

Last Sunday:

Attendance: 401
Offering: \$ 11,904.94
Total offering July 2026: \$ 62,126.13
Average Weekly Expenses: \$ 12,000
Mortgage Balance as of July 9, 2026: \$ 353,497.23
Total Raised for Capital Campaign as of July 22, 2026: \$ 157,270.29



Attendance by Mass Time 7/19:

Sat 5:00 pm: 73
Sun 7:00 am: 55
Sun 8:30 am: 136
Sun 11:30 am: 137

Announcements:

- **Tuesday Schedule Update Starting August 4th** – We tried having a longer confession period on Tuesdays for the last year, but the time has simply not been utilized well. We also have very few people who attend the Benediction or Evening Prayer to follow (average is about 5 people), as such, we will be discontinuing the Tuesday evening Exposition, Benediction, and Evening Prayer as of August. We will be adding seasonally more confession times for Lent, particularly during Holy Week, and in Advent.
- **OCIA** – If you or someone you know is interested in learning more about the Catholic faith and is considering joining the Catholic church, please scan the QR code to join our 2026-2027 OCIA Flocknote. Classes will begin in the fall.
- **Mothers of Young Children** – If you are a mom of young children, especially those not yet school-age, you are invited to join our STB Moms of Young Kids group for community-building, prayer, playdates, and moms' nights out! We host multiple events per month and plan for a variety of schedules to fit a variety of families' needs. Whether you are a working or stay-at-home mom, or anything in between, email stbmomsgroup@gmail.com to get looped into all planned events.
- **Fr. Jenkins Out of Town** - Fr. Jenkins will be on Vacation from July 20th-31st. We will not have daily Masses during that time. The Sunday schedule will continue as per usual as we welcome Fr. Jerry Sherbourne, Pastor of Our Lady of the Atonement in San Antonio, who will be covering the Saturday vigil and Sunday Masses on July 25-26.



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ST. THOMAS BECKET CATHOLIC CHURCH

a parish of the Personal Ordinariate of the Chair of St. Peter
The Most Rev. Steven J. Lopes, Bishop

The Rev. Jon C. Jenkins, Pastor
3550 Southwest Loop 820, Fort Worth, TX 76133

Welcome to Our Visitors!

Thank you for sharing in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass with us today! If you are willing, please introduce yourself to Fr. Jenkins after Mass so he can welcome you, or sign in our Visitor's Log in the main entrance. If you are a Catholic, we receive Holy Communion kneeling and by intinction (both species together on the tongue). If you are not a Catholic, or a Catholic but not receiving, during Communion we invite you to come forward with your arms crossed over your chest and kneel in the presence of Christ. We do not offer blessings at the altar rail, but rather a moment of Adoration in the presence of the Lord.

GIVE



GIVE – Make a one-time donation or set up a recurring offering.

JOIN



JOIN – Registration forms to join our parish or the Ordinariate.

KNOW



KNOW – Sign up for Flocknote to receive emails about upcoming events.

or more detailed info on schedules of Parish events, scan this QR Code to visit the Parish Calendar.

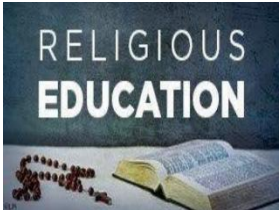


Calendar

The **NEXT BIG THING** at STB is...
Religious Ed. Registration

Welcome to another wonderful year of religious formation for your children! We look forward to helping you shape them into the Saints they are meant to be.

Classes begin Sept. 13th, with a mandatory parent meeting held on Aug. 23rd at 10am. Classes will be on Sunday mornings from 9:45-11:15am. Scan QR code to the right to register.



Weekly Mass Intentions

25 Jul (5 pm) – Luke McWilliams
26 Jul (7 am) – Dorothy Jones RIP
26 Jul (8:30 am) – Pro Populo (people of the parish)
26 Jul (11:30 am) – David Wiley Duncan

*Fr. Jenkins will be out of town July 20th-31st.
See back of bulletin for further information.*

Processional Hymn: 594 – God of Grace and God of Glory, vs. 1-2**Introit – Suscepimus (Ps 48:8,9,1)**

*We have waited, O God, for thy loving-kindness in the midst of thy temple; according to thy Name, O God, so is thy praise unto the world's end: thy right hand is full of righteousness.
(Ps) Great is the Lord, and highly to be praised: in the city of our God, even upon his holy hill.
GLORY. We have...*

Collect for purity: page 1**Kyrie; Gloria:** page 2**Collect of the Day**

O GOD, whose never-failing providence ordereth all things both in heaven and earth: we humbly beseech thee to put away from us all hurtful things, and to give us those things which be profitable for us; through Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, ever one God, world without end. Amen.

First Reading: 1 Kings 3:5, 7-12

At Gibeon the Lord appeared to Solomon in a dream by night; and God said, “Ask what I should give you.” And Solomon said, “O Lord my God, you have made your servant king in place of David my father, although I am but a little child; I do not know how to go out or come in. And your servant is in the midst of your people whom you have chosen, a great people, that cannot be numbered or counted for multitude. Give your servant therefore an understanding mind to govern your people, that I may discern between good and evil; for who is able to govern this great people of yours?” It pleased the Lord that Solomon had asked this. And God said to him, “Because you have asked this, and have not asked for yourself long life or riches, or for the life of your enemies, but have asked for yourself understanding to discern what is right, behold I now do according to your word. Behold, I give you a wise and discerning mind, so that none like you has been before you and none like you shall arise after you.”

Gradual – Esto mihi (Ps 31:3; 71:2,1)

[Read by Acolyte or chanted by a Cantor. Congregation does not respond]

*Be thou my strong rock, and house of defence: that thou mayest save me.
V. In thee, O Lord, have I put my trust: let me never be put to confusion.*

Second Reading: Romans 8:28-30

Brethren: We know that in everything God works for good for those who love him, who are called according to his purpose. For those whom he foreknew he also predestined to be conformed to the image of his Son, in order that he might be the first-born among many brethren. And those whom he predestined he also called; and those whom he called he also justified; and those whom he justified he also glorified.

Gospel Acclamation – Magnus Dominus (Ps 48:1)Alleluia. **R. Alleluia.**

Great is the Lord, and highly to be praised: in the city of our God, even upon his holy hill. R. Alleluia.

Gospel: Matthew 13:44-52 (or shorter: Matthew 13:44-46)

Jesus said to the crowds, “The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field, which a man found and covered up; then in his joy he goes and sells all that he has and buys that field.” Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a merchant in search of fine pearls, who, on finding one pearl of great value, went and sold all that he had and bought it. “Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a net which was thrown into the sea and gathered fish of every kind; when it was full, men drew it ashore and sat down and sorted the good into vessels but threw away the bad. So it will be at the close of the age. The angels will come out and separate the evil from the righteous and throw them into the furnace of fire, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.” “Have you understood all this?” They said to him, “Yes.” And he said to them, “Therefore every scribe who has been trained for the kingdom of heaven is like a householder who brings out of his treasure what is new and what is old.”

Nicene Creed: page 4**Intercessions Form III:** page 29

Penitential Rite/Comfortable Words: page 5

Offertory – Populum humilem (Ps 18:28,32)

*Thou shalt save the people that are in adversity, O Lord, and shalt bring
down the high looks of the proud: for who is God, but the Lord?*

Offertory Hymn: 524 – I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord

Offerings for our church can be placed in the offering plate, in the Offering boxes in the back of the church or by scanning the green QR code on the front of the bulletin to make a one-time or recurring donation.

Eucharistic Prayer / Roman Canon: page 12**Communion Rite / Prayer of Humble Access:** page 19**Communion – Gustate et videte (Ps 34:8)**

O taste and see how gracious the Lord is: blessed is the man that putteth his trust in him.

Communion Hymn: 324 – Let All Mortal Flesh**Prayer after Communion:** page 22**Recessional Hymn: 594 – God of Grace and God of Glory, vs. 3-4**