

Last Sunday:

Attendance: 401
Offering: \$ 20,238.94
Total offering August 2026: \$ 35,828.93
Average Weekly Expenses: \$ 12,000
Mortgage Balance as of August 4, 2026: \$ 351,242.59
Total Raised for Capital Campaign as of August 4, 2026: \$ 157,705.29



Attendance by Mass Time 8/9:

Sat 5:00 pm: 55
Sun 7:00 am: 66
Sun 8:30 am: 135
Sun 11:30 am: 145

Announcements:

- **Women’s Book Club** – You're invited to join a local chapter of Well-Read Mom, a book club open to women in every stage of life (not just moms!). We will meet monthly in the parish hall beginning this September. If you'd like to learn more, we invite you to attend a brunch in the parish hall on August 22 at 9:30 a.m. to learn from current members about how Well-Read Mom has impacted them and to introduce this year's reading theme, "Year of the Woman." Please contact Ana Saddler at anastasia.saddler@gmail.com with further questions. “Read More, Read Well”!
- **Frassati Youth at STB** – Our first youth group meeting for the school year is Saturday, Sept 12th from 6-8 pm. Teens aged 12-18 are welcome to join us in the parish hall for a meal, a lesson, fellowship, and fun! Contact Terri Schauf with any questions: thetxschaufs@gmail.com or 214-957-4134 (call or text).
- The next **St. Zélie Catholic Mother’s Retreat** is on Oct. 10th, 1-4:30pm! Inspired by the beautiful witness of St. Zélie Martin, this retreat offers a peaceful space away from the daily hustle. Come and take some time to rest and build deep friendships with holy, like-minded mothers. Scan the QR code to learn more. 
- **Flower Offering** – Honor your loved ones’ birthdays, Anniversaries, graduations or any other special occasion by sponsoring the flowers in the church. See the chart on the wall near the choir loft steps in the Narthex to sign up. Please fill out a **Flower Offering envelope**, attached to the Flower Chart, at least 2 weeks before the requested date, so we have time to order flowers.
- **Our ParishSoft Giving Account has been closed.** All current recurring donations have been cancelled. To begin contributing through Flocknote Giving, please scan the QR code. 

PARISH WEBSITE



PARISH MINISTRIES



PARISH CALENDAR





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...
Sacred Art Classes

Looking for a fun and interactive way for your child to experience the faith via sacred art? Starting on Sept. 15th, and then every 3rd Tuesday to follow, we will now offer Sacred Art Classes taught by Madeleine Karako or Fr. Jenkins. Mothers and children of all ages welcome! Cost is \$15 per family. Scan QR code to sign up today! →



Weekly Mass Intentions

15 Aug (5 pm) – Michael Austin Johnson RIP	17 Aug (12:15 pm) – S. Jeneanne Weibel RIP
16 Aug (7 am) – Mary Ann Jones RIP	18 Aug (12:15 pm) – Madeleine Karako
16 Aug (8:30 am) – Pro Populo (people of the parish)	19 Aug (12:15 pm) – Daniell Family
16 Aug (11:30 am) – Souls in Purgatory	20 Aug (12:15 pm) – Theresa Schauf

Sanctuary Light Offering (Church) 8/16: Belin & Goodson Family

Processional Hymn: 537 – Christ for the World We Sing, vs. 1-2**Introit – Deus in loco sancto (Ps 68:5b,6,35,1)**

*God in his holy habitation; it is he that maketh brethren to be of one mind in an house:
he will give the dominion and pre eminence unto his people.*

*(Ps) Let God arise, and let his enemies be scattered: let them also that hate him flee before him.
GLORY. God in...*

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

O GOD, who declarest thy almighty power most chiefly in showing mercy and pity: mercifully grant unto us such a measure of thy grace; that we, running the way of thy commandments, may obtain thy gracious promises, and be made partakers of thy heavenly treasure; 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: Isaiah 56:1, 6-7

Thus says the Lord: “Keep justice, and do righteousness, for soon my salvation will come, and my deliverance be revealed.” And the foreigners who join themselves to the Lord, to minister to him, to love the name of the Lord, and to be his servants, every one who keeps the sabbath, and does not profane it, and holds fast my covenant— these I will bring to my holy mountain, and make them joyful in my house of prayer; their burnt offerings and their sacrifices will be accepted on my altar; for my house shall be called a house of prayer for all peoples.”

Gradual – In Deo speravit (Ps 28:8b,1)

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

My heart hath trusted in God, and I am helped:

therefore my heart danceth for joy, and in my song will I praise him.

V. Unto thee will I cry, O Lord: be not silent, O my God, nor depart from me.

Second Reading: Romans 11:13-15, 29-32

Brethren: I am speaking to you Gentiles. Inasmuch then as I am an apostle to the Gentiles, I magnify my ministry in order to make my fellow Jews jealous, and thus save some of them. For if their rejection means the reconciliation of the world, what will their acceptance mean but life from the dead? For the gifts and the call of God are irrevocable. Just as you were once disobedient to God but now have received mercy because of their disobedience, so they have now been disobedient in order that by the mercy shown to you they also may receive mercy. For God has consigned all men to disobedience, that he may have mercy upon all.

Gospel Acclamation – Exsultate Deo (Ps 81:1,2)

Alleluia. **R. Alleluia.**

*Sing we merrily unto God our strength; make a cheerful noise unto the God of Jacob:
take the psalm, bring hither the tabret. R. Alleluia.*

Gospel: Matthew 15:21-28

Jesus went away from there and withdrew to the district of Tyre and Sidon. And behold, a Canaanite woman from that region came out and cried, “Have mercy on me, O Lord, Son of David; my daughter is severely possessed by a demon.” But he did not answer her a word. And his disciples came and begged him, saying, “Send her away, for she is crying after us.” He answered, “I was sent only to the lost sheep of the house of Israel.” But she came and knelt before him, saying, “Lord, help me.” And he answered, “It is not fair to take the children’s bread and throw it to the dogs.” She said, “Yes, Lord, yet even the dogs eat the crumbs that fall from their master’s table.” Then Jesus answered her, “O woman, great is your faith! Let it be done for you as you desire.” And her daughter was healed instantly.

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

Penitential Rite/Comfortable Words: page 5

Offertory – Exaltabo te (Ps 30:1,2)

*I will magnify thee, O Lord, for thou hast set me up, and not made my foes to triumph over me:
O Lord, my God, I cried unto thee, and thou hast healed me.*

Offertory Hymn: 530 – Spread, O Spread Thy Mighty Word

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 – Honora Dominum (Prov 3:9,10)**

*Honour the Lord with thy substance, and with the first fruits of all thine increase: so shall thy barns be
filled with plenty, and thy presses shall burst out with new wine.*

Communion Hymn: 313 – Let Thy Blood in Mercy Poured**Prayer after Communion:** page 22**Recessional Hymn: 537 – Christ for the World We Sing, vs. 3-4**