# Catholic Church Community of

# St. Thomas More

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#### **Pastoral Staff**

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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.



# June 19, 2011 The Most Holy Trinity

Parish 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
Religious Ed—	234-0397	FAX 234-1199
Outreach—	234-3149	FAX 234-1199
Church Lobby—	348-9378	

# Masses for this coming week

June 19, 2011 The Most Holy Trinity Exodus 34:4b-6, 8-9 Daniel 3:52,53,54,55,56 2 Corinthians 13:11-13 John 3:16-18

#### Saturday—June 18

(Anticipated Mass for Sunday)

5pm—Earl Miller & Filomena Camilli by the Miller Family

#### Sunday—June 19—The Most Holy Trinity -Father's Day

8am—Father's Day Novena

9:15am—Father's Day Novena

10:45am—Father's Day Novena

12:15pm—Dominick Bove by Mary Rea, Antonia Colado & Mr. Michele Savino by Anna Vito & Tony Savino, Fabio DiMeglio by Michael & Vivian Jacobs, James Hart by the Roberti Family, Donald Mandery by James Wilde & Family, Donald Robinson by Renee Decondo, Ann Stellato by Grace Barber & Family.

#### Monday—June 20

9am—Father's Day Novena

Tuesday—June 21—St. Aloysius Gonzaga

9am—Father's Day Novena

Wednesday—June 22—St. Paulinus of Nola, St. John

Fisher and St. Thomas More

9am—Father's Day Novena

Thursday—June 23

9am—Father's Day Novena

Friday—June 24—The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

9am—Father's Day Novena

Saturday— June 25

9am—Father's Day Novena

#### (Anticipated Mass for Sunday)

5pm—Balling & McCoy Families by Rosemary Balling

# Sunday—June 26—The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)

8am—Rudolph A. Ciotti by Mae Devine

9:15am—Michelle De Franco by the Stasiak Family

10:45am—Joseph Madden by the family

12:15pm—Father's Day Novena

# Growing through the Sunday Scriptures

June 26, 2011
The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
Deuteronomy 8:2-3, 14b-16a
Psalm 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20
1 Corinthians 10:16-17
John 6:51-58

#### A reading from the Holy Gospel according to John:

Jesus said to the Jewish crowds: "I am the living bread that came down from heaven; whoever eats this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give is my flesh for the life of the world." The Jews quarreled among themselves, saying, "How can this man give us his flesh to eat?" Jesus said to them, "Amen, amen, I say to you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you do not have life within you. Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, and I will raise him on the last day. For my flesh is true food, and my blood is true drink. Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him. Just as the living Father sent me and I have life because of the Father, so also the one who feeds on me will have life because of me. This is the bread that came down from heaven. Unlike your ancestors who ate and still died, whoever eats this bread will live forever."

#### **Focus Ouestions:**

- 1. Describe a celebration of the Eucharist that had special meaning for you.
- 2. How do you experience life differently because of your faith in the presence of Jesus in the Eucharist?
- 3. Describe a time of doubt. Who or what helped you to overcome your doubts?

#### Family and children's question:

Talk about the importance of celebrating the Eucharist each week.

# PRAY FOR THE SICK

Anna Marie DeFreytas, Maureen O'Donnell, Marie D'Anna, Matthew Greiner, Frank Ayers, John Conover, Mark Venezia, Thomas Galati, Maura Reddy, Dennis LaRosa, Cookie Ferrero, Janice Berlette, Sam Prince, Anna LaRocca, Joseph Esposito, Daniel & Mary Skinnon, Mackenzie Jordan Borchers, Terri Ilardi McKee, Charlie Parker, Suzanne Coad, Victor Buzzanca, Rita Basile, James Basile, Thomas McGuire, John Brewer, Felicia Spiera, Fred Zamprella, Roseann



Dorohow, Janine Mathner, Fred Busse, Thomas Stahura, Yvonne Williams, Rev. Donal R. Kehew, William Boyle, Denise Zappia, Victor Baliunas, Mary Ann O'Gara, Pat Chapin, Josephine Carpenter, Susan McElroy, Teresa Szepietowska, Phyllis Cable, Katherine Badalaty, Elaine Kleinstauber, Debra Lewis,

Henry Kwiecinski, Irene Aberle, Veronica Mattes, Holly Ranker, Linda Bucceri, Charles Boston, Theresa Healy, Giovanni Dominick Cipriani, Carol Ramsden, Alan Lathrop, Eamon Tuberide, Tom Devine, Ellen Catougno, Nellie Duffy, Robert Boney, Jennifer Savarese, Edward Duffy, Eileen Immarino, Frank Vaccaro, Andrea Walker, Phyliss Senner, Anthony Pagano, Evelyn Stitt, Marie Ballarin, Celeste Pena, Jean Marsala-Kieffner, Lisa Codispoti, Chase Turano, Renee Munzer, Adela Morales, Evelyn Hirsch, Linda Sue Cappisillo, Katherine Drechsler, Lucja Kostrzewa, Katie Kiss, Thuy Wilmott, Mary Barry, Joseph Calvacca, Pat Porter, Maria Espeniera, Jack Zito, Baby twins Alexander & Samuel. (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

Elinor Warren, John Iacolino, Father William Murphy, Eugene Lynn Cook, our deceased loved ones and our deceased servicemen and women.

# FROM FR. MIDURA

OUR LITURGY FOR SUNDAY—Jesus came among us to show us the face of God and to reveal the divine nature—a nature that is mysteriously both One Person and a Community of Persons. And so, created in that divine image, we are somehow called to be both an individual and unavoidably part of a community. Today, we are that community. Let us pray for the grace to reveal the face of God.

FEAST OF ST. THOMAS MORE—This Wednesday, June 22, is the feast of our parish patron, St. Thomas More. Sir Thomas More, also known by Catholics as Saint Thomas More, was an English lawyer, social philosopher, author, statesman and noted Renaissance humanist. He was an important counselor to King Henry VIII of England and for three years towards the end of his life he was Lord Chancellor. He is recognized as a Saint within the Catholic Church and is commemorated by the Church of England as a

'Reformation martyr'. He was an opponent of the Protestant Reformation and in particular of Martin Luther and William Tyndale.

Thomas More coined the word "<u>utopia</u>" - a name he gave to the ideal, imaginary island nation whose political system he described in <u>Utopia</u>, published in 1516. He opposed the king's separation from the Catholic Church and refused to accept the king as Supreme Head of the Church of England, a status the king had been given by a compliant parliament through the Act of Supremacy of 1534. He was imprisoned in the Tower of London in 1534 for his refusal to take the oath required by the First Succession Act, because the act disparaged the power of the Pope and Henry's marriage to Catherine of Aragon. In 1535 he was tried for treason and beheaded.

More was beatified by the Catholic Church in 1886 and canonized, with John Fisher, in 1935. In 1980, he was added to the Church of England's list of 'saints and heroes of the Christian Church'.

*HAPPY FATHER'S DAY*—We wish all our fathers warmest best wishes and God's blessings upon you on this Father's Day.

FATHERS DAY NOVENA OF MASSES—This Sunday is Father's Day. We will begin a Nine Day Novena in honor of our living or deceased fathers on Sunday. Father's Day Spiritual Bouquet cards for presentation to a living dad are available where you obtain the bulletin. Please return the outer information envelope by placing it in the drop off box in the Church lobby for remembrance the next nine days.

OUR PARISH GOLF OUTING is Monday, July 25, at the Smithtown Landing Golf Course. Cost per golfer is \$150 which includes a catered meal back at St. Thomas More in Walden Hall. Save the date. Please return the reservation form you received in the mail or use the one that is in the bulletin and return it as soon as you can.

There is a Raffle as part of the Golf Outing. If you cannot make the Outing you can still buy a raffle ticket or two. They are offered after Masses until the Golf Outing. They are \$10 each or three for \$20. First prize will be a 3D TV with cables and Blue Ray. Second prize will be two tickets to the "Jersey Boys" on August 17 with limo service to and from the show. Third prize will be three tickets to a Giants football game (if the football season happens). Tickets are on the 50 yard line, seven rows back. Fourth prize will be a Kindle Reader.

MISSIONARY COOPERATIVE COLLECTION—Next weekend, June 25-26, Fr. Hugh Burns, OP, will come to our parish and ask for our support of the Dominican Foreign Missions. Each year one religious order of men or women visits a parish in the diocese to ask for support of their missionary activity in various parts of the world. Please extend a warm welcome to Fr. Burns and extend your generosity to the Dominican Missions.

**PETERS PENCE COLLECTION**—This annual collection, for which there is an envelope provided in your packet, provides the Holy Father with the funds he needs to carry out his most important charitable works. The proceeds benefit the most disadvantaged: victims of war, oppression, and natural

disasters. Through your generosity, we can cast the peace of Christ upon the world.

**HOLY HOURS RESUME IN SEPTEMBER**—The Holy Hours held on the second and fourth Mondays of the month will resume in September.

**TIME, TALENT, TREASURE**—During June we, as a parish, reflect on the elements of Stewardship seen through the gift of our time, talent and treasure. How do we use our time and talent and our treasure to keep our parish as a community of Faith and Love?

We thank our parishioners who gave Witness talks at the Masses last weekend.

WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND OUR FACILITY—At our request, we were visited by the Diocesan representative from the Office of Buildings and Repairs to assess the parking lot situation and to pursue doing repairs to the cracks and broken pavement. The roof flashing in certain parts of the building will be repaired as well. We are discarding accumulated and unusable items that are sitting around the property. Progress! PARISH FISHING TRIP—We will have a Fishing Trip out of the Captree Boat Basin on Tuesday, September 13, from 8am to Noon. Set the date aside for a half day of fun on the bay. Sign up by returning the cut out in the bulletin or by calling the Church Office. Cost is \$45 per person.

**CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL 2011**—We ask for everyone's generous response to this year's Appeal. For 2011, the current status of the CMA for us is:

Goal: \$ 57,795 Pledged so far: \$ 54,375

Please return the pledge form in the bulletin. You can pay off the pledge over the rest of the year. You may also use a charge card to pay off your pledge. Thank you for your generosity! *PARISH BEACH MASS*—The planned date for the Parish Beach Mass this year is Sunday, September 18. In order to make it happen, we need people to volunteer to help from coordination, to set up to service, to take down, to storing. If you can help, please let us know. Last year many more came forth to help make it happen and we can do the same thing this year. Mark the date on your calendars!

TAKE LEISURE TIME ALONG WITH GOD—As school ends for the Summer and as most go here and there over the Summer, let us always take the Lord with us! Vacation along with rather than without God during the Summer.

OUR BBQ SQUARE DANCE AND OUR PANCAKE BREAKFAST—We thank all those who helped make the Parish Feast Weekend happen. From the set up to the take down, from the serving and the clean up, from the greeters and well wishers, from the parishioners who attended, and for anyone we may have missed, we say "thank you" for making the weekend what it was.

**GRAND PRIZE RAFFLE**—We congratulate the winners of the Raffle that was part of the weekend. They were:

First Prize—Steve Corte

Second Prize—Kathi Bard

Third Prize—Geney Probst and Tom Rodecker

## JUSTICE & PEACE

Continuing from last week on catholic social reaching. We left off with food production and the ability to purchase food. We have heard the saying, that hunger is one problem we can solve. Are we aware that the global food supply is, for the most part, controlled by a few transnational corporations such as Philip Morris, Archer Daniels Midland, Con Agra and General Mills? These corporations own or have influenced the entire food chain. They control the farm land, the farm finance, seeds, equipment, fertilizers, pesticides, grain collection, milling, livestock production and slaughtering, just to mention a few. We can see by this that these few corporations control most of the food produced. All this is, for the most part, bad news. The profit for small family owned farms is very thin. Their profits are small while the large corporation's profits grow richer. The toll on the poor of the world is even greater. Due to price supports these corporations can undersell the farmers in the poorer nations. This may sound good but are we aware that 60% or more of the populations in those countries make a living from the land? What does this all mean in terms of justice and peace? What we have said causes more unrest and poverty in the poorer nations. Hungry people cannot buy the food they need to survive. CST and our faith calls us to take action. To be completed next week.

Justice is a parish affair.

Discover needs and act justly.

Together we can make a difference.

Today is The Most Holy Trinity. It is also Father's Day. Let us remember our fathers living or dead.

The 21st is St. Aloysius Gonzaga.

The 22nd is St. Paulinus of Nola, St. John Fisher and the feast of St. Thomas More, the patron saint of our parish.

**FEEDING THE PIGGY**—You are always invited to lend your support of the "piggy" in the Church lobby by placing any spare quarters into the tube.

We recently received a certificate of acknowledgement from Heifer International for \$500 that was sent to them to purchase a farm animal for a worthy family. It should be on display where the "piggy" is located.

#### **OUR PRIEST-CELEBRANTS**

(Subject to last minute changes)
This weekend: Next Sunday

Saturday Fr. O'Rourke Fr. Dahlke 5pm Sunday 8:00am Fr. Racos Fr. O'Rourke 9:15am Msgr. Midura Fr. Racos 10:45am Fr. Racos Fr. Racos 12:15pm Fr. Schweitzer Fr. Burns

# PARISH OUTREACH & ST. VINCENT de PAUL NEWS

Our mission to help people incorporate St. Thomas More Parish Outreach and the St. Thomas St. Vincent de Paul Conference.

#### **Parish Pantry**

Our Pantry shelves are very low on the following items: toilet paper, shampoo, conditioner, cake mix, muffin mix, flour, soup - and for our freezer we need hot dogs, hamburgers and rolls. Thank you for your help.

#### **Summer Hours for Outreach**

Our hours for the Summer will remain the same: Monday through Thursday from 10am to 2pm

#### Father's Day – June 19th

A good father is one of the most unsung, unpraised, unnoticed, and yet one of the most valued assets in our society.

\*\*Billy Graham\*\*

Small boy's definition of Fathers Day: It's just like Mothers' Day only you don't spend so much.

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

"ONE NATION UNDER GOD" - Many people do not know that it was the Knights of Columbus, who were instrumental in the legislation, that led to the law adding the words "Under God" to the Pledge.

Patriotic Lawn Signs "One Nation Under God" are available for purchase after Masses while supplies last. The price for this sign will be \$10 which includes a metal lawn stand.

# **BANNS OF MARRIAGE**

(Third Time)

Gregory Napolitano, St. Thomas More & Catia Fernandes, St. Philip Neri

Melissa Dowse, St. Thomas More & John Rivera, St. Joseph, Kings Park

# PRAY FOR OUR SOLDIERS

Lorenzo Bacchi Scott Lovelock Paul Hulkow, Jr. William Charpied Christopher Sidote Daniel Cribbin William Gregory Philip Root Candice Gagnon Randy Donaldson Thomas Nichols James Fensterer Joseph Marziotta



William Gregory Eric Reid
Eric Mitchell Christopher Mustakas

Justin Schneider Christopher

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 A 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, <a href="mailto:redaa@aol.com">redaa@aol.com</a> or 543-2740. If there is no answer, contact Fr. Midura at the Church Office.

## RELIGIOUS ED NEWS

For registration for the 2011 Fall programs, call the Religious Ed Office for information.

## RESPECT LIFE NEWS

The Holy Hour for Life held every fourth Monday of the month at 7:45pm in Church *will resume in September*.

#### CIRCLE OF WOMEN

It is the mission of the Circle of Women Book Group to focus on the spiritual influence of contemporary writing that facilitates our own reflections of God's action in our daily lives.

For further information and/or to register, call Ann at 265.8302. Meetings are held in Walden Hall classroom.

## **CALENDAR CLUB 2011**

Here are the winners drawn for the latest week.

June 5—\$50—412—James McGuire

June 6—\$25—830—James & Joan Murphy

June 7—\$25—1104—Steve & Lela Gabrielli

June 8—\$25—852—Larry & Fran Miron

June 9—\$25—492—Jean Noschese

June 10—\$25—381—Evelyn Batt

June 11—\$25—680—Maureen & Tom Fallona

# OFFERTORY GIFT PROCESSION

All parishioners, adults and children, are invited to be part of the Offertory procession at our weekend 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 tell one of the ushers that you are there. For future dates you can sign up in the register book that is at the table on the left as you enter the Church lobby.

# **MAINTENANCE COLLECTION**

**Contributed to date:** 

\$ 376,080.

Spent on repairs and replacements:

\$ 701,490.

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: \$4,700. Profit to the Parish: \$235.

# SUPPORT COLLECTION

Last Sunday's Collection: \$ 7,898.

HAVE YOU THOUGHT OF FAITH DIRECT? - Consider joining your fellow parishioners who now have automatic deductions from their checking or savings or who use a credit card to support St. Thomas More each week. With Faith Direct, you save time and reduce our expenses, and there is no fee to you! Please visit <a href="https://www.FaithDirect.net">www.FaithDirect.net</a> to sign up today: our church code is <a href="https://www.FaithDirect.net">NY227</a>. You may also use the form that is included in the bulletin or you may pick up a registration form located where you obtain the bulletin. We thank you for your consideration and continued support.

#### June Totals through Faith Direct:

\$ 11,788.00
\$ 153.31
\$ 417.57
\$ 1,997.22
\$ 142.25
\$ 288.68
\$ 564.59
\$ 8,224.38
\$ \$ \$ \$

## THIS WEEK AT ST. THOMAS MORE

(Not totally inclusive)

Monday—June 20

7pm—Pastoral Council—Rectory

7pm—Youth Ministry—Walden Room

Tuesday—June 21

7pm—Golf Committee Meeting—Rectory

7:30pm—Justice & Peace —Religious Education Center

Thursday—June 23

5:30pm—Children's Choir—Church

8pm—Choir—Church

# GETTING READY FOR THE NEW ROMAN MISSAL

(Over the coming month's we will publish information pertaining to the Roman Missal that will become effective with the First Sunday of Advent).

#### EMBRACING CHANGE IN THE LITURGY

What we pray now:

Holy, holy Lord, God of power and might. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

What we will pray after the First Sunday of Advent:

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

What we pray now:

Priest: This is the Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world. Happy are those who are called to his supper.

People: Lord, I am not worthy to receive you, but only say the word and I shall be healed.

What we will pray after the First Sunday of Advent:

Priest: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

People: Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

## 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 (Joe Gast) - Gast.Joe@gmail.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 <a href="http://calendar.yahoo.com/stmreled">http://calendar.yahoo.com/stmreled</a>

HOLY FAMILY REGIONAL SCHOOL, Commack, New York—Grades Nursery through 8<sup>th</sup>. You may contact the school at <a href="mailto:kconnolly@holyfamilyregional.com">kconnolly@holyfamilyregional.com</a> to schedule a tour of this parish's regional school, or visit the School website at <a href="https://www.holyfamilyregional.com">www.holyfamilyregional.com</a>

"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.

Topics:

June 19—Relaxation

June 26—Growth

**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 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.

#### 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. Thanks for shopping online and thanks for the donation that we will receive on your behalf.

## **COURTESY ANNOUNCEMENTS**

(Second Notice)

**SUNDAY MASS** is now airing on ABC Family from 6:30am to 7am each Sunday morning. It is produced by the Passionist Fathers and Brothers from New York City. For more information, consult the website at: www.The Sunday Mass.org

**PILGRIMAGE TO MONTREAL, CANADA**—August 13-16, 2011. \$350.00 includes breakfast, lodging and bus transportation. Please call Nallie (631) 813-2355 or (631) 357-9036 or Louise B (631) 586-4515.

**PROFESSIONAL THERAPY & COUNSELING**—Call Dr. George Giuliani at 631.234.2503.

# 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:

( ) Altar Server	( ) Hospitality
( ) Usher	( ) Greeter
( ) RCIA	( ) Liturgy with Children
( ) Lector	( ) Eucharistic Minister
( ) Consolation Minister	( ) Landscaping/Planting
( ) Plumber	( ) Electrician
( ) Painter	( ) Handy Man/Woman
( ) Rosary Altar Society	( ) Scrip sellers
( ) Caring for Altar Plants	( ) Pre-Cana
( ) FOCCUS	( )Adult Lending Library
( ) Banner Committee	( )St. Vincent de Paul Society
Name	
Phone	
E-mail	
(Please place in co	llection 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	
FISHING	
I/we would like to go on the Fishi September 13, leaving Captree at	
NAME(s):	
PHONE:	
Number going "x" \$45 each	= \$ enclosed.
(Please return to the +++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++	**************************************
Name (1)	
Name (2)	
Name (3)	
Name (4)	
Phone Contact:	
If you do not have a Foursome, w golfers to make a Foursome.	e will join you with other
( ) # of Golfers 'x' \$150 ea	ch = \$ enclosed.
(Please return to C	Church Office)
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# CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL 2011

I/we would like to make a gift to the 2011 Catholic Ministries Appeal.

NAM	E(s)
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ADDRESS:

CITY/STATE/ZIP:

PHONE:

E-MAIL:

A GUIDE TO GIVING

PLEDGE	10 PAYMENTS
\$5,000	\$500
\$2,500	\$250
\$1,500	\$150
\$1,000	\$100
\$750	\$75
\$500	\$50
\$400	\$40
\$300	\$30
\$250	\$25
\$200	\$20
\$150	\$15
\$100	\$10
Other	
YOUR PLEDGE:	
INITIAL PAYMENT:	
BALANCE:	

You may also charge your pledge on a credit card, using either Visa, Mastercard, Amex, or Discover.

If you want to use a credit card, please check here \_\_\_\_\_ and we will contact you to arrange for the credit card charge.

(Please return this cut-out to the Church Office)

# REGISTRATION and/or 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.

	I		
( ) Other		 	

(Please return in collection or at Church Office

(The following was printed in a weekend bulletin of a parish and was given to me and here it is!)

#### "NO EXCUSE" SUNDAY"

This is a great time of the year. We have special days for this. We have special days for that. We have Easter Sunday, Ascension Thursday, Pentecost Sunday, Mother's Day, Memorial Day, Father's Day, Days of Communion, Confirmation, Graduations and Weddings.

As we have seen the Easter crowds dwindle back to our usual attendance, we can certainly ask, "Where have all the good folks gone?" So here, with tongue in cheek, is another special day for you. Next Sunday is "No Excuse" Sunday.

Cots will be placed in the foyer for those who say, "Sunday is my only day to sleep late."

There will be a special section with lounge chairs and recliners for those who think our pews are too hard and uncomfortable.

Eye drops will be available for those with tired eyes from the glare of late night Saturday TV shows.

We have steel helmets for those who say, "The roof would cave in if I ever came to Church!"

Blankets will be furnished for those who think the Church is too cold and drafty.

Fans will be given to those who say it is too hot and stuffy. Scorecards will be distributed to those who wish to keep a record of the hypocrites present.

Relatives and friends will be in attendance for those who cannot go to Church and cook dinner too.

Ushers will pass around "Stamp out Stewardship" buttons to those who are weary of being asked for money.

One area of the Church will be devoted to trees and grass for those who prefer to seek God in nature.

Doctors and nurses will be in attendance for those who plan to be sick on Sunday.

The Sanctuary will be decorated with poinsettias and Easter lilies for those who have never seen the Church without them. We will provide hearing aids for those who cannot hear the homily and we will provide cotton for those who can!

Pass this on to some of your friends, and tell them: "Hope to see you there!"

# Congratulations To All Our Graduates! May The Lord Always Be Your Guide!

We are responding to our readers who have inquired about placing obituaries and memorial remembrances in **The Long Island Catholic**.

We have created a special page called "Loving Memorials", which appeared for the first time in The Long Island Catholic on June 15, 2011.

It is our sincere desire that "Loving Memorials" will provide our readers with an opportunity to remember and honor those who have passed away – either recently or in the past.

The "Loving Memorials" page is scheduled to appear in The Long Island Catholic on either the first or second week of each month. Our next "Loving Memorials" page will appear on July 13, 2011. Readers are asked to submit their "Loving Memorials" messages (215 characters maximum - includes the total of all letters, spaces, and punctuation) by Tuesday, July 5. For personal assistance and to tender the \$100 fee to cover the cost of printing your memorial, please call our office at 516-594-1212, or send your email to ferguson@licatholic.org.

**View on line**: To enable your out-of-town family members & friends to view the "Loving Memorials" page, it will be displayed on our web site at **www.licatholic.org**.

Loving Memory of Mary L. Longori May 5.1

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# 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 are kept in strict confidence.

#### POSITIONS AVAILABLE

#### Aeroflex—

- 1. 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.

**Arbors**—Openings in Housekeeping.

Atlantic Auto Group—NY's largest Auto Dealer—now staffing West Islip location in Service and Sales. Excellent Benefits.

**Bank of America**—PT/FT positions for tellers and sales. Benefits for both PT/FT.

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.

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

<u>Director of Nursing</u>—Veterans Home, Stony Brook. Must have NYS RN's license. BS in nursing. Experience.

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—Fox

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

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

<u>Mather Hospital</u>—Seeking Assistant Director of Surgical Services, nurse specialist, nurse practitioners, RNs, surgical techs, unit secretaries.

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

<u>North Shore LIJ</u>—Laboratory interviews, June 16, 2-6pm. Physician Assistant interviews, Friday, June 17, 9:30am to 7pm (NYC) and 10am to 4pm (Long Island). Must schedule an appointment. No walk-ins.

Nurse Managers—Veterans Hospital, Northport. BSN required. 3-5 years experience. Citizenship required.

PC Richard & Son—Now hiring full time sales associates for all stores.

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

South Nassau Communities Hospital—Professional Positions-FT/PT. Also, openings in Family Medicine Services.

<u>Suffolk County Community College</u>—It anticipates many varied openings at Brentwood, Riverhead & Selden campuses.

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.