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THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

*God mounts his throne amid
shouts of joy; the LORD, amid
trumpet blasts.*

— Psalm 47:6

**ST. THOMAS THE
APOSTLE CATHOLIC
CHURCH MISSION
STATEMENT**

*Led by the Holy Spirit, rooted
in the Eucharist, St. Thomas
the Apostle strives to be an
inclusive servant community
— to be Christ in the World.*

*We bear the Good News
of God's unconditional love
to all generations through
worship, faith formation,
witness and service.*

The Ascension of the Lord

*Men of Galilee,
why are you
standing there
looking at the sky?*

Acts 1:11



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May 29, 2022

ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Liturgy Schedule

Daily

Mass: 8:30 am, Monday–Saturday

Wednesdays

Communion Service: 6:30 am

Weekend

Saturday Mass of Anticipation: 4:30 pm
Sunday: 8:00 am, 9:30 am and 11:15 am

The Saturday 4:30 pm Mass will be livestreamed
with an outdoor communion option.

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in the WORD

with Fr. Danaher



Dear Parish Family,

We hear different versions of Jesus' ascension from the same author, St. Luke.

The scene in the beginning of today's gospel from Luke is Jesus' appearance to His disciples on the day of His resurrection. It concludes with "Then he led them out as far as Bethany and was taken up to heaven." Does "then" mean that Jesus was taken up to heaven on the first Easter Sunday? Or was Jesus taken up to heaven forty days after His resurrection, which is how Luke described it in the Acts of the Apostles?

When you think about it, how long our Lord lived with us between the time of His resurrection and ascension is not important. What is important is remembering that God loved us so much that He lived with us.

On this Memorial Day weekend, when we remember all who showed us how important we are to them by sacrificing their lives in the service of our country, let us praise and thank God for making us important to Him by living with us.

In the Word,

Fr. Danaher

Memorial Day

On Memorial Day, Monday, May 30, St. Thomas will celebrate Mass at 9:00 am in the Church. There will be no 6:30 am Communion Service on this day.



Presider Schedule June 4-5

Saturday, June 4

4:30 pm: Fr. Matt Lorenz

Sunday, June 5

8:00 am: Fr. Joseph Kappilumakkal

9:30 am: Fr. Joseph Kappilumakkal

11:15 am: Fr. Philip Danaher

Presider schedule is subject to change.

Readings for Today

First Reading — Jesus tells the disciples that they will be witnesses to the ends of the earth (Acts 1:1-11).

Psalm — God mounts his throne to shouts of joy: a blare of trumpets for the Lord (Psalm 47).

Second Reading — God seated Jesus at his right hand in the heavens (Ephesians 1:17-23) or Hebrews 9:24-28; 10:19-23.

Gospel — As Jesus blessed his disciples he parted from them and was taken up to heaven (Luke 24:46-53).

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Readings for the Week

Monday: Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab; Jn 16:29-33

Tuesday: Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6; Lk 1:39-56

Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38; Ps 68:29-30, 33-36ab; Jn 17:11b-19

Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11; Jn 17:20-26

Friday: Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab; Jn 21:15-19

Saturday: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5, 7; Jn 21:20-25

Sunday: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5; Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-30; Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39
Day: Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-31, 34; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Rom 8:8-17; Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 14:15-16, 23b-26

Welcome Guests and Visitors!

We're so glad you're here and invite you to walk the path of faith with us. St. Thomas strives to provide a spiritual home where all are welcome, where the healing, reconciling, liberating love of God is shared by all. Join us!

New Parishioners

Nicholas and Lisa Hanna and Family

Would you like to become a parishioner?

Call Maureen Januszewski in the General Office at 630.355.8980, x100.

Calling All Men!

Would you be interested in learning more about membership in our St. Thomas Knights of Columbus council? For an introduction, contact David Yelaska at cseaaskme@gmail.com.



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Prayer for Memorial Day

*God of power and mercy,
you destroy war and put down earthly pride.
Banish violence from our midst and wipe away our tears,
that we may all deserve to be called
your sons and daughters.
Keep in your mercy those men and women
who have died in the cause of freedom
and bring them safely
into your kingdom of justice and peace.
We ask this though Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen*

Source – *Catholic Household Blessings and Prayers* © USCCB

Reflection on the Readings

On this feast of the Ascension, we remember that Christ's ascension marks the definitive entrance of Jesus' humanity into God's heavenly domain (CCC #665). This feast reminds us that like the first disciples, we are not to dally "looking up at the sky," but are to get busy proclaiming the glory of God's kingdom by the witness of our lives.

The Ascension of the Lord Still Going, Still Baptizing, Still Saving

Jesus is lifted up to the right hand of God. Jesus, however, is both in heaven and in our midst. Jesus is surely ascended, but absolutely still with us too! So, what does that mean for us? Baptism makes a big difference in earthly life. It claims us for Christ and claims us for heaven. Because we now look like Him, we are charged to act like Him.

- Where or to whom am I being sent this week? Will I go?
- How will I radiate baptismal purity in word and deed?
- What mercy work will fill my words and deeds?

Donut Sunday is back June 5!

You are invited to be part of Donut Sunday after all Masses Sunday, June 5 to celebrate Pentecost Sunday!

Currently, the donut ministry is looking for some families and volunteers to help June 5. No experience needed. To find out more about this fun ministry, please contact Lorraine Katz at 630.355.8980, x109 or lkatz@stapostle.org..



Liturgy Schedule and Mass Intentions

Intentions for this weekend

Sunday, May 29, 2022

The Ascension of the Lord

- 4:30 pm *Mass of Anticipation*
†Jim Johnson, by Sue Reuter
†Joan Sabo, by John and Beth
- 8:00 am For the People of St. Thomas
9:30 am †Chester and Irene Wojcik, by Ken and Bob Wojcik
†Marvin Schulgen, by Jan and Robert Hays
11:15 am Gene Kilcawley, by Mary Davidowski
†Leonard Kepil, by Chris and Kathy Singer

Intentions for this week

Monday, May 30, 2022

Easter Weekday

- 8:30 am †Nya Saye, by Better Half

Tuesday, May 31, 2022

Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

- 8:30 am †William Raef, by Battisto Family

Wednesday, June 1, 2022

St. Justin, Martyr

- 8:30 am Healing for Margo Easton, by Audrey Easton

Thursday, June 2, 2022

Easter Weekday

- 8:30 am †Tom Dederichs, by Your Friends at St. Thomas

Friday, June 3, 2022

St. Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs

- 8:30 am †Jackie Pope, by Patti Jameson

Saturday, June 4, 2022

Easter Weekday

- 8:30 am
4:30 pm *Mass of Anticipation*
For the People of St. Thomas

Sunday, June 5, 2022

Pentecost Sunday

- 8:00 am †Hortencia Monterio, Neville and Family
9:30 am †Joseph Chalupka, by Mark and Agatha Chalupka
†Dorothy and Ray Schaeffer, by Ed and Kay Agustin
†Irene Wojcik, by Ken and Bob Wojcik
11:15 am †Tantaco Family, by Sr. Mary Vianney



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C.A.R.E CORNER

This next series of saints were known as good “confessors.” They were Christians who bore sound witness to the faith and they were priests who were particularly skilled at hearing confessions and effecting reconciliation. The first such saint in this series is St. Philip Neri, born in Florence, Italy in 1515. Philip had a warm personality and a great sense of humor. He was especially gifted

at starting conversations with people regarding the Christian way of life. In 1544, Philip had an encounter with God while praying in the catacombs of Rome. An intense love enveloped him and from then on, he burned with charity, humor and joy. He attributed his enlarged heart to the work of the Holy Spirit. After his death, an autopsy revealed that 2 of his ribs had been pushed aside to allow for the expansion of his heart. Following the study of philosophy and theology, he was ordained to the priesthood in 1551.

In Rome, Philip served the poor and promoted the Forty Hours devotion. Philip led groups in Bible studies, music and pilgrimages to the Seven principal Churches of Rome. He also founded an order of priests – the Congregation of the Oratory – known as the Oratorians. Philip was a great listener and spent a lot of his time in the confessional. He had a knack for breaking through people’s pretenses, but in a light and charitable manner. He was humble and joyful and helped others move toward personal holiness. He died in Rome in 1595 and was canonized shortly thereafter in 1622.



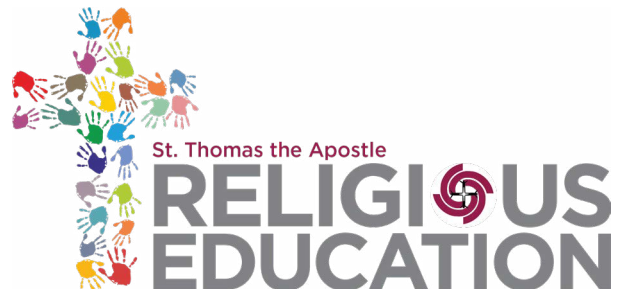
Summer Labyrinth Walk

Unwind and embrace the first evening of summer! Join the Labyrinth Walk on the outdoor labyrinth (weather permitting, otherwise indoors) at 7:00 pm Tuesday, June 21. Sometimes called a “walking meditation,” or, in the words of one prayer “a stroll with your soul,” the labyrinth is a perfect way to give thanks and praise to God in the midst of creation. Just come – no reservation necessary!



Coming Soon ... Religious Education Registration

Registration for Elementary and Middle School Religious Education for the 2022-2023 school year will be available in early June. Registration is due July 1 to avoid a late fee.



Special Note to Parents of a Pre K or Kindergarten Child

Do you have a Pre-Kindergarten or Kindergarten child (age 4 or 5 by September 1)? Religious Education classes are available for your child. Registration materials are coming in June. Please contact the Religious Education office at 630.305.6318 or readmin@stapostle.org or Lorraine Katz at lkatz@stapostle.org or 630.355.8980, x109 for more information.



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Thank YOU!

Holy smokes!!! Thank you so much for supporting the drive-thru BBQ. The money raised will help support middle school students and their chaperones participate in Week of Hope, a service trip experience in Kenosha, Wis. We are so happy to be going in the name of St. Thomas.

In addition, a huge thank you goes out to Tim Berglind, Bob Morgan, and members of the Knights of Columbus who gave generously of their time and talent to make the BBQ happen. Thanks for the support!



Service with a smile from Nadia and Norah Shae Bocher.

Baby Wipes and Diapers Needed

St. Thomas middle school students will serve as part of Week of Hope in Kenosha, Wis., from June 19–24. One of the organizations which is served as part of Week of Hope is the Foster Family Support Network. As a gift to that organization, we are being asked to bring diapers and baby wipes. If you would like to help us generously gift the Foster Family Support Network, please bring diaper and wipe donations to St. Thomas by Friday, June 17.

The donations can be brought to Peggy's office.

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Prayer for the End of This School Year

*Lord of beginnings and endings,
We have studied and struggled,
We have held on as well as let go;
We have longed for community
And found it in unexpected moments.*

*Your grace carried us through it all,
And we are grateful as we recognize
The blessings we encountered along the way,
The human connections that supported us,
The moments of joy amid the daily work.*

*Guide us as we move into a summer break,
Grant us a time of restoration and relaxation
So our spirits are renewed, our souls refreshed.*

*Lord of beginning and endings,
We praise you as one journey ends
And another begins.*

Amen

Jane Daren, Ph.D., Education for Justice



Question of the week

What does it mean to be a faith sharer to Jesus Good News?



Habitat Ministry Donation West Tallahatchie Habitat Thank You

St. Thomas Habitat Ministry had been traveling to Mississippi to build Habitat for Humanity houses for 29 consecutive years until the pandemic. For three years, the mission trip to Tutwiler, Miss., has not been possible. Recently, the Habitat Ministry sent a \$1,000 donation to the West Tallahatchie Habitat in Tutwiler. We received the following thank you.

From everyone at West Tallahatchie Habitat, we would like to say thanks for your donation. It helps to make our shared dream of building decent affordable housing in our community become a reality. We cannot say thank you enough. Building new houses and providing decent affordable housing for others would not be possible without dedication and compassion of our volunteers and supporters like you. We are making a difference in our little corner of the Delta. We pray things will get back to normal and await your visit to West Tallahatchie Habitat.

~Howard Hollins, Board President, West Tallahatchie Habitat

OSJ Reflection Peace and Advocacy

Outreach and Social Justice is one of the hallmarks of St. Thomas. Last weekend, Mike and Anne from the Outreach and Social Justice (OSJ) Office shared their reflection on the Gospel. Below are excerpts from that reflection. (To hear the entire reflection, click [here](#) to view the recording of the May 21, 4:30 pm Mass on the St Thomas website. You can access the video replay by selecting the Video tab in the top navigation bar. To read the reflection, click [here](#)).

Jesus said, "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you. Not as the world gives do I give it to you."

- There is the peace that Jesus gives and the peace that the world gives.
- The peace the world gives is incomplete, temporary and inadequate.
- Jesus gives us the perfect glorious peace ... we will experience that peace in all its splendor when we are with Him beyond our time in this world. So, why did Jesus give us His peace now?
- That peace of Jesus, that is already within us, ... gives us the fortitude to work to change the peace the world now gives ... to a better peace.

Jesus said, "The Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything and remind you of all that I told you."

- The Advocate Spirit is advocating for us to live the message of Jesus. Love God and Love your neighbor.
- The Advocate Spirit, ... teaches us how to bring more peace to our world ... by advocating for our neighbor.
- God's challenge to plead another's cause is heard throughout the Bible. God calls on advocates to speak boldly, whether or not they believe they're qualified.
- The Holy Spirit ... does not inundate us with a frenzy of ideas or a chaotic To-Do list. When we choose to listen, we may hear whispers of discernment for next steps, fresh perspectives or insights, and ways to promote systemic change.
- Advocacy requires resilience, persistence, holy stamina and vigor. ... It is possible we will not see the results of our endeavors. Someone has to start the work ... and it might as well be you and me!
- The Advocate Spirit within us reminds us of Jesus' message to love our neighbor. In advocating for our neighbor, we can bring more peace to our world and perhaps experience the peace that Jesus gives.
- In summary, stand up, speak up and advocate!

St. Vincent de Paul Clothing Drive June 11-12

The St. Vincent de Paul (SVDP) truck will be in the St. Thomas parking lot the weekend of June 11-12 (4:00-6:00 pm on Saturday and 7:30 am-12:30 pm on Sunday.) Please bring only items on the accepted list (see below) and do not bring extremely large items.



Accepted items include: clothing, shoes, small housewares, pots and pans, books, toys, small electronics and small appliances. Sorry, we are not able to accept tube TVs, cribs, strollers, high chairs, car seats, mattresses or box springs.

For a more complete list of what is accepted and not accepted, click [here](#) or go to stapostle.org and enter "SVDP Clothing Drive" in the search window.

Any larger potential furniture donations can be requested by emailing svdp_communicate@yahoo.com. Please include pictures of the item(s), location of pick-up and contact person with phone number. This is handled by store employees.

SVDP donation bags will be available after all Masses the weekend of June 4-5. Place donations in bags and small boxes and bring to church parking lot the weekend of June 11-12.

Your donations go the SVDP Thrift Shops. Some of your donations are given away free to families we help in our neighborhood. Other items are sold in the thrift shops at low prices to allow all families to shop with dignity.

If you or a family member are experiencing a financial hardship, our volunteers will try to help with goods or financial assistance for rent or utilities. Call St. Thomas at 630.355.8980, x250. Be sure to leave your name, address, phone, email and best time to call you.

God bless you! Thank you for helping the Society of St. Vincent de Paul help others.

Project Love Thanks You!

Parishioner Eileen McGleam is Director of Project Love, the charitable program of Illinois Right to Life.



Many thanks to all those who selected a Project Love Mother's Day and/or Father's Day card a few weeks ago. Masses are being said for the recipients of the cards at three local churches.

We received a total of \$703 in free will donations, allowing us to continue to support pregnant women and new mothers in a financial crisis. Since 1996, we have given over a half million dollars in 1,450 grants to help with rent, utility bills and other important expenses. Many times we work with our parish St. Vincent de Paul Society in helping their clients, as well as clients of Waterleaf and many other pregnancy centers all over Illinois.

If you would like to donate to Project Love, you may send a check to: Project Love, Illinois Right to Life, P.O. Box 511, Chicago, IL 60690.

Many thanks, also, to those who helped with the sale. Project Love and I truly appreciate your support.

~ Eileen McGleam, Director, Project Love



Offering of Letters Thank You for Advocating

Thank you for your response to the 2022 Offering of Letters campaign. To date, letters have been signed as follows: 158 to Senator Duckworth; 170 to Senator Durbin; and 36 to Representatives Casten, Foster, and Underwood for a total of 364 letters. The letters from St. Thomas, combined with letters from other parishes in the Diocese of Joliet, will be blessed at a dinner on May 31. At a later date, the letters will be hand delivered to the local congressional offices.

This year's letter asked governments officials to:

- 1) Expand free school meals to income-qualified children.
- 2) Make the one-year expansion of the Child Tax Credit permanent and available to all qualified families.

Thank you also to parishioner Sue Swedler for her leadership role in this year's Offering of Letters.



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SPIRITUAL CARE
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Friendly Reminder

Hospitals are no longer asking those who are admitted for elective procedures or admitted through the ER for their church affiliation due to compliance with HIPPA.

If you know you are going to be hospitalized or find yourself hospitalized unexpectedly, please have someone from your family notify the church so that we may provide spiritual support through a Communion visit and shared prayer.

You may contact Kathy Ford RN, Director of Pastoral Care, at 630.355.8980, x124.

From the Behavioral Health Ministry Save the Date:

The next St. Thomas Blood Drive will be Saturday, July 16, 2022, from 9:00 am–1:30 pm in the gym.

To reserve a time slot you can sign up at https://donate.illinois.versiti.org/donor/schedules/drive_schedule/5595968

Sign up and save a life!



BEHAVIORAL HEALTH
St. Thomas the Apostle

Let's Play

In our hectic, modern lives, many of us focus so heavily on work and family commitments that we never seem to have time for pure fun. Somewhere between childhood and adulthood, we stopped playing. But play is not just essential for kids; it can be an important source of relaxation and stimulation for adults as well.

By giving yourself permission to play with the joyful abandon of childhood, you can reap oodles of health benefits throughout life.

Play helps:

- Relieve stress.
- Improve brain function.
- Stimulate the mind and boost creativity.
- Improve relationships and your connection to others.
- Keep you feeling young and energetic.

Source: helpguide.org

From the Office of the Parish Nurse Top Tips for Better Focus And Attention

What is attention?

Attention is a core mental process that is involved in nearly all aspects of reasoning, perception, problem solving and behavior. At the most basic level, attention is a biological event that doesn't have to be learned. Let's take a look at these different types of attention.

Selective attention – Also called focused attention or concentration.

Divided Attention – Requires you to perform two or more tasks or process information from multiple sources at the same time.

Alternating attention –The ability to go back and forth between different tasks.

Sustained attention – Allows you to concentrate on a task over an extended interval. Another term for this type of focus is vigilance.

The complete article can be found on the St. Thomas website by clicking [here](#).

Source: *Harvard Medical School*



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Thank you for supporting St. Thomas the Apostle. To learn more about online giving, please visit our website and click on the Giving tab in the top menu bar.

The Week Ahead

Monday, May 30

Memorial Day Building closed after 9:00 am Mass

Tuesday, May 31

7:00–8:30 pm Voices of Faith, Church

Wednesday, June 1

6:30–8:30 pm Pax Christi, Cana
7:00–8:30 pm St. Vincent de Paul, Lighthouse

Thursday, June 2

7:00–9:00 pm Baptism Class, Cana

Friday, June 3

9:00 am–12:00 pm Adoration/Benediction, Chapel

Saturday, June 4

9:00–10:30 am Saturday Men's Group, Cana
3:30–4:15 pm Reconciliation, Chapel

Sunday, June 5

9:00 am–1:00 pm Donuts, Gym
1:00–2:00 pm Baptisms, Church

Weekly Sunday Offertory

May 15, 2022

Sunday Collection Offering*	\$8,946
Credit Card Online Giving (<i>reported monthly</i>)	none this week
Automatic Direct Debit (5 th and 20 th each month)	none this week
Mailed in and stock donations	\$2,973
Total for the week	\$11,919
*Based on Collection Counters Reports prior to bank confirmation	
Fiscal Year (7/1 to 6/30)	\$1,582,187
Weekly Average 7/1/2021 to date	\$34,394
Offertory Goal Year to date	\$1,544,196
Over/(short) of goal to date	\$37,911
Goal for Fiscal Year 7/1 to 6/30	\$1,745,600
Percent of Annual Sunday Offertory Goal	91%
Remaining for this fiscal year goal	\$163,493

This week, the Sunday collection is \$37,911 ahead of goal so far this year. Capital needs restricted gifts were \$558 this past week. We are grateful to those who recognize the need and responded.

Diocesan Appeal 2022

Parish Appeal Goal	\$189,200
Pledges Received	\$127,214
Percent of Goal pledged to date	67.24%
Unpaid pledges	\$19,324
Paid to Date	\$107,890
Percent of goal paid to date	57.02%

Your Gift to the CMAA Makes a Difference!

The Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal helps our parish and the Diocese of Joliet to provide countless ministries, programs, and services to support our friends and neighbors in immeasurable ways.

Our parish goal is \$189,200 and to date we have received \$107,890. 70 percent of gifts received over goal will be returned to our parish for our use. A mailing has been sent to parishioners who have not yet made a gift to the 2022 CMAA. If you have not done so already, please prayerfully consider supporting the CMAA.

A gift to the CMAA, no matter the amount, will make a difference! Together, we can continue to spread the Gospel message in our diocese through our ministries and help others in need. For more information visit jolietdioceseappeal.org. Thank you for your support!



Diocese of Joliet
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Stay up to date with the latest happenings
at St. Thomas by signing up for any of our
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Baptism: Parents are required to attend a
Baptismal awareness and renewal session
prior to the Baptism. Contact Maureen
Januszewski, x100, a few months in
advance to make arrangements.

Reconciliation: Reconciliation is
available Saturday, 3:30–4:15 pm, in the
Reconciliation Room of the Chapel. Our
priests are available during the week by
appointment.

Matrimony: A couple planning on being
married at St. Thomas should contact the
church six months to a year in advance.
Either the bride or groom, or their parents,
must be a registered parishioner at least
three months before setting a date. Call
Diane McQueen, x101, to schedule.

Anointing: Call 630.355.8980.

Communion for the Homebound: Call
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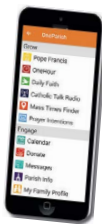
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