

Pastoral Staff Rev. Antony Asir, Pastor Rev. Robert Dahlke, SJ, Weekend Priest Deacon Robert D. Weisz

Deacon Edward R. Vigneaux Deacon John S. Rapacki Religious Education

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

Parish Outreach Staffed by volunteers

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 arrangements, call the Church Office to schedule an appointment with the Parish Office or one of the deacons.

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

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

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

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

Catholic Church Community of St. Thomas More

115 Kings Highway Hauppauge, NY 11788-4221



August 10, 2014 Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

Telephones:

Rectory-	234-5551	FA
Religious Ed-	234-0397	FA
Outreach—	234-3149	FA
Church Lobby-	348-9378	

phones: FAX 234-6412 FAX 234-1199 FAX 234-1199

Masses for this coming week

August 10, 2014 Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 1 Kings 19:9a, 11-13a Psalm 85:9, 10, 11-12. 13-14 **Romans 9: 1-5** Matthew 14:22-23

Saturday—August 9

(Anticipated Mass for Sunday) 5pm—Terry Pankus *by Al Pankus* Sunday—August 10—Nineteenth Sunday in **Ordinary Time** 8am—Patricia Welsh by Joe & Linda Lamberta 9:15am—Sharon Bannon by the DeChristofaro family 10:45am—Grace Rose Palladino by Young At Heart 12:15pm—Roman Geyda by Susan & Artie Kascsak & family Monday—August 11—St. Clare 9am—Marin J. Lamia by Joe & Betty Ann Codispoti Tuesday—August 12—St. Jane Frances de Chantal 9am—Living & Deceased of the Potuzak family by Charles Potuzak Wednesday— August 13—Saints Pontian and Hippolytus 9am—Ann Marie Winning by Barbara Zembrzycki Thursday— August 14—St. Maximillian Kolbe 9am—Frank Pankus by Al Pankus Vigil Mass 7pm—Cathleen Buchanan by the Buchanan familv Friday— August 15—The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary 9am—Susan Gaffney by Bob & Barbara Plansker 7pm—Sandra Kowalski by Kenneth Kowalski Saturday—August 16—St. Stephen of Hungary 9am—Agnes Nagel by Bernard Nagel (Anticipated Mass for Sunday) 5pm—Emilia Leocadi by Marie Madden Sunday—August 17—Twentieth Sunday in **Ordinary** Time 8am—Patricia Welsh by Howard & Nicole Tuchman 9:15am—Edward Borowski by Ken & Judy Granville; Frank Ellis by the McColgan family; Jo-Ann Fannon by Dcn. Ed & Laura Vigneaux; Marin J. Lamia by the *McColgan family and by Alice & Charles Longwell;* Anna Miqueli by Judy Coyle; Al Quis by Melissa Gowell; Michael Salmon by the McColgan family; James Thompson by Patricia Surico; Eileen Tobin by S & T Balsamo 10:45am—Gloria Conover by your friends at Young At Heart

12:15pm—Judith Pannone by Josephine Cameron

Growing through the Sunday Scriptures

August 17, 2014 **Twientieth Sunday in Ordinary Time** Isaiah 56:1, 6-7 Psalm 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 Romans 11:13-15, 29-32 Matthew 15:21-28

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Matthew: At that time, Jesus withdrew to the region of Tyre and Sidon. And behold, a Canaanite woman of that district came and called out, "Have pity on me, Lord, Son of David! My daughter is tormented by a demon." But Jesus did not say a word in answer to her. Jesus' disciples came and asked him, "Send her away, for she keeps calling out after us." He said in reply. "I was sent only to the lost sheep of the house of Israel." But the woman came and did Jesus homage, saying, "Lord, help me." He said in reply, "It is not right to take the food of the children and throw it to the dogs." She said, "Please, Lord, for even the dogs eat the scraps that fall from the table of their masters." Then Jesus said to her in reply, "O woman, great is your faith! Let it be done for you as you wish." And the woman's daughter was healed from that hour. **Focus Questions:** 1. Describe a time when someone's faith surprised you. 2. Recall a time when you learned a lesson from someone who was from a different culture. 3. Relate an experience when your persistence had positive results in a way you did not expect.

Family and children's question

Relate a time when you felt you were not listened to. How did you react?

PRAY FOR THE SICK



James & Rita Basile; Charles Boston; Cathleen Buchanan; Lauren Elizabeth Burke; Fred Busse; Thomas Buttles; 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; Gregory Firpo; Sean Fitzpatrick; Lorraine Follini Mango; Domingo & Fernando Francisco; Allie Frey; Tom Gernon; Nichole Granville; Felicia Grippo; Gloria Maria Harmel; Mary Happe; Joseph Hauk; Ann Iovino & son Anthony; Irene Janis; Jeff Kennedy; Elaine Kleinstauber; Ann LoCastro; Lauren Lossani; Jerome Lukas; Kenneth; Jean Marsala-Kieffner; Laura Manoussos; Thurman (Buddy) Marshall; Mark Martine; Michael McElroy; Patricia McElroy (for strength); Cody McGill; Ian McGill; Marge McGowen; Terri Ilardi McKee; Teri Miliano; Stella Minecci; Danielle Mollica; Thomas Mooney; Victoria Nelson; Christine Owen; Joe P; Joseph Peter; Jason Pilgrim; Pat Porter; Baby Rylan Rolston; Carlos Sanchez; Autilia Santoro; Connie Sbrocchi; Walter Seidel; Ryan Soltis; Thomas Stahura; David T; Chase Turano; Andrew J. Valentine; Andrew M. Valentine; Ellen Vinson; Louise Vitiello; Mikki Wilbert; Linda Wilkonski; Rocco Zappia.

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. <u>This listing will expire on September 30, 2014</u>. Please resubmit any names you wish to have continued.)

PRAY FOR THE DECEASED

Katherine Drechsler; Robert J. Holden; Gloria Kreider; our deceased loved ones and our deceased servicemen and women.

FR. ANTONY'S LETTER

Dear Friends,

Question: How many doctors does it take to screw in a light bulb?

Answer: It depends on whether or not the bulb has health insurance.

Insurance guarantees both the patients and the doctors - patients to receive treatment and doctors to get their fee. But in real life nothing is guaranteed. We live our day-to-day life largely in faith and hope in people and events. We can only expect, not demand, people to continue in good relationship; we can only look forward, not command, the events of life to be favorable to us. Life is more an act of believing people and hoping to shape events to become better.

Today's Gospel is the story of Peter's walking on the water like Jesus. If we read the passage closely we find that at the command of Jesus, Peter gets the power to walk on water. But as soon as he felt the force of the wind he took fright and began to sink. Jesus saves the sinking Peter saying, "Man of little faith, why did you doubt?" The ability to walk on water is not simply getting the power but believing in the person Jesus who is with you. Jesus is not merely a power giving battery but a believable companion who is always by your side. Life is not merely what you do with the power of Jesus but a faith based relationship with Jesus. Life is not what you can do with your power but what you develop as a relationship with others by believing others. You are invited to St. Thomas More Beach Mass and Picnic. Please remember to mark your calendar-- September 14th — the date at Otto Schubert Beach, Nissequogue, starting with Mass at noon. Picnic follows the mass with burgers, hot dogs, chips, beverages. Please fill the Response Form found in the bulletin and be a part of our parish celebration at the beach.

To help us prepare enough food please include a check for \$5 per person with your response. Your check will be returned to you at the picnic. Families with last names A-K, please bring dessert. Families with last names L-Z, please bring a relish tray or salad (no mayonnaise please). Volunteers are needed. See the signup sheets in the Church Lobby or call Pam 265 3060.

Catholic Ministries Appeal 2014: Our Parish's assessment this year is \$68,200. So far we have reached the pledged total of \$48,140, which is 70.59% of our goal. Last Year we attained 100% of our Catholic Ministries Appeal Goal and got close to \$13,000 in rebate. When we give we also get our share in rebate. Please consider making your pledge. Let us make our goal.

If you did not receive a letter from the CMA office please use the cut out in the bulletin and make a pledge. You can drop it in the collection plate in an envelope marked 'CMA' and we will process it for you. We thank you for your generous support. **OUR PRIEST CELEBRANTS** (*Subject to last minute changes*)

This WeekendNext Weekend(August 9/10)(August 16/17)	
Saturday	
5:00 Msgr. Boccafola Fr. Antony	
<u>Sunday</u>	
8:00am Fr. Antony Fr. John Rufu	S
9:15am Fr. Antony Fr. Racos	
10:45am Fr. John Rufus Msgr. Boccafe	ola
12:15pm Fr. Racos Fr. Antony	

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.

Summer's Over – School Supplies Needed!!!

Just kidding – summer is NOT over, yet we are gearing up for our annual SCHOOL SUPPLY FESTIVAL _ Hooray!!!!!!! Every year, at about this time, we tell you that we have a Back-To-

School Assistance Program for our families in need; and this year is no different. The most needed items are: 3-subject notebooks Loose Leaf Binders (1-1/2 and 2-inch) Looseleaf paper Backpacks Folders, pens, markers, pencils, crayons

We also provide a \$25.00 Target gift card for each child in the family to help defray the cost of clothing, shoes, etc. If you can help with any of these items, please drop them off at Outreach any time from 10-2:00. Thank you SO MUCH!!! We are beginning our distribution on August 25th, so we have one month for collection of supplies!!!

And did you hear.....When a clock is hungry it goes back 4 seconds...

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:

<u>Checks</u>: SVdP St. Thomas More Conference <u>Cash</u>: 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.

Save the date - September 20th, 2014 -Family Movie Night sponsored by St. Vincent de Paul. Featuring: MR. POPPERS PENGUINS

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

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

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"

Catholics for Freedom of Religion:

"There are more Christian martyrs today than in the early days of Christianity." Pope Francis

Because of the violent persecution and religious cleansing of Chaldean Catholics in Mosul, Iraq, a Chaldean Catholic bishop in the U.S. has said, "we wish to scream, but there are no ears that wish to hear. ... We want the U.S. to weep with us, but it is not paying attention."

Chaldeans are the indigenous people of Iraq who speak a form of Aramaic, the language spoken by Jesus Christ. Chaldeans are Eastern Rite Catholic, led by the Patriarch of Babylon and affiliated with the Roman Catholic Church. They mainly resided in Northern Iraq in villages dating back to before Christ.

Religious leaders denounce the current violence and forced Christian exodus, with Pope Francis saying the Christians being persecuted in the Middle Eastern country will be the subject of his "constant prayers." Let us join Pope Francis in prayer and spread the awareness of the suffering of these fellow Christians. <u>http://bit.ly/1kh8UXp</u> <u>http://bit.ly/1uZJ5Qf</u>

RESPECT LIFE NEWS

ADORATION BEFORE THE BLESSED SACRAMENT HOLY HOUR: Tuesday, September 2, 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.

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 re-launched our website with a brand new design.

We even have a much easier to remember web address now: <u>stmli.org</u> (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 <u>stmli.org</u> and bookmark it for future use.

YOUNG AT HEART

The **next meeting** will be on **Friday**, **August 22nd** at 1 pm in Walden Hall.

YOUNG AT HEART DINNER CRUISE



On August 15th we are having our 5th ANNUAL DINNER CRUISE on the Paddleboat Lauren Kristy out of Bayshore. We are limited to 50-55 persons, so

reservations are required. The cost is \$50 per person. (A special price as we take over the whole boat) The cruise includes a steak dinner, appetizer hour, desserts and a DJ for music and dancing. Call Bob at 686-5272 for reservations or any information.

Save The Date

September 26, 2014 Young At Heart For the Broadway Café .



Wine, soda, water, cheese & crackers and much, much more.

SUPPORT COLLECTION

Collection of

August 3, 2014 \$8,290.05



LOVE TO SING WE NEED YOU!

Why not consider auditioning for a volunteer position as Leader of Song— We are in need of adult cantors to help in leading the parish in song at weekend and holy day Masses.

Please contact Emilia Savarese—724-8820 for additional information.



St. Thomas More Monsignor Francis S. Midura Council 6062

Blood Drive: Save the date for the next blood drive: September 16, 2014.

Look for the next K of C Korner in late August. Enjoy your summer!



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 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

CALENDAR CLUB 2014 Here are the winners: August 3-9, 2014

CONGRATULATIONS !

Aug. 3—Sun. \$50 #421—Dolores & Ken Fensterer
Aug. 4—Mon. \$25 # 72—Dolores & George Nerlino
Aug. 5—Tues. \$25 #912—Arthur & Kathryn Ultsh
Aug. 6—Wed. \$25 #436—Joe Carraba
Aug. 7—Thurs. \$25 #866—Marie & Ross Bracco
Aug. 8—Fri. \$25 #464—Carol & Bill Link
Aug. 9—Sat. \$25 #382—Christine Noschese

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 <u>www.FaithDirect.net</u> 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.

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



BEACH MASS

Please save the date for the Beach Mass— SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2014 AT NOON. Picnic after Mass. Please refer to the flyer in this Bulletin for more details and to sign-up.

COURTESY ANNOUNCEMENTS

(First Notice)

Catholic Health Services —Would you like to learn to become a **Spiritual Care Companion** sharing your time and presence for those hospitalized, living in nursing homes, homebound or adults with special needs? **CHS** offers a free sixweek training for volunteers of all faiths, which includes communication skills, concerns of the sick, spiritual companioning, and how to care for the caregiver.

Information Session: Wednesday, Sept. 17th , 1:30pm to 3:30pm—Good Shepherd Hospice, 110 Bi-County Blvd., Farmingdale, NY 11735 Trainings: Wednesday, Oct. 8, 15, 22, 29, and Nov. 5 & 12, from 1:30-4:30pm.

To Register: Please contact Carol Cella at (631) 465-6307, or Jo-Andrew at (631) 465-6308.

St. Catherine of Siena Medical Center Community Outreach Program—special talk "Breast Cancer Health and Prevention and the Benefits of Breastfeeding"—Tuesday, August 19 at 1pm, Siena Village Community Center, 2000 Bishops Road, Smithtown. Lecture open to women of all ages. Encourage your moms, daughters & friends to attend. For more information and to register, please call 631-870-3444. *(Second Notice)*

St. John the Baptist DHS—Prep Course to prepare students for the Catholic High School Entrance Exam. Five 2-1/2 hour sessions beginning in September. For additional information please visit www.stjohnthebaptistdhs.net or call 631-587-8000 ext. 117.

Catholic Cruise to the Caribbean—7-night from Nov. 23 to 30th with Fr. Charles Sabella on Holland America Eurodam out of Ft. Lauderdale (Florida). Prices begin at \$2042 for two which includes all port fees & taxes. Daily Mass. Deposit of \$600 p.p. to reserve cabin space. For more info or to register, contact Doug or Eileen at 860-399-1785 or

Doug@CatholicCruises andTours.com St. Frances de Chantal School—1309 Wantagh Ave., Wantagh—Widowed, Divorced & Single Catholics of Long Island—Meeting August 26, 2014 @ 8pm. Non-Denominational—All are welcome. Please bring proof of single status to join. Refreshments after meeting. For further information please call Carol 516-794-4933 or Eileen 516-661-4353. Entrance Exam. Five 2-1/2 hour sessions beginning in September. For additional information please visit www.stjohnthebaptistdhs.net or call 631-587-8000 ext. 117.

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EMs and Lectors NEEDED!

St Catherine's Nursing & Rehabilitation Center needs Eucharistic Ministers and Lectors to support Celebration of the Eucharist on Sunday mornings. Coverage for communion is also extended to the bed ridden residents .Commitment is from 9:00 AM to 11:30 AM on whatever basis volunteers can do.

Please contact Fr. Fred Hill at 631-862-3000 and ask for Pastoral Care, or call Heather Reynolds, Coordinator for Volunteers at 631-862-3959.

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)

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:

- () Altar Server
 () Usher
 () RCIA
 () Lector
 () Consolation Minister
 () Rosary Altar Society
 () Caring for Altar Plants
- () Landscaping/Planting() Pre-Cana

() Liturgy with Children

() Eucharistic Minister

() Hospitality

() Greeter

- () FOCCUS
- ()Adult Lending Library () 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)

BANNS OF MARRIAGE

Morgan Cassara and Elisa DiStefano (First Notice) Kevin Stimpfl & Andrea Cavaliere (Second Notice)

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL 2014

Our Parish Goal\$68,200Pledges to date\$48,140

Percentage of Goal

70.59%

2ND ANNUAL MGSR. FRANCIS S. MIDURA/ ST. THOMAS MORE PARISH MEMORIAL GOLF OUTING-FINAL REPORT

The outing was held on a picture perfect day — July 21, 2014 at the Rock Hill Golf Course in Manorville. By every measure this outing was an overwhelming success. Nearly 135 golfers participated and 145 dinners were served. There was only positive feedback from many of the intrepid golfers who participated at this new venue. While financials are still being finalized, indications are that it will be among the best intake of income to the Parish. We had about 100 prizes, raffles, and gift certificates that were given away including our GRAND PRIZE of \$1000. Hauppauge & STM's own Mike Jacobs PGA resident pro at RHGC and his staff did an excellent job in keeping us all very happy with the day's events and the course conditions. Rock Hill's catering staff put on a wonderful BBO lunch and an even better dinner. THANK YOU ALL! An event such as this is not possible without a dedicated committee of volunteers. Work on the 2014 Midura Memorial started in the cold rotten days of late February and ended with a perfect July afternoon (thanks to Fr. Antony's prayers). The folks who gave up many Tuesday evenings and beyond include: Jo Ann & Bill Evring, Judy Granville, Rosalie Rocchio, Justin Monsees, Ed Rogan Jr., Steve Gabrielli, Deacons Bob & Ed, and past Committee Chairs Paul Kanishuk & Dollie Puglisi. I would also like thank our Volunteers from YAM & the K of C for their time and effort on the day of the Outing. THANK YOU ALL!

All of our sponsors at every level are generous and supportive in our event. This year we had many new inputs added to our base of sponsors and prize donors. THANK YOU ALL!

Thank all of you that participated in our raffle and reverse 50/50 --your generosity helped make the Outing a success. THANK YOU ALL!

The real payoff is the joy, fun, community building and fellowship of the folks who attended the Outing. My personal payoff was the pride that was evident in grandparents for their 14-year old grandson in joining them for a "day on the greens". In summary, if you are a golfer and did not attend, you missed a great time! NEXT YEAR - we will be moving the outing to mid September at Rock Hill—MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

Respectfully Submitted: Al Weidig, FSM/STM Golf Outing Committee

E-MAIL & ADDRESSES

Rectory –rectory@stmli.org Youth Ministry Website—www.stthomasmoreyouth.org Pat Chapin - Pchapin@optonline.net Mary Ellen Carroll - Mecarroll@optonline.net Outreach - Stmoutreach@optonline.net Joe Gast - gast.joe@gmail.com 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

Religious Education Registration

Registration for children entering Level 1 Communion (1st grade) and for families new to the area will be held on **Wednesday**, **August 27th at 7pm in the Parish Center**. Please bring your child's original Baptismal Certificate. Tuition is \$140 for 1 child, \$175 for 2 children & \$210 for 3 or more children in the program. We now accept credit & debit cards. If the tuition is a hardship for your family, please call us at 234-0397 to make other payment arrangements.

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.

<u>Cablevision</u> - Understand state of the Art Digital Video - PC skills - outstanding benefits.

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

Drivers for School Years & Charters—and Field Trips. PT—2 or 3 days a week a.m. or p.m. Top dollar salaries. Also looking for Bus drivers \$21.57 per hr. and Van Drivers \$18.83; full benefits, free training, paid while training.

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.

Fairway-Lake Grove-new supermarket. 400 new jobs.

<u>Geico Insurance</u>—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, communication skills—paid training, excellent health benefits, bonus and advancement.

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

<u>Newsday</u>—Collators.\$10.73 per hr.Afternoon & evening shifts-must be able to work thru calendar year. HS diploma– 18 yrs.or older 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. <u>Nursing Home</u>—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.

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.