It's that time again!

During the hot weather we will be using our large fans in the Church. If the breeze is too much for you, please move to another seat out of its path, as we need to keep the air circulating for the comfort of all.

Thank you!

Upcoming Liturgical Ministers Schedule

June 27 - June 28: Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	4:00 PM	8:30 AM	10:30 AM
Eucharistic Minister	Don Sadoski - 1-Plate Darleen Sadoski - 2-Cup Linda Cavallon - 3-Cup	Christine Capillo - 1-Plate Maddie Pimenta - 2-Cup Millie Moore - 3-Cup	Maria O'Toole - 1-Plate Norma Johnson - 2-Cup Patricia Cronin - 3-Cup
Lector	Kevin Shea Sheila Lynch	Frank Herschede Joyce Dallaire	Tony Porcello Judith Grondin
Altar Server	Brandon Thompson Thomas Baez	Kaitlyn McLaughlin Colleen Silva	Eddy Staco



11 COUNTRIES | 11 MONTHS

Hi! My name is Danielle Stueve. I am an alumna of St. John's School, Class of 2004, and I have been an active parishioner at St. John's for most of my life. Along with being a Eucharistic Minister, I was involved in the Youth Ministry last Fall and I have been a leader within the Teen ACTS community over the past several years.

This July I will leave my family to become a missionary with the World Race, a program through the Christian organization Adventures in Missions (AIM). I will be spending one month each in eleven countries, spreading God's love and sharing the Gospel to the "least of these" in our world. At this time, my route includes Albania, Romania, Malawi, Zambia, Thailand, Cambodia, Malaysia, Ecuador, Peru, Bolivia, and Chile. During my time in each country I will be serving in whatever way the community needs me. I could be working in an orphanage, building a school, praying alongside the sick, traveling from village to village evangelizing, and so much more. Most importantly, I will be sharing Christ's mercy to all corners of the Earth.

Mission work has been on my heart since I was a little girl, sitting in Mass and listening to visiting missionary priests and nuns speak about the work they do all over the world. I have been waiting patiently for the Lord to show me if this is a part of His plan for my life, and I am so grateful to be called by Him. I can't wait to see how the Lord will use me and the gifts He has blessed me with.

There are many ways you and your family can be involved in my World Race. First and foremost, your prayers are greatly needed and appreciated, not just for me and my fellow World Racers but also for the people God will put in our path. Second, I am currently raising funds to cover the costs of transportation, accommodations, food, and medical insurance. If you would like to support my trip financially you can do so directly through my World Race blog (below) or by sending a check to Adventures in Missions*. Please contact me at danielle.stueve@gmail.com for their mailing address. All donations are greatly appreciated! Finally, I invite you to follow my year of mission work through my blog, daniellestueve.theworldrace.org! I will be posting updates and stories of how God is working through me, as well as pictures and videos of His precious people that I meet.

It is only with your prayers and support that I am able to go out into the world and be the hands and feet of Jesus. Thank you, and God bless!

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Saint Thomas the Apostle Parish

Dear friends,

Over the past few months we have celebrated our faith and life as a Catholic community in many ways, especially for our young people receiving sacraments. I hope that you read in our parish bulletin about the good works being done and the prayers and worship being offered to God. Over the last two weekends dozens of women and men from our parishes made an ACTS retreat. If you want to know what this can mean to someone's spiritual journey just ask someone who knows anyone involved: team members or retreatants. I thank God for those who so generously helped make this possible, including the spouses and kids who were left behind!

Today I ask you to enable us to continue our ministries to you and to everyone we can reach with the joy of the gospel. As I wrote to you last week, our finance councils have seen reports that our parishes are struggling to meet our expenses. Let me say it simply and plainly: we need your support.

With changes in the places where we have our 4 PM and 8 AM Masses in July and August and the fact that it is summer when people go away it is especially important that each and every person makes their contribution to their parish every weekend. We are still here! The best way to do this is with parish envelopes that you receive in the mail. Another excellent way is by setting up a payment that can be made electronically. You can



learn about this on [ParishPay](#) an online service you can find on our parish website. This makes it easier to determine what you want to give each week or month to the parish and to other special collections. If you going to a church other than your own, we will have envelopes marked "My Offering for St. Thomas the Apostle Parish, Peabody" and "My Offering for St. John the Baptist Parish" for you to use. They will be returned to the parish you want.

Most of all I want to remind you that with income falling and expenses rising, the only way we can keep up is an additional amount from our people week after week. One or two single dollar bills doesn't go far but we still see lots on singles! It won't even buy a cup of coffee most places. So, would you look at what you normally give and raise it by "5" such as from \$10 to \$15, \$15 to \$20, \$20 to \$25?

Your gift to our parish is not admission to the church. It is even more than a contribution to keep our parishes going. It is also an expression of yourself, of your gratefulness to God, of your desire to give something back to him who gave all to us. It is also a way to help others. For this reason I urge you to pray over your decision to give, like the poor widow, not just from your surplus but from your livelihood.

We want not only to keep our churches open but to make them places where more and more people will find God and worship him. Your gift can make a difference. Thank you very much.

Yours in Christ's love,

Fr. John

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