18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Catholic Parishes in Jamaica Plain & Roxbury
Parroquias Católicas en Jamaica Plain y Roxbury

Taking the five loaves and the two fish, and looking up to heaven,
he said the blessing, broke the loaves, and gave them to the disciples,
who in turn gave them to the crowds. Matthew 14:19

WELCOME

WELCOME TO OUR PARISHES IN COLLABORATION
BIENVENIDOS A NUESTRAS PARROQUIAS EN COLABORACION

St. Mary of the Angels	Our Lady of Lourdes	St. Thomas Aquinas
Santa María de los Ángeles	Nuestra Señora de Lourdes	Santo Tomás de Aquino
377 Walnut Avenue,	14 Montebello Rd	97 South Street
Roxbury, MA 02119	Jamaica Plain, MA 02130	Jamaica Plain, MA 02130

Mass Intentions for the Week

St. Thomas Aquinas

Sat. Aug 01	4:00 pm	J. Peter Griffin
Sun. Aug. 02	10:00 am	Fr. James Coffey
	12:30 pm	Alba Aurora Arias, Gardenia Arias, Francia Arias
Mon. Aug. 03	12:00 pm	Thomas Kilday
Tue. Aug. 04	12:00 pm	Jane Callahan
Thu. Aug. 06	12:00 pm	Thomas Lohan
Fri. Aug. 07	12:00 pm	Ann Clinton
Sat. Aug 08	4:00 pm	J. Peter Griffin

Our Lady of Lourdes

Sun. Aug. 02	8:00 am	Lydia Chalas, Julia Sanchez
	10:00 am	Margaret McLaughlin
	11:30 pm	Por todos los Feligreses

St. Mary of the Angels

Sun. Aug. 02	9:00 am	For all Parishioners
	11:15 am	Por todos los Feligreses

Confessions: Saturday from 3:00 to 4:00 P.M. in Saint Thomas Aquinas Lower Church (Chapel)

Confesiones: Sábados de 3:00 P.M. a 4:00 P.M. en la Capilla de Santo Tomás de Aquino.

Sunday Collection~Colecta Dominical

St. Thomas Aquinas
July 26th: not counted yet.

Our Lady of Lourdes
July 19th: $2,641.00
July 26th: not counted yet.

St. Mary of the Angels
July 19 and 26: $1,640.00
Online Collection July 2026:
Offertory Collection $3,659.41
RRFF Collection: $2,126.23

LAS PUERTAS DEL TEMPLO DE STO. TOMAS DE AQUINO ESTÁN ABIERTAS TODOS LOS DÍAS DE 9:00 AM A 9:00 PM PARA ORACION PERSONAL

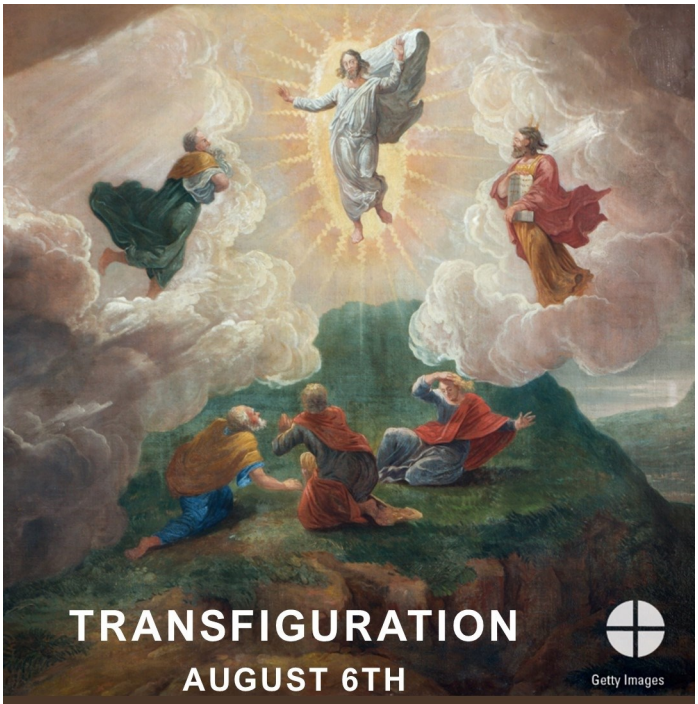
THE DOORS OF ST. THOMAS AQUINAS CHURCH ARE OPEN DAILY FROM 9AM TO 9PM FOR PERSONAL PRAYER.

Weekday Masses in English
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday @ 12:00 PM
at St. Thomas Aquinas Chapel

Misas en Español durante la semana
Jueves: 7pm en la Capilla de Sto. Tomás de Aquino

Viernes: 7pm en Nuestra Señora de Lourdes

BIENVENIDOS



The Feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord honors when the apostles get their first real glimpse of Jesus in his ultimate glory.

La Fiesta de la Transfiguración del Señor honra el momento en el que los apóstoles, por vez primera, ven realmente a Jesús en su máxima gloria.

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Year A

First Reading — Isaiah 55:1-3: The LORD invites everyone to come and receive food and drink without cost, promising life and renewal of the everlasting covenant.

Responsorial Psalm — Psalm 145: The Lord is kind, merciful, and just, providing for all and close to those who sincerely call on him. He satisfies every need.

Second Reading — Romans 8:35, 37-39: Nothing can separate us from God's love in Christ, not even life's greatest challenges or spiritual forces.

Gospel — Matthew 14:13-21: Jesus withdrew to a remote place, where crowds followed him. Despite the disciples' concerns, Jesus miraculously fed over five thousand men with just five loaves and two fish.

Life of a Poor Clare

In Honor of Saint Clare, every year there is 3 days of Prayer . This year is from August 8th through 10th at Monastery of St. Clare in Westwood. Please do send your intentions by email: poorclarenunsboston@gmail.com

Saint Mary's of the Angels
Reminder - Sunday, August 16
Food Pantry Donation Drive

Please remember to bring your nonperishable food donations for the Food Pantry next Sunday and place in the box at the back of the church**. Please do not leave any food outside the church or parish house doors. Remember, we cannot use any food that is expired, so please check the date before donating.**

We are now having to purchase fresh fruits and vegetables more often, when they are not available from the Food Bank, so we are also asking those who can, to please consider making a financial donation to the food pantry. Just write "food pantry" on your check or put the cash in the envelopes in the back of the church marked "SMA food pantry donations" and place the donation in the collection basket. Pease share this email with others. Thank you for your generosity.

Santa Maria de los Angeles
Recordatorio—Domingo, 16 de Agosto Campaña de donación de despensa de Alimentos

Recuerde traer sus donaciones de alimentos no perecederos, para la despensa de alimentos y colóquelos en la caja en la parte posterior de la iglesia, **por favor no dejen los alimentos en nigun otro lugar, incluso no deje ningún alimento fuera de las puertas de la iglesia o de la casa parroquial. Recuerden, no podemos usar ningún alimento que esté caducado, así que por favor verifique la fecha antes de donar.**

PLEASE RETURN SOLD TICKETS !!!
We do need to know where are we standing
*The raffle will be held on **September 27th**.*
POR FAVOR DEVUELVA BOLETOS VENDIDOS !!!
Nesitamos saber como estamos en las ventas de los "tickets".
La rifa será **el 27 de Septiembre**.

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IVC New England

Ignatian Volunteer Corps (IVC) New England is interviewing applicants now for fall openings. IVC Service Corps Members combine direct service opportunities at local non-profits serving those in need in our communities with monthly spiritual reflection in the Jesuit tradition. Volunteers, 50 years of age and better, serve one or two full days/week from September through June. For more information and an application, contact IVC New England Director Dave Hinchen @ dhinchen@ivcusa.org. Check out our website at www.ivcusa.org/newengland.

Parroquias de Jamaica Plain y Roxbury

12 HORAS de
Adoración al Santísimo el **Viernes 7 de Agosto**!

En la Capilla de Nuestra Señora de Lourdes.

Comienza después de la Santa Misa de las 7:00 pm y termina a las 8:00 AM del Sábado .

(Por favor, entren por la puerta lateral de la calle Marmion que da acceso al sótano.)

Saturday, August 15th, 2026 The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary IS NOT A DAY OF OBLIGATION THIS YEAR

Sábado, 15 de Agosto del 2025
La Asunción de la Santísima Virgen María
NO ES UN DIA DE OBLIGACIÓN ESTE AÑO

PROXIMOS BAUTISMOS EN ESPAÑOL

Para bebés y niños menores de 6 años

Mes de September 2026

- **Clase**: **Sábado 5 de Septiembre a la 1:00 pm** en la Iglesia de Santo Tomás de Aquino.
- Bautismos en Nuestra Señora de Lourdes: **Sábado 12 de Septiembre @ 2:00 pm.**
- Bautismos en Santo Tomas de Aquino: **Sábado 19 de Septiembre @ 2:00 pm.**
- Bautismos en Santa María de los Angeles: **Domingo 27 de Septiembre @ 12:30 pm.**

El primer paso es hacer una cita con un sacerdote llamando a la rectoría (617-524-0240)

NEXT BAPTISMS IN ENGLISH -

For infants and children under 6

August 2026

- **Class**: Saturday, August 15 @ 12:30 pm @ Saint Thomas Aquinas Church
- **Baptisms**: Saturday, August 22 @ Our Lady of Lourdes 2:00 pm
- **Baptisms**: Saturday, August 22 @ St. Thomas Aquinas 1:00 PM
- **Baptisms**: Sunday, August 23 @ St. Mary of the Angels 10:00 am

If you are interested, please call the rectory to make an appointment with a priest

BLESSED SACRAMENT ADORATION
ADORACION DEL SANTISIMO

Please come to adore the Blessed Sacrament at the following hours and places:

Tuesday/ Martes @ St Mary of the Angels from 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Thursday / Jueves @ St. Thomas Aquinas from 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm

Friday/Viernes de 6:00 pm en NS de Lourdes

Grupo de Oración

El grupo de Oración Carismático en Español de nuestra colaborativa se reúne para alabar y escuchar la palabra de Dios

Miércoles en NS de Lourdes a las 7:00PM.

¡Acompáñenos!

Rev. Carlos Flor, Pastor
Rev. Felipe Gonzalez, Vicar
Rev. Mr. Rafael Bautista, Permanent Deacon
Rectory: 97 South Street, Jamaica Plain, MA

Tel: 617-524-0240
For emergencies call the parish and dial option 1
Para emergencias, llame a la parroquia y marque el 1.

Fax: 617-524-1840
e-mail: stthosaq@comcast.net

Rose Gilles, Finance & Operations Manager
Amaryllis Nieto, Administrative Assistant

Website: **www.catholicjproxbury.com**

Parish Office Hours - *Horas de oficina*
Monday - Friday: 9:00am–5:00pm
at 97 South Street, Jamaica Plain, MA

Confessions - Confesiones
St. Thomas Aquinas's Chapel Saturday 3:00pm - 4:00pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
St. Mary of the Angels: Tuesdays from 7 PM to 8 PM
St. Thomas Aquinas: Thursdays from 6 PM to 7PM
Our Lady of Lourdes: Fridays from 7:30PM to 8:30 PM

Religious Education - Educación Religiosa
Our Lady of Lourdes: Sunday 11:00 - 12:00 pm
St. Thomas Aquinas: Sunday 11:00 - 12:00 pm
St. Mary of the Angels: Sunday 10:15 - 11:15 am

Please call the Rectory for:
Llame la Rectoría para:

- Baptism - *Bautismo* • Marriage - *Bodas*
- Adult Religious Education - *RICA*
- Care of the Sick - *Visitas a los Enfermos*
- Confirmation - *Confirmación*

Saint Mary of the Angels is a multicultural and multilingual Catholic community of believers in Jesus Christ and His message. We strive to live our faith in joyful worship, providing spiritual nourishment, a welcoming and inclusive environment and sense of family in all our activities, and committing ourselves to promote justice in our neighborhood and the broader world.

La Parroquia Santa María de los Ángeles es una comunidad Católica multicultural y multilingüe de creyentes en Jesucristo y su mensaje. Nosotros procuramos vivir nuestra fe en alegre adoración, proveyendo alimento espiritual, un ambiente agradable e inclusivo y un sentido de familia en todas nuestras actividades, y comprometiéndonos a promover justicia en nuestra vecindad y el mundo más amplio.

ST. THOMAS AQUINAS PARISH

Masses Schedule - Horario de las Misas

Saturday: 4:00pm English
Evening Mass for the NC Way (call the rectory for more information)

Sunday Masses • Misa los Domingos
10:00am English 12:30pm Español

Daily Mass • Misa diaria
12:00pm Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday (English)
7:00pm Jueves (Español)

OUR LADY OF LOURDES PARISH

Sunday Masses • Misa los Domingos
8:00am Español 10:00am English
12:30pm Español

Daily Mass • Misa diaria
7:00pm Viernes (Español)

ST. MARY OF THE ANGELS PARISH

Sunday Masses • Misa los Domingos
9:00am English 11:15am Español

Food Pantry-Despensa de Comida ***617-833-1898***

St. Mary of the Angels Mission Statement