

Catholic Church Community of St. Thomas More

115 Kings Highway
Hauppauge, NY 11788-4204

Pastoral Staff

Rev. Antony Asir, Pastor
Rev. Peter O'Rourke, CP (*in residence*)
Rev. Robert Dahlke, SJ, Weekend Priest
Deacon Robert D. Weisz
Deacon Edward R. Vigneaux
Deacon John S. Rapacki

Religious Education

Patricia Chapin, Co-director
Mary Ellen Carroll, Co-director

Parish Outreach

Staffed by volunteers

Justice & Peace

Ralph Molinaro, Chairperson

Music Ministry

Emilia Savarese, Facilitator

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.

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

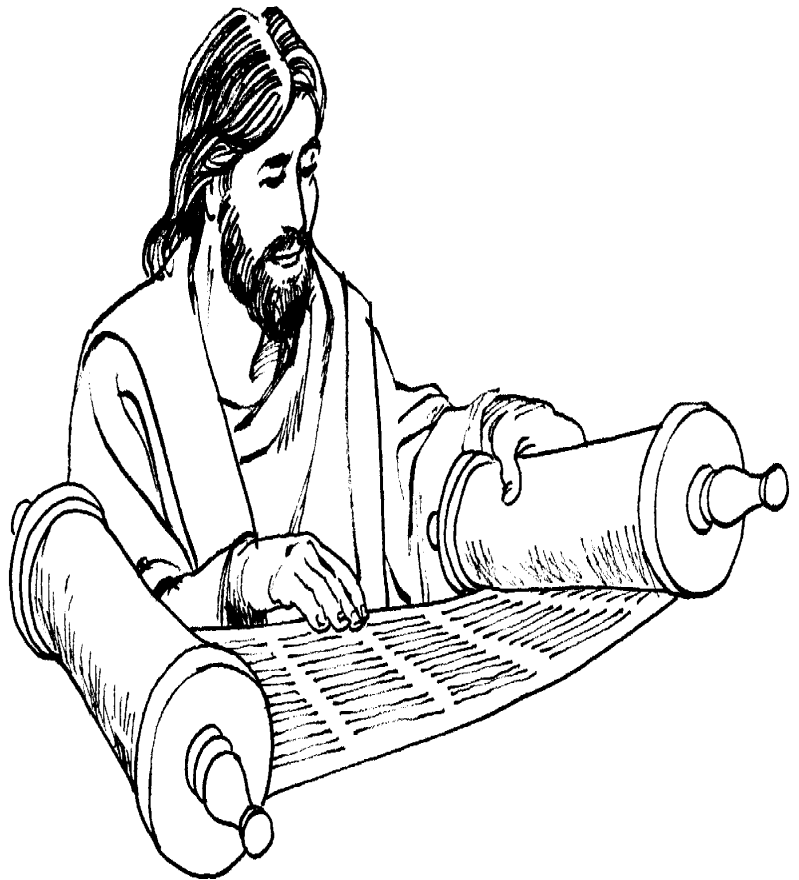
MARRIAGE—As soon as a couple decides to marry, and BEFORE making any other arrangements, call the Church Office to schedule an appointment with the Parish Office or one of the deacons.

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

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

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

HOLY ORDERS—Contact the Parish Office for more information about the priesthood or diaconate.



January 27, 2013
Third Sunday in 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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| 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 | Growing through the Sunday Scriptures |
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| <p align="center">January 27, 2013 Third Sunday in Ordinary Time Nehemiah 8:2-4A, 5-6, 8-10 Psalm : 19: 8, 9, 10, 15 1 Corinthians 12:12-30 Luke 1:1-4, 4:14-21</p> | <p align="center">February 3, 2013 Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19 Psalm : 71: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15-17 1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13 Luke 4:21-30</p> |

Saturday—January 26

(Anticipated Mass for Sunday)

5pm—Carol Stowby *by Thomas & Jeanne Lederer*

Sunday—January 27—Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

8am—Marlene Kramps *by Fran Rosmini*

9:15am—Evelyn Hirsch *by Leona Esposito*

10:45am—William Caravana *by Susan & Robert Candela*;
 John Patrick Clarke *by Marie & Ross Bracco*; John Clarke *by Joanne & Gino Leocadi*; Marina Coto *by Judy & Ken Granville*; Deceased members of the Horoski family *by Robert & Barbara Horoski*; Elizabeth Kenney *by Robert & Barbara Horoski*; Monica Lozada *by the Buynak family*; Helen Troiano *by Robert & Barbara Horoski*; Josephine Zielinski *by Tom & Fran Wieland*

12:15pm—Dominick Bove *by Marie Bove*

Monday—January 28—St. Thomas Aquinas

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

Tuesday—January 29

9am—Jeanne Baer *by Ed Baer*

Wednesday—January 30

9am—Patricia Mandease *by Rose Waldner*

Thursday—January 31—St. John Bosco

9am—Msgr. Francis S. Midura *by St. Thomas More Youth Group*

Friday—February 1—First Friday

9am—Angela Cea *by Robert & Adrian Mellina*

**Saturday—February 2—The Presentation of the Lord—
First Saturday**

9am—James Cussen Sr. *by James Cussen*

(Anticipated Mass for Sunday)

5pm—Rose, Michael, Rocco & Leonard Viso *by the Butindari family*

Sunday—February 3—Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8am—Marlene Kramps *by Mr. & Mrs. Bob Lynch*

9:15am—Marino Coto *by St. Thomas More Hospitality Guilds*

10:45am—James & Lucy Giardina *by Madeline & Robert Sauchelli*

12:15pm—Dominic Bove *by Marie Bove*; William Caravana *by Sue & Jim Morrissey*; John Clarke *by Jack & Marcia Gaudet*; Michelle Cox *by the Heberer family*; Mary Drahos *by the Buynak family*; John McGennes *by Marie Bove*; Don McManus *by Fintan & Margaret Stapleton*

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Luke:

Jesus began speaking in the synagogue, saying: "Today this Scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing." And all spoke highly of him and were amazed at the gracious words that came from his mouth. They also asked, "Isn't this the son of Joseph?" He said to them, "Surely you will quote me this proverb, 'Physician, cure yourself,' and say, 'Do here in your native place the things that we heard were done in Capernaum.'" And he said, "Amen, I say to you, no prophet is accepted in his own native place. Indeed, I tell you, there were many widows in Israel in the days of Elijah when the sky was closed for three and a half years and a severe famine spread over the entire land. It was to none of these that Elijah was sent, but only to a widow in Zarephath in the land of Sidon. Again, there were many lepers in Israel during the time of Elisha the prophet; yet not one of them was cleansed, but only Naaman the Syrian." When the people in the synagogue heard this, they were all filled with fury. They rose up, drove him out of the town, and led him to the brow of the hill on which their town had been built, to hurl him down headlong. But Jesus passed through the midst of them and went away.

Focus Questions:

1. Describe a time when you spoke the truth even if it moved you or your listeners out of your or their comfort zone.
2. What helps you be confident that God is true to His word?
3. What part of Jesus' message do you find hard to accept?

Family and children's question

Talk about a time when you spoke up in a difficult situation and tried to help other's to see a better way



PRAY FOR THE SICK

Ann & Anthony Iovino, Diane Savano,
 John O'Donnell, Oscar Steadman, George
 Licata, Thuy Wilmott, William Booth,

Dolores Poehl, Kathy Badalaty, Bill Randazzo, Joseph Carraba, Fred Busse, Clem Vaccarro, Teresa Shannon, Marge Giachetti, Virginia Lottt, Roseann Dorchow, Louise Lott, Freddy Zamparella, Cathy Covino, Connie S. Brocchi, Penny Henrich, Chuck Hall, Gary Surdi, Linda Sue Cappisillo, Tom Devine, Patsy Richards, Josie McGuire, Chase Turano, Joseph Peter, Victoria Nelson, Chuck Hall, Penny Henrich, Maryann Che, Janice De Simone, Susan McElroy, Lucille Schillaci, Teresa Atchison, Charles Boston, Nancy Aluisa, Anthony Donato, Martha Scollins, Casano A. S. Holmes, Joyce Riegal, Catherine A. Babits, Arlene Larosa, Dale R. Grippo, Pennny Heinrich, Antonette Solano, William Radcliffe, Baby Michael Joseph Loparo (7 weeks old), Conrad Gangone, Susan Raphael, Lucille Borrello, Henry Kwiecinski, Elaine Kleinstauber, Judith Reilly, Alexa Shea Jarvis, Irene Aberle, Maureen O'Donnell, Dolores Berrafato, Diane Sioss, Agnes Gollhofer, Kathy Badalaty, Tadeusz Kostrzewa, Cindy Mango, Lorraine Mango-Follini, Juliette Gerlach, Leona Esposito, Mathilde Cormier, Richard Stout, James & Rita Basile, Theresa Caiata, Ellen-Jane Vinson, Jeanine Flandina-Walsh, Sean Walsh, Stella Minecci, Ted Stahura, Tom Stahura, Teresa Achison, Katherine Drechsler, Arlene LaRosa, Carmella Loccisao, Marie Dunne, Jim Regan, Leo Vannoni, Jeanne Marie Oliveri, Conrad Gangone, Ron Lupo, Chase Turano, Tom Devine, Susan Raphael, Paul Nicholls, Jean Marsala-Kieffner, Jo-Ann Fannon.

(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 listing will expire at the end of November. Please resubmit any names you wish to have continued.)

PRAY FOR THE DECEASED

Anthony Turano; our deceased loved ones and our deceased servicemen and women.

FR. ANTONY'S LETTER

Dear Friends,

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time: Last Week's Gospel narrated Jesus' first miracle at the beginning of His public ministry, changing water into wine. This week's Gospel reports Jesus' first preaching. He reads from the prophecy of Isaiah to say that He is God's Sent-one to proclaim the good news to the poor and the prisoners, announcing God's Year of Grace. The interesting thing is the end of the Gospel. The Gospel ends with the saying, "The text is being fulfilled today even as you listen." The prophetic text of Isaiah which people heard him reading is fulfilled in their listening. The things foretold by Isaiah have now become reality in Jesus. Jesus is the fulfillment/reality of God's promise through the Prophet Isaiah. Jesus is not simply a messenger from God to let us know what God wants to tell us. Rather Jesus is God's

reality to achieve what God wants in us and with us. Believe in Jesus' words and presence and allow them to happen in you. You will experience God's reality becoming your life. Your life will turn into God's work. You will become God's act.

Installation Ceremony: I began my ministry as pastor of our parish on 10.11.12. Canon 527 of the Code of Canon Law of the Catholic Church says ... "The local Ordinary (Bishop) or a priest delegated by him places the pastor in possession of the parish." It is interpreted in the following paragraph. "The diocesan Bishop could delegate vicar Forane or another representative to install a pastor in a paraliturgical or liturgical ceremony, which would include among other things the reading of the letter of appointment and the profession of faith.

Fr. Anthony Stanganelli, the Dean of Smithhaven Deanery, as official representative of Our Bishop, Bishop William Murphy has kindly accepted to install me on Saturday February 2nd 2013, at 5:00 pm. I invite each and every one of you very personally to attend this mass. It is an occasion for the family of St. Thomas More to gather as one flock to pray and praise the One Great Shepherd Jesus in whose pastoral mission we all share in our own capacity and I as a Pastor. Come let us celebrate.

Holy Family Regional School: The Holy Family Open House will be this Sunday, January 27th from 9 am to 1 pm. The school is located at 2 Indian Head Road, Commack. Telephone: (631) 543-0202. For information on this school you may visit website: www.holyfamilyregional.com

Calendar Club 2013: The Calendar Club is open for 2013. We still need more members to join the Club in order for the Club to run a profit to our parish. Please show your support by joining the Calendar Club. You may also consider giving the Calendar Club as a gift to someone. Calendar Club 2013 is a good fund-raiser for the parish and the bulletin carries a form for becoming a member.

Calendar Club 2013 will close its sale on January 31st. You are invited to join the Calendar Club until January 31, 2013. The lucky numbers for the days of January will be drawn from February 1, 2013 onwards.

Faith Direct and Sacrificial Giving: We thank those who have signed up for Faith Direct as a way of supporting the parish by having their contributions deducted from a checking or savings account. There are information forms in the Church Lobby or you may call the Rectory Office for information.

With love and prayers,

Fr. Antony

JUSTICE & PEACE

Continuing from last week on Taking God Seriously.

Jesus said, "Ask, and it will be given to you; search and you will find" (Matthew 7:7). Many people today never find out what life is all about because they never search in the proper places or end their search at the proper time. They surround themselves with noise and entertaining gadgets and ideas. They get too busy, too caught up in the race for the kind of power, success, and wealth that society tells us is important. If they hear God's word, they never give it serious thought. Too distracted to look within, they miss God's invitation to become one with Him. What good is it to try to look like a Christian if, in your heart, you refuse to

submit to God's word . God calls us to meet Him, the living word, in His word. He can give us the true freedom we crave. "If you continue in my word, you are truly my disciples; and you will know the truth, and the truth will make you free" (John 8:31-32). What does this all mean in terms of justice and peace? Have you ever seriously searched for the truth? With what results? Search me, O God and know my heart. (Psalm 139: 1-4, 23). What have we been doing personally and as a parish to help alleviate the suffering of millions of people in the world?

*Justice is a parish affair.
Discover needs and act justly.
Together we can make a difference.*

January 28 is St. Thomas Aquinas, Priest and Doctor of the Church

January 31 is St. John Bosco, Priest

February 1 is First Friday

February 2 is The Presentation of the Lord and First Saturday. It is also World Day for Consecrated Life.

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.



**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.

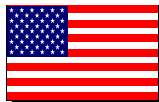
BULLETIN: PARISH OUTREACH

Thank you for your continued and generous support of our Pantry. During the year we are always in need of items, such as, canned goods, pasta, sauce, peanut butter and jelly, macaroni and cheese, paper towels, bathroom tissues and detergent. Freezer items can be brought to Outreach from Monday to Thursday, between 10:AM and 2:00PM. Please deposit non-perishables in the bin in the Church lobby.

**AN INVITATION FROM THE
ST. THOMAS MORE COLUMBIETTES**

The St. Thomas More Columbiettes are extending an invitation to the women in our community to join our group. We have a reputation with the Chapter of being one of the smallest councils with the biggest heart, because our greatest pleasure is to help others in need. So, once again, please join us and call our president, Betty Baker, at 631-348-3615. THANK YOU!

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY



David Chester
Carl F. Greiner
Scott Lovelock
Justin Schneider
Christopher Day
Karin Fitzgerald
Jason Doyle
John Nachtman, Jr.

John Chester
Michael White
Christopher Mustakas
Candice Gagnon
William Gregory
Thomas Nichols
Kaitlyn Nachtman

If you have a service member or know of someone who is serving our country to have their name please submit their collection basket or a soldier has know.



and you would like added to this list, names through the the Church Office. If returned, let us

SAVE THE DATE: July 22, 2013 – First Annual Msgr. Francis S. Midura Memorial Golf Outing (Details coming soon).

K of C KORNER

The Knights of St. Thomas More Council would like to add our congratulations and expression of our support to Father Antony Asir, on his installation as our Pastor. We wish Fr. Antony many years of success here in God's family at St. Thomas More. We also add our thanks for being asked to assist during this wonderful occasion.

EASTER FLOWER SALE The Knights of Columbus will be taking orders for Easter Flowers before and after all weekend masses starting Feb. 10th through March 17th. Selections will include Easter lilies, hyacinths and tulips, all of very high quality and supplied by Borella's Nursery in Nesconset. Please look for us and help our works of charity while aiding our Parish also.

Basketball Free throw Contest was held at Bretton Woods School on Jan.18th. Winners to be announced.

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.

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 or by phone at 543-2740 or contact the Church Office.

RESPECT LIFE NEWS

ADORATION BEFORE THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

THE RESPECT LIFE HOLY HOUR will take place on Monday, January 28 at 7:45pm. Come pray the rosary and the Divine Mercy Chaplet—bring your needs to Our Lord and spend an hour with Him.

HOLY HOUR: Every 4th Monday of the month at 7:45pm.

NEEDED: RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY COORDINATOR

A volunteer is needed to be a liaison between our parish and the Diocese concerning the Respect Life Ministry. Responsibilities are: Corresponding with the Diocesan Respect Life Office-attending the Deanery meeting once a year and distributing Pro-Life Materials in our Parish; maintaining and updating the Respect Life Bulletin Board and brochure racks in the Church lobby; keeping our parish informed of Pro-Life Events- such as the March for Life in Washington, D.C. and the “Stand Up for Life” on L.I.; keeping the banner of Our Lady of Guadalupe for parish functions; sponsoring fundraisers for the Life Center etc.; and maintaining the Memorial Garden for the Holy Innocents. For more info, call Alice at 265-1949.

PRO LIFE

Our meetings are on every Wednesday and Saturday, rain or shine, from 8am to 10:30am at the Smithtown Abortion Clinic, 70 Maple Avenue (One block south of Route 25 (Jericho Turnpike)). Come join our protest and pray with us to defend the defenseless.

Stop the American Holocaust

The above article has been in our Church bulletin for the past nine months. Not one person came to help. We pray the rosary and hand out fliers to people who are entering the abortion center trying to stop them. We have saved 37 children last year alone that we are sure of, there are many more. It's only for two and half hours, rain or shine, give it a try. 7:30 till 10:30... we will supply the signs. Attend three times and after that, if you don't think we are making a difference you do not have to come back.

THIS WEEK AT ST. THOMAS MORE

(Not totally inclusive)

Sunday—January 27

9am—Salesian Cooperator—Rel. Ed.

11:30am—Youth Group Peer Leader Meeting—Walden Hall

2pm—Baptisms—Church

7:30pm—Bible Study—Meeting Room

Monday—January 28

9:45am—Bible Study—Meeting Room

7pm—Youth Ministry—Walden Hall

7:45pm—Monthly Holy Hour—Church

Thursday—January 31

5:30pm—Children's Choir—Church

7:30pm—Choir—Church

COURTESY ANNOUNCEMENTS

(First Notice)

ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA—Free Informative Lecture Series—52 Route 25A, Smithtown (Recreation Room, Lower Level). “We’ve Got Your Back: Treatment Options for Back Pain”—This lecture will showcase causes, symptoms & Treatment options, including minimally invasive surgical techniques. To register or for more info, call 870-3444.

FAITH & LIGHT MEETING—Parish of the Holy Cross, 95 Old Nichols Rd., Nesconset—Friday, Feb. 1st, 7pm. (Faith and Light is an international faith-sharing organization for developmentally challenged people, their families & caregivers).

(Second Notice)

MILITARY BRIDGE AT HAUPPAUGE HIGH SCHOOL—PTSA will be having its annual Military Bridge event on Friday, Feb. 8, 2013. All money raised will go to High School Seniors for Scholarships. Raffle baskets & refreshments. Doors open at 6pm, Rules at 6:30 and Game begins at 7pm. \$5 per person. To register call Eileen Mass 265-8854 or Stephanie Scaduto 360-1718.

LIGHTHOUSE CATHOLIC MEDIA—seeking people to join in the New Evangelization by making available inspiring CD talks by great Catholic speakers. Free training provided. Call Theresa Piekut at 848-7612 or email tpiekut@me.com for info.

CATHOLIC PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA & LOURDES—May 28 to June 5, 2013. Departure from JFK. Fr. Michael Udoekpo, Spiritual Director. Daily Mass at the holy sites. Call Mike Milano at 1-800-773-2660 for more information.

PILGRIMAGE TO TURKEY—FOOTSTEPS OF ST. PAUL—May 22—June 2, 2013. Travel with St. Joseph's College faculty members: Sr. Grace Rowland, CSJ & Fr. Francis Pizzarelli, SMM. Call Sr. Grace for a detailed brochure at 654-0199 or e-mail growland@sjcny.edu

CATHOLIC CRUISE TO ALASKA—7-night cruise with Fr. Brendan Smith on the Carnival Miracle out of Seattle, Washington. August 20-27, 2013. Deadline Feb. 24th. Prices from \$1998 for two & includes port fees and taxes. Daily Mass and Rosary. Deposit of \$450 to reserve your cabin. To register or for more info, call Doug or Eileen at 860-399-1785 or email dpayttc@aol.com

SUPPORT COLLECTION

Collection of January ,20, 2013 \$8,105.50

YOUTH MINISTRY

Youth Ministry Fundraiser!!

Please join us for breakfast and support the STM Youth Ministry at our Applebee's Flapjack Fundraiser breakfast on Sunday, January 27th from 8AM to 10AM at the Applebee's on Veteran's Memorial Highway in Commack. Come enjoy a hearty breakfast of pancakes, sausages, scrambled eggs and a beverage, served by our own STM high school students. Tickets are \$10.00 each and must be purchased in advance. Look for the Youth Ministry table in the Narthex after all masses the weekends of January 12/13 and January 19/20. All proceeds go to the Youth Ministry program at STM. Your support is appreciated!

USING FAITH DIRECT? - It's quick and easy! Consider having automatic deductions from either your checking or savings or use a credit card to support St. Thomas More each week. With Faith Direct, there is no fee to you! Please visit the Faith Direct website at 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 support.

UPDATING CREDIT CARD INFORMATION—If you get a new card or a renewal card, make sure that this information is communicated to Faith Direct.

CONTRIBUTION ENVELOPES—If you do not receive weekly envelopes and would like them mailed to you, please use the cut out that is in the bulletin and indicate that you wish to receive them on a regular basis. Usually it takes about two weeks for your request to be completed.

PRE-CANA

Please keep the following couples in your prayers as they prepare for their upcoming weddings:

Suzanne Dertinger & Matthew Portnoy
Ashley Rairigh & Alexander Zabielski
Christina Bonlarron & Vincent Buonacore
Jacqueline Migliorise & Michael Calandriello
Jessica Polis & Matthew Tarry
Brittany Welsh & James Fallon

MAINTENANCE COLLECTION

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 bulletin.

SCRIP SALES

Scrip Sales **January 20, 2013** **\$3,150/- -**

Profit to the Parish: **\$157.50**

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 AMERICAN FLAGS—If you have an American flag

that is no longer useable, you can bring it to the Church and we will present it to the American Legion on your behalf for proper disposal.

USED CELL PHONES - We thank everyone for giving us their old cell phones. We forward them to a company that recycles them and gives us cash for the ones that are usable.

A WEB SITE THAT PAYS ST. THOMAS FOR USEAGE — Want to know how you can support St. Thomas More? By entering the search engine known as *Goodsearch.com* By 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, you will be asked to register as a supporter. Then select the SHOPPING tab and choose whatever category you want, from travel to food to entertainment. If you use it, let us know if you have any problems with it. Thanks for shopping online and thanks for the donation that we will receive on your behalf.

E-MAIL & ADDRESSES

Rectory - rectory@stmli.org

Youth Ministry Website—www.stthomasmoreyouth.org

Pat Chapin - Pchapin@optonline.net

Mary Ellen Carroll - Mecarroll@optonline.net

Outreach - Stmoutreach@optonline.net

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

Youth Ministry Corner—If you have any questions about the program, please contact Joe Gast, Youth Minister at gast.joe@gmail.com or check out the Young Ministry website at www.stthomasmoreyouth.org.

"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.

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.

The next meeting of the men's gathering will be on Thursday, February 14, 2013 in the Religious Education Office at 7:30 pm.

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 parents@holyfamilyregional.com to schedule a tour of this parish's regional school, or visit the School website at www.holyfamilyregional.com.

YOUNG AT HEART
Attention Seniors

Next Meeting : Friday, February 8 from 1pm—3 pm.
The Young At Heart has changed our meeting time from evenings to afternoons, from 1 to 3 pm. All parishioners of St. Thomas More aged 55 and over are welcome to join. We use Msgr. Walden Hall for all of our meetings.

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES
APPEAL 2013

I/we would like to support the Catholic Ministries Appeal for 2013.

NAME(s)

ADDRESS:

PHONE:

Amount of the pledge: (Check one below)

- \$150 ____
- \$300 ____
- \$500 ____
- \$1,000 ____
- \$1,500 ____
- \$2,500 ____
- \$5,000 ____

OTHER: ____ How much? _____

(Please indicate)

- Check for entire amount is enclosed.
- Installment enclosed. I would like to pay the rest
 - monthly—10 payments
 - bi-monthly—4 payments
 - semi-annually—May & September
- I prefer to use a credit card. Information will be sent to you so that you can contact the CMA office directly.

(Please return to the Church Office for further processing)

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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:

(Please place in collection basket or drop off 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:

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

Name _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

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

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2012 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENT REQUEST

I/we would like a record of our 2012 Contributions to St. Thomas More.

NAME(s):

ADDRESS:

PHONE:

E-mail:

(Please return to the Church Office or place in collection basket)

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REGISTRATION and/or ENVELOPE REQUEST

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

Allscripts—Several positions—CIS Training Analyst, Interrogation, Business mgr., Service desk, and people soft financial analysts.

Atlantic Auto Group—40 sales training positions available; no experience necessary— sign on bonus. Bring résumé. Business attire required.

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

Disaster Care Mgrs—F/T to help L.I. recovery from Sandy. Driver's License necessary. Excellent benefits.

Drivers—School Bus/Van—Excellent Benefits—\$20.62 for bus—\$18. for van—Training—Huntington

Gioco 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](#)

6. St. Catherine's Hospital, Smithtown—Cashier wanted: Part-time, Permanent Position, Experience preferred. Call Donna @ 862-3006

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

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

ITT Exelis—Bohemia and N. Amityville. Technicians, coordinators, assemblers. US citizenship necessary. Comprehensive benefits package.

P.C. Richards—Full Time Maintenance Mechanics for all 35 NY showrooms—light plumbing, electrical, carpentry, etc.

South Nassau Hospital—Several openings in leadership, nursing education, technical and licensed professional departments.

St. Catherine of Siena—

1. **Nursing Home**—Nurse Practitioners, RN supervisors, Recreation Therapists, FT/PT nights, P/T days and weekends, Rehab PT/FT—dietary;

2. **Hospital**—Lab Technologist & Medical Lab assistant. Physical Therapists

3. **Physical Therapy Aides**—PT/ Sport Services, Hauppauge. Mon. thru Fri., days and evenings.

4. **Nurse Manager**—MRI techs, CT techs, Lab techs.

St. Francis Hospital—Physical Therapists, PT in-patient—Sat/Sun 8am-4pm. Physical Therapist Assistants, per diem, varied days, 8am—4pm.

Town of Smithtown—PT positions for Teachers, Ass't teachers, HS diploma, 2 yrs. Experience. Smithtown, Kings Park.

Newspaper Delivery—Excellent 2nd income. Early AM hrs..Call Outreach 234-3149 for areas.

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.