

Catholic Church Community of
St. Thomas More

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OUR PARISH SACRAMENTAL LIFE -

EUCCHARIST

Weekend Masses: Saturday: 5pm
Sunday: 8am, 9:15am, 10:45am, 12:15pm
Weekday Mass: 9am, Monday through
Saturday except Thursday when there is
Morning Prayer.

BAPTISM—As soon as your child is born,
please call the Church Office to make Baptism
arrangements. Preparation session and
welcoming Mass attendance are required.

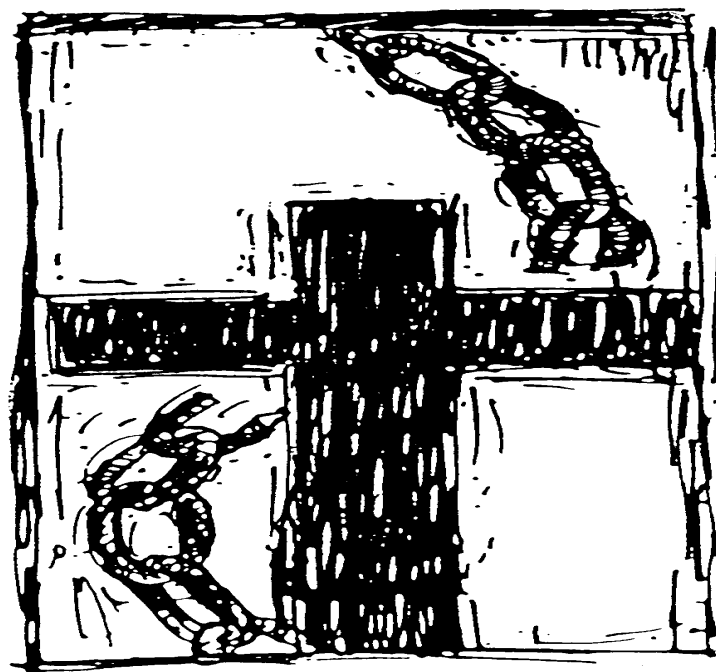
MARRIAGE—As soon as a couple decides to
marry, and BEFORE making any other arrange-
ments, call the Church Office to schedule an
appointment with Fr. Midura or one of the
deacons.

RECONCILIATION—Celebrated in Church
every Saturday from 4pm to 4:45pm, or by
previous appointment with Fr. Midura.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK—Call the Church
Office to request visitation of the sick.

CONFIRMATION—Those who have not been
confirmed should call the Church Office to
receive further information.

HOLY ORDERS—Contact Fr. Midura for more
information about the priesthood or diaconate.



June 27, 2010
Thirteenth Sunday
in Ordinary Time

Mission Statement:

*St. Thomas More Roman Catholic Church is a
parish community striving to share the Spirit of Love through
Prayer, Worship, the Sacraments
The Teachings of the Church, and
Our concern for others through Christian Stewardship.*

Telephones:

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Religious Ed—	234-0397	FAX 234-1199
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Church Lobby—	348-9378	

Masses for this coming week

June 27, 2010
Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
1 Kings 19:16b, 19-21
Psalm 16
Galatians 5:1, 13-18
Luke 9:51-62

Saturday—June 26

(Anticipated Mass for Sunday)

5pm—Fathers' Day Novena

Sunday—June 27—Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8am—Marcelline & Buddy McTiernan *by the Kellys*, Richard Mapes *by Mr. & Mrs. D. Perks*, Robert & Marion Rapone *by Jim & Marie Marsala*, Germinal Miqueli *by Jim & Marie Marsala*, Jerry & Jean Goldrick (Living) *by Tim & Joan Fallon*, Mary Sheehan (Living) *by Fintan & Margaret Stapleton*, Theresa McBride *by Cathy & Hank Kwiecinski*, Virginia Esagui *by Cathy & Hank Kwiecinski*, Maude Fratamico *by Lottie & Chet Kalenty*, Lina Grisanzio *by Peter & Pat Loscialpo*

9:15am—Michael Cisternas *by the Eyring family*

10:45am—Fathers' Day Novena

12:15pm—For the People of St. Thomas More

Monday—June 28—St. Irenaeus

9am—Fathers' Day Novena

Tuesday—June 29—Sts. Peter & Paul

9am—Fathers' Day Novena

Wednesday—June 30—

First Holy Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church

9am—Dominick Butindari *by the Butindari family*

Thursday—July 1—Blessed Junipero Serra

9am—Morning Prayer

Friday—July 2

9am—Midura and Margas families

Saturday—July 3—St. Thomas the Apostle

9am—Deceased Members of the George Greggo family

by Anne McComiskey

(Anticipated Mass for Sunday)

5pm—Rose, Michael, Rocco & Leonard Viso

by the Butindari family

Sunday—July 4

8am—All of our Veterans

9:15am—Josephine Copercini *by Mary Mangiaracina*, Joseph Hewes *by Judy & Bill Martinetti*, Carolee Caucci *by Allyson Barbar*, Jeffrey G. Jamison *by Janet Cassidy*, Patricia Naeder *by the Buynak family*, Nicholas Barbato *by Joann & Kurt Keely*, Megan Marie Gesmundo (Living) *by Agnes Schomber*

10:45am—Robert Cox *by Elizabeth Kane*

12:15pm—Thomas Atkinson *by Betty Atkinson*

Growing through the Sunday Scriptures

July 4, 2010
Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Isaiah 66:10-14c
Psalm 66
Galatians 6:14-18
Luke 10:1-12, 17-20

The holy Gospel according to Luke:

At that time the Lord appointed seventy-two others whom he sent ahead of him in pairs to every town and place he intended to visit. He said to them,

"The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few; so ask the master of the harvest to send out laborers for his harvest.

Go on your way; behold, I am sending you like lambs among wolves. Carry no money bag, no sack, no sandals; and greet no one along the way. Into whatever house you enter, first say, 'Peace to this household.' If a peaceful person lives there, your peace will rest on him; but if not, it will return to you. Stay in the same house and eat and drink what is offered to you, for the laborer deserves his payment.

Do not move about from one house to another. Whatever town you enter and they welcome you, eat what is set before you, cure the sick in it and say to them, 'The kingdom of God is at hand for you.' Whatever town you enter and they do not receive you, go out into the streets and say, 'The dust of your town that clings to our feet, even that we shake off against you.' Yet know this: the kingdom of God is at hand. I tell you, it will be more tolerable for Sodom on that day than for that town."

The seventy-two returned rejoicing, and said,

"Lord, even the demons are subject to us because of your name."

Jesus said, "I have observed Satan fall like lightning from the sky.

Behold, I have given you the power to 'tread upon serpents' and scorpions and upon the full force of the enemy and nothing will harm you. Nevertheless, do not rejoice because the spirits are subject to you, but rejoice because your names are written in heaven."

Focus questions:

1. What instructions, which you received early in your faith life, do you still find helpful today?
2. When have you felt like a lamb among wolves?
3. How does Jesus ask you to spread the Gospel in the world today?

Family and children's question:

How much joy do you bring to others? What can you do to bring more joy to those around you?

PRAY FOR THE SICK



Gina Coletti, Sergio & Yiar Villanueva, Thomas Hinch, Jr., Irene Aberle, Vito & Nellie Baliunas, Dennis LaRosa, Mary Barry, William Higgins, Janice Berlette, Suzanne Coad, Robert Dagnino, Gary McKee, Mary Basile, Melissa Randazzo

Monaco, Anthony Pagano, Bill Daily, Matilde Cormier, Tara Mahoney, Dianne Quinn, John Cassabaum, Evelyn Scollon, Melissa Herber, John Iacolino, Tom & Sally O'Connor, Robert Saintangelo, Eugene O'Donnell, Doris Horner, Michael Smith, Loranda DiMarco, Michael Del Buono, Kristen Baden, Chase Turano, Caitlin Devine, James Basile, Stan Dziedzic, Lucja Kostrzewa, Mary Hunter, Jess & Leslie Warren, Louise Lott, Roseann Dorohow, John Brewer, Ms. Gianchetti, Theresa Moore, Pietro Loscialpo, Michael Smith, Teresa Szeptowska, Diana Dignam, Linda Sue Cappisillo, Charles Boston, Caterina Dupino, Lorraine Pappas, Mary Waltz, Antony Popp, Veronica Mattes, Joseph Babits, Enrique Tirado, Donna Gamarano, Harold Goldhagen, Anthony Giannelli, Rose Mongiello, Renee Munzer, Jean Marsala-Kieffner, Elaine Kleinstaubler. *(We ask those who wish to have the sick listed in the bulletin to submit their names through the collection or drop the name(s) off at the Church Office. Please use the cut-out in the bulletin for your convenience. This current list expires the end of July.)*

PRAY FOR THE DECEASED

Robert Dahringer, Joseph Zuvich, Simon Okara, Dominick & Albert Rebello, our deceased relatives and friends, our deceased servicemen and women.

FROM FR. MIDURA

OUR LITURGY TODAY—Today's Gospel is about answering the call to follow Jesus without looking back, with our whole hearts. If we come to worship without enthusiasm; if we come wondering why we came, today's Gospel is for us!

FAREWELL AND THANK YOU—This week, Agnes Schomber, Pat McGrath and Ronnie Pazolt join Marie Dolce and Dr. Joan in retirement from St. Thomas More. For all they did during their years at St. Thomas More, we say "thank you" and offer them our best wishes as they enter this new phase in their lives.

FORTY YEARS—On May 30, 1970, I was ordained a priest by Bishop Kellenberg at St. Agnes Cathedral. In those days you did not know about your first parish assignment until about two weeks before you were to report. When I found out that I was going to St. Bernard's in Levittown, I realized that, along with my classmates, whatever we asked for as a preference in assignment was not going to happen. I asked to be assigned to a small parish in Eastern Suffolk. The middle of Nassau is where I went. The second assignment was also a request for a small parish in Suffolk. I went to St. Joseph's in Ronkonkoma, then the largest parish in Suffolk. Then I requested to be in hospital ministry. Then I was assigned to St. Christopher's in Baldwin, which had both a parish ministry and a hospital under its care. Thereafter, I did not ask for anything further, figuring you might

get the opposite of what you felt you could be good at! Along the way I was full time in the diocesan Marriage Tribunal for about ten years, sprinkled in with being parochial Administrator of St. Peter's in Port Washington and St. Ladislaus in Hempstead. I was selected to be the founding pastor of St. Brigid's Mission Chapel in Carle Place which was to select for its own identity the name of Our Lady of Hope. After my two terms there, also including a short term as Administrator of St. Mary's in Roslyn, I was asked to go to St. Joseph's in Ronkonkoma. Then I was appointed to St. Thomas More. Jokingly, one of my peers said to me: "What place have you not been?" But it took forty years to do it. In my spare time, I was convinced by a priest classmate to join the US Army to "see the world" and earn a little money to pay off bills. I learned quickly what basic training meant and what it was like to sleep in a tent set up in the snow. When I finally looked back at what was only going to be a few years in the Army, it became 26 years! The same goes for joining the fire department in Baldwin. The chief asked if I would like to learn to drive a tower ladder truck in case there was a need for day time responders. That lasted for twelve years until I left. The same happened in Carle Place for another twelve years. I offered to help in Ronkonkoma, but they never returned the phone call. I offered whatever I could to the Hauppauge Fire Department and they welcomed me with open arms. Too bad I have had cardiac issues which prevent my being able to be what I want to be, but they are great and deserve our support.

As I look at the past forty years, like everyone else, you probably never thought that you would travel the roads that have been traveled. There are so many people you meet and become part of their lives, whether through the Sacraments, through moments of sorrow and challenge, or whatever, it's nice to meet people along the way who remind you of how you have been part of their lives. The personal challenge is trying remember everything!

To everyone who has sent a thoughtful best wish and said a kind word or two, I say "thank you" and I hope that I can continue to do as much as I can in the future.

LUCKY 400 RAFFLE—Drawing is this Sunday afternoon at 2pm in the White Room. Only 400 tickets will be sold. Tickets are \$100 each. First prize is: \$10,000; Second Prize is: \$2,000; Third Prize is: \$1,000. Don't miss out!

PARISH GOLF OUTING—Our Golf Outing this year will be on Monday, July 26, at the Smithtown Landing Golf Club. Save the date! Look for the parish mailing that went out last week for sign-ups and for sponsorships. Cost for each golfer is still the same as last year: \$150. There will be a buffet meal afterwards for golfers in the White Room. Beverages will also be served. For non-golfers attending the dinner, cost is \$50 per person.

In conjunction with the Golf Outing, there will be a Raffle with tickets at \$10 each or 3 for \$20. Prizes will be: (1) a 40" HDTV; (2) tickets to the musical Billy Elliot on August 18 at 8pm (orchestra location) with limo transportation to and from the theatre; and (3) Four NY Yankees baseball tickets. There will also be a Reverse Raffle available at \$10 a square.

INDEPENDENCE DAY—Next Sunday, July 4, is Independence Day. Let us remember the struggles that went on in our own land to bring about Independence. Go online and browse through the various sites that describe this day and its background.

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL 2010— Our parish's assessment this year is the same as last year's. It is \$59,020. I ask you to help the parish meet its goal so that we can all help our brothers and sisters as well as benefit from the sharing that the parish will receive once the goal is attained.

If you did not receive a letter from the CMA Office, please use the cut-out in the bulletin to make a pledge. You can drop it in the collection plate in an envelope marked "CMA" and we will process it for you. We thank you for your generous support.

WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND OUR FACILITY—This coming Tuesday is the deadline for contractors to submit their bids on the replacing the HVAC systems in the White and Red rooms. Once the bid is awarded we will have a better idea of timing for the units to arrive on the property for installation. In the meantime, demolition and retrofitting will take place. If there are funerals, they will be scheduled during the pre-arranged lunch hours of the laborers. *Progress!*

FEEDING THE PIGGIE—You are always invited to lend your support of the "piggie" in the Church lobby by placing any spare quarters into the tube. It goes to Heifer International which enables a family in poor areas of our country to obtain farm animals for their daily use. We set in motion the purchase of another heifer for a deserving family.

HAVE YOU THOUGHT OF FAITH DIRECT? - Your ongoing support of the parish is important for us to have steady income to meet our regular bills. Automated giving is easy and once you set yourself up for it, it is one less step in having to remember envelopes, checks, currency, etc. It also saves paper and helps us all "go green". Give it a try. There is no obligation to continue if you find that it does not suit your needs. Pick up an application where you obtain the bulletin. If you want more information, talk to me! Thanks for your consideration.

THINKING OF OTHERS—During the warm months, we might be sensitive to the person(s) around us who might be upset if we do not dress appropriately for a Church setting.

FR. BOB—Fr. Bob will be off for July and August and will return the first weekend of September.

FR. RACOS—Fr. Irinel Racos, who has been coming to St. Thomas More once a month during the School year will be helping us when he is able during the month of July.

OUR PRIEST-CELEBRANTS

(Subject to last minute changes)

This weekend: Next weekend

Saturday

5:00pm

Msgr. Midura

Fr. Racos

Sunday

8:00am

Fr. Dahlke

Fr. Racos

9:15am

Msgr. Midura

Msgr. Midura

10:45am

Fr. Wall

Fr. Wall

12:15pm

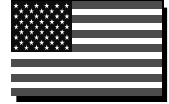
Fr. Racos

Fr. Wall

PARISH OUTREACH

PARISH PANTRY—Many of our Parishioners will be away during the Summer and our food donations will dwindle., but our families will continue to be in need of food. Our shelves need replenishing every week. Some of the items we need are peanut butter, jelly, tuna, canned veggies, tomato sauce, & coffee. For the freezer, we need hamburgers, hot dogs & rolls, chicken parts, and other small meats that can be barbecued or cooked on top of the stove - and as always, paper goods and DETERGENT! Thank you for your generosity!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED – Outreach needs volunteers to transport clients to doctor visits. Virtus training required. Your help would be greatly appreciated! Please call Outreach.



JUSTICE & PEACE

Continuing from last week on finding hope in a world of darkness. We left off by saying, can we see God in everything? If God is not the center of our lives then we become the center of ourselves. The I becomes the most important part of our lives. The question then arises, "Who is in charge?" If we answer that we are, that places us in an impossible and self defeating task. Today we find ourselves in a "market" world view. This view is very individualistic and concerned with the I. Unfortunately this places us in a negative position and not in a positive foundation to build for the long term. Jesus did encourage or expect a world where we are never hurt or make mistakes. What is important is what we do with them. This is the mystery of life that places us on the wheel. Who wants to be on the wheel? Only those who go through the hurt and darkness, come out larger and awake. In Matthew 5:13 -16 we hear the story of salt and light. Likewise in Luke 13: 18 - 21 we hear the story of the mustard seed and yeast. The stories are basic to Christianity. In these stories, Jesus talks about change and growth. Jesus had hope in sinners because they knew they were sinners and were looking for change and growth. He had trouble with those who did not think they were sinners.

What does this all mean in terms of justice and peace and seeking hope in a world of darkness? Do we see the divine in people and creation? Do we acknowledge that we are all sinners? Do we take our turn at the wheel of life? Are we willing to change and grow? If yes to these questions then justice and peace are possible and we can see hope in a world of darkness. God is in control. *To be continued.*

Justice is a parish affair.

Discover needs and act justly.

Together we can make a difference.

June 28 is St. Irenaeus.

June 29 is St. Peter and St. Paul, Apostles.

July 1 is Blessed Junipero Serra.

July 3 is St. Thomas the Apostle.

We wish all the people who worked hard for the Church and us a very fond good bye. You will be missed. We thank you and wish you all peace.

WELCOME TO OUR NEWLY BAPTIZED

Vincent Joseph Savasta, son of Frank & Laura

Frank Louis Savasta, son of Frank & Laura

Christopher Graham Salter, son of Christopher & Jennifer

Meredith Leigh Salter, daughter of Christopher & Jennifer

Andrew Vaughn Salter, son of Christopher & Jennifer

Ryan Henry Alvira, son of Elvis & Richell

RESPECT LIFE NEWS

Please check the Respect Life Bulletin Board in the Church lobby for information and brochures on all LIFE issues. Take home a Life News Newsletter for updated information on legislation, announcements and Pro Life events on Long Island.

PRAY FOR OUR SOLDIERS

Lorenzo Bacchi

Joshua Zubiale

Scott Lovelock

Keith Burnett

William Charpied

Peter Lesser

Laura Jean Iovino

Anthony Orlandi

Brian Hiatt

William Gregory

Tim Rieger

Randy Donaldson

Candice Gagnon

Travis Dubshinski

Thomas Nichols

Joseph Marziotto, Jr.

Casey Benefield

Joseph Marziotta

Thomas Wieland, Jr.

If you have a service member or know of someone who is serving our country and you would like their name added to this list, please submit their names through the collection basket or the Church Office. If they have returned, let us know.

THINKING ABOUT ??

BECOMING CATHOLIC?

- Are you a baptized Catholic who was never confirmed?
- Are you someone baptized in another faith but interested in becoming a Catholic?
- Are you someone who was never baptized?

If any of these apply to you, consider our parish RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) process. For information, contact Ann Russo through e-mail, redaa@aol.com or 543-2740.

MORNING PRAYER

Jesus taught his disciples to pray by both his word and his example. The Gospel stories illustrate many examples: Jesus going off to pray, teaching the people to pray the Our Father, praying to seek the Father's will and calling out to God in his last moments on the cross.

The early Christians followed the tradition of praying in the synagogue with the other members of the Jewish community. Around the beginning of the first century the early Christians

left that community and evolved into a unique community of believers. One characteristic that marked the prayer life of the early Church was that of the individuals praying as members of the church, as part of the body of Christ. From the beginning of the church the prayer life of the community was public and involved praying with and for others.

The Second Vatican Council called for a greater participation in the celebration of the Liturgy of the Hours, a.k.a., Morning Prayer. The Psalms are carefully chosen to fit the time of the day, and they demonstrate a spirituality that directly relates these prayers to the daily celebration of the Paschal Mystery, i.e., the Passion, Death, and Resurrection of Jesus.

Join us at 9am in the church on Thursdays at St. Thomas More!

OFFERTORY GIFT PROCESSION

All parishioners, adults and children, are invited to be part of the Offertory procession at our Masses. Families and groups are invited to sign up for a particular Mass. When you come to the Mass at which you will be bringing up the gifts, please be present in the Church at least 15 minutes before Mass begins and speak with the priest celebrating the Mass.

We are grateful to the LaFontaine family for representing our community.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

DIVINE MERCY ADORATION &

HOLY HOUR FOR LIFE will resume in September.

YOUNG AT HEART

ROCKING HORSE RESORT

St. Thomas' Young At Heart still has openings for their trip, September 6—10. A great price of \$529 per person, double occupancy, and \$649 for a single. Trip includes 3 meals a day, daytime and nighttime activities; entertainment every night; games; prizes; gratuities; taxes; and round trip transportation. Call Bob at 686.5272 for all information. All STM parishioners are welcomed to join in!

Join PFI (Pastoral Formation Institute)

Applications available now for Year I classes beginning in September. PFI offers an integrated approach to discipleship through instruction, prayer, faith sharing and development of leadership skills. Weekly two-hour sessions prepare the lay Catholic adult to enter more fully into the life of the Church. Studies include Sacred Scripture, Christology, Ecclesiology, Morality, Sacraments, Liturgy and Church Ministry. In addition to weekly sessions, formation weekends at the Seminary enrich the PFI process. Two to three formation weekends and/or workshops are held each year. After the completion of the two year program, participants have an option to enroll in a third year leadership track in a chosen ministry. For more information: log on to www.drvcfaith.org/PastoralFormationInstitute.html, or contact Estelle peck, 516.678.5800 X200, e-mail: epeck@drvc.org. Some two dozen St. Thomas More parishioners are graduates of PFI!

STEWARDSHIP

Last Sunday's Collection \$ 9,303.
 Faith Direct adds about \$1,400 to the weekly published amount.

MAINTENANCE COLLECTION

Contributed to date: \$ 319,796.
Spent on repairs and replacements: \$ 434,979.
 We thank you for your support of our parish project to maintain our parish facilities. If you would like to help, please use a maintenance envelope where you get the bulletin.

SCRIP SALES

Scrip Sales Last Week: \$ 4,325.
Profit to the Parish: \$ 216.25

FAITH DIRECT

What is the best way to ensure our parish receives the support needed for our operating expenses and ministries during the busy summer months? Electronic giving through *Faith Direct*! Please enroll today by visiting www.faithdirect.net Our parish code is **NY227**. Increased enrollment with *Faith Direct* will help stabilize our parish finances during the coming summer months when many families are away on vacation. As always, know that your generosity is truly a gift from God.

CALENDAR CLUB 2010

Here are the next set of winners. Congratulations!
 June 13—\$50—592—Fran & Larry Miron
 June 14—\$25—824—Michelle & Roberto Strollo
 June 15—\$25—79—Elven Tangel
 June 16—\$25—639—Bernie Pontillo
 June 17—\$25—1002—Ken & Mary Kowalski
 June 18—\$25—11—Lou & Ann Anatrella
 June 19—\$25—1000—Judith & Brian O'Connor

THIS WEEK AT ST. THOMAS MORE

(Not totally inclusive)

Monday—June 28
 7pm—Youth Ministry Closing BBQ at Church
Tuesday—June 29
 7pm—Golf Committee Meeting—Rectory
Thursday—July 1
 7:30pm—Healing Our Hearts—Religious Ed Center
Sunday—July 4
 Independence Day

E-MAIL & ADDRESSES

Youth Ministry Website—www.stthomasmoreyouth.org
 Parish Secretary - Stm73@live.com
 Pat Chapin - Pchapin@optonline.net
 Mary Ellen Carroll - Mecarroll@optonline.net

Outreach - Stmoutreach@optonline.net
 Youth ministry - JGSalesian@aol.com
 Justice & Peace - Natman32@aol.com
 Fr. Dahlke - RWDahlke@Jesuits.net
 Personal Prayer - SpiritualOrientations.com
 To contact a member of the Pastoral Council use the following:
 Barbara & Joe Fratamico—BJFRAT@optonline.net
MEN'S GATHERING website. Go to the parish website at <http://www.buoy.com/~stm> or stmli.org and click Men's Gathering. You will have to give a password known only to you to open and read the message.
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS—You can check online for any updates at <http://calendar.yahoo.com/stmreled>

A WEB SITE THAT PAYS ST. THOMAS FOR USING IT —
 Want to know how you can support St. Thomas More? By entering the search engine known as *Goodsearch.com* and doing any shopping on the various web sites listed, a certain portion of the sale will be credited to St. Thomas More. It does not involve any additional cost to the purchaser nor is there any attached surcharge to the sale order involved. I did not compare the same web sites listed alone with the one listed with GoodSearch yet. Here is how it works:
 ENTER: www.GoodSearch.com
 Where it states: "Who do you Good Search for?"
 And "Enter your charity here"
 ENTER: St. Thomas More And then verify by selecting "St. Thomas More, Hauppauge, NY"
 Once it is verified as our parish, select the SHOPPING tab and choose whatever category you want, from travel to food to entertainment. If you use it, let me know if you have any problems with it. Thanks for shopping online and thanks for the donation that we will receive on your behalf.

"RELIGION AND ROCK" - Tune into and listen to Msgr. Jim Vlaun on Sundays, 7am to 8am, on WBAB 102.3 FM or 95.3 FM. Also, listen on Saturdays at 11pm on Sirius Radio, Channel 159, and XM Satellite, Channel 117.

THEMES:

- June 27 America
- July 4 Independence Day
- July 11 Vacation & Relaxation
- July 18 Having a Positive Attitude
- July 25 Volunteering/Giving

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COURTESY ANNOUNCEMENTS

(First Notice)
A CONTINUOUS GARAGE SALE! - St. Gerard Majella Thrift Shop/Barn at Materdomini, 316 Terryville Rd. Port Jefferson Station. Monday-Friday 10am-2pm. Visit our 18th Century Historical House and Barn. Clothing, Furniture, Glassware, Electronics, Bedding and much more! Prices are very low! Donations are accepted and greatly appreciated – Proceeds help the needy in our community. For more information or furniture

pick-up, call Faye at 473-2900.

(Second Notice)

CATHOLIC CHARITIES – Mental Health Clinics in Freeport, Bay Shore and Medford are seeking Psychiatrist(s) and Social Workers LCSW’s to work one or two days a week providing services to children and adults. Please contact Howard G. Duff @516-634-0012 ext. 126. Fax: 516-634-0017 or email duff,howard@!catholiccharities.cc.

SPIRITUALITY OF MARRIAGE SERIES—Celebrating Life & Love in Marriage

Week 1: Wednesday, June 30, 2010 Living Your Strengths as a Couple Understanding each others needs, managing stress, and staying connected to each other. Presenter - Ray Shelton, Ph. D

Week 2: Wednesday, July 7, 2010 The Spirituality of the Checkbook Do you ever use your checkbook as part of your prayer life? At first glance this may seem ridiculous! But in fact, how we spend our money reveals our values and priorities. Presenter - Fr. Michael Holzmann

Week 3: Wednesday, July 14, 2010 Growing Together as a Couple Exploring the seasons of married family life. Presenter - Cathy Danowski

Week 4: Wednesday, July 21, 2010 Always Kiss Me Good-night What makes sacramental love possible? Finding mystery in everyday life. Presenters - Deacon Paul and Becky Neuhedel Place: **Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Center**, 455 Hunter Avenue, West Islip, NY 11795—7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

For further information and to register please see our click on the following link

http://www.drvc-faith.org/assets/Spirituality_Marriage_2010.pdf or go directly to our website www.drvc-faith.org

Pre registration is required. Couples may attend individual sessions or the entire series.

CATHOLIC CRUISE to the Western Caribbean. December 12-19, 2010. On the Carnival Valor out of Miami. Prices start at \$965 for two. Daily Mass and Rosary. Call 860.399.1785 or dpayttc@aol.com

CEREAL BOX TOP COUPONS - Drop them off in the Church lobby drop-off box and we will use them to buy things for the students in our regional school.

USED CELL PHONES? - If you can, please bring your old ones to the Church lobby drop-off box. We can recycle them for cash.

USED PALM—If you have blessed palm from previous years, you can bring it to the receiving bin in the Church lobby at your convenience. We will eventually burn it to ash for use next year.

OUR REGIONAL SCHOOL NEWS

HOLY FAMILY REGIONAL SCHOOL
2 INDIAN HEAD ROAD, COMMACK, NEW YORK
Grades Nursery through 8th

Come see the HFRS difference! Registration for Fall 2010 is open. You may contact kconnolly@holyfamilyregional.com to schedule a tour of this parish’s regional school, or visit the School website at www.holyfamilyregional.com

CHURCH MINISTRIES

THINKING ABOUT BECOMING A LITURGICAL MINISTER OR WANT TO SHARE YOUR TALENTS?

Please complete the following form:

I would like to volunteer in the following parish ministry:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Altar Server | <input type="checkbox"/> Hospitality |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Usher | <input type="checkbox"/> Greeter |
| <input type="checkbox"/> RCIA | <input type="checkbox"/> Liturgy with Children |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lector | <input type="checkbox"/> Eucharistic Minister |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Consolation Minister | <input type="checkbox"/> Landscaping/Planting |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Plumber | <input type="checkbox"/> Electrician |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Painter | <input type="checkbox"/> Handy Man/Woman |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Rosary Altar Society | <input type="checkbox"/> Scrip sellers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Caring for Altar Plants | <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Cana |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FOCCUS | <input type="checkbox"/> Adult Lending Library |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Banner Committee | |

Name _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

(Please place in collection or return to Church Office)

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PRAYING FOR THE SICK

— Adding a name Request —

PLEASE ADD THE FOLLOWING TO THE PARISH LISTING OF THOSE WHO ARE ILL:

Name of person(s) who is/are ill:

Person making the Request:

Relationship to the person who is ill:

TODAY’S DATE:

(Please place in collection basket or drop off at Church Office)

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REGISTRATION/ENVELOPE REQUEST

NAME(s):

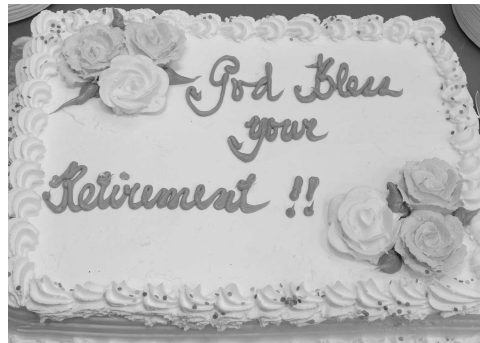
ADDRESS:

PHONE:

E-MAIL:

- I/we would like to register in the parish.
 Please send contribution envelopes.
 I am already registered in the parish but do not receive contribution envelopes. I would like to receive them.
 Other _____

(Please return in collection or at Church Office)



St. Thomas More Employment Services

*Are you presently unemployed and looking for a part-time or full-time job? * Do you have or know of any job openings?
If so, call our Employment Services Office, 234-4629 and leave a message for Mae Devine or call Mae on Monday mornings. Calls will be kept in strict confidence.

POSITIONS AVAILABLE

BOCES Western Suffolk—Secondary Teachers, Adult Instructors, Alternative High School Experience preferred—Benefits.

Cablevision - Understand state of the Art Digital Video - PC skills - outstanding benefits.

Customer Service—Newsday, HS diploma or equivalent. Typing, good spelling. Bi-lingual Spanish/English a plus.

Engineers—ITT Amityville. Senior Software, Digital Design. RF engineers. Competitive salaries. Benefit package.

Financial Services Administrator—Hauppauge. 3 years experience in financial services, customer services and skills. Contact e-mail or Fax only: mark@magll-inc.com or Fax 631.434.8201 or web: www.magll_inc.com

Franklin First Financial—Loan Officers and Team Leaders, Great benefit package

Geico Insurance—Sales reps, mgt trainees, claim services reps. —750 Woodbury Rd, Woodbury, NY. 9am –3pm, M-F, Open House, but apply on line first. Valid Photo ID required.

Healthcare Opportunities -

1. Good Samaritan Hospital, 631.969.8200
2. Mather Hospital, 631.476.2774
3. Brookhaven Hospital, 631.447.3708
4. Maryhaven, 631.474.4120, X212 - Contact Maryhaven Directly
5. St. Charles, 631.476.5999—Fox

Home Depot—FT/PT—Sales, cashiers, freight associates. FT/PT benefits. 401k's. Bonuses.

Housekeepers - FT/PT positions for small offices and homes.

Mgt/Non-Mgt Positions Available - St. Francis Hospital, Roslyn. Contact Human Resources directly.

Miteq—Current openings: support engineers, technicians, production planner, machine shop helper. Competitive salaries. Excellent benefits.

Physical Therapy Aides Needed—Physical Therapy & Sport Services/ New York Balance & Vestibular PT are seeking Part Time Physical Therapy Aides for out-patient Sports/Orthopedic/Manual/Vestibular and Balance practice in Hauppauge, Mon., Tues., Thurs. from 8am to 3 or 4pm.

School Bus/Van Drivers—Flex hours, full benefits, paid holidays, vacations. 401k, health benefits after 6 months. Huntington, Manhasset, Northport.

Telephonics Corporation (Huntington, NY) Electrical in-process inspectors, familiar with ISO-9001. Computer savvy! For info, Manzellam@telephonics.com

See “Civil Service Notice” posted on the bulletin board for future Civil Service Exams. For more information about any of the listed positions please call 234-4629. Note - All babysitting, infant child care, nanny, home care aides, etc. positions are in the child’s home. References are required for all of these positions including nursing aides, home health care aides, etc. It is the responsibility of the employer to check all references prior to hiring.

***We have a list of names of those willing to baby-sit in their homes.

***We have a list of certified tutors for all Grades.

Catholic Ministries Appeal News Update

You can make a difference!

While all of us have reason to be proud of the help that is being accomplished in our parish through the many ministries, we know that many more people will continue to seek assistance this year. To meet the ever growing needs of our community we all need to reflect on the gifts God has blessed us all with.

We also know that we will only be able to provide the support that is needed with help from generous people like you. You have shown your compassion by supporting these vital ministries in the past with a gift to the appeal. I ask that you prayerfully consider doing what you have done before by making a gift to help those in need. It is with their needs in mind that I am asking you to consider supporting the **2010 Catholic Ministries Appeal**. The Appeal truly supports St. Thomas More parish and the entire Church on Long Island.

It helps us to feed our hungry, educate our youngsters, provide homes for our senior citizens, attend to the spiritual needs of people from all different ethnic backgrounds, and support the needs within our own parishes. *It allows us to serve as one of God's servants.*

You can make a difference in our parish and in the lives of those around us by making a gift to this year's appeal. Only you can decide what that gift will be.

Thank you for all that you do in our parish.

Please consider what you can do to make this campaign successful.

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Please make your check payable to: *Catholic Ministries Appeal*

Pledge:	\$ _____
Down Payment:	\$ _____
Balance:	\$ _____

Parish: _____

Name: _____ Monthly Quarterly

Address: _____ Annually Other

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Donor Signature: _____

(Return to the Church Office)

