



Catholic Church Community of  
**St. Thomas More**  
115 Kings Highway

**Pastoral Staff**

Rev. Antony Asir, Pastor  
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Deacon Edward R. Vigneaux  
Deacon John S. Rapacki

**Religious Education**

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

**Parish Outreach**

Staffed by volunteers

**Music Ministry**

Emilia Savarese, Facilitator

**Youth Ministry**

Joe Gast, s.c., Youth Minister

**OUR PARISH SACRAMENTAL LIFE -  
EUCCHARIST**

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

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

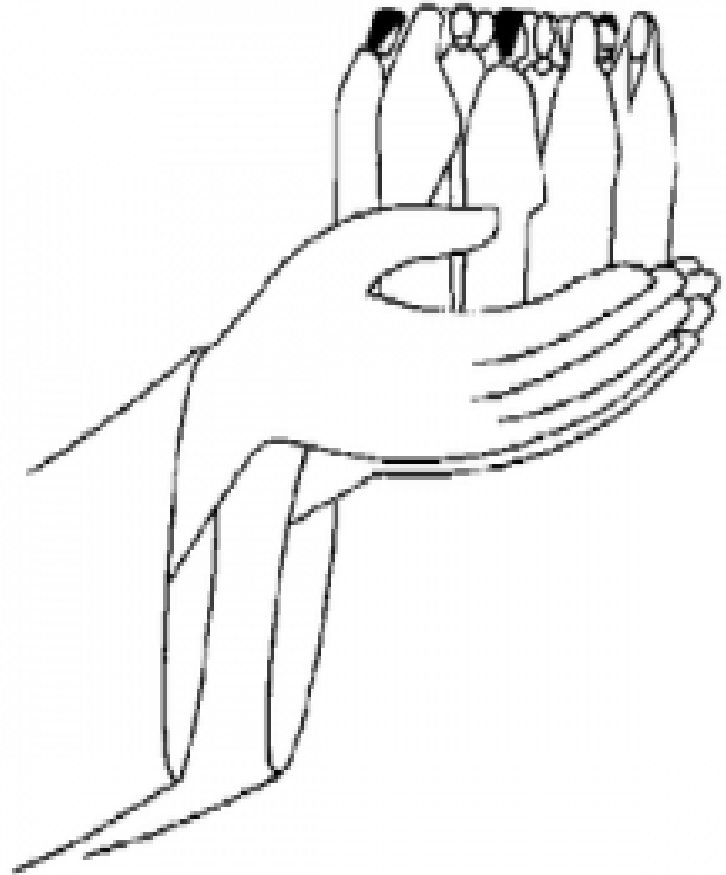
*MARRIAGE*—As soon as a couple decides to  
marry, and BEFORE making any other arrange-  
ments, call the Church Office to schedule an  
appointment with the Parish Office or one of the  
deacons.

*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.



*June 1, 2014*  
***Seventh 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*

**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

**June 1, 2014**  
**Seventh Sunday of Easter**  
**Acts of the Apostles 1:12-14**  
**Psalm 27: 1, 4, 7-8**  
**1 Peter 4:13-16**  
**John 17:1-11a**

### **Saturday—May 31**

#### ***(Anticipated Mass for Sunday)***

5pm—Manuel DaCosta *by the De Cristofaro family*

### **Sunday—June 1 —Seventh Sunday of Sunday**

8am—Herbert Minet *by Eleanor Minet*

9:15am—Frank Holmes *by Jo Ann Di Grazia*

10:45am—Rev. Paul R. Bie *by the Hug family*

12:15pm—Mario Russo, Sr. *by the Russo family*

### **Monday—June 2—St. Marcellinus and St. Peter**

9am—Cecilia Gillen *by Judy Coyle*

### **Tuesday—June 3—St. Charles Lwanga and Companions**

9am—Joseph S. Babits *by Marie Utter*

### **Wednesday— June 4**

9am—Nanette L. Trotta-Dezendorf *by Barbara Haynes  
and Joe Trotta*

### **Thursday— June 5—St. Boniface**

9am—Lisa Rosmini & Louis Giuliano *by Francine  
Rosmini*

### **Friday— June 6—St. Norbert—First Friday**

9am—Michaele & Antonia Savino *by Anna Savino*

### **Saturday—June 7**

9am—Emilia Leocadi *by Marie & Ross Bracco*

#### ***(Anticipated Mass for Sunday)***

5pm—James Ryan *by Kathy Drechsler*

### **Sunday—June 8 —Pentecost Sunday**

8am—Jack O'Donnell *by Joseph Paolillo*

9:15am—Edmund Gast *by Lynn & Jonathan Buckley &  
family*

10:45am—Jeanne & Julius Sauchelli, Julia & Louis

Fiore *by Madeline & Robert Sauchelli*

12:15pm—Kenneth Balling *by Rosemary Balling*

## Growing through the Sunday Scriptures

**June 7, 2014**  
**Pentecost Sunday**  
**Acts of the Apostles 2:1-11**  
**Psalm 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34**  
**1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13**  
**John 20:19-23**

### **A reading from the Holy Gospel according to John:**

On the evening of that first day of the week, when the doors were locked, where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you." When he had said this, he showed them his hands and his side. The disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained."

### ***Focus Questions:***

1. What do you do to know God more deeply?
2. How do you give witness to your faith today?
3. Jesus was preparing the disciples to carry his message to a hostile world. How do you carry Jesus' message to the world? What resistance do you encounter?

### ***Family and children's question***

Describe a time when you were able to accomplish something good because someone believed in you.

## **PRAY FOR THE SICK**



Charles Boston; Cathleen Buchanan;  
Fred Busse; Linda Sue Cappisillo;  
Jamie Castro-Mango; Cecelia Cellucci;  
John M. Clancy; Maria Connolly;  
Tom Devine; Robert Diehl; Sal DiSalvo;  
Thomas Duffy; John E. Dunn;

Ralph & Carmen Fedele; Lorraine Follini Mango;  
Fernando Francisco; Allie Frey; Tom Gernon;  
Felicia Grippo; Gloria Maria Harmel;  
Mary Happe; Joseph Hauk; Ann Iovino & son Anthony;  
Elaine Kleinstaubert; ; Henry Kwiecinski; Ann LoCastro;  
Jerome Lukas; Kenneth; Jean Marsala-Kieffner;  
Thurman (Buddy) Marshall; Michael McElroy;  
Patricia McElroy (for strength); Cody McGill;  
Ian McGill; Marge McGowen; Terri Ilardi McKee;  
Teri Miliano; Thomas Mooney; Victoria Nelson;  
Joseph Peter; Jason Pilgrim; Pat Porter;  
Baby Rylan Rolston; Carlos Sanchez; Connie Sbrocchi;  
Walter Seidel; Ryan Soltis; David T; Chase Turano;  
Andrew J. Valentine; Andrew M. Valentine; Janet Weil;  
Mikki Wilbert; Linda Wilkonski

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

## **PRAY FOR THE DECEASED**

Anna Sibrava; Marie Hirsch; Cathleen J. Buchanan; our deceased loved ones and our deceased servicemen and women.

## **FR. ANTONY'S LETTER**

Dear Friends,

**A man with a persistent cough went for a follow-up visit to his doctor.** “Your cough sounds better this morning” his doctor remarked.

“It should”, replied the patient, “because I’ve been practicing all night long” .

Practice of anything, good or bad, makes you perfect it. Unless we try our best to practice the best, we will easily learn to accept even the worst as a way of life.

We need an active and persistent reminder in our heart to live our life in the best practices.

**Last Thursday, the 40<sup>th</sup> day of Easter** was the feast of the Ascension of the Lord. We celebrated Jesus’ going up to heaven, to send the Holy Spirit upon us. Next Sunday we will celebrate the feast of the Holy

Spirit coming upon each one of us. Jesus sends the Holy Spirit upon His Church, that is each of us, both to remind us the best way of life and to fill us with the strength to walk in it.

**From today until next Sunday for the whole week**, let us pray ardently every day to welcome the Holy Spirit into our hearts, especially in the hearts of our children, that we may choose the best and have the courage and strength to avoid the worst. We live in a world of multiple choices. We are easily distracted to drift away from the truth, the best way of life. Let us pray to Jesus for the gift from above, of the HOLY SPIRIT.

**Next Sunday is the Solemn Feast of Pentecost**, the coming of the Holy Spirit upon us, the Church. Let us wear something **RED** to remind us and others that the Holy Spirit came down in the form of **tongues of Fire** and is the **fire of Love** in our hearts.

**June 21<sup>st</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> is our Parish Feast Weekend.** We celebrate **the Feast of our Parish Patron St.**

**Thomas More.** I cordially invite you and kindly request all of you to be enthusiastically involved in celebrating this as a spiritual and a family-social event.

**Let us make our Feast weekend a spiritual event by praying every day.** I have given two prayers below; the first one for each of us and the second one for our children.

1) Dear St. Thomas More, in your earthly life, you were a model husband and father. You were loving and faithful to both of your spouse, and a diligent provider and example of virtue for your children. Through your prayers and intercession, obtain for me the grace of a happy home, peace in my family, and the strength to persevere in chastity according to my state of life. Our Father... Hail Mary... Glory Be...

2) Dear St. Thomas More, in your earthly life, you were a model of diligence. You shunned procrastination, applied yourself with fervor to your studies, and spared no effort in achieving mastery in any skill. Through your prayers and intercession, obtain for our children the virtue of diligence and persistence in my preparations for all undertakings. Our Father... Hail Mary... Glory Be...

**To make it a family-social event**, please refer to the flyer found in this bulletin. There will be Acoustic café, Surf-up Dinner, Pancake Breakfast, and fun-filled activities for children.

**Please support our Annual Feast Weekend Raffle.**

The tickets were sent to your home and are also sold in the Narthex before and after the weekend Masses. This is one of the major fundraisers for the Parish. Try your luck to win the \$10,000

**Annual Fishing trip on Thursday, June 26<sup>th</sup>.** It is a fun day from 8:00 am to 12:00 noon with celebration of Mass on the boat. All are welcome. \$ 48 a person. Please call the rectory and reserve your place on a first come, first served basis.

**Thank you for your generous donation to our Lenten Project.** During my recent trip to India, I handed a check for the rebuilding of St. Michael's Cathedral. The amount we raised is \$10,100. Please see this week's bulletin for the letter of gratitude from the Bishop of Coimbatore and Fr. Joseph, the Parish Priest of St. Michael's.

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

<u>This Weekend</u>	<u>Next Weekend</u>
(May 31/June 1)	(June 7/8)

Saturday

5:00pm	Msgr. Boccafola	Fr. Antony
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Sunday

8:00am	Fr. Antony	Fr. John Rufus
9:15am	Fr. Racos	Fr. Antony
10:45am	Fr. Antony	Fr. Dahlke
12:15pm	Fr. Dahlke	Fr. Racos

With love and prayers,

Fr. Antony

## **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.*

### **Community Service Projects**

*How wonderful that our religious education classes are so involved in community service projects, not just in our own parish, but island-wide! What better way to instill the lessons learned about what it means to be a good Christian, than by giving to others, without thought of compensation? Bravo to our Religious Education directors, Mary Ellen Carroll and Pat Chapin, for bringing the children*

*of our parish into an awareness of the very needy world around us!*

### **Our Shelves Are Depleted!!!!**

*As our thoughts turn outward at this time of Nature's renewal, let us not forget those whose needs are real and immediate....those in need of basic food and supplies in order to preserve their dignity! Please donate what you can...we need shampoo, deodorant, toilet paper, small macaroni, soup, peanut butter, plain crackers and cookies, syrup, cereal, detergent, soap, macaroni and cheese, and anything else you can spare! Please donate what you can and bring the items to the church or to the Outreach office across the street in the Religious Education building. Thank you!!*

### **From the Town of Islip: Home Delivered Meal Program!**

*This service delivers meals, on a weekly basis, to seniors who are unable to prepare meals and have no one available to assist them. An in-home evaluation process for participation in this program is necessary. A voluntary contribution of \$2,00 /meal is suggested. For further information and/or to put your name on a waiting list, call 631-595-3510.*

### **St Vincent de Paul Conference St Thomas More SVdP Conference**

**What we do:** The St Thomas More SVdP Conference helps relieve some of the burden put on Outreach. When the demand on Outreach goes beyond food and daily necessities, Outreach calls us. We contact the client and arrange to meet with them in their home. We help by paying bills, networking, finding jobs & temporary housing, providing clothes and necessary furniture.

**What you can do:** Support the conference. *All* of all your donations are used to help those in our community ... your donations stay right here! Although we have a close relationship with Outreach and we work hand in hand, our funds are separate from Outreach and require your support.

**Donations** can be made as follows:

Checks: SVdP St. Thomas More Conference

Cash: an envelope that says SVdP. Leave at the rectory.

**Become a Vincentian.** The only requirement is to have a desire to help. Together, as a conference, we offer the many skills and resources that enable to assist those in our community.

**For more information, please call 234-3249.**

## **PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY**

David Chester	John Chester
Carl F. Greiner	Michael White
Scott Lovelock	Christopher Mustakas
Justin Schneider	William Gregory
Christopher Day	Jason Doyle
Thomas Nichols	John Karies
Kaitlyn Nachtman	John Nachtman,
Adam Papaizai	Michael Poist
Jesse Bernstein	Michael Polanski
Kyle Rathje	Ryan Smith
William R. Rathje	Ethan Bernstein
Timothy Fallon	Philip Guidone
Robert Murtha	Michael Fitzgerald



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.

### **Catholics for Freedom of Religion:**



#### **SUPREME COURT UPHOLDS PRAYER AT GOVERNMENT MEETINGS:**

A divided Supreme Court ruled 5-4 that Christian prayers said before meetings of an Upstate NY town council did not violate the constitutional prohibition against government establishment of religion. The justices cited history and tradition. ([washingtonpost.com](http://www.washingtonpost.com), 5/5/14)

“Legislative prayer has become part of our heritage and tradition, part of our expressive idiom, similar to the Pledge of Allegiance, inaugural prayer, or recitation of ‘God save the United States and this honorable Court’ at the opening of the Court’s sessions,” wrote Justice Anthony Kennedy ([christianpost.com](http://www.christianpost.com), 5/8/14)

“Opening public meetings with prayer is a cherished freedom that the authors of the Constitution themselves practiced. Speech censors should have no power to silence volunteers who pray for their communities just as the Founders did,” said senior counsel for Alliance Defending Freedom.

([washingtonpost.com](http://www.washingtonpost.com), 5/5/14)

This Supreme Court 5-4 decision involved volunteer, unpaid, rotating chaplains or laity. In 1983 the Supreme Court ruled unanimously in a

9-0 decision to uphold legislative prayers by a state-paid chaplain saying prayer is part of the nation’s fabric and not a violation of the First Amendment guarantee of religious freedom.

([bigstory.ap.org](http://bigstory.ap.org), 5/5/14)

Save the Date: Fortnight for Freedom,  
June 21-July 4

*Religious Freedom Rally*

*Sat., June 28 @ 10AM*

*St. John the Baptist HS, West Islip*

## **RESPECT LIFE NEWS**

**ADORATION BEFORE THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

**HOLY HOUR: Tuesday, June 3, 2014, 7—8 pm.**

### **PRO LIFE**

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



**St. Thomas More  
Monsignor Francis S. Midura  
Council 6062**

**BLOOD DRIVE:** Save the date for the next Drive:  
Tuesday, Sept.16, 2014.

### **NEW WEBSITE—ST. THOMAS MORE**

Did you know that St. Thomas More has a website? We've had one in various forms since 1996, but we have found that many parishioners don't always make use of it. Recently the STM Pastoral Council has been discussing social media and the Internet at length. Like most communities, we have a growing population of

persons who use several types of electronic media to stay in touch with information and keep their lives organized. In order to more effectively communicate parish information, we will be making more use of Facebook and Twitter. We have also relaunched our website with a brand new design.

We even have a much easier to remember web address now: [stmli.org](http://stmli.org) (that stands for "St. Thomas More, Long Island").

The website can be viewed not only on your computer, but on a smartphone or tablet as well. You will be able to link to our parish Facebook page and get connected to the Facebook and Twitter accounts of our Religious Education program and our Youth Program.

We will have contributed articles and postings from several areas of the parish, including some of our ministries, and will have a calendar of events covering both regular events as well as the special ones that take place during seasons such as Lent and Advent. There will be several other features added to site in the coming weeks. For now, make sure you check out the new site by going to [stmli.org](http://stmli.org) and bookmark it for future use.

## REMINDER:

### 2nd Annual Msgr. Francis S. Midura Memorial Golf Outing

Date: July 21, 2014  
Registration Starts at 11:30 AM  
Shotgun Start at 1:30 PM  
Cost: \$150—Driving range, Bar-b-que  
Lunch, Golf, Dinner and 2 hr. Open Bar.  
Giveaways, Raffles, and Sports Memorabilia Silent Auction.  
Foursome reservations and Sponsorship forms will be available early May.

**SAVE THE DATE !!!**



## MINISTRY MATTERS

### STEWARDSHIP AT ST THOMAS MORE

#### Is it a "JOB" or a "MINISTRY?"

**Some people have a job in the Church.  
Others involve themselves in Ministry –  
What is the difference?**

If you do it just because no one else will, it's a job

**If you do it to serve God, it's a Ministry –**  
If you'll do it only so long as it doesn't interfere with other things, it's a job

**If you're committed to staying with it,  
even when it means**

**letting other things go, it's a Ministry**  
If you quit because someone criticized you, it was a job

**If you keep on serving, it's a Ministry**  
If you quit because no one ever praised or thanked you, it was a job

**If you stay, even though no one notices  
your efforts, it's a Ministry**

If you do it because someone else said it needs to be done, it's a job

**If you do it because you think it needs to  
be done, it's a Ministry**

It's hard to get excited about a job

**It's almost impossible not to get excited  
about a Ministry –**

A church may be filled with people doing a job....

**A great and caring church is filled with  
people committed to a Ministry!**

*Thank You All for All You Do!*

## Vacation Bible School

The Parish of the Holy Cross will be holding Vacation Bible School for all children entering Kindergarten through grade 5. VBS will be held from Monday, July 7 through Friday, July 11 at Holy Cross from 10 am to 1 pm. Cost: \$60. for 1 camper, \$100. for 2campers, \$140. for 3 or more from the same family.

Registration forms can be found at [www.pothc88.org](http://www.pothc88.org) (just click on "forms" and find the VBS camper registration form to print.) Or please feel free to stop by Holy Cross Parish at 95 Old Nichols Road, Nesconset. For more information, please call [631-265-2200](tel:631-265-2200) ext. 11 or 12.



## 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:  
**June 9, 2014—Beautiful Ruins** by Jess Walter—Facilitator: Barbara Trimarco

The Circle of Women will not meet during July and August. The next meeting will be on  
**Sept. 8, 2014—Ten Things I've Learnt About Love** by Sarah Butler—Facilitator—Diane Crean

## YOUNG AT HEART

The next meeting will be on Friday, June 13 at 1 pm in Walden Hall.

### Picnic

All YAH members who want to come to our Annual Picnic on Wednesday, June 18th, please call Angela at 724-1743. Cost is \$16 per person.

## CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL 2014

<b>Our Parish Goal</b>	<b>\$68,200</b>
<b>Pledges to date</b>	<b>\$46,190</b>
<b>Percentage of Goal</b>	<b>67.73%</b>

## BANNS OF MARRIAGE

(Third Notice)

Michael Hasselmann  
and  
Carolyn Schoepe of  
St. Thomas More, Hauppauge

## THE DIOCESAN CHOIR OF ROCKVILLE CENTER PRESENTS

A Spectacular Evening of Dinner and Comedy  
Friday June 20 at 7:00 PM  
St. Agnes Parish Center  
\$50 per person - Please contact Toni @  
[516.551.4711](tel:516.551.4711) for  
tickets and information

## CALENDAR CLUB 2014

Here are the winners: May 18 to 24, 2014

## CONGRATULATIONS !

May 25—Sun.	\$50 #531—Pat & Ed Porter
May 26—Mon.	\$25 # 84—Laurie Aurrechione
May 27—Tues.	\$25 #735—Ruthann McDonald
May 28—Wed.	\$25 #496—Marti & John White
May 29—Thurs.	\$75 #700—Rosalind Warmuth
<b>(Ascension Thursday)</b>	
May 30—Fri.	\$25 #911—Marie & Ross Bracco
May 31—Sat.	\$25 #966—Tom & Cathy McDermott

## SUPPORT COLLECTION

Collection of      May 25, 2014      \$6,306.00

**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](http://www.FaithDirect.net) to sign up: our church code is NY227. You may also use the form located where you obtain the bulletin. We thank you for your 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.

### **THIS WEEK AT ST. THOMAS MORE**

*(Not totally inclusive)*

#### **Sunday—June 1**

Second Collection for Religious Retirement at all Masses.

#### **Monday—June 2**

7pm—Golf Outing Committee Meeting—Rectory

7pm—Youth Ministry—Walden Hall/Meeting Room

#### **Tuesday—June 3**

7pm—Holy Hour of Adoration

#### **Wednesday—June 4**

7:30pm—Knights of Columbus—Walden Hall

#### **Thursday—June 5**

5:30pm—Children's Choir—Church

7pm—Healing our Hearts—Religious Ed. Center

7:30pm—Choir—Church

## **E-MAIL & ADDRESSES**

Rectory –rectory@stmli.org

Youth Ministry Website—www.stthomasmoreyouth.org

Pat Chapin - Pchapin@optonline.net

Mary Ellen Carroll - Mecarroll@optonline.net

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Joe Gast - gast.joe@gmail.com

Fr. Dahlke - RWDahlke@Jesuits.net

Deacon John Rapacki— deaconjohn@stmli.org

Altar Servers Ministry- altarservers@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](mailto:gast.joe@gmail.com) or check out the Young Ministry website at [www.stthomasmoreyouth.org](http://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](mailto:parents@holyfamilyregional.com) to schedule a tour of this parish's regional school, or visit the School website at [www.holyfamilyregional.com](http://www.holyfamilyregional.com).

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## **PRAYING FOR THE SICK**

### **— Adding a name Request —**

PLEASE ADD THE FOLLOWING TO THE PARISH LISTING OF THOSE WHO ARE ILL:

**Name of person(s) who is (are) ill:**

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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### **OR WANT TO SHARE YOUR TALENTS?**

Please complete the following form:

I would like to volunteer in the following parish ministry:



## 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:

## 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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## COURTESY ANNOUNCEMENTS

*(First Notice)*

**St. Sylvester's Social & Dance**—featuring Live “Savoy Swing Band”—Saturday, June 14, 2014 from 7 to 10pm at the Parish Center, 68 Ohio Ave., Medford, NY 11763. Admission \$10pp which includes snacks & beverages. Visit [www.goodolddanceband.com](http://www.goodolddanceband.com) or call (631) 730-3333.

*(Second Notice)*

**Catholic Charities Chemical Dependence Services**—*shedding light on the drug epidemic that is permeating Long Island youth culture*—Thursday, May 29 at 7 pm—155 Indian Head Rd., Commack, NY 11725. Seating is limited. RVSP your attendance to Adrienne Elliot, CASAC at 631-543-6022, ext. 320 or email [Eliot.Adrienne@CatholicCharities.cc](mailto:Eliot.Adrienne@CatholicCharities.cc)

**Molloy College—Ancient Irish Genealogy Seminar**—Tuesday evenings from 7 to 9 pm for 8 weeks from June 3 to July 22, 2014. Registration is open to all but limited to 19 participants on a first-come, first-serve basis. Tuition \$240. For details, see <http://www.irishtribes.com/molloy.html>. To register for this seminar contact Catherine Tully Muscente at (516) 323-4710, or [cmuscente@molloy.edu](mailto:cmuscente@molloy.edu)

**Sisters of St. Joseph—St. Joseph Renewal Center**—1725 Brentwood Rd., Brentwood—Wed., June 4—1 to 2:30pm “Living with Alzheimers and Dementia”—\*Free Will Offering. Wed., June 4—10 am to 12noon—Morning of Reflection “Laughter with Jesus”—Offering \$15. Wed., June 4—7 to 8pm—Therapeutic/Guided Meditation/ Offering \$15 (\$20 Individual Session by appointment). Tues., June 10—10 am to 12noon. Women’s Spiritual Gathering. Offering \$15.

Wed., June 11 (2nd Wed.)—Evening Session 7:30 to 9:30 pm Or June 18—Morning Session 10 am to 12noon “Deepening your Spiritual Practice through the use of Focusing” Offering \$15 per session.

Sat., June 14 8 to 9:30 am—Men’s Spiritual Gathering. Offering \$20 includes breakfast.

Sat. June 29—2 to 4 pm—1th Step Prayer—A Journey to Spiritual Wellness. Offering: Free will  
Call for reservations at 631-273-1187 x 123.

**(Faith & Light Meeting**—Friday, June 6 at 7pm—Parish of the Holy Cross, 95 Old Nichols Rd., Nesconset. (Faith & Light is an international faith sharing organization for people with developmental challenges, their families and caregivers).

**Catholic Cruise to the Caribbean**—7- night cruise with Father Donald Eder Nov. 29th to Dec. 6th, 2014 on Norwegian Cruise Line’s Getaway out of Miami, Florida. Ports of Call: Philipsburg, St. Maarten; St. Thomas, US VI; Nassau, Bahamas, and back to Miami, Florida. Prices begin at \$1490 for 2 passengers—includes all port fees & taxes. Deposit of \$250 will reserve your cabin. Space limited. For further info or to register, contact Doug or Eileen at 860-399-1785 or e-mail [Doug@CatholicCruisesandTours.com](mailto:Doug@CatholicCruisesandTours.com)

# St. Michael's Cathedral

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30 April 2014

Dear Rev. Asir Antony & St. Thomas More Parish Community,

I am Fr. Maria Joseph, the Parish Priest of St. Michael's Cathedral. Coimbatore is pleased to send this letter in the name of the Bishop of the diocese of Coimbatore and the lay faithful of the diocese and St. Michael's Cathedral Parish in particular. We gratefully acknowledge with thanks the generous gift of \$ 10000.00 drawn in favor of St. Michael's Cathedral Building Fund towards Rebuilding the Cathedral in the diocese of Coimbatore.

May 12 2013 was the day when the foundation stone was laid and it is almost a year since we started Rebuilding the Cathedral and the response of the people are obvious as they pray for its successful completion and contribute their mite towards the construction.

Your generous gift has enabled the parishioners of St. Michael's Cathedral to feel proud, as they consider your gift as a sign and symbol of universal expression of Catholic faith. We gratefully acknowledge the gift and appreciate all of you and especially the team that has put together their heart and soul, to make the Lenten campaign a successful one. We owe much of our gratitude to your pastor Rev. Asir Antony who was the heart behind this noble initiative.

Looking forward to hear from you and once again assuring you of our prayers and gratefully acknowledging your generous gift towards Rebuilding the Cathedral in the diocese of Coimbatore.

Yours sincerely in the Risen lord

Fr. Maria Joseph      Bishop Thomas Aquinas  
Parish Priest          Bishop of Coimbatore

## 2nd ANNUAL MSGR. FRANK MIDURA MEMORIAL FISHING TRIP

THURSDAY, JUNE 26, 2014

AT 8:00 AM

DIXIE II OUT OF CAPTREE

HALF DAY—LIGHT SNACK

\$48.00 PER PERSON

(Checks payable to St. Thomas More)



Name(s)

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*(Please mail your check with this form to the  
Rectory Office no later than*

**Sunday, June 22, 2014).**

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## St. Thomas More Employment Services

\*Are you presently unemployed and looking for a part-time or full-time job? \* Do you have or know of any job openings? If so, call our Employment Services Office, 234.4629 and leave a message for Mae Devine or call Mae on Monday mornings. Calls are kept in strict confidence.

### POSITIONS AVAILABLE

**Bethpage Credit Union** - Mgrs, Loan Officers, Sales Mgrs., Head teller & P/T tellers.

**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.

**Drivers for Charters**—and Field Trips. PT—2 or 3 days a week a.m. or p.m. Top dollar salaries.

**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](#)

**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.

**L.I. Agency**—FT/PT to work with autism population—HS or GEC—valid NYS drivers license— good benefits.

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

**North Shore Farms—Commack**—New upscale supermarket now hiring for all depts. and times.

**P.C. Richards**— Now hiring audio installers , car alarms, remote start & more. Excellent Benefits.

Customer service skills—excellent benefits—van, mobile phone, uniforms supplied.

### **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.

**Stony Brook Nurse Manager**—1) Surgical Intensive Care Unit; 2) Surgical Stgep-Down S.C. Fire Fighters Burn Center; 3) Medical Intensive Care Unit; 4) S.B. Children's Hospital. Call Outreach for details.

**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.