



Second Sunday of Advent – December 7, 2025 – Year A

Our SSVP & Legion of Mary Ministries Are Actively Serving the Homeless & Poor

We would greatly appreciate your donations for our new Street Ministry – we serve lunches every week in Burlington & Hamilton and we will begin to distribute warm clothing to those in need. Kindly consider supporting us by donating the following needed items.

Nov. 29 – Dec. 7 → warm hats, gloves, hand warmers

Dec. 8 – Dec. 14 → socks, scarves, sweaters, toe warmers

Dec. 15 – Dec. 21 → blankets & toiletries, winter coats



We are also always in need of **food gift cards** to distribute and to purchase the food for the lunches each week.

Thank you for your continuous support, in donations & prayers, as we do a small part to help those in need in our community.

MASS INTENTIONS are available for **2026**. Masses can be offered for various reasons such as in loving memory of someone who has passed, for the personal intentions of people, for healing, for special occasions and for many others. Intentions remain \$10, and Mass Intention cards are \$2.00.



MASSES OF THE WEEK

9:00am Monday, Dec. 8, 2025

People of St. Thomas the Apostle Parish

8:00am Tuesday, Dec. 9, 2025

† Gerald Lam & Jane Tan

8:00am Wednesday, Dec. 10, 2025

† Anthony Auyong

8:00am Thursday, Dec. 11, 2025

† Joseph Ching

† Souls in Purgatory

8:00am Friday, Dec. 12, 2025

Intentions of Paul Bowen

5:00pm Saturday, Dec. 13, 2025

† Elizabeth Jez

† Ralph Naccarato

† Sandy Acquilla

† John Dos Santos

† Antonio Cabral

† Margarida D'Silva

9:00am Sunday, Dec. 14, 2025

† Bob Shaw

† Lilia Pinto

† David von Roepen

† Laurie Harris

11:30am Sunday, Dec. 14, 2025

People of St. Thomas the Apostle Parish

**Support the CWL Bake Sale
the weekend of Dec 13-14**

by donating your favorite treats and purchasing delicious baked goods. Your generosity helps our community while bringing home festive goodies just in time for Christmas. Join us in spreading holiday cheer—every contribution makes a sweet difference!



Third Sunday of Advent – December 14, 2025 – Year A



8:00am Tuesday, Dec. 16, 2025

† Joachim Neo

† Josephine Micallef

8:00am Wednesday, Dec. 17, 2025

† Joseph Neo & Teresa Chua

8:00am Thursday, Dec. 18, 2025

† Joseph Chua

Intentions of Eldon & Mary Tilley & fam

8:00am Friday, Dec. 19, 2025

† Kruno Penavic

5:00pm Saturday, Dec. 20, 2025

† Ralph Naccarato

† Arduino Gemin

† Lino Losani

† Sympharosa Namsoon Lim

9:00am Sunday, Dec. 21, 2025

† Silva Morgan Perini

† Bob Shaw

† Stephen Chan & Annie Neo

† William Brode

11:30am Sunday, Dec. 21, 2025

People of St. Thomas the Apostle Parish

Christmas Flower Offering

We invite you to help support our decorating initiative by offering a contribution in the Flower Donation Envelope found in the Narthex.

If you're making this donation in memory of a loved one, please write their name on the back of the envelope, or please write the Family name in which the donation is made.

Thank you!



St. Thomas the Apostle Parish December Christmas Schedule

*Many blessings as you journey in the season
of Advent to Christmas!*

Monday, December 8 at 9:00 AM – Special Mass

Mass for the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Thursday, December 18 at 7:00 PM

Mass of Remembrance and Comfort (No morning Mass this day)

Saturday, December 20

Confessions: 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM | 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM

December 20/21 Weekend Masses | Bambinelli Sunday

Blessing of Baby Jesus (Please bring your Baby Jesus figurine to Mass for a blessing)

Christmas Masses

Christmas Eve - Thurs, December 24 ▪ 4:00 PM ▪ 8:00 PM ▪ Midnight

Christmas Day - Friday, December 25 ▪ 11:00 AM

December 27/28 Weekend

Closing of the Jubilee of Hope Year

Feast of the Holy Family (Special Masses for this occasion)

New Year's Eve - Thursday, December 31 ▪ 5:00 PM

New Year's Day - Friday, January 1 ▪ 11:00 AM



SUPPORTING ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE PARISH

Thank you very much for your generosity towards St. Thomas the Apostle Parish. I invite you to **consider pre-authorized withdrawal**. It is an easy and convenient for you to support the parish. If you wish you know more about it kindly contact the parish office. You can also sign up for online giving through our website.

If you wish to make any donations that you want to be included in 2025 income tax receipt, please do so before the **30th of December.**

Thank you and God bless your generosity.