

Catholic Church Community of St. Thomas More

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Emilia Savarese, Facilitator

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OUR PARISH SACRAMENTAL LIFE - EUCCHARIST

Weekend Masses: Saturday: 5pm
Sunday: 8am, 9:15am, 10:45am, 12:15pm
Weekday Mass: 9am, Monday through
Saturday.

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.



March 24, 2013

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

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
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<p style="text-align: center;">Masses for this coming week</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Growing through the Sunday Scriptures</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">March 24, 2013 Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord Luke 19: 28-40 Psalm 22: 8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24 Philippians: 2: 6-11 Luke: 22: 14-23:56</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">March 31, 2013 Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord Acts 10: 34a, 37-43 Psalm 22: 8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24 Colossians: 3: 1-4 or 1 Corinthians 5:6b-8 John: 20: 1-9 (42) or Luke 24:1-12(41)</p>

Saturday—March 23
(Anticipated Mass for Sunday)
 5pm—Mary Burriesci by *Irene Mozdzer*

Sunday—March 24—Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord
 8am—Christopher Amentia by *the Porretto family*; William Dehneke by *Rosemarie & Bob Nick*; Darlene Drago by *Ed & Laura Vigneaux*; Mickelson & Williams families by *Barbara Mickelson*; Joseph Rot by *his wife & family*; Martha Scollins by *Rose Milazzo*; Evelyn Scollon by *Maureen & Bob Boston*; Alice M. Scutari by *Fran Wieland*; Clara & Frank Severino by *Rose Milazzo*
 9:15am—Frances Rapacki by *the Eyring family*
 10:45am—Thomas Fallona by *Paul Keough*
 12::15pm—Salvatore Tortorici by *Andrew & Rhonda Tortorici*

Monday—March 25
 9am—Thomas Fallona—First Anniversary by *The Fallona family*

Tuesday—March 26
 9am—Columbis Galasso by *Del Ferraro*

Wednesday—March 27
 9am—Alice M. Scutari by *Eileen & Al Weidig*

Thursday—March 28 —Holy Thursday
 9am—Prayer Service
 7:30pm—Mass of the Lord’s Supper

Friday—March 29—Good Friday of the Passion of the Lord
 9am—Morning Prayer
 3pm—Liturgy of the Lord’s Passion and Death

Saturday—March 30—Holy Saturday
 9am—Morning Prayer
 7:30pm—Easter Vigil Mass

Sunday—March 31—Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord
 8am—*For the Easter Mass Remembrance and Flower Donors*
 9:15am—*For the Easter Mass Remembrance and Flower Donors*
 10:45am—*For the Easter Mass Remembrance and Flower Donors*
 12:15pm—*For the Easter Mass Remembrance and Flower Donors*

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to John:

On the first day of the week, Mary of Magdala came to the tomb early in the morning, while it was still dark, and saw the stone removed from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and to the other disciple whom Jesus loved, and told them, “They have taken the Lord from the tomb, and we don’t know where they put him.” So Peter and the other disciple went out and came to the tomb. They both ran, but the other disciple ran faster than Peter and arrived at the tomb first; he bent down and saw the burial cloths there, but did not go in. When Simon Peter arrived after him, he went into the tomb and saw the burial cloths there, and the cloth that had covered his head, not with the burial cloths but rolled up in a separate place. Then the other disciple also went in, the one who had arrived at the tomb first, and he saw and believed. For they did not yet understand the Scripture that he had to rise from the dead.

Focus Questions:

1. Describe the signs of new life that you see on Easter..
2. Relate an experience when you felt Easter joy.
3. Relate a time when good came out a situation that seemed hopeless.

Family and children’s question

Talk about the way you will celebrate the joy of Easter next Sunday. What traditions does your family have that makes the day special?



PRAY FOR THE SICK

Sarah O’Connor; Phyllis Dorohow; Phyllis Diesso; Anthony Paul Sheridan; Frances Mattace; Vivian Jacobs; Sandra Polke; Jason

Pilgrim; Veronica Mattes; Kathy Badalaty; Lorenzo Fernandes, Jessica Iannello; Louis Timpone; Gerri Surde; Danielle Mayo; Tom Gernon; Linda Wilkonski; Felicia Grippa; Barbara Miller; Janice DeSimone; Catherine Healy; Marilyn Collins; Anna LoCastro; August Vrondis, Nadine Follini, Lorraine Mango-Follini, Cindy Mango, Jean Marsala-Kieffner, 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 Lott, 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. Grippa, Penny Heinrich, Antonette Solano, William Radcliffe, Baby Michael Joseph Loparo (7 weeks old), Conrad Gangone, Susan Raphael, Lucille Borrello, Henry Kwiecinski, Elaine Kleinstauber, 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, Chase Turano, Tom Devine, Susan Raphael, Paul Nicholls, Jean Marsala-Kieffner.

*(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 on Easter Sunday, March 31, 2013.** Please resubmit any names you wish to have continued.)*

PRAY FOR THE DECEASED

Joseph F. Chiaffone; Judith Reilly; Carolann T. Buscarino; our deceased loved ones and our deceased servicemen and women.

FR. ANTONY'S LETTER

Dear Friends,

Michelangelo was asked by his friend, "How can you sculpture such master pieces out of rough rocks?" He

answered, "I see in the marble stones hidden sculptures inviting me to bring them out by my chisel". God is the excellent skillful artist who sees the best sculpture inside us ready to be chiseled out. We are created after God's image. We bear God's image in us. If we allow God the Artist to work on us we will shine as God's wonderful work of art.

We begin Holy week with Palm Sunday. What happens in Holy Week? Holy Week commemorates the events that happened to Jesus during the last week of His earthly life. Palm Sunday celebrates people who saw Jesus as their Messiah entering the city of Jerusalem. Holy Thursday is the Last Supper in which Jesus offered His presence in the form of Bread and Wine in the Eucharist. Good Friday, Jesus died on the Cross expressing God's incredible love for us. Holy Saturday evening we will celebrate the vigil of Jesus' Resurrection from death.

The events of Holy Week show us how God chiseled the best sculpture in Jesus. In Jesus God reveals to us how God can chisel the best out of us, just as for Jesus, if we allow Him to do so. Holy Week invites us to be like Jesus. We too can become God's wonderful act of victory, even over death.

I extend a personal welcome to each of you to celebrate the mysteries of Holy Week. Let us journey with Jesus. As St. Paul says, 'if we die with Jesus we will rise with Jesus'. We have something going on in our Church every day of Holy Week. Please go through the Holy Week Schedule and allow yourselves to be chiseled by God for the best of you to emerge as God's wonderful work of art.

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE: 2013

HOLY WEEK MONDAY – March 25, 2013

9:00 am – Mass

Reconciliation Day throughout the Diocese in all parishes.

Confessions at St. Thomas More

3:00 pm to 9:00 pm – in Church

HOLY WEEK TUESDAY – March 26, 2013

9:00 am – Mass

HOLY WEEK WEDNESDAY – March 27, 2013

9:00 am – Mass

HOLY THURSDAY – March 28, 2013

9:00 am – Morning Prayer

11:00 am – Chrism Mass at St. Agnes Cathedral

7:30 pm – Mass of the Lord's Supper in Church

Followed by Solemn Procession to the Altar of Repose in Walden Hall

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament In Repository until 10:00 pm

GOOD FRIDAY – March 29, 2013

9:00 am – Morning Prayer

12:10 pm – Stations of the Cross

1:30 pm – Stations of the Cross for the Young People

3:00 pm – Liturgy of the Lord's Passion and Death

7:00 pm – Tenebrae

HOLY SATURDAY – March 30, 2013

9:00 am – Morning Prayer

10:30 am – Blessing of Easter Food – Walden Hall

No 5:00 pm Mass

7:30 pm – Easter Vigil Mass

EASTER SUNDAY – March 31, 2013

Masses at: 8:00 am, 9:15 am; 10:30 am & 12:15 pm

Reconciliation Monday: Next Monday March 25th is Reconciliation Monday. Confessions will be heard from 3:00 pm to 9:00 pm in all the Catholic Churches of our Diocese of Rockville Centre. Individual Confession cleanses and illuminates our hearts to enter into the mystery of Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Holy Saturday and Easter Sunday. All are welcome.

Blessing of Food on Holy Saturday will be at 10:30 am at Walden Hall. This tradition of blessing food invokes the Risen Jesus to bless Spring for a bountiful harvest of food and prosperity through New Life promised to us by God's magnificent act of Resurrection.

Our Lenten Project is to help the welfare of the Appalachians. Please place your donation in the little house on display in the lobby during the season of Lent.

Over 2000 pounds of Food: Thanks to the Knights of Columbus who added another 1000 pounds of food to their last week's collection, through the food drive they had on March 16th. I thank both the Knights and those who supported them in supplying our Outreach with over 2000 pounds of food.

Extraordinary Ministers of the Holy Eucharist: St. Thomas More is looking for Extraordinary Ministers of the Holy Eucharist. I encourage you to sign up for this wonderful Ministry; please call the Rectory office to express your interest. There are two training sessions scheduled on Wednesdays from 7:30 pm to 10 pm. One on April 10, 2013 and the other on April 27, 2013. We look forward to hearing from you.



The Long awaited Kitchen Renovation is starting this week. Thanks for your continued support. Please bear with the inconvenience during construction.

With love and prayers,

Fr. Antony

On Good Friday evening,

March 29, 2013 at 7:00 PM, the community and friends of St. Thomas More are invited to share in the ancient service called Tenebrae. The name Tenebrae is the Latin word for "shadows"; thus the Service of the Shadows, and the primary reason it is conducted in the evening.

This ritual is rooted in the early church tradition of expressing the grief that weighs down the heart of our holy Mother the Church at the crucifixion and death of Jesus. There are fourteen "shadows" that represent the stages of the Good Friday events. Through each of them, those present are moved by scripture, prayer and music to reflect upon the great emotional and physical pain that was very real for Jesus that day.

The service ends with gestures of respect and dignity toward the "light" of Christ, dignifying the triumph of good over evil. The service is approximately 45 minutes long.

Give yourself the gift of Tenebrae this Easter!

JUSTICE & PEACE

Today is Palm Sunday and the start of Holy Week. It is a time for us to remember the sacrifice Christ made for us. What sacrifice do we make for Christ? Jesus said the poor you will always have. What have we done for the poor during Lent? What have we done during Lent to show our love for God? We still have time this week especially those of us who are better off than others who are struggling during Lent. What does all this mean in terms of justice and peace? Jesus emptied His life for us and opened Heaven for us if we do His will while we are here on earth. These are things that we may wish to ponder on this week.

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

March 26 is Passover for our Jewish brethren.

March 28 is Holy Thursday

March 29 is Good Friday

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.

PARISH OUTREACH -

Please help us keep our shelves stocked so that we can continue to provide for those who depend on us to supplement their monthly food supply. We are always in need of non-perishables, paper goods and detergent.

We ask that any perishables be brought to Outreach Monday through Thursday from 10:AM to 2:PM.

We are grateful for your loving support.

HELP NEEDED CARRYING FOOD

Outreach is in need of a few strong volunteers to pack-up and bring Easter food baskets upstairs on Monday morning, March 25th starting at 9:30AM. If you can assist, please call Outreach at 234-3149.

EASTER IS MARCH 31, 2013

HAMS!! HAMS!! HAMS!!

**WE ARE IN NEED OF FOOD FOR EASTER DINNER
FOR OUR CLIENTS. CAN YOU HELP?**

***HAMS, potatoes, sweet potatoes, fruit and dessert
And any other items that might be included in an Easter
dinner.***

Thank you!

AN EVENING OF FINE FOOD & MUSIC

**SENIOR CITIZEN RECOGNITION DINNER - APRIL 10,
2013**

You are cordially invited to attend the Senior Citizen Recognition Dinner, which will be held on Wednesday, April 10, 2013 starting at 6:00p.m. The Hauppauge School District, PTA, business community and district residents would like to thank you and pay tribute to you for your contributions to the Hauppauge School District and Hauppauge Community. This free dinner will be held in your honor as our esteemed guest. In addition, for your enjoyment, an evening of musical entertainment is planned, performed by Hauppauge students at the All-District Jazz night following the dinner. In order to plan the food preparation, please RSVP by Wednesday, April 3rd. Response forms are available for pickup at Outreach. Please call 234-3149.

THE LONG ISLAND CATHOLIC HAS A GREAT WEBSITE!

Now that the Long Island Catholic Magazine is underway, the Diocese of Rockville Centre is happy to announce the development of the Long Island Catholic website: www.licatholic.org

We encourage you to go to this vibrant and current source of information concerning ideas and events in our Diocese.

Bishop Murphy has a blog on this website and he welcomes interaction with you. Rick Hinshaw, George

Weigel, Father Bob Lauder, and Msgr. Jim McNamara are regular columnists. There is

news not only about current events in our Diocese but also news about our Holy Father and the Vatican.

All it takes is a click of a button at www.licatholic.org Why not add it to your favorites?



PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

David Chester
Carl F. Greiner
Scott Lovelock
Justin Schneider
Christopher Day
Thomas Nichols
Kaitlyn Nachtman
John Nachtman, Jr.

John Chester
Michael White
Christopher Mustakas
Candice Gagnon
William Gregory
Jason Doyle
John Karies

If you have a service member or know of someone who is serving our country and you would like to have their name added to this list, please submit their names through the



collection basket or the Church Office. If a soldier has returned, let us know.

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. We meet on the second Monday of the month at 2:30pm in Walden Hall. For further information and/or to register, call Ann at 265.8302.

April 8, 2013—*The Condition* by Jennifer Haigh—

Facilitator: Joan Shea

May 13, 2013—*The Shoemaker's Wife* by Adriana Trigiani—

Facilitator: Barbara Fratamico

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.

CALENDAR CLUB 2013

Here are winners from March 10—16, 2013.

Congratulations!

Sun.	Mar. 10—\$50—#441—Robert & Mary Burke
Mon.	Mar. 11—\$25—#879—Eileen Ryan
Tues.	Mar. 12—\$25—#914—Joan LaRocco
Wed.	Mar. 13—\$25—#613—Ann Russell
Thurs	Mar. 14—\$25—#875—Terry Toal
Fri.	Mar. 15—\$25—#905—Gerard & Joan Smith
Sat.	Mar. 16—\$25—# 62 —Joe & Joy Licari

RESPECT LIFE NEWS

ADORATION BEFORE THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

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

PRO LIFE

Come join us, be faithful to your faith; prayer vigil at Planned Parenthood abortion center, defend the defenseless, every Wednesday & Saturday 7:30 am till 11:00 am rain or shine, at 70 Maple Ave., Smithtown. Supporters from all denominations are welcome. The unborn need your support and help. For additional information, please contact Mary Ann & Al Rubenbauer at 864-1759.

THIS WEEK AT ST. THOMAS MORE

(Not totally inclusive)

Sunday—March 24

9am—Salesian Cooperative-Rel.Ed. Center
2pm—Baptisms—Church
7:30pm—Bible Study—Meeting Room

Monday—March 25



9:45am—Bible Study—Meeting Room
3pm—Reconciliation Day—Church
7:45pm—Monthly Holy Hour—Church
No Youth Ministry

Thursday—March 28

9pm—Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in
Repository

Friday—March 29

12:10pm—Stations of the Cross
1:30pm—Station of the Cross for Religious Ed. Students

This spring couples who have been married fifty years or more will be honored at liturgies on Sunday, April 14 at the Church of Saint Lawrence the Martyr in Sayville and on Sunday, May 5 at the Church of Maria Regina in Seaford.. Both liturgies will begin at 2:30pm. Couples may register for **ONE** liturgy. Registration forms and complete instructions can be obtained at the rectory. Registration must be received by the Office of Worship, Diocese of Rockville Centre by March 28th for the April 14th liturgy and by April 18th for the May 5th liturgy. There will be additional celebrations in the fall for those who may find that more convenient. If you have any questions you may call 516-678-5800, ext. 207.

COURTESY ANNOUNCEMENTS

(First Notice)

FAITH AND LIGHT MASS—Friday, April 5, 7pm—Parish of the Holy Cross, 95 Old Nichols Road, Nesconset. (Faith & Light is an international faith-sharing organization for people with developmental challenges & their families and care-givers).

CLOTHING DRIVE—HOLY FAMILY REGIONAL SCHOOL—please drop off your donations—clean, useable clothing, shoes, accessories, toys, games & household items—placed in plastic garbage bags & tied, on April 20 from 9 am to 12 noon at Bishop McGann Room, Holy Family Regional School, 2 Indian Head Rd., Commack. For info contact Parents@HolyFamily Regional.com

RONKONKOMA CENACLE RETREAT CENTER, Ronkonkoma—April 12-13-Fri-Sat: Runaway Overnight Retreat for Busy Mothers of Tots to Teens. Dinner to lunch. \$105pp

Second Notice)

EWTN—Papal Election News—Catholic news coverage is available on the Eternal Word Television Network for the following Long Island television stations:

Direct TV Ch. 370; **Dish Network TV**—Ch. 261
Verizon FIOS TV Ch. 285, Ch. 1741 (Spanish)
Cablevision TV Ch. 135, Ch. 1097 (Spanish)

Don't miss this historic Papal event and all the Holy Week services from the Vatican.

DIOCESAN BEREAVEMENT CONFERENCE— Fri. April 29 (St. Joseph, Babylon) or Sat. April 20 (St. Frances de Chantal,

Wantagh) 8:30am to 1pm. Keynote: Allen Siegel, MA, SFO, RN—A Catholic/Interfaith Chaplain at South Nassau Communities Hospital, Oceanside.

To register, please go to www.drvc-faith.org (bereavement ministry) or call 516-678-5800 ext. 236 or 204.

OFFICE OF FAITH FORMATION—DRVC—Celebrating the Inclusion of Persons with Special Needs in Parish Life & Ministry Prayer Service and Luncheon for Clergy, Parish Leaders, Advocates and Volunteers. All are welcome. Paid for by a grant from Pathways Awareness Foundation, Chicago, IL (inclusioninworship.org) & the Knights of Columbus.

April 23, 2013 St. Frances de Chantal, Wantagh, 12 noon to 2:30pm.

Registration is free & required by April 16. Visit www.drvc-faith.org to register online. Registration forms also available in the Rectory. For more info. contact Mary Anne Russo at 516-678-5800, x 540 or email marusso@drvc.org

SUPPORT COLLECTION

Collection of March 17, 2013 \$8,251.00

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.

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.

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

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Joe Gast - gast.joe@gmail.com
Justice & Peace - Natman32@aol.com
Fr. Dahlke - RWDahlke@Jesuits.net
Deacon John Rapacki— deaconjohn@stmli.org
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, April 11, 2013 in the Religious Education Office at 7:30 pm. This is an excellent time for men to gather, to share experiences, and to learn more about God. Please plan to attend and bring a friend.

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.

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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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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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.

Astoria Federal Savings Bank—Many exciting opportunities—different locations—full benefit package.

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

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

Darby Dental—Inside sales account managers. Will train —outstanding benefit package.

Dayton F. Brown—Technical Services Division, Bohemia, NY & Shelton CT. Extensive benefit package.

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

Gieco 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

Home Center Assemblers— Commack Territory— to assemble BBQ grills, lawn furniture, wheel-barrows. Paid training.

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.

Newspaper Delivery—Excellent 2nd income—early AM hours—car & valid NYS license.

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

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—Sub PT teachers & teacher assistants. Smithtown & Kings Park School Districts.

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.