



# 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!



*The Keith Highlanders Pipe Band will once again visit us on Pentecost (May 24)!*

## May 17, 2026

### Seventh Sunday of Easter

#### WORSHIP

**8 & 10am** | Holy Eucharist,  
followed by Coffee Hour

**5pm** | Evensong

#### FORMATION

**9am** | Youth Group

**9:45am** | Building Blocks of Faith  
and Godly Play

**11:30am** | The Quest Youth  
Confirmation Class

#### TRANSITION

**9am & 11am** | Transition Forums  
with the Senior Warden in the  
Great Hall

## 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.



Hearing assistive devices are available.  
Please ask an usher.



Childcare is available from 9am-1pm in  
the Childcare Room, located on the  
first floor of the Ebsworth Life Center.

# SUPPORT ST. THOMAS TODAY!

Scan the QR code or go to [stthomasmedina.org/giving](http://stthomasmedina.org/giving).



## UPCOMING AT ST. THOMAS

**TODAY** | Seventh Sunday of Easter

Holy Eucharist at 8 and 10am,

followed by Coffee Hour

Youth Group at 9am

Transition Forums in the Great Hall at 9am and 11am

The Quest Youth Confirmation Class at 11:30am

Evensong at 5pm

**May 24** | Pentecost Sunday

Baptisms during the 10am service

Keith Highlanders perform after the 10am service

Tiny Home Building Info Session at 11:30am

**May 28** | PorchLight Cooking Party, 9-11am

**May 31** | Youth Sunday at St. Thomas

Last Sunday Family Breakfast at 9am, *will include a special breakfast for graduating seniors*

Housing Forums in the Great Hall at 9am and 11am

Series on Christianity with Dr. Phil Ballinger at 11am

PorchLight Rotating Shelter signups begin

**June 6** | Men's Breakfast at 9am

**June 7** | Second Sunday after Pentecost

Bishop Phil LaBelle visits St. Thomas!

Chorister Sunday

Confirmations during the 10am service

Evensong at 5pm

**June 13** | Tiny Home Building Project

## UPCOMING FORUMS



In an effort to keep everyone updated on everything going on at St. Thomas, we will be holding informational Forums on the following topics. **Join us Sundays after both services in the Great Hall.**

- MAY 17TH** Our Senior Warden will discuss our current Transition and share the next steps as we prepare for an Interim Rector
- MAY 31ST** Our Rector Housing committee will update us on their progress

STAY TUNED FOR MORE  
TIMELY TOPIC DISCUSSIONS  
ON FUTURE SUNDAYS!



### KITCHEN PARTIES



Help is next needed to cook for the PorchLight Emergency Men's Shelter on:

MAY 28  
JUNE 16

PLEASE CONTACT LAURIE ANGELO TO HELP: [LAURIEANGELO@OUTLOOK.COM](mailto:LAURIEANGELO@OUTLOOK.COM).

## Choral Evensong

Sunday, May 17 • 5pm



# THANK YOU

WE ARE GRATEFUL FOR THE MANY HANDS THAT MAKE ST. THOMAS A FLOURISHING COMMUNITY

## MAY 31 AT THE 10AM SERVICE YOUTH SUNDAY

Join us on Sunday, May 31 as our children and youth help lead worship at the 10am service through readings, prayers, ushering, and preaching reflections. We'll also honor our graduating seniors. Youth Sunday is one of the most joyful Sundays of the year—we hope you'll be there as we celebrate the faith and leadership of our young people.



Sunday, May 31

## LAST SUNDAY FAMILY BREAKFAST

All families with kids are invited on the last Sunday of each month to breakfast at 9am in the Ebsworth Life Center.



ST. THOMAS CHURCH  
MUSIC ACADEMY



welcomes students of all ages, levels, and abilities for private lessons in piano, organ, flute, and voice. Offered Monday through Friday by a small, highly accomplished faculty, lessons take place right on the St. Thomas campus.

LEARN MORE



## Rotating Shelter

July 1-July 31 at  
St. Thomas Episcopal Church

For the 33rd year, St. Thomas will be hosting the Porchlight Rotating Shelter for the month of July!

To make a monetary donation to help pay for essentials, scan the QR code! You can also make checks payable to St. Thomas with "PL-RS or PLRS" in the memo line and mail to: St. Thomas Episcopal Church, P.O. Box 124, Medina, WA 98039 or place in Jean Waite's mailbox.



While the men stay at St. Thomas, volunteers are needed to cook dinners (either in their homes or the church's kitchen), then serve them! Signups will be available during Coffee Hour after some 8am and all 10am services beginning May 31. If you can't sign up during one of those times please contact Laurie Angelo, (425) 466-6892, laurie.angelo@outlook.com.

We will also need funds to cover breakfast and lunch, as well as cleaning, laundry, toiletries, and kitchen supplies. Donations of any amount are greatly appreciated!

\$35 provides a month of toiletries for 1 man

\$40 will buy a pillow, bath towel, and blanket for 1 man

\$75 will buy breakfast for 15 men

\$90 will buy lunch for 15 men

\$500 to the dental program





**Men's Breakfast**  
Saturday, 6/6 at 9am

Join us in the library for a meal, fellowship, and to talk about upcoming service opportunities.



**JUNE 29-JULY 3**

**WHO IS MY NEIGHBOR?**

A **joyful summer camp**, for kids entering K-5<sup>th</sup> grade, filled with **curiosity, creativity, and connection**



 [STTHOMASMEDINA.ORG/SUMMER-CAMP](http://STTHOMASMEDINA.ORG/SUMMER-CAMP)

REGISTER BY MAY 29

**HELP BUILD A TINY HOME!**

**June 13**



Ages 16+ invited. No experience needed—just energy, gloves, and clothes you can get dirty.

This is a special project: St. Thomas has purchased the materials for this build. **Questions or to sign up:** Peter (425) 777-0010 [pgjustus@gmail.com](mailto:pgjustus@gmail.com)

**Info Session**

May 24  
**11:30am**



Eucharistic Visits are available for those unable to attend Sunday worship. During a visit, a trained lay Eucharistic Visitor or clergy person brings Holy Communion, offering a way to stay connected to St. Thomas. Visits can be made to homes, hospitals, rehabilitation centers, and care facilities, whether short-term or ongoing.

TO REQUEST A VISIT, CONTACT: GAIL JOYCE AT (425) 829-6804 OR [GAILJOYCE@GMAIL.COM](mailto:GAILJOYCE@GMAIL.COM) OR MARY PNEUMAN AT (425) 765-2784 OR [MARY.PNEUMAN@OUTLOOK.COM](mailto:MARY.PNEUMAN@OUTLOOK.COM).

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



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EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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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.*

**A NOTE ABOUT WORSHIP**

This worship service takes place in an area where photography, audio, and video recording will occur. Attending and participating in the service confirms consent to such recording and to the release, publication, exhibition, or reproduction of all related forms of media.