

Catholic Church Community of St. Thomas More

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Pastoral Staff

Rev. Antony Asir, Pastor
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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 arrange-
ments, 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.



*I have set you to
be a light.*

April 21, 2013
Fourth Sunday of Easter
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>April 21, 2013 Fourth Sunday of Easter Acts 13:14, 43-52 Psalm 100: 1-2, 3, 5 Revelation: 7:9, 14B-17 John: 10:27-30</p> | <p>April 28, 2013 Fifth Sunday of Easter Acts 14:21-27 Psalm 145:8-9, 10-11, 12-13 Revelation: 21:1-5a John: 13:31-33a, 34-35</p> |

Saturday—April 20

(Anticipated Mass for Sunday)

5pm—Liam Armstrong *by the Nawrocki family*; Andrew Bonanzinga *by Eileen & Joel Frank*; Rose Coyle *by Karin Buckley*; Marie Fitzpatrick *by the Nawrocki family*; Arlene Ilyichenko *by Arlene & Joe Kiesel*; Mary Monaghan *by Ann Marie & Ronald Grabowski*; Patricia Schafer *by Mary Brienza*; Andrew Semon *by the Mitchell family*; Martha Whyland *by John & Aurelie Miller-Hendry*

Sunday—April 21—Fourth Sunday of Easter—World Day of Prayer for Vocations

8am—Louis Solis *by Bob & Barbara Horoski*
9:15am—Barbara Diffendale *by Michael & Florence Acquafredda*
10:45am—Josephine Zielinsky *by the St. Thomas More Choir*
12:15pm—Robert Covino *by Geraldine Covino*

Monday—April 22

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

Tuesday—April 23—St. George & St. Adalbert

9am—Karen Ann Collarini *by John & Joan Giambalvo*

Wednesday—April 24—St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen

9am—Alice M. Scutari *by Evelyn & Bob McMahon*

Thursday—April 25—St. Mark

9am—Elizabeth Samson *by James Cussen*

Friday—April 26

9am—Alice M. Scutari *by Dottie Lossani & Mae Devine*

Saturday—April 27

9am—Angelo Marciano *by Lisa & Peter Bove*

(Anticipated Mass for Sunday)

5pm—Adele Ludwicki *by James & Patricia Dugan*

Sunday—April 28—Fifth Sunday of Easter

8am—John & Mary Barry *by Jane Lewis*; Catherine Boss *by Joseph Lambert*; Ceil Cox *by the family*; Thomas Murphy *by Sue & Jim Morrissey*; Leonard J. Solicito *by wife Rose & family*

9:15am—Enard Thompson *Love by Emilia Savarese*

10:45am—Josephine Zielinsky *by Lou & Emilia Savarese*

12:15pm—JoEllen Sadowski *by Stanley, Jonathan & Danielle Sadowski*

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to John:

When Judas had left them, Jesus said, “Now is the Son of Man glorified, and God is glorified in him. If God is glorified in him, God will also glorify him in himself, and God will glorify him at once. My children, I will be with you only a little while longer. I give you a new commandment: love one another. As I have loved you, so you also should love one another. This is how all will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.”

Focus Questions:

1. Describe a time when you put aside your own concerns to be available for others.
2. Talk about some of the people whose love made you into the person you are today.
3. Relate a time recently when you celebrated the love of family or friends.

Family and children’s question

Talk about how you can reach out to others who could use the love that God has put into your heart.

PRAY FOR THE SICK



Tom Devine; Chester Turano; Elaine Kleintauber; Michelle Lindsley; Janice De Simone; Barbara Miller; Akalski John; Conrad Gangone; Henry Kwizcinski; Ann Willis; Jack Weiser; Cindy Mango; Lorraine Mango-Follini; Leona Esposito; Anthony & Florence Donato; Sarah O’Connor; Phyllis Dorchow; Anthony Paul Sheridan; Phyllis Diesso; Vivian Jacobs; Frances Mattace; Sandra Polke; Kathy

Badalaty; Lorenzo Fernandes; Robert Owen; Mary SanFilippo; Tom Gernon; Linda Wilkonski; Andrew Valentine; Katherine Drechsler; Karen Bakofsky; Richard Stout; Andree Germain; Bev Bienemann; Jason Pilgrim; Frederic Pilgrim; Linda Sue Cappisillo; Maureen O'Donnell; John O'Donnell; Jack Povey (baby); James McKiski

*(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 , September 30,, 2013.** Please resubmit any names you wish to have continued.)*

PRAY FOR THE DECEASED

Frank R. Morelli; our deceased loved ones and our deceased servicemen and women.

FR. ANTONY'S LETTER

Dear Friends,

A school principal received a phone call. The voice said, "Thomas Bradley won't be in school today." The principal was a bit suspicious of the voice. He asked, "Who is speaking?" The voice came back, "My Father." This is the fourth Sunday of Easter. In today's Gospel Jesus says "The Father and I are one." They cannot be separated. Jesus affirms that the same oneness exists between Him - the shepherd, and us - His sheep. The inseparable oneness between Jesus and His believers resembles the oneness that exists between Jesus and God the Father. As God and Jesus cannot be separated, so too Jesus the Good shepherd cannot be separated from His Sheep.

Jesus came with God's mission. Whatever God wants to do for humans, God did/does in Jesus. God so loved the world that God gave His Son for us. Jesus is the divine expression of God's love for us. Jesus expresses God's love for us in the same way He expresses it to God. Just as God the Father and Jesus are one, Jesus wants to be one with us. Just as they are inseparable Jesus does not want to be separated from His believers. The sheep may choose to stray away from the fold but the Shepherd goes after them. The Shepherd's love is divine love and has no separation.

First Holy Communion of our young men and women is celebrated this weekend, April 20-21 and also on the weekend of April 27-28, at the 5:00pm and 12:15pm Masses. The first communicants and their families will occupy the reserved pews at the center. I appreciate everyone's understanding if their usual seat is not available at those Masses. Let us take this celebration as an opportunity to welcome the First Communicants and their families. For some of the visitors this may be the first time in our church. Our courtesy and generosity will bear witness as to how the parish-family of St. Thomas More worships God and welcomes all to experience God amidst us. Thank you for your cooperation.

LET US CELEBRATE: Easter Season is the time when Jesus gathered His disciples and believers who were scattered at His death. At His Resurrection, they were overjoyed and renewed in their strength. On May 4th we want to gather as disciples and believers of Jesus to renew ourselves as the parish family of St. Thomas More.

All ministers and ministry heads, and all those interested to serve our parish family in whatever way, big or small, please come, let us celebrate on Saturday, May 4th from 9:00am to 11:00am. This celebration will start with the 9:00am Mass and continue with hospitality at Walden Hall. All are welcome. Come, let us celebrate.

Parish Feast: This year the Parish feast of St. Thomas More falls on the weekend of June 22nd and 23rd. We will celebrate it with a dinner on Saturday, 6/22 after the 5:00 pm mass. After the Sunday masses we will have a pancake breakfast. This is the occasion to acknowledge and appreciate the talents among us. After the 12:15 Mass we will have a luncheon followed by a talent show. Please read the bulletin for information and details of events of our family celebrations.

Raffle Tickets: The annual parish raffle tickets will be on sale from this weekend: \$50 a ticket; three for \$100. First prize - \$10,000; Second prize - \$2000; Third prize - \$1000; Fourth prize - \$500. Please extend your support by purchasing some tickets.

Mother's Day Flower Sale: The order form for flowers for Mother's Day is in the bulletin. Please place the order form and your payment in the collection basket. Or you may call the rectory office to place your order. Thank you for your cooperation.

New Faces on the Altar: We thank the six young men and women who stepped up to serve at the Altar of the Lord. The new altar servers are Allie Grippo, Mike Schroeder, Tyler Grippo, Brooke Weisberg, Melanie Weisberg and Katelyn Tirado. I greatly appreciate their generous service to our community and am also grateful to their parents for their support in this endeavor.

Scrip Sale Discontinued: I regret to say that we are discontinuing Scrip Sales. After taking into consideration the work involved, the number of sales, the profit to the parish, and the recent loss we suffered, it was recommended to me to stop sale of Scrip. I appreciate the volunteers and parishioners who supported the scrip program, and hope you will understand the reasons for phasing it out.

Lenten -Appalachian Project: Congratulations. Your generous contribution during Lent was \$ 4,226. Our fourth grade children contributed \$ 718.32 through a program called Pennies from Heaven. Our Parish has donated \$5000 for the welfare of the Appalachian - Whatever we do to the least of the people we do unto Jesus.

OUR PRIEST CELEBRANTS

(Subject to last minute changes)

| | <u>This Weekend</u> (April 20/21) | <u>Next Weekend</u> (April 27/28) |
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| <u>Saturday</u> | | |
| 5:00 pm | Fr. Antony | Fr. Antony |
| <u>Sunday</u> | | |
| 8:00 am | Fr. O'Rourke | Fr. O'Rourke |
| 9:15 am | Fr. Antony | Fr. Racos |
| 10:45am | Fr. Racos | Msgr. Boccafolo |
| 12:15pm | Fr. Antony | Fr. Antony |

With love and prayers,

Fr. Antony

JUSTICE & PEACE

There is much injustice and evil in the world today. As a resurrection people how do we change our attitudes and cultural biases? So many of us feel confused and powerless. We are overwhelmed by the "isms" especially consumerism, racism, militarism, and individualism. Almost every day we read about corporate greed. Many of us feel helpless to choose a direction for ourselves and community. How do we find some meaning in all of it? Many of us live in a constant state of anxiety and fear. So many people are out of work and benefits. Many have lost their homes or are about to. We are producing many unhappy and unhealthy children. Just look at the newspaper and read about the killing and suicides among our youth today. Look also at the suicides among men in the military. We are beginning to realize that there are no absolutes in our society. There are no patterns to follow that are always true, except what Jesus told us were true. Perhaps this is the answer to so much depression and suicide among our children. They see no hope out of the darkness, but there is hope and there is light. It is Jesus who is our light. Saint Francis of Assisi had the answer in the 13th century and it is still valid today. He trusted the voice he heard and the truth from that voice. Francis focused on that center and moved out from there. What does this all mean in terms of justice and peace? Pope Francis has said that we have to look at the poor and see God in their faces. When we do, then we will try to make their lives better. What does this all mean in terms of justice and peace? How does all this affect how we respond? We have to move to what Jesus

preached, grace and mercy before we can change and act.

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

April 21 is World Day of Prayer for Vocations
April 22 is Earth Day
April 23 is St. George, Martyr; St. Adalbert, Bishop & Martyr
April 24 is St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen, Priest & Martyr. It is also Administrative Professional Day
April 25 is St. Mark, Evangelist

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.



Thank you to all of our parishioners who have contributed so generously to our clients during the recent holiday. We continue to need food for our clients, so please think of us as you do your weekly shopping; we always need meat (chicken, hamburgers, franks, etc.) as well as daily necessities like shampoo, deodorant, toilet paper, coffee and cereals.

Senior Companion Program

If you are 55 and over, and looking for a rewarding opportunity to help the elderly in our community, please consider the benefits of joining the Senior Companion Program. You would be spending time assisting frail or homebound seniors, and thus helping them to achieve and maintain their dignity and independence. You would be able to earn a tax-free stipend, you would get paid days off, and be reimbursed for your travel expenses. Training and supervision would be provided. If you are interested in earning enormous personal satisfaction, please call:

**Senior Companion Program
631-321-8229 ext. 1206**

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 Chester
Michael White
Christopher Mustakas
William Gregory
Jason Doyle
John Karies
John Nachtman, Jr.



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.



K of C KORNER

The Knights of St. Thomas More Council will be holding a recruitment drive the weekend of May 4-5, 2013. All practicing Catholic men, 18 or older, are eligible for membership. There will be speakers at each Mass and opportunities to ask questions to the Knights about membership.

BLOOD DRIVE: Past Grand Knight Ed Rogan announced that there will be a blood drive held at STM on **MAY 23rd** from 3:15 PM to 9 PM. Please consider donating this gift of life to those who depend on transfusions.

SPRING FLOWER SALE: Spring is Coming ! Pre-order your flats— Ivy Geranium Baskets –New Guinea Hanging Baskets—Geraniums and more.

Flowers will be arriving the second week of May.

Look for the order form in the Bulletin.

NITE AT THE RACES: The Columbiettes of St. Thomas More Council will be having "*Nite at the Races*" on May 4th at 7 PM.

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

Facilitator: Barbara Fratamico
June 10, 2013—When the Heart Waits by Sue Monk Kidd—Facilitator Nina Busse



ST. THOMAS MORE COLUMBIETTES

The St. Thomas More Columbiettes, #6062, invite the community to partake in and enjoy our Saturday *Nite at the Races*, on May 4, 2013 from 7:00 pm through 11:00 pm, in Walden Hall at St. Thomas More Church, Hauppauge, NY.



A \$13.00 contribution entitles you to super hero, salads, desserts, drinks, a chance to win door prizes and have lots of fun.

Any funds we raise go back to the community via Outreach, Brighter Tomorrow and our needy families with children.

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 APRIL 14–20, 2013.
CONGRATULATIONS!**

- April 14—Sun. \$50—# 1— Irene & Bob Aberle
- April 15—Mon. \$25—#866— Curt & Joann Kelly
- April 16—Tues. \$25—#317— Tom Napolitano
- April 17—Wed. \$25—#634— Jim & Marie Marsala
- April 18—Thurs. \$25—#373— Edward & Pat Porter
- April 19—Fri. \$25—#577— John & Nora Migliorise
- April 20—Sat. \$25—#724— Donna & Vincent Gerardi

RESPECT LIFE NEWS

The Respect Life Holy Hour will take place on Monday, April 29, at 7:45 pm. All are welcome to come and pray the rosary and the Divine Mercy Chaplet to bring your needs to the Lord and to spend an hour with Him.

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.

THANK-YOU!

The Altar Society wants to thank Leo Murphy, owner of Leeland Landscapes for his generous gift of lovely Easter plants donated to the church.

Religious Education News ...

Alleluia! Alleluia! The Lord is Risen!
Our children have also demonstrated that the risen Lord is among us, through the variety of ways they have helped our brothers and sisters during this past Lenten season. **Level 1** children collected \$600 in the Rice Bowl Project. Many classes **grades 2-4** prepared beautiful Easter Baskets for our Outreach Program and made food donations. **Grade 4** took part in a collection entitled "Pennies from Heaven" which collected \$767.23 for the children of Appalachia. The generosity and dedication of our catechists in making these projects a success is admirable!

Students Grade 1-4

All students Grades 1-4 are asked to return their completed 20+ **CHILDREN'S WORSHIP BULLETINS** to the Religious Education office by Tuesday, April 30th. Kindly place the bulletins into an envelope with your **name, address** and **catechist** name on the front. You will then receive an invitation to an ice cream social to celebrate your achievement. Congratulations

**...and a
Note of Appreciation**

Dear Mary Ellen;
I just wanted to take this opportunity to thank you and the Religious Ed classes that came to visit us here at the Arbors Assisted Living Islandia West. We cannot thank you enough. The kids were very entertaining and respectful of our Seniors and I hope we will be able to continue this Intergenerational program throughout the 2013 calendar year and beyond. Once

again our sincerest thanks.
God Bless

Ann Marie Brew
Recreation Director

**THIS WEEK AT ST. THOMAS MORE**

(Not totally inclusive)

Sunday—April 21**Hospitality Sunday**

12:15pm—First Communion—Church

2pm—Baptisms—Church

7:30pm—Bible Study—Meeting Room

Monday—April 22

9:45am—Bible Study—Meeting Room

11am—Confirmation—Church

2pm—Confirmation—Church

7pm—Youth Ministry—Walden Hall

7:45pm—Monthly Holy Hour—Church

Tuesday—April 23

7:30pm—Justice & Peace at Ralph's

Thursday—April 25

5:30pm—Children's Choir—Church

7:30pm—Choir—Church

Friday—April 26

1pm—YoungAtHeart—Walden Hall

Saturday—April 27

5pm—First Communion—Church

COURTESY ANNOUNCEMENTS

(First Notice)

ST. MARY'S—EAST ISLIP—BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY—invites all adults who have suffered the loss of a parent, child, grandparent or spouse for whom Mother's Day and Father's Day are special, to a presentation by Elaine Stillwell, M.A., M.S., columnist, author, renowned speaker and bereaved parent. Tuesday, May 7th, 7:30-9pm in the Sacred Heart Hall. RSVP to the rectory @ 581-4266, ext. 100 by May 5th.

(Second Notice)

MARIAN HEALING MINISTRY—April 23—The Immaculate Conception Center, Douglaston. 7pm—Rosary, Mass & Healing Service. For information contact (718) 229-8001.

HOFSTRA DUTCH FESTIVAL—May 5, 11am—5pm—

Outdoors on the South Campus. A spotlight on the diverse cultures that have contributed to its global campus community. For info call (516) 463-6582 or visit Hofstra.edu/festivals.

MOLLOY COLLEGE—CELTIC DAY CELEBRATION—

May 4, 11:30am to 1pm—Molloy College's Wilbur Arts Building (north side of the college's campus in Rockville Centre). Free admission; refreshments served. If you would like to take part with a song, short tale or poem in Irish, email

jerrykelly@att.net or call J. Kelly (516) 804-2968 (evenings).

SUPPORT COLLECTION

Collection of April 14, 2013 \$8,300.00

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.

Boy Scout Troop 343 Car Wash & Bake

Sale—Sunday, May 5th at St. Thomas More Church. Park your car in the rear parking lot before all Masses and let Sea Base Crew wash it while you are at Mass. \$5 suggested donation per car. We will be there from 8am to 1:30pm. Please come support us!

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: 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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Outreach - Stmoutreach@optonline.net
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.stthomasmoryouth.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, June 13, 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.

YOUNG AT HEART **Attention Seniors**

Next Meeting : Friday, April 26 from 1pm to 3 pm.

New members welcomed.

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES **APPEAL 2012**

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

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR NEW ALTAR SERVERS !

In a Commissioning Ceremony, held at the 9:15 AM Mass on April 14, 2013, the Altar Server Ministry of St Thomas More was proud to introduce our newest members to our parish community,

Allie Grippo, Mike Schroeder, Tyler Grippo, Brooke Weisberg, Melanie Weisberg and Katelyn Tirado.

Additional members who were unable to attend are Krista Aliscio, Mark Aliscio and Alexa Nunez.

We are thrilled that our ministry continues to grow. If you know anyone interested in joining us, please have them email our scheduling coordinator, Linda Carlino, at smaltarservers2012@gmail.com. The only requirement is that you have received the sacrament of First Holy Communion.



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

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 résumé. 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

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

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.

Newsday—Senior Accountant—Accounting Supervisor—Financial Analyst—Associate Financial Analyst—Competitive salary-Benefit 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.