Catholic Church Community of

St. Thomas More

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OUR PARISH SACRAMENTAL LIFE -

EUCHARIST

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.

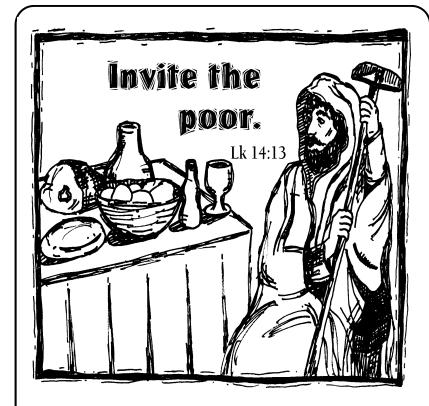
MARRIAGE—As soon as a couple decides to marry, and BEFORE making any other arrangements, call the Church Office to schedule an appointment with Fr. Midura or one of the deacons.

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.



August 29, 2010 Twenty-second Ordinary Sunday

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:

Rectory—	234-5551	FAX 234-6412
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Masses for this coming week

August 29, 2010 Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time Sirach 3:17-18,20,28-29 Psalm 68 Hebrews 12:18-19,22-24 Luke 14:1,7-14

Saturday—August 28—

(Anticipated Mass for Sunday)

5pm—Josephine Copercini *by Mary Mangiaracina*, Monica Kempf *by Agnes Hickey*, Maude Fratamico *by Lillian & Len Munzer*, Joseph Belcastro *by Paula & Neila Rosenberg*

Sunday—August 29—22nd Ordinary Sunday

8am—Salvatore Gallo *by Florence & Michael Acquafredda* 9:15am—Michael Cisternas

by Michael, Jane, Marie, Brandon & Alexander Felice 10:45am—Walter Pelkowski by Marilyn & Joe Amodio 12:15pm—Gina Marie Fantauzzi by Sarai Vias

Monday—August 30

9am—For the People of St. Thomas More Parish

Tuesday—August 31

9am—Robert Saverio Falvo by the Soler family

Wednesday—September 1

9am—Debra Cameron by Jim & Pat McDonald

Thursday—September 2

9am—Morning Prayer

Friday—September 3—St. Gregory the Great

9am—Dorothy Tangel by El Tangel

Saturday—September 4

9am—Midura & Margas families

(Anticipated Mass for Sunday)

5pm—Antoinette & Joseph Butindari by the Butindari family

Sunday—September 5—23rd Ordinary Sunday

8am—Rose Egan by Therese & Tony DiClemente, James Beck by the Dunlop family, Ruth Dombrowski-Cummings by Gerald & Kathy Joyce, Helen Selvaggio by her loving family, Mary McVey-Marek by the Buynak family 9:15am—Victor DiBenedetto by his family

10:45am—Filomena Camilli by Teresa Panicca

12:15pm—Florence V. Gaiser by Sarai Vias

Growing through the Sunday Scriptures

September 5, 2010 Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time Wisdom 9:13-18b Psalm 90 Philemon 9-10, 12-17 Luke 14:25-33

The holy Gospel according to Luke:

Great crowds were traveling with Jesus, and he turned and addressed them,

"If anyone comes to me without hating his father and mother, wife and children, brothers and sisters,

and even his own life, he cannot be my disciple.

Whoever does not carry his own cross and come after me cannot be my disciple.

Which of you wishing to construct a tower does not first sit down and calculate the cost to see if there is enough for its completion? Otherwise, after laying the foundation and finding himself unable to finish the work the onlookers should laugh at him and say,

'This one began to build but did not have the resources to finish.'

Or what king marching into battle would not first sit down and decide whether with ten thousand troops he can successfully oppose another king advancing upon him with twenty thousand troops? But if not, while he is still far away, he will send a delegation

to ask for peace terms. In the same way, anyone of you who does not renounce all his possessions cannot be my disciple."

Focus Questions:

- 1) Describe a time when a family member helped you to deepen your faith.
- 2) Relate a time when you had to leave something behind in order to be a more faithful follower of Jesus.
- 3) Describe a time when you had to consider a number of different factors before you came to a life changing decision.

Family and children's question:

Before school starts this week and everyone's schedule becomes busy, talk about how as a family you will keep Jesus first in your lives.

PRAY FOR THE SICK



Laura Woodfield, Lisa Spadafora, Mary Newcomb, Irene Aberle, Vito & Nellie Baliunas, Cathy Gillia, Kristen Baden, Joan Peirano, Chase Turano, James Basile, Michael Esposito, Stan Dziedzic, Lucja Kostrzewa, Noah Mahoney, Mary Hunter, Jess & Leslie Warren, Greg Porter, Tracy Marino, Mary Jane Dye, Richard & Gloria

O'Donnell, Jean Marsala-Kieffner, Louise Lott, John Iacolino, Teresa Szepietowska, Diana Dignam, Linda Sue Cappisillo, Richard & Patti Hauer, Charles Boston, Steven Johnston, Lorraine Antigua, Alan Lathrop, Dorothy Wirkus, Dennis LaRosa, Baby Kaitlin, Wendy Chase, Anthony Giannelli, Margaret Giannelli, Aurelia Ranno, Nunzio Pellegrino, Jack Zito, John Fitzpatrick, Agatha Bodula, Yvonne Williams, Renee Munzer, Joseph DePippo, Tara Mahoney, Dianne Quinn, John Cassabaum, Evelyn Scollon, Elaine Kleinstauber, Fr. Donal Kehew, Suzanne Coad, Baby Joe DeBacco, Melissa Randazzo Monaco, Anthony Pagano, Mathilde Cormier, Sally O'Connor, John Traynor, Antony Popp, Doris Horner, Yair Velaneuva, William Higgins, Janice Berlette, Dennis Ligus. (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 September).

PRAY FOR THE DECEASED

Eileen Grippo, Mary Marek, Paul Bilz, Norma Dill, Gaetano DeVito, Richard Dolce, Father Dolphy Montiero, Theresa DeSalvo, Theresa Lovelock, Jeevan Devaraj, our deceased relatives and friends, our deceased servicemen and women.

FROM FR. MIDURA

OUR LITURGY TODAY — Today's Gospel message is about letting others go first. From the time we are little children, we try to be the best, the most, the greatest. But Jesus invites us to relax, step back, and let go of that drive to get ahead of others. REMEMBERING SEPTEMBER 11—We will have the 9am Mass on Saturday, September 11, in memory of all those who died that tragic day. While we will remember everyone, if you wish to have a particular person's name mentioned at the Mass, please write their name(s) on the cut out in the bulletin and return it to the Church office by next weekend.

BEACH MASS—Sunday, September 12, is the date set aside for our annual Beach Mass. To make it happen, we need people to also volunteer to help in various ways for the Beach Mass to be successful and enjoyable. We know that "many hands make for less work for everyone." Please sign up at the "sign up" board in the Church lobby as soon as you can.

Everyone who attends the Beach Mass is asked to return a reservation form along with a check for \$5 per person. This amount will be returned to you when you sign in on the day of the Beach Mass. The deadline for signing up is next Sunday, September 5, so that we can prepare for the day. We will invite those attending to bring items for consumption, based on the

first letter of their last name. This is indicated on the reservation form. And as always, the intent is that everyone have a great time!

MISSIONARY COOPERATIVE COLLECTION—We thank Deacon Bob Kruse for coming to our parish to speak about the mission appeal on behalf of the mission in the Dominican Republic. To date, over \$3,000 was generously given and will be forwarded this week to the Propagation of the Faith for distribution.

MUMS FOR THE FALL—We will offer mums for purchase on the weekend of September 11-12. We expect delivery on Friday, September 10 and we will process them for pick up, beginning on Saturday, September 11. The mums will come in 9" pots and will be offered in red, white, bronze, yellow and purple. Cost will be \$5 each, the same cost as in the past. If you want to place your order in the meantime, please use the order form in the bulletin or use the form that was recently mailed to you.

WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND OUR FACILITY—We changed all the lights in the Church sanctuary since five had already burned out. Already one has burned out! Thank God for much needed rain last week which helped alleviate some of the dryness. Maybe the geese will stay away because the grass will be plentiful elsewhere.

The beginning of delivery of parts for the HVAC replacement took place last week. As more parts come on the property, initial demolition and retrofitting will begin the week after Labor Day or soon after. This will involve the total shutdown and removal of the Red Room system and half of the White Room system. We will shed a tear as the units that have served the parish since 1972 go to their eternal reward. *Progress!* **BLOOD DRIVE**—We will have our Parish Blood Drive on Thursday, September 16, from 4pm to 9pm in Walden Hall. We invite those who have given in the past to once again be donors. If you have never been a donor, and are at least 17 years of age and 110lbs or better, please be a donor. A sign up form is in this week's bulletin for donors to use. You may also use the sign up table in the Church lobby.

NEW ALTAR SERVERS—As the Summer winds down, we invite men and women of the parish to become Altar Servers. There is no age requirement. You need to have received your First Holy Communion; are willing to serve whenever assigned; and enjoy coming to Mass. If you are interested, please return the "Ministries" cut out form with your name and check off "Altar server" and place it in the collection. Practices will take place in September.

COUPLES MARRIED FIFTY YEARS—are invited to a special Mass, celebrated by Bishop Peter Libasci, at Christ the King Church, Commack, on Sunday, October 17. You may obtain a registration card in the Church Office or your may call 516.678.5800 for information.

SILVER & GOLD+ COUPLES—In our parish we will have our celebration for couples married in the Church in 1985 and for couples married in 1960 and before. It will take place at the 5pm Mass on Saturday, November 20. There will more information about the celebration as the date draws closer.

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 rebate that the parish will receive once the goal is attained. We are about \$2,600 short of reaching our assessment. No pledge is too small! Whatever you can give will help us fulfill our obligation to the CMA.

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. *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.

FATHER JOHN RUFUS—Some of you may have remembered Fr. John from India who helped out for three Winter months at St. Thomas More. He has maintained contact with us since he returned to India. Last month he was appointed a pastor in his diocese. His parish has 5,000 families. He said that things are busy! It is rainy season now!

He sends his regards to everyone and offers his prayers for us each day. As soon as I get an address for him, I will print it.

OUR PRIEST-CELEBRANTS

(Subject to last minute changes)

	Inis weekend:	Next weekend
Saturday		
5:00pm	Msgr. Midura	Fr. Ray
Sunday		
8:00am	Msgr. Midura	Fr. Bob
9:15am	Msgr. Midura	Fr. Ray
10:45am	Msgr. Boccafola	Msgr. Boccafola
12:15pm	Fr. Racos	Fr. Bob

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

If you have a child entering *first grade* in September, we will be holding two additional registration meetings—Wednesday, September 1 & Thursday, September 2 at 7:30pm in the Parish center, to enroll your child in the **Level 1 Communion Program**. Please bring your child's *original* Baptismal Certificate with you. The program fee is \$140 for 1 child, \$175 for 2 children & \$200 for 3 or more children.

PARISH OUTREACH



PARISH PANTRY—We are always appreciative of your continued support of our Food Pantry! We find we are especially in need this week of cereal, meat for our freezer in its original packaging, and paper goods. Other items needed are canned goods of all types of foods, pasta

and pasta sauces, soups, peanut butter, Jell-o, puddings, jelly, toilet tissue, paper towels and detergent.

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BACK TO SCHOOL ASSISTANCE NEEDED FOR OUR FAMILIES

With school starting in a few weeks, we are collecting school supplies to meet the needs of the children of our families. Supplies needed are: spiral notebooks, pens, Crayola crayons, post-its, glue sticks, 3-ring binders, loose leaf paper, and backpacks. Please bring to Outreach, Mon.-Thurs. between 10:am and 1:pm. Pick-up date for supplies is Monday & Tuesday, Aug. 30 & 31st. Thank You!

Senior Housing: Cabrini Gardens in Coram will be a 66-unit residence for low-income senior citizens. Applications are now being accepted from income-eligible seniors. Applicants must meet federally established income requirements to qualify and will receive rental assistance. For information and to receive an application, contact Stanan Management at 516-486-1000. Call WIC Today: WIC is a nutrition and breastfeeding education program that offers healthy supplemental food for pregnant, postpartum and breastfeeding women, infants and children up to 5 years of age. New office with appointments available: 60 Adams Ave., Hauppauge (LINCS building), Suite 105 entrance in back. Hours: M,T,W: 9:00-5:00; Th: 11:00-7:00; Fr: 8:00-4:00. Call 621-617-6717 for an appointment. Car Needed – If you have an old car that is in working condition, and would like to donate it to Outreach, we have a client who is in need of one in order to get to work. Please call

<u>Twin Beds Needed-</u> We are in need of twin beds for a client. If you can help, please call Outreach.

"I do not agree with the big way of doing things. To us what matters is an individual. To get to love the person we must come into close contact with him. If we wait till we get the numbers, then we will be lost in the numbers. And we will never be able to show that love and respect for the person. I believe in person to person; every person is Christ for me, and since there is only one Jesus, that person is the only person in the world for me at that moment." Mother Teresa – From Something Beautiful for God; pp. 118-119

JUSTICE & PEACE

Continuing from last week on finding hope in a world of darkness. We left off by saying true justice and peace is possible when we can see our story, the group story, and the world story at the same time. One of the problems with reconstruction is the people themselves. In the world today we seem to lack confidence that things can be better. All great civilizations arose

when people were confident. The question is how to rebuild confidence when it is lacking among the people? What is needed is a whole new head. In order to reconstruct, however, we need to go beyond mere cerebral learning. There are many ways of learning. There is intellectual, the will, the senses, aesthetic, and epiphany. All this would take a long time to explain. Perhaps the best is images. That is the method Jesus used. Once you touch the way people imagine a situation, change will happen easily and naturally. Jesus told stories so that people could re-imagine their lives in relationship with the world. What does all this mean in terms of justice and peace? Can we imagine a better world then we find ourselves in today? Can we imagine a world where we can live in peace and harmony with each other and nature? If we can, then justice and peace are possible. *To be continued*.

Justice is a parish affair.

Discover needs and act justly.

Together we can make a difference.
September 3rd is Pope St. Gregory the Great.

SAVE THE DATE

Justice & Peace/Religious Ed

Invites Parents & Children
to a presentation by
Fr. Frank Pizzarelli—a well-known expert in the field of
Substance Abuse and Youth.

Tuesday, October 19, 2010 Parish Center—7:30pm

MEN'S GATHERING

We are happy to say that we are starting our 20th year of the Men's Gathering. That is a long time! We urge the men of the parish to join us. We meet in the Religious Ed Office from 7:30pm to 9pm. It will always be published in the bulletin. Please come and join us. The material we cover depends on the speaker. It could be from the Scriptures, a film, a book, etc. Every time we meet, the men say they got something out of the meeting. Please join us when we meet in September. If you need more information, please contact Ralph Molinaro at 724.2253.

CIRCLE OF WOMEN

St. Thomas More Circle of Women's book discussion will resume on Monday, September 20, 2010 at 3pm in the White Room. It is the mission of the book group to focus on the spiritual influence of contemporary writings to facilitate our own reflection of God's action in our daily lives.

The Fall selection is <u>The Naked Now</u> by Richard Rohr, Crossword Publishing Co. The meetings will be held on the following dates:

> Sept. 20—Part One Nov. 15—Part Two Dec. 13 – Part Three

For information and registration please call Ann Druckenmiller at 265.8302.

BANNS OF MARRIAGE

(First Time)

Sean Stapleton, St. Thomas More & Ashlee Black, San Diego, California

PRAY FOR OUR SOLDIERS

Lorenzo Bacchi Philip Root Scott Lovelock Candice Gagnon Keith Burnett Travis Dubshinski William Charpied Thomas Nichols Peter Lesser Joseph Marziotto, Casey Benefield Laura Jean Iovino Anthony Orlandi Joseph Marziotta **Brian Hiatt** William Gregory Eric Reid



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.

RECENT BAPTISMS

We recently welcomed the following children into the Catholic Faith Community through Baptism:

Gabrielle Angela and Benjamin Gregory, twin children of Iwona and Gregory Hasho

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.

CALENDAR CLUB 2010

Here are the next set of winners. Congratulations!

August 15—\$50—231—Barbara Schriefer

August 16—\$25—694—Pat McGrath

August 17—\$25—941—ER Walden

August 18—\$25—784—John & Marti White

August 19—\$25—236—Karen Weiner

August 20—\$25—422—John & Jackie Fontana

August 21—\$25—419—Parish Outreach

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.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

DIVINE MERCY ADORATION & THE HOLY HOUR

FOR LIFE will resume on the second and fourth Mondays, beginning in September. Time will be 7:45pm in the Church

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 ushers or the priest celebrating the Mass.

STEWARDSHIP

Last Sunday's Collection

\$ 7,813.

In the Gospel today, Jesus warns us not to give in hopes of repayment, but to give open-handedly to the poor and needy. That sort of giving mirrors the bountiful giving of God, and Jesus assures us it is blessed indeed.

We are grateful this week for all stewards in our parish who give real thought to how God has blessed them and then strive to give in proportion to what they have received.

HAVE YOU THOUGHT OF FAITH DIRECT? - As we prepare for the busy Fall schedule, now is a great time to enroll in our automatic electronic offertory program with Faith Direct. Electronic giving is simply the easiest and most convenient way for you to make and St. Thomas More to receive your weekly offering. With Faith Direct, you save time and reduce our expenses, and there is no fee to you! Please visit www.FaithDirect.net to sign up today: our church code is NY227. I sincerely hope you will join the other parishioners who are making use of this convenient program.

MAINTENANCE COLLECTION

Contributed to date:

\$ 327,337.

Spent on repairs and replacements:

\$ 438,666.

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 obtain the weekly bulletin.

SCRIP SALES

Scrip Sales Last Week: \$ 3,625. Profit to the Parish: \$ 181.

THIS WEEK AT ST. THOMAS MORE

(Not totally inclusive)

Monday—August 23

7pm—Youth Ministry—Walden Hall

Thursday—September 2

7:30pm—Healing our Hearts—Religious Ed Center

Sunday—September 5

2pm—Baptisms—Church

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*HOLY FAMILY REGIONAL SCHOOL, Commack, New York Grades Nursery through 8th. You may contact the school at kconnolly@holyfamilyregional.com to schedule a tour of this

parish's regional school, or visit the School website at

www.holyfamilyregional.com

"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.

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.

CEREAL BOX TOP COUPONS - Drop them off in the Church

E-mail

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.

COURTESY ANNOUNCEMENTS

(First Notice)

FAMILY, MARRIAGE & INDIVIDUAL THERAPY—NYS licensed therapists. Most Insurance policies honored. Call 631.243.2503 for info.

MARIAN HEALING SERVICE—Wed., Sept. 8, 7pm, Immaculate Conception Center, Douglaston. Call 718.229.8001 for more info.

ANDY COONEY'S HALFWAY TO ST. PATRICK'S DAY CELEBRATION—Sept. 13, 15 & 16, Irish Coffee Pub, \$59 per person, dinner and show. For reservations call 631.277.0007.

41ST ANNUAL SAN GENNARO FEAST, ISLAND PARK, NY—Sept. 9 thru Sept. 12. Call 516.432.8585 or 516.432.0655 for info.

POSITION AVAILABLE—Teacher assistants 27 1/2 hrs. per week, with 3 and 4 year olds. Fax resume to St. Mary School, East Islip, 631.581.7509.

RETROUVAILLE, A LIFE LINE FOR TROUBLED

MARRIAGES—You can save your marriage now with this peer ministry. Upcoming weekend experience beginning on Fri, Sept. 10 at Montfort retreat house, Bay Shore. For more confidential info call 1-800-470-2230.

FAMILY PLANNING INFORMATION—Fri., Sept. 17, St. Matthew, Dix Hills, 7:30pm. For more info call 631.588.7495. **SMITHTOWN ADULT ED**—registration Mon. & Tues., Sept. 13 & 14, 9am to 12 noon, 7pm to 10pm. Smithtown residency *not* required. For more info call 382.2181.

SPIRITUAL CARE COMPANION—Catholic Health Services sponsors this free six week training. Information Session—Sat., Sept. 18, 9:30am to 11:30am, Old Country Rd., Melville. Sat., Sept. 22, 1pm to 3pm, St. Charles Hospital. For more info call Carol at 631.465.6307 or Trish at 631.465.6306. (Second Notice)

GARAGE SALE/FLEA MARKET—St. Anne's Knights of Columbus & Columbiettes will have their Garage Sale/Flea Market on Saturday, September 18, 9am to 4pm. Vendors wishing to apply call Jeanne at 631.273.4863.

Please include the following name(s) at the 9am Mass on September 11.

(Return to the Church Office by September 5)

BEACH MASS & PICNIC

I/We would like to attend the Beach Mass & Picnic on Sunday, September 12, 2010 at Noon at Schubert Beach.

FAMILY NAME:			
Address:			
Phone:			
Number coming: () Adults () Those under 12			
Total number: () "	x" \$5 each = \$ enclosed.		
Once you sign in the day be refunded to you.	of the Beach Mass, this amount will		
You may be asked to: Bring a dessert "A" to "M"	"If your last name begins with		
Bring a salad, etc. "N" to "Z"	"If your last name begins with		
(Please return with deposit to Church Office by September 5, 2010)			
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CHURCH MINISTRIES THINKING ABOUT BECOMING A LITURGICAL MINIS-			
TER OR WANT TO SHA	RE YOUR TALENTS?		
Please complete the following			
	in the following parish ministry:		
() Altar Server() Usher	() Hospitality () Greeter		
() RCIA	() Liturgy with Children		
() Lector	() Eucharistic Minister		
() Consolation Minister	() Landscaping/Planting		
() Plumber	() Electrician		
() Painter	() Handy Man/Woman		
() Rosary Altar Society() Caring for Altar Plants	() Scrip sellers() Pre-Cana		
() FOCCUS	()Adult Lending Library		
() Banner Committee	()		
Name			
Phone			

(*Please place in collection or return to Church Office*)

REGISTRATION/ENVELOPE REQUEST 2010 MUMS NAME(s): I/we would like to order mums for pickup the weekend of September 11-12. ADDRESS: NAME: PHONE: PHONE: E-MAIL: Quantity Red) () I/we would like to register in the parish. White) () Please send contribution envelopes. **Bronze**) () I am already registered in the parish but do not receive Yellow contribution envelopes. I would like to receive them. Purple () Other) Total ordered "x" \$5 each = \$ _____ (Please return in collection or at Church Office (Please return through the collection or mail to Church Office with your payment) ++++++++++++++++++ PRAYING FOR THE SICK — Adding a name Request — **BLOOD DRIVE** PLEASE ADD THE FOLLOWING TO THE PARISH I/we will be Blood Donors at the St. Thomas More Blood LISTING OF THOSE WHO ARE ILL: Drive on Thursday, September 16, in Walden Hall. Name of person(s) who is/are ill: NAME(s): PHONE: Person making the Request: Relationship to the person who is ill: Best time for me/us to donate: TODAY'S DATE: Indicate your choice: (Please place in collection basket or drop off at Church Office) _____) 4pm) 4:15pm) 4:30pm) 4:45pm) 5pm) 5:15pm CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL) 5:30pm) 5:45pm) 6pm You can make a difference!) 6:15pm) 6:30pm) 6:45pm Please consider what you can do to make this campaign successful.) 7pm) 7:15pm) 7:30pm Please make your check payable to: Catholic Ministries Appeal) 745pm) 8pm) 8:15pm) 8:30pm) 8:45pm) Not sure yet Pledge: Down Payment: (Please return through collection basket or drop off at the Balance: Church Office) __ Quarterly __ Annually __ Other __ Monthly Name: Address: Be Safe! City, State, Zip: Phone: Pray for Peace! Donor Signature: (Return to the Church Office) Love One Another!

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

Aeroflex-

- Administrative Assistant—must be organized, excel, good phone manners, etc.
- 2. Shipping/Receiving clerk—one year experience. HS diploma. Clean NYS driver's license. Some heavy lifting required.
- 3. Manufacturing Engineer—BS mfg engineering or equivalent.
- 4. Network Administrator—3 yrs experience as administrator & hands on active directory.

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

Divisional Administrator needed. NYS SDA or SOL certification and experience necessary.

<u>Cablevision</u> - Understand state of the Art Digital Video - PC skills - outstanding benefits.

<u>Clerical Positions</u>—Brentwood. Suffolk Community College. 17 hours per week. No 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.

<u>Geico Insurance</u>—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—<u>Fox</u>

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.

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

<u>Mother's Helper</u>—Smithtown/Hauppauge. Twin girls 1 year olds. 2 or 3 days per week. September/October. Grandmother will be present at all times.

<u>Physical Therapy Aides Needed</u>—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.

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

<u>Sunrise Senior Living</u>—Smithtown, HHA's and LPN's—AM or PM shifts, competitive salary, benefits—open interviews Thursdays at 1pm.

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

<u>Tellers</u>—Island Federal Credit Union, Hauppauge branch. Saturdays required.

Uniondale Public School—

- 1. Elementary Assistant Principal—Masters, 5 years teaching experienced. Valid NYS SDA and or SAS certification.
- 2. Music Teacher—NYS certification required. Bi-lingual a plus.

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.