



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!



January 4, 2026

**Feast of the
Epiphany**

WORSHIP

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

FORMATION

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

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.



UPCOMING

TODAY | Feast of the Epiphany (*transferred*)
Holy Eucharist at 8am and 10am, followed
by Coffee Hour
Youth Group at 9am

January 11 | First Sunday after Epiphany
Town Hall on St. Thomas's Financial Health at 9am
Baptisms during 10am service
Coffee with Clergy at 11:15am (Library)
Memorial Service for Janet Jones, 2pm

January 15 | A Toast to You Reception

January 16 | Game Night

January 18 | Evensong at 5pm

January 25 | Blessing of the Stained Glass Windows
Last Sunday Family Breakfast at 9am
Children's Chapel at 10am
Memorial Service for Jan Johnson, 2pm

February 1 | St. Thomas Annual Meeting at 10am



LISTENING TO THE LAND RETREAT JAN. 16-18

Sacred Waters Center | Union, WA



UPCOMING COMMUNITY MEETINGS

**Town Hall on
St. Thomas's
Financial Health
January 11 at 9am**



**Annual Meeting
February 1 at 10am**

**There will only be one
service, at 9am, followed
immediately by the
Annual Meeting.**





Chorister Program



**Do you love it when
your child sings?
So do we.**

The Chorister Program at St. Thomas is open to singers in grades 1-8 who want to develop strong voices, sharpen their musical skills, and be part of a vibrant tradition.

Contact JACKIE
STTHOMASMEDINA.ORG

REHEARSALS TAKE PLACE ON WEDNESDAY EVENINGS FROM 5:15-6:15 P.M. THE COST IS \$375 PER YEAR FOR NON-PLEDGING MEMBERS OF ST. THOMAS CHURCH. SCHOLARSHIPS ARE AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST.

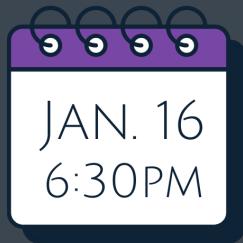
NOW MEETING IN MEMBERS' HOMES

GAME NIGHT



For any questions, including the current month's meeting location, please call or email:

Peter or Sheila Justus
425-646-7856 or pgjustus@gmail.com
Peter or Nancy Pitarys
425-891-3917 or
npitarys923@gmail.com



Choral Evensong

Sunday, January 18 • 5pm



HELP BUILD TINY HOMES!

**January 24
9am-3:30pm**



Volunteer to help build tiny homes!

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

**Sign
Up**

**PETER: 425-646-7856
PGJUSTUS@GMAIL.COM**

Sunday, January 11

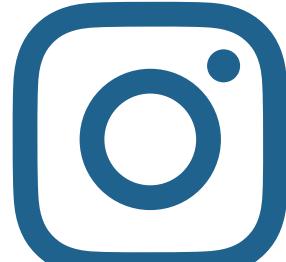
COFFEE WITH THE CLERGY

New to St. Thomas or just visiting?
Please join us for an informal conversation with Mother Liz and Father Edmond.

11:15am in the Vesta Lloyd Parlor located in the Ebsworth Life Center

Questions? Contact Margie Gerrity at margiegerrity@gmail.com.

**ST. THOMAS IS
ON SOCIAL MEDIA.**





KITCHEN PARTIES

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

JAN. 7



We begin cooking at St. Thomas at 9am and finish by 11am, then load up and head to the shelter, arriving around 11:30am. Lunch for 75 men is served at noon, and we stay to share the meal together. We're usually back in the church parking lot by 1:15-1:30pm. You're welcome to join us just for cooking or just for serving—but it's especially fun and rewarding to do both.

TO HELP, CONTACT LAURIE:
LAURIE.ANGELO@OUTLOOK.COM.

Donations received at this free concert will support future St. Thomas Music Guild concerts and events.



Spring 2026 Schedule

Valentine's Day Concert

Feb. 14 7:30pm

Bach Birthday Bash

March 22 2pm

Two Pianos, Forty Fingers
Governor's Chamber
Music Series

May 3 2pm

Concerts will be followed by a reception.

PATRON OF THE GOSPEL
PHILIP
LYDIA

STAINED GLASS BLESSING
Our eight new windows,
featuring women of the Bible, will be blessed by Bishop Melissa Skelton on January 25 at the 10am service.

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.