

Catholic Church Community of  
**St. Thomas More**

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**Pastoral Staff**

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**Youth Ministry**

Joe Gast, S.C., Youth Minister

**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.



*August 7, 2011*  
*Nineteenth Sunday*  
*Ordinary Time*

*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:**

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

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Masses for this coming week</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Growing through the Sunday Scriptures</b></p>
<p style="text-align: center;"> <b>August 7, 2011</b>  <b>Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>  <b>1 Kings:19:9a, 11-13a</b>  <b>Psalm 85:9, 10, 11-12, 13-14</b>  <b>Romans 9:1-5</b>  <b>Matthew 14:22-23</b> </p>	<p style="text-align: center;"> <b>August 14, 2011</b>  <b>Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>  <b>Isaiah 56:1, 6-7</b>  <b>Psalm 67: 2-3, 5, 6, 8</b>  <b>Romans 11:13-15, 29-32</b>  <b>Matthew 15:21-28</b> </p>
<p><b>Saturday—August 6</b> (<i>Anticipated Mass for Sunday</i>) 5pm—Dominick R. Messina <i>by Rose Messina &amp; Family</i> <b>Sunday August 7—Nineteenth Ordinary Sunday</b> 8am—Madeline &amp; Al Doyle <i>by Lottie &amp; Chet Kalenty</i>, Ann Gallo <i>by the Gallo &amp; Wieland Families</i>, Augusta Hicks <i>by the Eyrings</i>, Frank Kluse <i>by Bernice Kluse</i>, Vincent McGuire <i>by Ed &amp; Laura Vigneaux</i>, Harry Timberman <i>by JoAnn Eyring</i>, John Troffa <i>by Joseph del Ferraro</i>, Jerry Trombetta <i>by Aurelie &amp; John Hendry</i>, Elinor Warren <i>by Lottie &amp; Chet Kalenty</i> 9:15am—Vita Santiccioli <i>by Shelley &amp; Monte Hollander</i> 10:45am—Assunta Carucci <i>by Mary &amp; Gabe Butera</i> 12:15pm—Adrienne Grace Ball <i>by Patricia McGrath</i></p> <p><b>Monday—August 8—St. Dominic</b> 9am—Richard Musarra <i>by John &amp; Aurelie Miller-Hendry</i> <b>Tuesday—August 9—St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross</b> 9am—Lorraine Casey <i>by Deacon John &amp; Christine Rapacki</i> <b>Wednesday—August 10—St. Lawrence</b> 9am—Dolores Walden <i>by Deacon John &amp; Christine Rapacki</i> <b>Thursday--August 11—St. Clare</b> 9am—Marilyn Mott <i>by Bill &amp; July Martinetti</i> <b>Friday—August 12—St. Jane Frances de Chantal</b> 9am—Florence Struck, and for the People of the Parish <b>Saturday—August 13—St. Pontian, &amp; St. Hippolytus</b> 9am—Fr. Robert Giuntini</p> <p>(<i>Anticipated Mass for Sunday</i>) 5pm—Michael Cisternas <i>by his loving family</i></p> <p><b>Sunday—August 14—Twentieth Ordinary Sunday</b> 8am—Francine Livreri <i>by Debra &amp; Michael Martines</i> 9:15am—Bertha Pomfret <i>by the Takach Family</i> 10:45am—Germinal Miqueli <i>by Agnes F. Schomber</i> 12:15pm—Robert Miller <i>by Mr. &amp; Mrs. R. Vitkovich</i></p>	<p><b>A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Matthew:</b></p> <p>At that time, Jesus withdrew to the region of Tyre and Sidon. And behold, a Canaanite woman of that district came and called out, “Have pity on me, Lord, Son of David! My daughter is tormented by a demon.” But Jesus did not say a word in answer to her. Jesus’ disciples came and asked him, “Send her away, for she keeps calling out after us.” He said in reply, “I was sent only to the lost sheep of the house of Israel.” But the woman came and did Jesus homage, saying, “Lord, help me.” He said in reply, “It is not right to take the food of the children and throw it to the dogs.” She said, “Please, Lord, for even the dogs eat the scraps that fall from the table of their masters.” Then Jesus said to her in reply, “O woman, great is your faith! Let it be done for you as you wish.” And the woman’s daughter was healed from that hour.</p> <p><b>Focus Questions:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Describe a time when a prejudice initially caused you to dismiss someone. Who or what helped you to look deeper?</li> <li>2. Relate an experience when you saw the common humanity in someone who was culturally or religiously different from you.</li> <li>3. Describe a time when your prayer has been as persistent as the Canaanite woman was.</li> </ol> <p><b>Family and children’s question:</b></p> <p>Talk about a time when you felt you were not being listened to or not taken seriously. How persistent were you in getting what you needed?</p>

## PRAY FOR THE SICK



Ellen Catougno, Nellie Duffy, Robert Boney, Jennifer Savarese, Mimi Dickson, Edward Duffy, Shawn Cook, Eileen Immarino, Maria Martino, 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, Charlie Parker, Suzanne Coad, Victor Buzzanca, Rita Basile, James Basile, Thomas McGuire, Denise Zappia, Victor Baliunas, Mary Ann O'Gara, Pat Chapin, Josephine Carpenter, Charleen & Jimmy Spiers, Marge Giachetti, Susan McElroy, Teresa Szepietowska, Phyllis Cable, Katherine Badalaty, Elaine Kleinstauber, Debra Lewis, Henry Kwiecinski, Irene Aberle, Veronica Mattes, Pat Porter, Tom Devine, Anna Miqueli, Jonathan Reardon, Linda Bucceri, Charles Boston, Carol Nische, Theresa Healy, Evelyn Hirsch, Linda Sue Cappisillo, Katherine Drechsler, Lucja Kostrzewa, Katie Kiss, Joseph Hauk, Mary Bein, Maureen O'Donnell, Marie D'Anna, William Boyle, Thuy Wilmott, Mary Barry, Joseph Calvacca, Sam Prince, Anna LaRocca, Joseph Esposito, Josephine Sadowski, Judy Scott, Rosemarie Herna, Joellen Sadowski, Joseph Nappi, Matthew Bernardo, Felicia Spiers, Toniann Dorohow, Daniel & Mary Skinnon, Terri Ilardi McKee, Barbara Fratamico, Jack Zito, Thomas Galati, Maura Reddy, Dennis LaRosa, Marisa Carney, Cookie Ferrero, Janice Berlette, Giovanni Dominick Cipriani, Carol Ramsden, Alan Lathrop, Eamon Tuberde, Maria Espeniera.

*(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

Larry Forgione, our deceased loved ones and our deceased servicemen and women.

## FROM FR. MIDURA

**OUR LITURGY FOR SUNDAY**—There are times when we listen hard for the voice of God, but we can't hear the Word; we look for God's actions in our lives, but we can't see a plan or make sense of what is happening to us. In today's readings we'll hear about Elijah, who finally hears God's voice in the whisper of wind, and about Peter, who can walk on water, as long as he keeps his eyes on Jesus. Let's pray today for that same grace: for ears attuned to God's voice and eyes open to God's plan for us.

**PARISH BEACH MASS**—The date for the Parish Beach Mass 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. You can also sign up at the bulletin board in the Church Lobby. 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!

**MUMS**—We will have mums in various colors available for

purchase to beautify your homes. You should have received the order form in the mail or you can use the one printed in this bulletin. Cost will be \$5 per plant. You can also order decorative Kale or Cabbage in this year's order. So we can order the correct amount of each plant, please return your orders by August 28. They will be available beginning the first week of September. We will also have a limited number of mums available during that weekend on a first come, first served basis.

**WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND OUR FACILITY**—We own them now! Namely, the new HVAC units for Walden Hall and Kirwin Hall passed into our ownership as we made the final payment of \$5,600 this past week. This was the amount that is customarily retained until everything is to the satisfaction of the contractor, the engineer, the diocesan building office and the pastor! The project was under budget and enabled us to apply the "savings" to the safety fences that were more than we expected.

One of the control relays in one of the Church HVAC units needed replacement this past week and is fully functional again.

We will pursue the issue of the poor drainage in the parking lot which floods when we have deluge rains.

Rocco's Eagle Project, the walkway to Mary's shrine, is moving along. You can peek around the right wall at the Church entrance to see things happening.

We are close to having an installation date for the replacement doors to the Church.

Be careful around the in-ground bee's nests in front of the outdoor St. Thomas More statue. You will know the next by the mound of dirt on the surface of the grass. They are excavator bees and they mean business when they are disturbed. *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.

**SPLISH SPLASH**—Every altar server, junior lector and children's choir member is cordially invited to come to a day at Splish Splash in Riverhead on Thursday, August 25. Every member of the above mentioned groups is entitled to bring with them one adult who is 18 years and older. (For example) If there are two servers in a family, they can bring two adults. If there are three servers or lectors, you can bring three, etc. To reserve your tickets, please return the reservation form you received by e-mail or in the mail or use the one in this bulletin. Each person and their adult escort must be represented with at \$23 fee each when you return your reservation. When you show up that day, you will get the fees returned. Any additional persons wishing to attend with the server, lector or singer can do so by sending in a fee of \$23 each with the reservation. Deadline for reservations is Sunday, August 21. After that day, there are NO refunds since we preordered the admission tickets. The park is open, rain or shine! After all, it is a water park! If there is dangerous weather, the park determines whether to close or remain open.

Please indicate whether you will meet at the Church parking lot at 9:30am or at the Group sales window at Splish Splash at 10am on that day.

**OUTREACH/ST. VINCENT de PAUL**— We invite your support of our “back to school” supplies program. Pens, pencils, note books, back packs are some of the items to consider giving.

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

**RESPECTING THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**—As we approach to receive the Body of Christ and the Blood of Christ, we are asked to bow our heads before receiving.

**OUR PRIEST-CELEBRANTS**

*(Subject to last minute changes)*

This weekend:    Next Sunday

Saturday

5pm

Fr. Dahlke

Fr. O’Rourke

Sunday

8:00am

Fr. Dahlke

Fr. Dahlke

9:15am

Msgr. Midura

Msgr. Boccafolo

10:45am

Msgr. Boccafolo

Msgr. Boccafolo

12:15pm

Fr. O’Rourke

Fr. Dahlke

**JUSTICE & PEACE**

*Continuing from last week on faithful citizenship.* Global solidarity is another concern of the Church. One fifth of the world has to survive on less than a dollar a day. At the present time over 20 countries are involved in some type of warfare. There is much corruption and tremendous suffering of people. The USA has a responsibility to help alleviate this suffering and poverty. Many of these poor countries do not have religious freedom. Many are in debt to other nations for food and supplies. As a world leader the USA has a responsibility to seek solutions to regional conflicts in Africa, Asia and the Middle East. The Israeli-Palestinian conflict is an especially urgent priority. The Iraq, Afghanistan conflict needs resolution. All these issues are not minor issues but are national priorities. What does all this mean in terms of justice and peace? Faithful citizenship requires that we become knowledgeable on these and other issues so that we vote intelligently for the general good on justice and peace issues. "We urge all to become more involved in public life to protect human rights and dignity and to advocate for the common good." *(The Bishops of the USA)* We hope you have enjoyed the brief look at faithful citizenship. We are now in the beginning of the candidates seeking election. It is our right and duty to see that we get the right people into office. Your comments are always welcomed. *To be continued.*

*Justice is a parish affair.*

*Discover needs and act justly.*

*Together we can make a difference.*

August 8 is St. Dominic.

August 9 is St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross.

August 10 is St. Lawrence.

August 11 is St. Clare.

August 12 is St. Jane Frances de Chantal.

August 13 is Pope St. Pontian and St. Hippolytus.

**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.

**MUSIC MINISTRY**

1. Organist/Accompanist needed for 10:45am and 12:15pm Mass on Sunday. If you know anyone please have them contact Emilia at 724-8820.

2. Children’s Choir will resume rehearsal on September 8, 2011 at 5:30 pm. Children, 3rd grade and above, are welcome to join. For information call Emilia at 724-8820.

3. Adult Choir will resume rehearsals on September 8, 2011 from 8-10 pm. High School and up are welcome to join — only requirement is that you can sing in pitch. All voice parts (soprano, alto, tenor, bass) are welcome to be part of the choir family. We sing at the 10:45am Mass on Sunday. For information call Emilia at 724-8820.

**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**



The Pantry shelves are low on some items. Perhaps as you do your shopping this week, you could include some of the following to donate to Outreach: mayo, jar spaghetti sauce, peanut butter, jelly, flour, sugar, Hamburger Helper, boxed mash potatoes, pancake mix, syrup and bathroom tissue.

Also, during the summer months, we especially need hamburgers, hot dogs & rolls, chicken parts and other small meats that our clients can barbecue or cook on top of the stove. Thank you for your help.

**School Supplies**

**MOST NEEDED ARE:**

3-subject Composition books

5-subject Composition Books

Backpacks

Loose Leaf Binders

An assortment of the following will be needed too: folders, markers, fine-point pens, loose leaf paper, pencils, rulers, etc. Additionally, we try to provide a \$20 Wal-Mart Gift Card to supplement the list. If you wish to donate a card, it can be given directly to the Outreach or through the Scrip desk in the Narthex, after all Masses. As always, we thank you for your continued and generous support.

## 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. The next book discussions will be:

September 12—*Little Bee* by Chris Cleeve

October 10—*Still Alice* by Lisa Genova

November 14—Meeting to make the book selections for the next Book Club calendar year—December 2011 thru June 2012. Spend the summer reading selections to find recommendations for next year.

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

## STM'S YOUNG AT HEART DINNER CRUISE

The Young At Heart Senior Club is having their 3rd Annual Dinner Cruise on Friday, August 26. The cost is \$50 per person. It includes a snack time, followed by a dinner and dancing from 5pm to 8pm.

All STM parishioners are welcome.

A check can also be sent to: R. Sauchelli, 301 Gotham Way, St. James, NY 11780. For more information, call Bob at 686.5272.

## PRAY FOR OUR SOLDIERS

Philip Root

Scott Lovelock

Paul Hulkow, Jr.

Wesley John Pritchett

Christopher Sidote

Daniel Cribbin

William Gregory

Christopher Mustakas

Justin Schneider

David Probst

Candice Gagnon

Randy Donaldson

Thomas Nichols

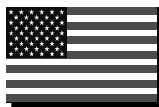
James Fensterer

Joseph Marziotta

William Janssen, Jr.

Greg Boes

Christopher Day



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.

## OFFERTORY GIFT PROCESSION

Everyone is 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.

## 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, [redaa@aol.com](mailto:redaa@aol.com) or 543-2740. If there is no answer, contact Fr. Midura at the Church Office.

## RECENT BAPTISMS

Recently, the following were welcomed into the Catholic community of Faith through the Sacrament of Baptism.

Ava Elise Keteltas, daughter of Robert & Adria

## CALENDAR CLUB 2011

Here are the winners drawn for the latest week.

July 24—\$50—903—JoAnn & Bill Eyring

July 25—\$25—181—Evelyn Batt

July 26—\$25—523—Marion Belmonte

July 27—\$25—283—Judy Coyle

July 28—\$25—343—Judith Dollard

July 29—\$25—137—Betty & Augie Vrondis

July 30—\$25—192—Jean Noschese

## RESPECT LIFE NEWS

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

## MAINTENANCE COLLECTION

Contributed to date: **\$ 382,229.**

Spent on repairs and replacements: **\$ 708,555.**

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.

## SUPPORT COLLECTION

Last Sunday's Collection: **\$ 8,124.**

**USING 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 the Faith Direct website at [www.FaithDirect.net](http://www.FaithDirect.net) to sign up: our church code is **NY227**. You may also use the form located where you obtain the bulletin. We thank you for your consideration and support.

## SCRIP SALES

Scrip Sales Last Week: **\$ 4,550.**

Profit to the Parish: **\$ 227.**

If you have never used Scrip, try it! They work like debit cards at the Super Market. They do not cost you anything extra. \$100 in Scrip costs \$100. We accept cash and checks at the Scrip Desk in the Lobby.

## 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).

The celebration of Mass is an act of the whole assembly gathered for worship. In the Mass, the Church is joined to the action of Christ. We are joined to this divine action through Baptism, which incorporates us into the risen Christ. This action, which lies at "the center of the whole of Christian life" (*General Instruction of the Roman Missal* [GIRM], no. 16), is initiated not by us but by God acting in and through the Church as the Body of the risen Christ.

The Liturgy is designed to bring about in all those who make up the worshipping assembly a "participation of the faithful, namely in body and in mind, a participation fervent with faith, hope, and charity" (GIRM, no. 18).

To the extent that we are able to participate in this way, the work of redemption becomes personally effective for each of us. By such participation we make the actions and prayers of the Liturgy our own; we enter more fully into our personal communion with Christ's redeeming act and perfect worship.

"In the celebration of Mass the faithful form a holy people, a people of God's own possession and a royal priesthood, so that they may give thanks to God and offer the unblemished sacrificial Victim not only by means of the hands of the priest but also together with him, and so that they may learn to offer their very selves. They should, moreover, take care to show this by their deep religious sense and their charity toward brothers and sisters who participate with them in the same celebration. . . . Moreover, they are to form one body, whether in hearing the word of God, or in taking part in the prayers and in the singing, or above all by the common offering of the Sacrifice and by a participating together at the Lord's table" (GIRM, nos. 95, 96). The participation of each person in the Liturgy is important. Each person needs to do his or her part.

## THIS WEEK AT ST. THOMAS MORE

(Not totally inclusive)

### Monday—August 8

7pm—Youth Ministry—Walden Hall

7pm—Youth Peer Leaders—Meeting Room

## E-MAIL & ADDRESSES

Youth Ministry Website—[www.stthomasmoreyouth.org](http://www.stthomasmoreyouth.org)

Parish Secretary - [Stm73@live.com](mailto:Stm73@live.com)

Pat Chapin - [Pchapin@optonline.net](mailto:Pchapin@optonline.net)

Mary Ellen Carroll - [Mecarroll@optonline.net](mailto:Mecarroll@optonline.net)

Outreach - [Stmoutreach@optonline.net](mailto:Stmoutreach@optonline.net)

Youth Ministry (Joe Gast) - [Gast.Joe@gmail.com](mailto:Gast.Joe@gmail.com)

Justice & Peace - [Natman32@aol.com](mailto:Natman32@aol.com)

Fr. Dahlke - [RWDahlke@Jesuits.net](mailto:RWDahlke@Jesuits.net)

Personal Prayer - [SpiritualOrientations.com](http://SpiritualOrientations.com)

To contact a member of the Pastoral Council use the following: Barbara & Joe Fratamico—[BJFRAT@optonline.net](mailto:BJFRAT@optonline.net)  
**MEN'S GATHERING** website. Go to the parish website at <http://www.buoy.com/~stm> or [stmli.org](http://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 8<sup>th</sup>. You may contact the school at [kconnolly@holymfamilyregional.com](mailto:kconnolly@holymfamilyregional.com) to schedule a tour of this parish's regional school, or visit the School website at [www.holymfamilyregional.com](http://www.holymfamilyregional.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.

Topics:

August 7—Adjusting in Life

August 14—Spirituality

August 21—Accepting Differences

August 28—Moderation

September 4—LaborDay/Work/Laboring for God

September 11—Being Excited

September 18—Stress

September 25—Relationships

**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](http://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**

*(First Notice)*

**MARIAN HEALING MINISTRY**—Healing Mass at Immaculate Conception Center, Douglaston, Monday, August 15, at 7pm. For info, call 1.718.229.8001.

*(Second Notice)*

**FAMILY, MARRIAGE, INDIVIDUAL THERAPY**—

Services provided by Catholic Counseling Center, most insurances welcomed. Call 631.243.2503 for more info.

**L.I. WOMEN’S RETREAT**—Friday, October 28 through Sunday, October 30. Cost: \$210, all included. Call Nina @ 516.449.6197 or Yvonne @ 631.732.3574.

**GENNESARET RETREAT** for those facing serious illness. September 23-24-25. Montfort Spirituality Center, Bay Shore. For info, call Colette @ 631.665.7052.

**APARTMENT FOR RENT**—Hauppauge. Private home. No smoking. No pets. All utilities included. \$1,600. Call 631.582.3584.

**DIVORCED, SEPARATED, SINGLE CATHOLICS**—New member orientation. Tuesday, August 23, 8pm, at St. Frances de Chantal School, Wantagh. Bring proof of single status. For info, call Carol @ 516.794.4933 or Mike @ 516.799.6541.

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**FISHING TRIP**

I/we would like to go on the Fishing Trip on Tuesday, September 13, leaving Captree at 8am.

**NAME(s):**

**PHONE:**

\_\_\_ Number going “x” \$45 each = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ enclosed.

*(Please return to the Church Office)*

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**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.
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

*(Please return in collection or at Church Office)*

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**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
- Usher
- RCIA
- Lector
- Consolation Minister
- Plumber
- Painter
- Rosary Altar Society
- Caring for Altar Plants
- FOCCUS
- Banner Committee
- Hospitality
- Greeter
- Liturgy with Children
- Eucharistic Minister
- Landscaping/Planting
- Electrician
- Handy Man/Woman
- Scrip sellers
- Pre-Cana
- Adult Lending Library
- St. Vincent de Paul Society

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone** \_\_\_\_\_

**E-mail** \_\_\_\_\_

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

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**SPLISH SPLASH**

**NAME** of server or lector or choir member.

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**ADULT** coming with you.

\_\_\_\_\_

**Phone Contact:**

\_\_\_ “x” number coming = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ enclosed.

\_\_\_ I will meet at the Church parking lot at 9:30am

\_\_\_ I will meet at Group Sales at Splish Splash.

*(Please return to Church Office by August 21, 2011)*

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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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# MUMS ORDER FORM

Please reserve the following plants for me!

NAME:

PHONE:

Red       Yellow       White

Bronze       Purple

Ornamental Cabbage

Ornamental Kale

TOTAL ordered "x" \$ 5 each = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ enclosed.

(Return to Church Office or place in collection by August 28)

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## GOLF OUTING (Preliminary results)

### REVENUES:

Golfers	\$ 11,900
Sponsors	\$ 6,600
Raffles	\$ 6,985
11th Hole Challenge	\$ 315
Dinner—non-golfer	\$ 50

**TOTAL REVENUE**                      \$ 25,850

### EXPENSES:

Golf Course	\$ 4,826
Catering	\$ 4,270
Lunches	\$ 483
Prizes	\$ 2,801.22
Raffle Tickets	\$ 259.30
Beverages	\$ 219.77
Tee Signs	\$ 25

**TOTAL EXPENSES**                      \$ 12,883.29

### NET PROFIT

To date                                      \$ 12,966.71

BLOOD DRIVE—Pictured below are some photos taken at the recent Blood Drive at our parish. (Photos are courtesy of Natalie Barnofsky)





**Nineteenth Ordinary Sunday — August 7, 2011**

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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

**Arbors, Islandia**—Recreation Aid. F/T. Clean driving record. Tuesday through Saturday.

**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.

**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.

**Director of Nursing**—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.

**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.

**Hyundai Millennium**—Grand Opening—all positions—trainable, committed, communication skills—paid training, excellent health benefits, bonus and advancement.

**Live-in Companion**—5 day live-in companion for 92 year old mom still active.

**Mather Hospital**—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.

**North Shore LIJ**—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.

**St. Francis Hospital Physical Therapists & Assistants**—FT/PT OPEN HOUSE Thurs., Aug. 4, sign on bonus, competitive benefit package.

**School Bus/Van Drivers**—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.

**Suffolk County Community College**—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.