



Catholic Church Community of St. Thomas More

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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 - EUCCHARIST

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

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

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

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

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

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

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



November 2, 2014

The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls' Day)

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

November 2, 2014

**The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed
(All Souls' Day)**
Wisdom 3:1-9
Psalm 23:-1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6
Romans 5:5-11

Saturday—October 25

(Anticipated Mass for Sunday)

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5pm—Vincenzo Paniccia *by the Sanfratello family*

Sunday—November 2—All Souls' Day

8am—All Souls Novena

9:15am—All Souls Novena

10:45am—All Souls Novena

12:15pm—All Souls Novena

Monday—November 3—St. Martin de Porres

9am—All Souls Novena

Tuesday—November 4—St. Charles Borromeo

9am—All Souls Novena

Wednesday—November 5

9am—All Souls Novena

Thursday—November 6

9am—All Souls Novena

Friday—November 7—First Friday

9am—All Souls Novena

Saturday—November 8—First Saturday

9am—Carmela Grace Hufnagel *by the Martinez family*

(Anticipated Mass for Sunday)

5pm—Mickelson & Williams Families *by Barbara
Mickelson*

**Sunday—November 9—The Dedication of the
Lateran Basilica—Stewardship Sunday**

8am—Leonard & Ann Gallo *by the Wieland family*

9:15am—Robert Rosmini *by Francine Rosmini*

10:45am—Emilia Leocadi *by Lou & Emilia Savarese*

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

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Rita Basile; Charles Boston; Parker Broderick;

Baby Luke Brodersen; Fred Busse;

Linda Sue Cappisillo; Jamie Castro-Mango;

Dennis Chase; Debra Deveney; Tom Devine;

Thomas Duffy; Raphael Fedele; Nadine Follini;

Rose Fuls; Tom Gernon; Debbie Harabedian;

Theresa (Terri) Hillerbrand;

Casano A.S. Holmes; Terri Ilardi; Ann Iovino

& son Anthony; Irene Janis; Stephanie Kane; Kenneth;



Growing through the Sunday Scriptures

November 9, 2014

The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica
Ezekiel 47:1-2, 8-9, 12
Psalm 46:-2-3, 5-6, 8-9
1 Corinthians 3:9c-11, 16-17
John 2:13-22

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

Since the Passover of the Jews was near, Jesus went up to Jerusalem. He found in the temple area those who sold oxen, sheep, and doves, as well as the money-changers seated there. He made a whip out of cords and drove them all out of the temple area, with the sheep and oxen, and spilled the coins of the money-changers and overturned their tables, and to those who sold doves he said, "Take these out of here, and stop making my Father's house a marketplace."

His disciples recalled the words of Scripture, *Zeal for your house will consume me.*

At this the Jews answered and said to him, "What sign can you show us for doing this?"

Jesus answered and said to them,

"Destroy this temple and in three days I will raise it up."

The Jews said,

"This temple has been under construction for forty-six years, and you will raise it up in three days?"

But he was speaking about the temple of his Body.

Therefore, when he was raised from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this, and they came to believe the Scripture

Focus Questions:

1. What are the ways you help build up your parish?
2. How active are you in concern for the universal church?
3. Describe a time when you became so angered with injustice that you acted out.

Family and children's question

How do you show reverence in church?

Elaine Kleinstauber; Morgan Leary (age 6);
Lauren Lossani; Lorraine Mango-Follini;
Jean Marsala-Kieffner; Thurman (Buddy) Marshall;
Terrence Martin; Michael McElroy; Patricia McElroy (for
strength); Stella Minneci; Kathleen Moccia;
Victoria Nelson; Irene O'Leary; Joan O'boyle; Joe P;
Mary Ann Peet; Joseph Peter; Joseph Placa; Sally Rolfe;
Baby Ryan Rolston; Carlos Sanchez; Ted Stahura;
Thomas Stahura; Oscar Steadman; Elven Tangel;
Chase Turano; Andrew J. Valentine;

Andrew M. Valentine; Ellenjane Vinson
*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 29, 2015.** Please resubmit any names you wish to have
continued.)*

PRAY FOR THE DECEASED

James Basile; our deceased loved ones and our deceased
servicemen and women.

Most Reverend Paul H. Walsh.
D.D., 77



Retired Bishop Paul H. Walsh, who
served as an auxiliary bishop of the
Rockville Centre diocese from 2003
until his retirement in 2012, died on Saturday, October
18. He was 77 years old.

Birth: August 17, 1937
Death: October 18, 2014

*May his soul and the souls of all the faithful
departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.
Amen.*

BRANCH FUNERAL HOME—The Vigilante
family and the staff of Branch Funeral Home would
like to extend an invitation to family members who
have lost a loved one on a trip to Calverton National
Cemetery. Details are:

Date: **Wednesday, December 3, 2014**

Arrival at Calverton: 9:45 AM

Departure from Calverton: 2:00 PM

Bus Pick-up Times & Locations: (Bus will make
stops at both locations on return trip)

8:00 am —**The Branch Funeral Home,**
190 East Main St., Smithtown

8:15 am — **Smithtown Senior Center,**
420 Middle Country Rd., Smithtown.

Please call Branch Funeral Home at 631-724-9500 to
reserve a seat on the bus by **Wed., Nov. 25, 2014.**
For your convenience, you may call the above
number to order grave wreaths. Your order will be
waiting for you on the bus the day of the trip.
This is a **Free** trip sponsored by the Branch Funeral
Home. Coffee, cookies and cold drinks will be
served along with pizza on the way back. The bus
has a lavatory.

FR. ANTONY'S LETTER

Dear Friends,

**On the way back from the church Jim asked his
mother** “Is it true Mommy that we are made of
dust?”

“Yes, darling” replied mom.

“And do we go back to dust again when we die?” he
asked again.

“Yes, dear” said mom.

“Well, Mommy, when I said my prayers last night I
looked under the bed. With that amount of dust, I
think someone is either coming or going.”

This Sunday is All Souls Day. This feast invites us
to reflect on our true identity. If we consider that we
are no more than merely a human body, then our end
is nothing more than dust, because the body will
reduce into dust when it dies. But if we realize that
we are called to live our spiritual identity in our
body, then our faith demands that we live beyond
death. We carry within us an eternal identity.

**As souls bearing the image of God, the life of our
deceased brothers and sisters** has not ended but
rather has changed to a life with God for eternity.
We believe in Jesus who became human, lived as a
human, died like a human, and rose again on the
third day. He is our forerunner, guarantee and hope
that we who believe in Him will also rise with Him.
For Jesus says, “I am the Resurrection and Life.
Whoever believes in me, even if he dies, will live,
and everyone who lives and believes in me will
never die.” (John 10:25-26).

**Beginning this Sunday until Friday, we will offer
a novena of nine masses for all the deceased** that
God in his gracious mercy will welcome them to the
eternal Life of Resurrection in Heaven. May God

console and comfort all those who mourn for their loved ones. The Mass at 12:15 pm this Sunday is the Special Mass for those who passed away since All Souls' Day this past year. We have invited their family members to join us in praying for them.

Funeral notices for Neighbors who are not parishioners: Yet another example of the warmth and inclusiveness of our Parish: Our parishioners are familiar with the Funeral Notices that appear for our departed parishioners, but some have expressed the wish that they could learn of the passing of other neighbors so they could pay their respects. Accordingly, a Neighborhood Funeral Notice form has been prepared; anyone learning of the passing of a neighbor other than a parishioner may, if they wish, pick up a copy of that form from the Rectory and, after filling it out, put it on the Notice Board at the side entrance of the church. If you need additional help, get in touch with Pastoral Council member Steve Bard at [631-231-7460](tel:631-231-7460) or sbardesq@aol.com.

Vocations Awareness Week. The Diocese of Rockville Centre is celebrating Vocations Awareness Week from November 2 – 9, 2014. During this week, we request your continued prayers for our 31 seminarians as well as for members of the vocations team. Let us also especially encourage our young men to respond to Our Lord's call to serve in the Vineyard.

Bishop Murphy's column on elections in the October issue of the Long Island Catholic. The Bishop is urging all of us to vote in the midterm elections. We cannot stress enough the importance of these elections for the Catholic Church's ability to continue to profess her faith freely in a secular society, and her capacity to continue to fulfill her mission especially in the areas of health care, education and ministry to the poor and immigrants. We would also like to remind you that the state elections, especially for the State Senate are even more crucial for us as Church. We urge everyone to vote and to know the positions of the candidates so that your choices might be guided by issues, not personalities, and by the common good and not by partisan politics.

Saturday November 8th is the Veterans Mass Celebration at 5:00 pm. All veterans are welcome to wear something to identify them as a Veteran. Following the mass there will be the raising of a new flag at the flag pole. Refreshments will follow in Walden Hall.

Calendar Club 2015: The Calendar Club is open for

2015. This week the bulletin carries the form for Calendar Club 2015. Please show your support by joining the Calendar Club. You may also consider giving the Calendar Club as gift to someone. Calendar Club is a good way of fund raising for the Parish.

Catholic Ministries Appeal 2014: Our Parish's assessment this year is \$68,200. This year we have reached a pledged total of \$50,875 so far which is 74.6% of our goal. Last year we made our Goal and got a rebate close to \$13,000. Thus our generosity helped both others and our parish.

I ask you personally to help us to meet our goal. I thank all those who have already contributed and I request the others to consider making some contribution to the Appeal.

If you did not receive a letter from the CMA office please use the cut out in the bulletin. 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 Weekend (Nov. 1/2)	Next Weekend (Nov. 8/9)
<u>Saturday</u>		
5:00	Fr. Antony	Fr. Irinel
<u>Sunday</u>		
8:00am	Msgr. Boccafolo	Fr. Dahlke
9:15am	Fr. Irinel	Fr. Antony
10:45am	Fr. Antony	Fr. Antony
12:15pm	Fr. Dahlke	Fr. Cornelius

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.

An Item of Concern...



We need brown paper bags!!!! We are completely out of stock, and are already anticipating our need for Thanksgiving and Christmas!!!

Please, please donate as many bags as you can!!!

Many Thanks to...

Jo Garvey and her group of volunteers, who made the clothing drive so successful...and thanks to our youth volunteers who did the heavy lifting!!!! Many people will be so grateful for your outcasts....

And Start Thinking of Thanksgiving....

Yes, it's just around the corner. And what do we think of when we imagine Thanksgiving Day? Food, of course... so if you can, please start gathering food for our clients'

Thanksgiving... canned yams, cranberry sauce, stringbeans, potatoes, peas, stuffing, turkeys, gravy, and whatever else you can think of to make a festive meal!

You may drop off any or all of these items at Outreach from 10:00 – 2:00 from Monday through Thursday at the Religion Office or in the Church bins in the Outer lobby....

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
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
Tim Morris

John Chester
Michael White
Thomas LaFemina
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.

Catholics for Freedom of Religion:



"God who gave us life gave us liberty. And can the liberties of a nation be thought secure when we have removed their only firm basis, a conviction in the minds of the people that these liberties are the Gift of God?" (Thomas Jefferson)

The First Amendment to the Constitution guarantees the freedom of religion to every American. Unfortunately, religious liberty is under attack - in our churches, in our schools and in the public arena - like never before in American history. Let us meet these attacks head on so we can restore religious liberty in America in accordance with the principles of our Founding Fathers. (liberty institute.org/religious rights)

Today, many Americans are awakening to the trend of government to diminish and disregard the God-given inalienable rights of individuals. There is erosion of religious liberty and the legal and cultural imposition of anti-Judeo-Christian philosophies upon

our society. This includes requiring taxpayer funding of abortion and contraception which forces American citizens, businesses and organizations to violate their deeply held religious convictions.

Therefore, let us work to see our government strengthen and renew its commitment to respect and protect each individuals exercise of his God-given inalienable rights and to protect and preserve the religious liberty provided in the U.S. Constitution.

(cwfa.org/religious liberty)

Galatians 5:1

For freedom Christ set us free; so stand firm and do not submit again to the yoke of slavery.

RESPECT LIFE NEWS

ADORATION BEFORE THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
HOLY HOUR: Tuesday, November 4, 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: 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 and bookmark it for future use.



SINGING IS A BLESSING FOR ALL TO SHARE



The members of the St. Thomas More Choir are happy to come together to sing again!

Rehearsals for both the Adult and Youth Choirs are on Thursdays – 5:30-6:30pm for the Youth, and 7:30 to 9:30pm for Adults. We are always looking for new singers in all voice parts. If you like to sing – why not give us a try?? It doesn't have to be a "forever" commitment – stop by and get acquainted - you are most welcome to join us! Youth Choir should be in 3rd Grade through High School.

For more information call EMILIA SAVARESE at 724-8820.

Or complete the info below and drop in the collection basket or at the Rectory:



NAME _____

Tel# _____

GRADE (Youth) _____



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

Congratulations to Sir Knight Manny Bartolato on becoming a Fourth Degree Knight.



COAT DRIVE: Our annual coat drive will be held during the first three weekends of November— 1/2; 8/9; and 15/16. There will be a bin in the vestibule of the Church to accept your gently used coats and jackets, any size. These will be given to the needy in our area.

Any Brother Knight who would like to attend the Council Christmas Party contact DGK Jerry Ferrara (631-806-3830). The party will be on Dec 6th in Walden Hall and will feature catered food and a DJ. Cost is \$22PP.

Look for "KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS" merchandise the first two weekends in December.

BIG NEWS: Plan on attending the **Annual Spaghetti Dinner** to be held in Walden Hall on Nov. 15 after the 5PM Mass. Chairman PGK Steve Paduano is putting together a great night for all families. The menu will include garlic bread, Linguine with clam sauce, eggplant Parm, baked Chicken, Chicken Marsala, Sausage & peppers, salad & dessert !!! Tickets will be available after every Mass starting in mid-October. This a fantastic family event that will feature a Chinese Auction, DJ, activities for the kids and, most importantly, your support of the dinner allows the K of C to use the proceeds for local & national charities.

DON'T MISS IT!!!

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Food Drives for Outreach: at Waldbaums Nov. 8 and Nov. 22.

Veterans' Day Mass: Saturday, Nov. 8 at 5PM .
Spaghetti Dinner: Nov.15



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 next meeting will be on:

Nov. 10, 2014—The Book Thief by Markus Zusak—Facilitator—Aurelie Miller Hendry

Dec. 15, 2014—The Light Between Oceans by M.L. Stedman—Facilitator—Nina Busse

SUPPORT COLLECTION

Collection of October 26, 2014 \$7,533.00

CALENDAR CLUB 2014

Here are the winners: Oct. 26—Nov. 1, 2014

CONGRATULATIONS !

Sun. Oct. 26—\$50—#299—Tom Napolitano
Mon. Oct. 27—\$25—#401—Elizabeth Murphy
Tues. Oct. 28—\$25—#537—Ellen Moore
Wed. Oct. 29—\$25—#482—Helen Beissel
Thurs. Oct. 30—\$25—#303—Al Pankus
Fri. Oct. 31—\$25—#606—David Holdorf
Sat. Nov. 1—\$75—#343—Diocesan Choir —
All Saints Day

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.

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

STEWARDSHIP – “BELIEVING WITH JOY”

We – each and every one of us – have much reason to celebrate and believe with JOY –God's gifts are present in all facets of our lives. Right here in our church we have so many people who are involved in sharing their gifts and talents in service *to* and *with* others. Remember – the Holy Spirit has gifted each of us – and we pray that we may become *aware* of those gifts so we may become what we are called to be!!

Our “treasure” is one obvious gift where we can make an effort to share with the Church and others – but it is only one part of the many gifts to celebrate in our lives!

CONGRATULATIONS !



Al & Eileen Weidig were honored by Bishop Murphy with the St. Agnes Medal of Service for volunteering their time and service to St. Thomas More Church.

Thank you Al and Eileen for all that you do for

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 - dahlkesj@icloud.com

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.

YOUNG AT HEART

The next meeting will be at 1pm on Friday, November 14 in Walden Hall.

The Young at Heart is running a wonderful trip to the Sands Casino in Bethlehem, Pennsylvania on November 19th. For more information please call Elaine at 631-724-6337. Casino time, shopping ‘n’ more...

VETERANS MASS CELEBRATION SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2014, 5PM



All veterans are welcome and are encouraged to wear something to identify them as a veteran. Following Mass there will be the raising of a new flag at the flag pole honoring all veterans.

Refreshments will be served in Walden Hall following the ceremony.

For more information please contact Jerry Ferrara 631-806-3830.

**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
- Adult Lending Library
- Hospitality
- Greeter
- Liturgy with Children
- Eucharistic Minister
- Landscaping/Planting
- Pre-Cana
- FOCCUS
- Banner Committee

Name::

Address:

Phone:

**CATHOLIC MINISTRIES
APPEAL 2014**

Our Parish Goal	\$68,200
Pledges to date	\$51,450
Percentage of Goal	75.4%



**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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CALENDAR CLUB 2015

I/We would like to join St. Thomas More's Calendar Club for 2015.

NAME(S) _____

ADDRESS:

PHONE:()

One Number for 25

OR

FIVE Numbers for \$100

(If your return your form & payment by Monday, December. 8, 2014, you will receive a total of SIX 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).

THIS WEEK AT ST. THOMAS MORE*(Not totally inclusive)***Sunday—Nov. 2—National Catechetical Week**

Baby Bottles Redemption after all Masses

10:45am—RCIA—Meeting Room

12:15pm—All Souls' Day Mass for the deceased

1pm—Youth Peer Leaders—Meeting Room

7:30pm—Fr. Dahlke's Bible Study—Meeting Room

Monday—Nov. 3

9:45am—Fr. Dahlke's Bible Study—Meeting Room

7pm—Youth Ministry—Walden Hall/Meeting Room

Tuesday—Nov. 4

7pm—Holy Hour of Adoration—Church

Wednesday—Nov. 5

5pm—Knights of Columbus—Walden Hall

Thursday—Nov. 6

5:30pm—Children's Choir—Church

7:30pm—Choir—Church

Saturday—Nov. 8

5pm—Veterans Day Mass & Raising of Flag

Sunday—Nov. 9

10:45am—RCIA—Meeting Room

1:30pm—Eagle Scout Code of Honor—Walden/Kirwin

7:30pm—Fr. Dahlke's Bible Study—Meeting Room

**Altar Servers
Wanted**Thinking about
taking a more

active role in your mass experience?

Why not become an altar server? Anyone who
has received the sacrament of
First Holy Communion
is eligible to participate in the
Altar Server Ministry.

For additional information please email the co-
ordinator at altarservers@stmli.org
(For middle school & high school students, you
can receive community service credit for honor
society and graduation)

**CATHOLIC PRAYER-ANON GROUP
FORMING**

Dr. Tony DaVino, a licensed Catholic counselor, is organizing a group to provide prayerful support for persons whose loved one are struggling with addictions of any kind. The group will meet weekly at Resurrection Byzantine Catholic Church in Smithtown at a time to be arranged. Anyone interested is invited to contact

Dr. Tony at 631-368-4512

St. Thomas More/**Msgr. Francis S. Midura Council #6062
Columbiettes**

would like to thank all the Columbiettes and Knights who helped to make our Supermarket Bingo a great success. I also would like to thank all who attended and hope they had a good time. Hope to see you next year!!!

The Columbiettes are looking for Catholic women who would like to give up an evening once a month for ten months out of the year, and two days for our fund raisers.

We meet once a month on the second Thursday of every month; we also hold two fund raisers a year to help our community. A great time is had by all.

If interested in joining please contact Betty Baker, President at [631-348-3615](tel:631-348-3615).

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.

COURTESY ANNOUNCEMENTS

(First Notice)

Our Lady of Mount Carmel—495 North Ocean Ave., Patchogue, NY—One Voice, One Spirit Concert **Friday, Nov. 7 at 7pm.** (Doors open 6pm). Tickets @Door \$20; Advanced \$15; Students with ID \$10. Purchase tickets at www.olmcpatchogue.org
Molloy College—Fall Open House—Sun, Nov. 16 at 1pm. Molloy College, Rockville Centre, NY. Phone: (516) 323-4000.

St. John Nepomucene Church—1140 Locust Ave., Bohemia—**Prayer Service—Fri. Nov. 14 at 7:30pm.** To mark the 25th anniversary of the assassination of 6 Jesuit priests, their housekeeper & her daughter as well as the 34th anniversary of the murders of 4 Churchwomen and Archbishop Oscar A. Romero in El Salvador. Prayer service to commemorate the lives of the above people and to remember all those who have, and who continue to, dedicate their lives for social justice and peace in the world.

Sisters of St. Dominic invite you to their Sunday Vesper's Service—**Nov. 16 at 4pm** at the Motherhouse Chapel, 555 Albany Ave., Amityville. Included is a **Blessing for Helping Hands** as Parish Outreach and Ministries of Charity go into high gear during the Christmas season.

St. Frances de Chantal School—Meeting—Widowed, Divorced & Single Catholics of Long Island. **Tues., Nov. 25 at 8pm,** St. Frances de Chantal School, 1309 Wantagh Ave., Wantagh.

Advent Day of Prayer—St. Joseph Renewal Center—Wednesday, Dec. 3 from 10am to 3pm. Presenter: Josephine Daspro, CSJ, D.Min. Offering \$40.00 includes lunch. Please address checks to

Sisters of St. Joseph, St. Joseph Renewal Center, 1725 Brentwood Rd., Brentwood, NY 11717. Include your Name, Address, Phone No. and email.

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church—Annual Christmas Craft Fair—Sunday, Dec. 7; 9 am to 5pm. Vendors & Information 631-846-9823. St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Hall, 800 Portion Rd., Lake Ronkonkoma.

Women's Spirituality Retreat—"Entering the Sanctuary of the Soul: Seeking Inner Peace"—Jan. 9-11 or Jan. 23-25. Offering: \$190. For those interested, please send a deposit check of \$30 payable to **Sisters of St. Joseph** as well as your Name, Address, Phone & e-mail to: St. Joseph Renewal Centre, 1725 Brentwood Rd., Bldg. 4, Brentwood, NY & specify which weekend you would like to attend.

(Second Notice)

Marian Healing Ministry—Tuesday, Nov. 4; 7pm
Rosary, Mass & Healing Service—St. Anastasia

Church, 45-14, 245th St., Little Neck.

St. Joseph Renewal Center—1725 Brentwood Rd., Bldg.#4, Brentwood—November programs:

Deepening your Spiritual Practice through the use of Focusing—Nov. 5, 7:30—9:30pm—Offering \$15.

Guided Meditation for Inner Healing—Nov. 5; 5-7pm. Offering: \$15

Living with Alzheimer's & Dementia—Nov. 5; 1-2pm. Free Will Offering

Evening for Married Couples—"Courageous Conversations", Sun., Nov 9, 5-8pm. Offering \$70 per couple incl. candlelight dinner.

A Gathering of Women—Nov. 11; 10am-noon. Offering \$15.

Men 2 Men Gathering—Nov. 15; 8:30—9:45am. Offering \$20 incl. breakfast

11th Step Prayer—Nov. 23; 2-4pm. Free Will Offering.

Anyone interested in any of these programs, please call Joanne in the office 631-273-1187, ext. 123.

Hauppauge High School PTSA—Craft & Vendor Fair—Sat. Nov. 15, 2014 at 4 pm. Begin your Christmas shopping and "Shop 'till you drop". Over 80 vendors to choose from—Hauppauge High School Gym at 500 Lincoln Blvd.

The Branch Funeral Home—Seminar for those who have lost a loved one this past year. Facilitated by Patricia Jones, their bereavement specialist—Saturday, November 22, 2014—10:30 am to 12 noon—The Branch Funeral Home, 190 East Main St., Smithtown. Please call 631-724-9500 by November 17, 2014 to reserve a seat.

Rotary Club of Smithtown—Annual Tree Lighting Ceremony—Sun., Dec. 7, at 4:30 pm in front of Smithtown Library, Main Street. Hot chocolate & candy canes by the Smithtown Fire Dept. Continuing festivities at the Brush Barn of the Smithtown Historical Society.



Please pray for our RCLIA candidates and for those who are involved with the program.



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—Outside mortgage Loan Officers, Mortgage Sales Mgrs, Branch Mgrs., Head Tellers; P/T Tellers at various locations.

Boces Eastern Suffolk—Needed School Psychologist, Social Worker, Teacher of Blind and Partially Sighted—start immediately.

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

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.

Diligent Credit Solutions—Sales Trainees, Account Executives; Sales Consultants—they will train right candidate.

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.

J.S. Pharmaceuticals Inc.—Now hiring all depts. 4 day work week.401K Profit Sharing, medical, paid vacation.

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

Newsday—Senior Accountant—Assist in month end process—prepare & review balance sheets, inventory, etc.

Collators.\$10.73 per hr. Afternoon & evening shifts-must be able to work thru calendar year. HS diploma- 18 yrs.or older

—Accountant—Senior—assist journal entries, prepare & review accruals, inventory procedures, etc. 2 yr. experience, CPA preferred.

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

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

Panero's, Hauppauge—now hiring.

Ram Marketing—Telephone Reps for busy company.—must have can-do attitude & be customer service oriented-near Smithtown Mall.

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.

Suffolk County: 30 CNAs & LPNs needed. Positions available in Suffolk County.

New Taco Bell—Now hiring—many positions.

Town of Smithtown: PT certified teachers, teachers assistant & sub. before or after school programs Smithtown & Kings Park school districts.

See “Civil Service Notice” posted on the bulletin board for future Civil Service Exams. For more information about any of the listed positions please call 234-4629. Note - All babysitting, infant child care, nanny, home care aides, etc. positions are in the child’s home. References are required for all of these positions including nursing aides, home health care aides, etc. It is the responsibility of the employer to check all references prior to hiring.

****We have a list of names of those willing to baby-sit in their homes.