

SAINT JOHN VIANNEY

2/03/2019: \$3,183.00 Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time

FIFTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME 02/10/2019

62 Envelopes:	\$1,805.00
9 Loose Checks:	\$ 194.00
Loose Cash:	\$ 237.00
Total	\$2,236.00
7 Online Giving:	\$ 315.00

Last Year: \$2,294.00 Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time

SAINT THOMAS THE APOSTLE

2/03/2019: \$6,403.00 Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time

FIFTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME 02/10/2019

160 Envelopes:	\$3,917.25
20 Loose Checks:	\$3,157.25
Loose Cash:	\$ 432.00
Total	\$7,506.50
11 Online Giving:	\$ 345.00

Last Year: \$5,579.00 Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Diocesan Assessment: \$3,428.00

Diocesan Assessment still outstanding: \$25,005.00

IMPORTANT INFORMATION TO OUR PARISHIONERS



The regular use of your Sunday envelopes is very important! Whenever we do not have a record of contributions and attendance or when they have ceased, we have NO way of knowing whether someone is still worshipping with our community. It is simple to establish and maintain a record of attendance at Mass and parish support but filling out an registration form alone does NOT accomplish this, USING YOUR NUMBERED ENVELOPES ON SUNDAY does (or including your name or envelope number on whatever envelope you use). Email us (terry@ststthomasjohn.org) or stop by the parish office (Office hours are M-F 9:00 AM– 4:00 PM) so we can get you set up to receive envelopes. If you are registered but have not used your Parish Envelopes in the past two (2) years, you will no longer receive pre printed envelopes.

Sister Thea Bowman

Did you know that a little Methodist girl born, Bertha Bowman, in Yazoo City, Mississippi, grew up to be a renowned Roman Catholic nun, teacher and scholar?

Sr. Thea Bowman became Catholic when she was nine years old. She later went to college and then became the first African American to join the Franciscan Sisters of Perpetual Adoration in Wis.

After 16 years of teaching at the elementary, secondary and college levels, Sr. Thea Bowman was invited to be a special consultant for the Catholic Church. She gave presentations around the country aimed at bridging racial and cultural divisions. She combined her gifts of singing and gospel preaching, with prayers and storytelling. Sr. Thea Bowman was diagnosed with bone cancer in 1984. Yet, she continued her fight against the evils that drive people apart, from her wheel chair, until her death at age 53 in 1990. Sr. Thea Bowman said she prayed "to live until I die – to live fully." And that she did.



Sister Thea in 1985