

Church of St. Michael
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Church of St. James
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Welcome to our parishes! We are happy you are here to worship with us. If you are interested in becoming members of one of our parishes, please fill out a form that can be found in the church entry.

Blessings to you on your special days. We offer our prayers and best wishes to all who celebrate birthday and wedding anniversaries this week. Be assured that we will lift you up in prayer on those blessed days.

Tioga: 13th—Kaden Pederson; **16th**—Kent Bickler

Ray: 16th—Jordan & Rena Perdue

Stations of the Cross: During Lent, we will have Stations of the Cross followed by Mass on Fridays at 7:00 p.m. in Tioga and on Wednesdays at 5:00 p.m. in Ray.

Rice Bowls: Did you know? Catholics in the US assist 85 million of the world's poorest children. Motivated by the example of Jesus Christ, CRS' work reaches communities in more than 100 countries. CRS Rice Bowl is a way for Catholics in the US to live Pope Francis' call to end world hunger. Rice bowls can be found in the entry of the church. You can collect money during Lent and turn the money in on Good Friday. The money can be put in an envelope marked "Rice Bowl." Thank you for changing lives this Lent!

Women's Retreat: Saturday March 19 from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at Queen of the Most Holy Rosary in Stanley. The presenter is Catholic evangelist and speaker Kelly Wahlquist. Her presentation is entitled, "Created to Relate: God's design for peace and joy." Cost is \$20. Morning muffin and lunch are included. To register or for more information call Elonda 629-1778.

St. Thomas

Weekend Mass Time: Sat., 5:00 p.m.; Sun., 8:30 a.m.

Daily Mass: Tues., 6:30 p.m.; Chaplet of Divine Mercy, 7 p.m.

Thurs.--Mass 9 a.m.; Novena to the Mother of Perpetual Help; Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Fri., 10 a.m. at the Nursing Home

***** Readings for this weekend, February 13 and 14 (Year C), can be found on page 504. *****

Mass Offering: Your offering for Jan. 30 & 31 was: Envelopes, \$650.00; Loose, \$99.00; Building Fund, \$347.00. For Feb. 6 & 7: Envelopes, \$1050.00; Loose, \$93.00; Building Fund, \$202.00; PTSC, \$56.50

Potluck Supper: We will be having a potluck supper after Mass on **Saturday, March 12th**, to welcome new members to St. Thomas. It's a joy to see all the new faces at Mass. Please join us for a good evening of fellowship where we can all get to know each other a little bit better. See you there!

Old Tables for Sale: New tables for the fellowship hall have been ordered. We are selling the old 8' tables for \$50 each. Please leave a message at the church office if you are interested in buying one of the old tables. 664-2445

St. Thomas Altar Society will be serving rolls, coffee and juice in the Parish Life Center after Mass on Sunday, February 14, and Sunday, February 28. Everyone is invited. A free will offering will be held. We would like to do this on a regular schedule, if it is well attended. Come and get your morning shot of caffeine and enjoy some fellowship with other parishioners. Hope to see you all there..... ☺

Lectors Next Weekend: 20th—Susan Bratlien; **21st**—Ethyl Papineau

Greeters & Gift Bearers Next Weekend: 20th—Joevi Macasaet Family; **21st**—Russ & Ethyl Papineau

Eucharistic Ministers Next Weekend: 20th—Mary Ann Holm & Gail Joyce; **21st**—Jenny Norgaard & June Grubb

Servers Next Weekend: 20th—Karter & Kiana; **21st**—Crystal & Tanner

St. Michael's

Weekend Mass Time:

Odd months—Sat., 7 p.m.; Even months—Sun., 10:30 a.m.

Wed.: Daily Mass at 9:00 a.m.

Mass Offering: Your offering for Feb. 7 was \$627.00

There Will Be Children's Mass on February 21 with coffee and treats in the basement following Mass!

Lector, Greeters & Gift Bearers Sunday: 21st—Leo Walter, Leo & Vi Walter