WELCOME TO THE NSA MONTEREY CHAPEL
ST. THOMAS AQUINAS ROMAN CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

2 DECEMBER 2018
FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

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SUNDAY MASS: 0900
WEEKDAY MASS (MON – THURS): 1205
HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION: 1205 & 1715

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE
CONFESSION/RECONCILIATION

Available by Appointment & the
First and Third Sunday of each month 0830-0900

ATTENDANCE & FINANCIALS
Sunday, November 25, 2018: 120
Weekday: 41
Offering: $675.26

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JUST FOR MASS:
Fall and the leaves are turning color. A change of season. You could help a non-practicing Catholic to begin a new season with the church. Just invite them to attend Mass with you one time, with no obligation beyond that. Then let God do the heavy lifting...

DAILY MASS: AN IDEA WHOSE TIME HAS COME?
Many of us may have thought about attending daily Mass, but there never seems to be enough time. Studies, family life, sports, you name it. Too many things to do! But there is good news. If we attend daily Mass, somehow God can make us more effective in our relationships, work, and play. So give daily Mass a try - a one week trial should let you know if it is something good for you and your life. It’s worth the gamble!

Volunteers Needed: St. Thomas Aquinas Chapel Ministries
Please consider helping the St. Thomas Aquinas community through service to the parish. We are in need of ushers, extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion, lectors, altar servers, daily Mass servers, religious education teachers, or anywhere you can help. We thank you for your prayerful consideration; please contact John Gats at jvgats@nps.edu if you can help.

Monterey Knights of Columbus:
The Monterey Knights of Columbus council 1465 meets at 462 Webster Street on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month at 7:00 pm. The council serves all requests from the local clergy and most of our manpower is drawn from St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic community. The 2nd Wednesday of each month is a family social where we offer a place for families to socialize and find support. Upcoming meetings include: On the 1st Thursday of each month, the council meets in the St. Angela Merici Parish Hall (146 8th st. Pacific Grove). We are a group of women associated with the military who come together to learn about our faith, serve our community, and provide fellowship for one another. We hope you will come join us! For more information please email: cwoc.montereyca@gmail.com and find us on Facebook at: Catholic Women of the Chapel (CWOC) ~ Monterey, ca

ST. NICHOLAS

ST. NICHOLAS is named in the preparation of the Byzantine Mass. St. Nicholas became recognized as a saint long before the Roman Catholic Church began the regular canonizing procedures in the late tenth century. Therefore, he does not have a specific date of canonization, rather records of him exist in a gradual spread until his stories became widely known and celebrated. St. Nicholas’ feast day is December 6.


Thanksgiving Day Service
The NPS chapel will have one Mass on Thanksgiving Day at 0900.

Weekday Readings:
MON 3: IS 2:1-5; PS 122:1-2, 3-4B, 4CD-5, 6-7, 8-9; SEE PS 80:4; MT 8:5-11
TUE 4: IS 11:1-10; PS 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17; LK 10:21-24
WED 5: IS 25:6-10A; PS 23:1-3A, 3B-4, 5, 6; MT 15:29-37
SAT 8: GN 3:9-15, 20; PS 98:1, 2-3AB, 3CD-4; EPH 1:3-6, 11-12; SEE LK 1:28;
LK 1:26-38

ATTENTION CATHOLIC WOMEN:
Are you feeling like you need to take a breath? Come join refresh for walks on local scenic trails, dining entertainment, and conversation among like-minded friends. We are striving for 1-2 events a month and we would love to connect with you!

Catholic Women of the Chapel:
The Catholic Women of the Chapel will be meeting on Wednesdays from 9:30-11:30am at St. Angela Merci Parish Hall (146 8th st. Pacific Grove). We are a group of women associated with the military who come together to learn about our faith, serve our community, and provide fellowship for one another. We hope you will come join us! For more information please email: cwoc.montereyca@gmail.com and find us on Facebook at: Catholic Women of the Chapel (CWOC) ~ Monterey, ca

UPCOMING EVENTS:
If you are interested in any of the below events - text Kristen Earp @ 360-286-7495 so we know you are coming!
- 11/17th (Sat) - Jack’s Peak hike @ 8:45 am
- 12/19th (Wed) - Corkz & Forkz club Del Monte @ 5:30 pm - craft cocktails theme. Call 831-656-7512 or email mwrcatering@nps.edu for more information (tickets can be purchased in the Trident Room or ITT office in Herrmann hall)
- JAN EVENT- TBD