

Catholic Church Community of
St. Thomas More
115 Kings Highway

Pastoral Staff

Rev. Antony Asir, Pastor
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Parish Outreach

Staffed by volunteers

Music Ministry

Emilia Savarese, Facilitator

Youth Ministry

Joe Gast, s.c., Youth Minister

**OUR PARISH SACRAMENTAL LIFE -
EUCHARIST**

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 one of the deacons.

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

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.



December 15, 2013
Third Sunday of Advent
“Gaudete Sunday”

Parish Mission Statement:
St. Thomas More Roman Catholic Church is a
parish community striving to share the Spirit of Love through
Prayer, Worship, the Sacraments
The Teachings of the Church, and
Our concern for others through Christian Stewardship.

Telephones:

Rectory—	234-5551	FAX 234-6412
Religious Ed—	234-0397	FAX 234-1199
Outreach—	234-3149	FAX 234-1199
Church Lobby—	348-9378	

Masses for this coming week	Growing through the Sunday Scriptures
<p>December 15, 2013 Third Sunday of Advent Isaiah 35: 1-6A, 10 Psalm 146: 6-7, 8-9, 9-10 James 5: 7-10 Matthew 11: 2-11</p>	<p>December 22, 2013 Fourth Sunday of Advent Isaiah 7: 10-14 Psalm 24: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6 Romans 1: 1-7 Matthew 1: 18-24</p>

Saturday—December 14

(Anticipated Mass for Sunday)

5pm—Dolores Spegman *by Len Munzer*

Sunday—December 15 —Third Sunday of Advent

8am—Eleanore Porter *by Judy Coyle*

9:15am—Mary & William Fortmeyer *by Rosemary & Rocco Amoroso*

10:45am—Marianne Walczyk Baudler *by Ken & Judy Granville; Ann Druckenmiller by Ken & Judy Granville; Matthew Filazolla by the Cloke family; Arthur Jacobson by Elizabeth & Margaret Kane; Joseph Juhasz by Tracey & Leanne Kamm; Raymond Madrazzo by Elizabeth & Margaret Kane; Rita M. O'Brien by Elizabeth Kane; Dolores Spegman by Ralph & Mary Ann Rantz; Phillys Tortora by the Leocadi family; Josephine Zielenski by the Leocadi family*

12:15pm—Faye Belmont *by Cathy Black*

Monday—December 16

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

Tuesday— December 17

9am—Rosemary Shady *by Kieko, Joan, Audrey & Bob, Len and Dottie*

Wednesday— December 18

9am— Lillian Munzer *by Len Munzer*

Thursday— December 19

9am—Joseph Luca *by Nella Luca*

Friday— December 20

9am—Eric Reistetter *by family*

Saturday—December 21—St. Peter Canisius

9am—Rosemary Shady *by Dawn, Mickey, Connie, Ann, Phil*

(Anticipated Mass for Sunday)

5pm—Dominick & Annette Butindari *by the Butindari family*

Sunday—December 22 —Fourth Sunday of Advent

8am—Rev. Msgr. Francis S. Midura *by Joyce Spincola*

9:15am—William Caravana *by the Lusardi family*

10:45am—Dominick Bove *by Marie Bove*

12:15pm—Dotty Brengel *by the Fennell &*

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Matthew:

This is how the birth of Jesus Christ came about. When his mother Mary was betrothed to Joseph, but before they lived together, she was found with child through the Holy Spirit. Joseph her husband, since he was a righteous man, yet unwilling to expose her to shame, decided to divorce her quietly. Such was his intention when, behold, the angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream and said, "Joseph, son of David, do not be afraid to take Mary your wife into your home. For it is through the Holy Spirit that this child has been conceived in her. She will bear a son and you are to name him Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins." All this took place to fulfill what the Lord had said through the prophet: *Behold, the virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and they shall name him Emmanuel,* which means "God is with us." When Joseph awoke, he did as the angel of the Lord had commanded him and took his wife into his home.

Focus Questions:

1. Describe a time when you experienced a miracle.
2. Relate a time when you struggled to trust God when you went through a hard time.
3. Describe a time when you made a conscious decision to say yes to God.

Family and children's question:

Describe a time when you watched a baby or toddler and saw the miracle of life in action.

Sclafani families; John Emilio by Len Munzer; Donna Feustel by Marty & Nancy Macaluso; Grace Giacomo by Mr. & Mrs. Stanley Rogers; Marie Lehmann by Kay & Walter Drechsler; Nick Liberatoscioli by his family; Joseph Madsen by Marty & Nancy Macaluso; Robert Mohlenbrok by Lois Mohlenbrok & family; Terry Ann O'Connell by Ken & Judy Granville; Philip Purcell by Judy Coyle

PRAY FOR THE SICK



Kathy Badalaty; James & Rita Basile; Charles Boston; Arlene Bove; Fred Busse; Tom B. Buttles; Linda Sue Cappisillo; Sonny Carlucci; Jamie Castro-Mango; Maryann Che; Thomas Diana; Tom Devine; Florence & Anthony Donato; Joanna Dove; Katherine Drechsler; William Driscoll; Jason Elias; Lorenzo Fernandes; Roma Fierro; Michael Filaseta; Barbara Foberg; Conrad Gangone; Ed Gast; Tom Gernon; Mary Happe; Penny Henrich; Ann & Anthony Iovino; Laura Jennings; Claire Keating; Elaine Kleinstauber; Henry Kwiecinski; Lorraine Mango-Follini; Nicole Mango-Follini; Jean Marsala-Kieffner; Marge McGowen; Cathleen McQuade; Teri Miliano; Stella Minecci; Vicki Nelson; toddler Lila Nitsch; Pat Owens; Leona Papareto; Albert Pastore; Joseph Peter; Bill Radcliffe; Marie Reddy; Carlos Sanchez; Walter Seidel; Denise Siele; Ray & Kathy; Aileen Soler; Jennifer Spears; Ted Stahura; Tom Stahura; Oscar Steadman; Richard Stout; Chase Turano; Andrew M. Valentine; Andrew J. Valentine; Grace Von Ancken; Leo Vannoni; Ellen-Jane Vinson; Mikki Wilbert; Linda Wilkonski; Thuy Wilmott

*(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 March 31, 2014.** Please resubmit any names you wish to have continued.)*

PRAY FOR THE DECEASED

Italo T. Terenzi; our deceased loved ones and our deceased servicemen and women.

FR. ANTONY'S LETTER

Dear Friends,

In one of the Peanuts comic strips, Charlie Brown says, "There is no problem so big that I can't run away

from it." We may run away from problem to avoid them but they do not go away. They are still there. They will follow us.

Today's First and Gospel readings proclaim that God is coming amidst us not only to face problems but to solve them. Jesus explains his mission in reply to John the Baptist's question. "Go and tell John what you hear and see. The blind regain their sight, the lame walk, lepers are cleansed, the deaf hear, the dead are raised and the poor have good news proclaimed to them..."

The presence of Jesus means: one will be able to see what is not seen so far; able to hear what is not heard so far; a life which has not been lived so far and so on. God's way of solving problems is different from that of us, humans. God in Jesus will make us see, hear, feel life in such a new way that we will be experiencing our lives as blessings of God in the midst of problems and worries.

We are coming closer – just 10 more days – to the birth of Jesus who can change even the manger into his cradle, even the human parents to be the bearers of God. Our problems are like the manger but if we allow the birth of Jesus to happen, even the manger (our problems) will be able to carry God's presence; even our problems will become a venue for God's blessings. Instead of running away from problems, let us bring God's presence into our problems to turn them into blessings.

Outdoor Nativity Display: In the front lawn of the Rectory will be the display of the Nativity scene. We are thankful to the families of Jane M. Cawley and Richard Llinares for this generous gift. Donors are welcome to cover the ongoing cost of maintaining it.

Christmas Tree Lighting of our Parish is this Saturday after the 5:00pm Mass. Thanks a million to all those who helped with outdoor lighting and the indoor celebration in Walden Hall.

Tuesday, December 17th after the 9:00am Mass and that evening at 7:00pm, Sr. Pat Duffy O.P, Ph.D. will have Advent Reflections - to draw us closer to the birth of Jesus in our hearts and homes.

Outreach is collecting Hams for Christmas. Please bring them to the Outreach Office Monday to Thursday from 10:00am to 2:00pm.

The Giving Tree: 'The Giving Tree' is in the Church Lobby with tags for Christmas gifts for those in need. By picking up a suggestion tag, we can be a giving tree to a needy person, who can celebrate a 'Merry Christmas' from the fruit of our donation. Thanks for being a 'Giving Tree'.

Calendar Club 2014: The Calendar Club is open for 2014. This week's bulletin carries the form for the Calendar Club 2014. Please show your support by joining

the Calendar club. Parishioners are steadily joining this club. Please join and rush for your lucky numbers You can also consider giving the Calendar Club as gift to someone. Calendar Club is a good way of fund raising for the Parish.

OUR PRIEST CELEBRANTS (*Subject to last minute changes*)

	<u>This Weekend</u> (Dec. 14/15)	<u>Next Weekend</u> (Dec. 21/22)
<u>Saturday</u> 5:00pm	Fr. Antony	Msgr. Boccafola
<u>Sunday</u> 8:00am	Fr. Dahlke	Fr. Antony
9:15am	Fr. Racos	Fr. Antony
10:45am	Fr. Antony	Fr. Dahlke
12:15pm	Fr. Charles	Fr. Racos

With love and prayers,

Fr. Antony



K of C KORNER

Many thanks to all the Knights who helped during the Thanksgiving holiday. Knights from STM donated time and treasure to feed 6 needy families in our Parish and supported the Youth Group's Food Drive by cooking & driving. Donations to our neighbors in Central Islip helped Rogan-Halperin Council K of C feed nearly 400 people, Congratulations to brothers Manny Bartolotta, Jim Sheheta, Anthony Iuvino and Mike Hoffman on having completed requirements for the Order's Third Degree. Well done, Gentlemen.

Great times were had by all at the following Christmas Parties-- 12/7 for the children & grandchildren of members of STM Council. On 12/10 the Knights and their ladies had a wonderful time at Ciro's - good food and great company! On 12/14 the Council sponsored their annual Christmas Party at UCP in Commack.

New York State Council is sponsoring a disaster relief fund for the victims of the hurricane that devastated the Philippine Islands. In this season of giving, our brothers and sisters in the Philippines need our help in their time of trial. If you can give, please make your donation payable to **New York State Knights Charities Inc. Disaster Relief Fund**. Please mail to: **New York State Knights of Columbus, 359 Route 111, Building 1-Suite 2, Smithtown, N.Y. 11787.**

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.



We Need Hams for Christmas!!!!

Although it seems we just finished with Thanksgiving, we are seeing that Christmas is only 9 days away, and we need hams to give out with our Christmas dinners for our clients! So please, even if you have already donated, or if you haven't donated yet, try to pick up a ham when you next shop for food, and drop it at Outreach on Monday through Thursday, from 10:00 – 2:00. Our cheerful staff will gratefully accept any donations of food!

Thank You!

We have additional people who need mention as having made a special effort in helping Outreach for Thanksgiving...

Thanks to all the religious education classes for their cards and monetary donations

Thanks to the Youth Group of our parish who collected food and donated to Outreach

Thanks to Tom P. for his donation of 25 turkeys!

Thanks to The Knights of Columbus who bought complete turkey dinners which they then delivered to several families

Thanks to the Maloney Funeral Home who donated fully cooked dinners which Outreach then delivered to families without cooking facilities

The Giving Tree

The Giving Tree is ready to be shared!!! Attached to the branches of the tree in the Narthex (lobby) are gift cards with various amounts and types of gifts. We ask that you take a card or two and donate whatever it says. Bring your donation to the Church and drop it off at the table in the lobby. There will be someone stationed at the table from Outreach, ready to accept whatever you ring. At this point, time is of the essence if we are to deliver these gifts for Christmas! Thank you!

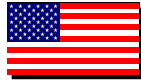
PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

David Chester
Carl F. Greiner
Scott Lovelock
Justin Schneider
Christopher Day

John Chester
Michael White
Christopher Mustakas
William Gregory
Jason Doyle

Thomas Nichols
Kaitlyn Nachtman
David W. Cussen
Michael Fensterer
Jesse Bernstein
Adam J. Cussen
Kyle Rathje

John Karies
John Nachtman, Jr.
Adam Papaizai
William R. Rathje
Michael Polanski
Ryan Smith



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.

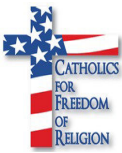
RESPECT LIFE NEWS

ADORATION BEFORE THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
HOLY HOUR: Tuesday, January 7, 2014, 7—8 pm.

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.

Catholics for Freedom of Religion:



Cardinal Dolan, in a Sunday TV interview, said the Affordable Care Act puts Catholic laity and clergy into "a tough place because we're for universal comprehensive **life-affirming** health care". However, the ACA mandates coverage for abortion and abortion inducing drugs in direct violation of Catholic beliefs and the right of religious liberty. The Church is threatened with crippling fines if she does not comply. Please join us in writing to and phoning our representatives, urging them to pass the **Health Care Conscience Rights Act (H.R. 940, S.1204)** and save our Catholic institutions and our First Amendment right to Religious Liberty. In addition, you can visit www.usccb.org/freedom, or text the word "Freedom" to 377377 for updates from the bishops on current threats to religious liberty.

STEWARDSHIP AT ST THOMAS MORE

Our children are our future – here we have a ministry that is dedicated to the formation of children ages 4-5 and 6.....

Liturgy of the Word with Children

I began as Ministry Leader for Liturgy of the Word with Children at STM twelve years ago, after graduating from the Pastoral Formation Institute. I attended the Institute with the desire to study the teachings of Jesus and His church, and to bring that knowledge to others through the ministries at St Thomas More.

Liturgy of the Word with Children is offered in the hope of providing adequate formation for 4, 5 and 6 years old children, conforming to the Gospel in their daily lives, through age appropriate readings, singing psalms and acclamations, with preaching suited to their ages, and praying for the needs of the world. We have a wonderful ministry team – consisting of leaders, musicians, artists, shepherds, gatekeepers and catechists, all of who volunteer each Sunday to share their faith and provide religious education for the children. We are always in need of more volunteers.

It was our hope when starting this ministry to allow the children to hear and celebrate the Word as fully as they could, in an environment especially prepared for them. I think we have accomplished this, and I know that I have received many blessings and insights from sharing this special time with the children. They are very spiritual and candid about their relationship with Jesus, and are very eager to hear more about Him each Sunday. They have taught me how to see and talk to God through the eyes and heart of a child. I am very grateful to the parish of St Thomas More for allowing this ministry to be part of the Liturgy and appreciate the enthusiasm of those involved.

I would be happy to speak with anyone interested in joining us.

PAT ORAVITZ – 265.0722

YOUNG PEOPLE'S CHOIR

Christmas is coming and it is now time to prepare for the happy day. The Young People's Christmas Choir is forming and I invite all children grades 2 through High School to join their voices in celebration of the birth of Jesus.



There will be rehearsals:

December 21st from 2 to 3 pm

We will sing at the 3:30 and/or 5:30 Mass of Christmas eve and at the 9:15 Mass through the Christmas Season.

There is a song that asks "What can I give Him poor as I am?" We can give Him our time and our voices. Think about it. Come be a part of this joyful group.

For information and to join please call Emilia at
724-8820

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 Marilyn at 234-5805 or Joan at 234-1739.

The book reading schedule for the next meetings are:

Dec. 9, 2013—The Irresistible Henry House

by Lisa Grunwald—Facilitator: Carolyn DeSantis

Jan. 13, 2014—Buddha in the Attic by Julie Otsuka—

Facilitator: Aurelie Miller



THINKING ABOUT ??

BECOMING A CATHOLIC?

IS GOD CALLING YOU?

- ◆ Do you feel His tug to join us in the celebration of the Eucharist?
- ◆ Have you felt the desire to learn more about becoming a Catholic. If any of these apply to you, consider our parish RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) process. For information contact :Ann Russo, e-mail: redaa@aol.com or by phone at 543-2740 or Arlene Zuzzolo, e-mail: johnandao@gmail.com or by phone at 543-6499, or the Church Office at 234-5551.

(Not totally inclusive)

Sunday—December 15

Hospitality Sunday

2pm—Baptisms—Church

7:30pm—Bible Study—Meeting Room

Monday—December 16

9:45am—Bible Study—Meeting Room

7pm—Youth Ministry—Walden Hall/Meeting Room

Wednesday—December 17

9:30am—Advent Reflections with Sr. Pat Duffy, O.P.—Church

7pm—Advent Reflections & Vespers with Sr. Pat Duffy, O.P.—Church

Thursday—December 19

5:30pm—Children's Choir—Church

7pm—Catholics for Freedom of Religion—Meeting Rm.

7:30pm—Choir—Church

Saturday—December 21

1pm—Christmas Choir Rehearsals—Church

5pm—RCIA—Church & Meeting Room

CALENDAR CLUB 2013

HERE ARE WINNERS FROM DEC. 8-12, 2013

CONGRATULATIONS!

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|----------------|--|
| Dec. 8—Sun. | \$75 #125—Len Munzer |
| Dec. 9—Mon. | \$25 #664—Al Pankus |
| Dec. 10—Tues. | \$25 #130—James & Joan Murphy |
| Dec. 11—Wed. | \$25 #256—Curt & Joann Keely |
| Dec. 12—Thurs. | \$25 #334—Alexander Aspromgos |
| Dec. 13—Fri. | \$25 #297—Rose L. Milazzo |
| Dec. 14—Sat. | \$25 #233—St. Thomas More Church
(Gift of Walter & Lynne Brennan) |

COURTESY ANNOUNCEMENTS

(First Notice)

St. Lawrence the Martyr Church—(corner of Main St. & Handsome Ave)—**Sayville**—will conduct a series *Catholics Returning Home* on six consecutive Mondays at 7:30pm in the Church, beginning Jan. 6th. Sessions for Catholics who have left the active practice of their faith & are seeking answers about returning to the Church. Informal sharing & an update of the Catholic faith. For details call Maria Davidson 589-3160.

St. Mary Church, East Islip—Perinatal Support Group—every second Monday of the month, starting Jan. 13th, 2014: from 7:30 to 9pm for those who have suffered the loss of a baby through miscarriage, ectopic pregnancy, stillbirth or infancy. For info/registration, call 581-4266 x100. Grandparents welcome.

(Second Notice)

The Catholic Tour LLC—Pilgrimage to Rome—

Canonization of Popes John XXIII & John Paul II—April 21 & 22 to April 28 & 29 respectively. Starts at \$2899, includes airfare, hotel, most meals, tour escort, deluxe motor coach & all airline fees & taxes. Call toll free 1-877-627-4268 or e-mail jimadair@thecatholictour.com for information.

THIS WEEK AT ST. THOMAS MORE

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.

SUPPORT COLLECTION

Collection of December 8, 2013 \$8,655.00

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 CELL PHONES - We thank everyone for giving us their old cell phones. We forward them to a convent that recycles them and uses the proceeds for the poor.

A WEB SITE THAT PAYS ST. THOMAS FOR USAGE — 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. Here is how it works:

ENTER: www.GoodSearch.com

Where it states: “Who do you Good Search for?” “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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Mary Ellen Carroll - Mecarroll@optonline.net

Outreach - Stmoutreach@optonline.net

Joe Gast - gast.joe@gmail.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.

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.

CALENDAR CLUB 2014**YOUNG AT HEART**

I/We would like to join St. Thomas More's
Calendar Club for 2014.

Next Meeting: January 10, 2014 @ 1pm

Christmas Luncheon: **Tuesday, December 17, 2013**

NAME(S) _____

ADDRESS:

PHONE:()

() One Number for 25

OR

() FIVE Numbers for \$100

() I would like to give Calendar Club numbers as Gifts. I
am attaching a separate page indicating the names and
addresses of individuals who will receive gifts.

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED: \$

*(Please return form to Rectory Office or place in
Collection Basket).*

Congratulations to the following students at St.
Anthony's High School who made the Honor Roll for the
First Quarter :

Alex Aliscio	Brendan Ilnitzki
Victoria Byrnes	Breanna Johnson
Jessica Carbone	Ryan Kerwick
Victoria Cipri	Morgan Lulley
Neeve Curley	Madison Lulley
Kayla DeCristofaro	Shannon Mooney
Jennifer Falcone	Terence Mooney
Victoria Faulisi	Nicole Palmer
Emily Gallagher	Michael Perniciaro
Erica Goldman	Nicole Pikulik
Sarah Goldman	Andrew Piracha
Michael Haggerty	Rebecca Safranek
Noelle Hughes	Michael Sheehan
Nicole Hurd	William Waters
	Joseph Zappulla

Congratulations also to Jillian Borghardt of Our Lady of
Mercy Academy who exhibited academic excellence for
the First Quarter marking period. She is in Grade 10 and
achieved First Honors.

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:

Relationship to the person who is ill:

Person making the Request:

TODAY'S DATE:

(Please place in collection basket or drop off at Church Office)

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**REGISTRATION and/or
ENVELOPE REQUEST**

NAME(s):

ADDRESS:

PHONE:

E-MAIL:

- I/we would like to register in the parish.
- Please send contribution envelopes.
- I am already registered in the parish but do not receive contribution envelopes. I would like to receive them.

Other _____
(Please return in collection or return to 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"/> Rosary Altar Society | <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Cana |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Caring for Altar Plants | <input type="checkbox"/> FOCCUS |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Adult Lending Library | <input type="checkbox"/> Banner Committee |

Name::

Address:

Phone:

**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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**CATHOLIC MINISTRIES
APPEAL 2013**

OUR PARISH GOAL: \$ 65,300

PLEGGED TO DATE: \$ 50,712

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

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

Caterpillar Dealer—Holtsville & Bronx. Service Mgrs., Supervisors, Electric Power Generator Techs, Diesel/Heavy Equipment Techs. Attractive benefit package.

Christmas Tree Shop—All year customer serv. overnight associates & many depts. Also new Riverhead store.

Darby Dental—Inside sales account managers. Will train —outstanding benefit package. New openings in all depts.

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

Driver— Driver—Mon to Fri—to make deliveries in NY & L.I.—Van & Gas supplied.

Exelis—ITT— North Amityville—1. Program Director—#9957BR—Electron warfare—direct programs, negotiate contracts, manage staff—experience—US citizenship. (2) IT Specialist #8932BR—Troubleshoot & test components/devices— BS in IT or engineering. 1 yr. experience. Competitive salary—Benefits.

Geico Insurance—Sales reps, mgt trainees, claim services reps. —750 Woodbury Rd, Woodbury, NY. 9am –3pm, M-F, Open House, but apply on line first. Valid Photo ID required.

Healthcare Opportunities -

1. Good Samaritan Hospital, 631.969.8200
2. Mather Hospital, 631.476.2774
3. Brookhaven Hospital, 631.447.3708
4. Maryhaven, 631.474.4120, X212 - [Contact Maryhaven Directly](#)

Healthcare Partners IPA— Vlsimd Sfq., Nurse Care Mgrs, Marketing Sales Mgrs., Cust. Ser. Reps. Excellent Benefits.

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.

Lexus of Massapequa—New management. Exper. A plus, but will train. Great salary & benefit pkg.

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

P.C. Richards— Appliance Service Technicians to diagnose & repair full line appliances—will train, good driving record— Customer service skills—excellent benefits—van, mobile phone, uniforms supplied.

School Bus/Van Drivers—Huntington Coach-free training. Full Benefit Pkg \$21.07 Bus; \$18.30 Van.

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.

Target—Huntington—new store— Team members—Competitive salary, discounts, flexible hours.

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

Uncle Giuseppe's— Store Mgrs. Dept. Mgrs., Team members—all depts. Good Benefit Pkg.

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.