



WELCOME

TO ST. THOMAS EPISCOPAL CHURCH

At St. Thomas Church, we strive to be a community where the dignity of every human being is seen and honored. As Christians, we seek to welcome all of God's people, celebrating the fullness of their being that is inclusive of race, ethnicity, sexual orientation, education, faith history, age, economic status, sex, gender identity and expression, language, physical and cognitive ability. We seek to be the Body of Christ where all members feel safe, loved and that they belong. Whoever you are, and wherever you are on your spiritual journey, there is a place for you at St. Thomas!



UPCOMING

August 8 | Memorial Service for Janet Andrews, in the Chapel, 11am

August 8-9 | Medina Days

August 9 | The Rev. Karen Haig visits as guest preacher; Science Cafes begin

August 16 | We welcome the Rev. Tom Ortung as interim rector

August 2, 2026

Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

WORSHIP

8 & 10am | Holy Eucharist

FORMATION

10am | Children's Chapel



The Rev. Tom Ortung begins as interim rector on August 10, and his first Sunday is August 16.

Are you new to St. Thomas?

New to St. Thomas? Your presence and prayers are a gift to our community. You are fully welcome in this place! If you would like to learn more about St. Thomas, or for us to be in touch with you, please fill out a welcome card in the pew in front of you, and place it in the offering plate before Communion. A member of the clergy will reach out to you.

SCIENCE CAFE

The Campion Fund, a nonprofit promoting fundamental science in men's and women's reproductive health, healthy pregnancies, and healthy babies, will sponsor a three-session series for our congregation and the greater Seattle-Bellevue-Medina community.

Sessions will be held in the Great Hall following the 10 AM service, with refreshments provided.

AUG
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12pm

Origins of the National Institutes of Health and the National Science Foundation as public-private partnerships for innovation and how they function to promote world class science and to educate future scientists.

AUG
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12pm

The second session will focus on young scientists and their future dreams for success. A panel discussion will be presented by two young women who are committed to careers in science.

AUG
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12pm

Dr. Samuel Cripps, a postdoctoral fellow in Dr. Margeaux W. Marbre's Laboratory at Duke University, will be presenting work on electronic cigarettes and their effects on pregnancy.

LEARN MORE



August 26 & 27: 2 volunteers needed. This time, there's no group prep. One volunteer is needed to purchase food; a second to deliver it by 9:30 AM on 8/27, where staff will prepare the meal. **Contact Laurie Angelo: laurie.angelo@outlook.com.**

SUMMER CHILDREN'S CHAPEL

We've created fun themes, interactive singing, videos, ukelele lessons, creative arts & crafts, and amazing faith stories. Kids will discover the ultimate power of gratitude, hear about superheroes of faith, and learn the comforting truth that God takes care of everything.

WHO: Kids aged 4-12 are welcome

WHEN: Sunday July 19, 26, August 2

TIME: 10.00am

WHERE: Kid's Club Room (Parents to sign children in)

REGISTRATION IS OPEN!
SEPTEMBER 18-20

Due to popular demand, we have added 8 more places! If you want one of the spots, please register this Sunday in the great hall, or by e-mailing Mary Waldmann at **rwaldmann1@mac.com**. The spots will fill quickly and we can't add any more, so move quickly to secure your place!

SOUL WORK: A WEEKEND RETREAT FOR WOMEN



LED BY THE REV. KAREN HAIG,
FORMER ASSOCIATE RECTOR OF ST. THOMAS.

Got an announcement? Submit it at least one week in advance to **communications@StThomasMedina.org**.
Be sure to include key details like date, time, and location.



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Office Hours
Monday-Thursday
9AM-3PM

*Call the office to visit
with a specific staff
member, as individual
hours may vary.*

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