



Catholic Church Community of  
**St. Thomas More**

115 Kings Highway, Hauppauge, NY 11788-4221

January 1, 2017

Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God



**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.*

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## ***Masses for this coming week***

January 1, 2017  
Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God  
Numbers 6:22-27  
Psalm 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8  
Galatians 4:4-7  
Luke 2: 16-21

### **Saturday, December 31**

*(Anticipated Mass for Sunday)*

5pm Joan Hartnett *by Jack, Marcia, &  
John Paul Gaudet*

### **Sunday, January 1--Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God-- New Year's Day**

8am For the People of St. Thomas More Parish

9:15am Louis Pontillo *by the Mohlenbrok & Borghardt  
families*

10:45am Maria Lott *by Marie & Ross Bracco*

12:15pm Joel Miller *by Marilyn Miller*

### **Monday, January 2--St. Basil the Great & St. Gregory Nazianzen**

9am Cecilia Halpin *by Mae Devine & Dottie Lossani*

### **Tuesday, January 3--The Most Holy Name of Jesus**

9am Charles Marsala *by Jim & Marie Marsala*

### **Wednesday, January 4--St. Elizabeth Ann Seton**

9am Mary Beth Weidig *. by the Mastellon & the Jira  
families*

### **Thursday, January 5--St. John Neumann**

9am Mary Beth Weidig *by Mary Ellen Skrzypek*

### **Friday, January 6--St. Andr  Bessette**

9am Mary Beth Weidig *by Mae Devine & Dottie  
Lossani*

### **Saturday, January 7--St. Raymond of Penyafort**

9am Ana Cecilia Castro *by Milagros & family*

*(Anticipated Mass for Sunday)*

5pm John Agostini *by the Auspaker family; Clarence Carmody by John & Aurelie Miller-Hendry; Tom Dwyer by Susan & Richard Longo; Angela Petruno by Barbara & Joseph Cassetta; Joseph Peter by Patty & Joe Citro; Bill Pontecorvo by Catherine Pontecorvo; Josephine Raccuglia by John & Aurelie Miller-Hendry; Al Rubenbauer by Patty & Joe Citro; Barbara Van Door by Michele Brosnan; Antoinette Vettere by the Drago family*

### **Sunday, January 8--The Epiphany of the Lord**

8am Christina Pietrzak *by the Pietrzak family*

9:15am Mary Beth Weidig *by Michael & Florence  
Acquafredda*

10:45am Maria Lott *by Maryann & Ralph Rantz*

12:15pm Mary Beth Weidig *by the St. Thomas More  
Columbiettes*

## ***Growing through the Sunday Scriptures***

January 8, 2017  
The Epiphany of the Lord  
Isaiah 60:1-6  
Psalm 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13  
Ephesians 3<sup>rd</sup>2-3a. 5-6  
Matthew 2:1-12

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Matthew:

When Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, in the days of King Herod, behold, magi from the east arrived in Jerusalem, saying, "Where is the newborn king of the Jews? We saw his star at its rising and have come to do him homage."

When King Herod heard this, he was greatly troubled, and all Jerusalem with him. Assembling all the chief priests and the scribes of the people, he inquired of them where the Christ was to be born. They said to him, "In Bethlehem of Judea, for thus it has been written through the prophet:

*And you, Bethlehem, land of Judah, are by no means least among the rulers of Judah; since from you shall come a ruler, who is to shepherd my people Israel."*

Then Herod called the magi secretly and ascertained from them the time of the star's appearance. He sent them to Bethlehem and said, "Go and search diligently for the child. When you have found him, bring me word, that I too may go and do him homage."

After their audience with the king they set out. And behold, the star that they had seen at its rising preceded them, until it came and stopped over the place where the child was. They were overjoyed at seeing the star, and on entering the house they saw the child with Mary his mother. They prostrated themselves and did him homage. Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. And having been warned in a dream not to return to Herod, they departed for their country by another way.

### **Focus questions:**

1. The star led the magi to Jesus. Recall a time when you were led to Jesus by something in God's creation.
2. Describe a time when someone warned you about a dangerous situation. What plans did you have to change?
3. What do you do to celebrate the feast of the Epiphany?

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

The magi brought gifts to Jesus. What gift can you give to Jesus this week?

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

Dear Friends,

**Husband: Dear, do you remember John Williams?** I saw him today. He was the student body president at our high school.

Wife: That was thirty years ago.

Husband: I know. In fact, he has gotten so bald and so fat he didn't even recognize me.

Years come and years go. They also leave their trait in us, changing our bodily shape and mental vision as well as leaving a mark on our character and an impression on our soul.

Every time we celebrate the beginning of a year, as we now do with 2017, we are reminded of the change going within us and around us.

**Change is inevitable.** Whether we like it or not, it will happen with or without our permission. Change has to happen. If it does not happen then we will not feel anything as lively or growing around us. Every change is a challenge and an invitation: a challenge to leave something behind and an invitation: to embrace something entirely new. That is why we call the change of the year as Happy New Year. The same thing happens when we celebrate our birthdays. We say Happy Birthday not because we have grown or lost one year of life, but because we are ready to come out of the old and ready to walk into something new.

**New Year 2017 wants to begin in us** something new on this January 1<sup>st</sup> and leave something old behind. May God inspire and give us the strength to get rid of the old that burdens and suppresses us. May God encourage and empower us to embrace the new. I wish each and every one of you a very Happy New Year 2017. I pray that God bless you and your family abundantly with health and happiness, peace and prosperity, growth and generosity. 2017 adds to the joy the parish as it is our Jubilee year.

**2016 Contribution Statements:** Soon after the New Year we will complete the data entries of 2016 into our system. If you want a record of your 2016 contributions for tax purposes, please complete and return the cut-out in the bulletin and return it to the Church Office. We will begin mailing them out towards the end of January.

With love and prayers,

Fr. Antony

### **PASTORAL STAFF**

Rev. Antony Asir, Pastor  
 Deacon Robert D. Weisz  
 Deacon Edward R. Vigneaux  
**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 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.

## PRAY FOR THE SICK

Anthony Augugliaro	Joseph Jacklets
Bernadette	Irene Janis
John & Michele (LoGrande)	Ira Karten
Bongiorno	Kenneth
Peter Bongiorno	Jean Marsala Kieffner
Donna Borowski Billott	Elaine Kleinstauba
McKenzie Borchers	Dr. C. Lalli
Cheryl Borden	Morgan Leary (age 8)
Charles Borghardt	Anne Leggio
Charles Boston	Wayne Leo
Brandon Boswell	Nicolas Lorusso (17 months)
Christina Cammarata	Frank Mamburc
Barbara Cappisillo	Cindy Mango
Linda Sue Cappisillo	Laura Mattioli
Coleen Cizon	Angela McIntyre
John Coen	Terri Ilardi McKee
Donald Crocker	Rose Messina
Bernice Cuomo	Linda Mulryan
Preston De Rosa (2 years old)	Sally O'Connor
Anthony Donato	Beatrice Okorn
Florence Donato	Rainey Pappas
Walt Drechsler Jr.	Joseph P
Sofia Drobinko	Joseph Placa
Michael Faithfull	Ross Placa
Fran Falkowski	Hilda Reese
Claudia Fiore	Benita Roehm
Millie Fiore	Mary Ann Russo
Nadine Rose Follini	Elyse Schrage
Jean & Gerald Gilson	Carolene & Bob Shernowitz
Judy Granville	Daniel Skinnon
John Hanna	Charles A. Stepanek
Mr. & Mrs. Heinrich	Baby Reese Sylvain (2 weeks)
Richard Heller	Jeannie Sullivan
Dylan Hollins	Marie Swartz
Laurie Holmes	Chase Turano
Stephanie Horoski	Andrew J. Valentine
Patricia Hrycyk	Andrew M. Valentine
Anita Ilardi	Michael Vecchia
Barbara Importuna	Greg Williams
Ann & Anthony Iovino	Joey Ziegler (2 years old)
Jacqueline	
Kidd Iovino	



*We ask those who wish to have the sick listed in the bulletin to submit their names through the collection or drop the name(s) off at the Church Office. Please use the cut-out in the bulletin for your convenience. This listing will expire on **March 31, 2017.***

## PRAY FOR THE DECEASED

Our deceased loved ones and our deceased servicemen and women.

## PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

Ethan Bernstein	Thomas LaFemina
Jessie Bernstein	Alex Lombardi
Anthony Broncatello	Andrew Lombardi
John Burk	Scott Lovelock
David Chester	Thomas Migliara
John Chester	Tim Morris
Nicholas Chester	John Nachtman
Theresa Chester	Kaitlyn Nachtman
Eddie Cullum	Thomas Nichols
Eric Cullum	Adam Papaizai
Christopher Day	Michael Poist
Jason Doyle	Michael Polanski
Timothy Fallon	Kyle Rathje
Bryan Figueiredo	William R. Rathje
William Gregory	Antonia Marie Rivera
Carl F. Greiner	Justin Schneider
Philip Guidone	Christopher Sidor
Sean Hendrickson	Ryan Smith
John Karies	Michael White
Michael Knipper	



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.

## SOCIAL MEDIA & EMAIL

### Websites

[www.stmli.org](http://www.stmli.org)  
[www.stthomasmoreyouth.org](http://www.stthomasmoreyouth.org)

### Facebook

<https://www.facebook.com/StThomasMoreHauppauge/>

### Instagram

STTHOMASMORECHURCH

- stmreligiousd
- stm\_yg

### Email

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 Mary Ellen Carroll: [mecarroll@optonline.net](mailto:mecarroll@optonline.net)  
 Outreach: [outreach@stmli.org](mailto:outreach@stmli.org)  
 Joe Gast: [joe.gast@stmli.org](mailto:joe.gast@stmli.org)  
 Altar Servers Ministry: [altarservers@stmli.org](mailto:altarservers@stmli.org)  
 Personal Prayer [SpiritualOrientations.com](http://SpiritualOrientations.com)  
 To contact a member of the Pastoral Council use the following: Barbara & Joe Fratamico at  
[BJFRAT@optonline.net](mailto:BJFRAT@optonline.net)



## **PARISH OUTREACH**

Happy New Year to all!!!!



We at Outreach hope that all our parishioners have a very happy and healthy New Year! Thanks to all of you, we were tremendously successful in our efforts to give aid to the less fortunate of our community. We provided food, gift cards so the children could be given a gift at Christmas, like shoes or clothing, in addition to the toys we distributed, as well as useful items for the adults who needed them. The St. Thomas More parish should be proud of its efforts at this holiday time to provide relief for those suffering deprivation, and in bringing a respite to the stress of the season. Of course, the need will still be there throughout the year for food, so please continue to donate what you can, when you can.

Thank you, and may God Bless You.

Happy New Year!

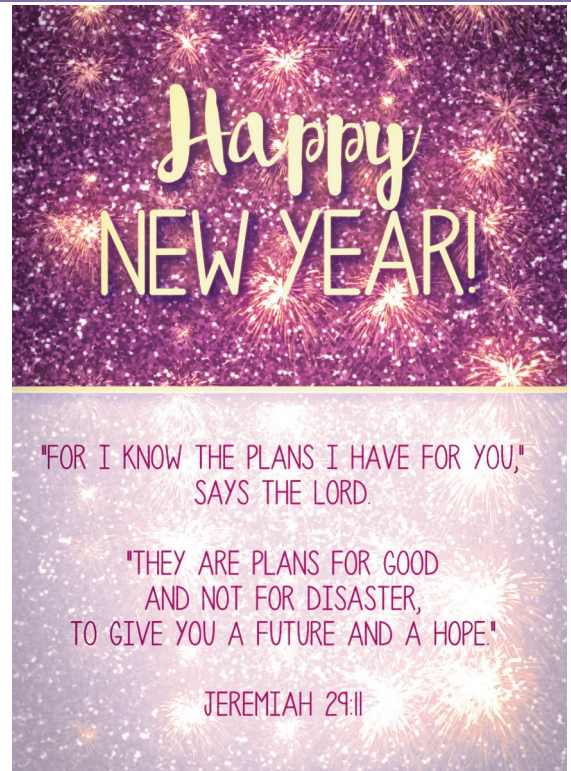
## ***St Vincent de Paul Conference***

Please remember our neighbors who have so much less, who struggle to meet all their basic necessities and Yet are thankful to all of our St. Thomas More community for your generosity, for Sharing the Spirit of Love, and for your prayers!  
May God Bless You!

## **OUR PRIEST CELEBRANTS**

(Subject to last minute changes)

	<u>This Weekend</u> (Dec. 31/Jan.1)	<u>Next Weekend</u> (Jan.7/8)
<b><u>Saturday</u></b>		
5:00 pm	Fr. Antony	Fr. Antony
<b><u>Sunday</u></b>		
8:00am	Msgr. Boccafola	Fr. Antony
9:15am	Fr. Antony	Fr. Antony
10:45am	Fr. Antony	Msgr. Boccafola
12:15pm	Fr. Fred	Fr. Bala



## CATHOLICS FOR FREEDOM OF RELIGION



**Catholics For Freedom of Religion**

[www.cffor.org](http://www.cffor.org)

*"In this third world war, waged piecemeal, which we are now experiencing, a form of genocide is taking place and it must end."* Pope Francis

### ISIS Attacks on Christians Continues:

\* A bomb shattered Egypt's Orthodox Coptic Christian Church, killing 25 and wounding 49. This is the latest in the decades long persecution of Christians which comprise 1/10 of Egypt's population. (nytimes.com, 12/11/16; lat-times.com, 12/11/16)

\* According to the United Nations, a significant number of Yazidi women are still held as sex slaves after thousands were captured in 2014. The men were murdered outright while women and children are still sold and traded into sexual slavery. (newstatesman.com, 10/31/16; nydailynews.com, 7/9/16)

### International Religious Freedom Act (HR 1150)

"The world is experiencing an unprecedented crisis of international religious freedom; a crisis that continues to create millions of victims; a crisis that undermines liberty, prosperity and peace; a crisis that poses a direct challenge to the U.S. interests in the Middle East, Russia, China, sub-Saharan Africa and elsewhere," said Rep. Chris Smith, author of Bill HR 1150. (ewtnnews.com, 5/16/16; usccb.org, 5/17/16)

President Obama recently signed the International Religious Freedom Act, HR 1150, into law. This bill adds to the role of religious freedom in diplomacy, expands religious freedom training for U.S. diplomats, and offers tools for promoting religious freedom in countries actively persecuting religious minorities. The hope is that this bill will now be implemented. (frcblog.com, 12/19/16; bnow.org, 12/16/16)

*Lord, the plight of our brothers and sisters is deep and the suffering of Christians is severe and frightening. Please spare their lives and grant them courage to continue their witness of Christian values with trust and hope. Amen*

## RESPECT LIFE NEWS

**ADORATION BEFORE THE BLESSED SACRAMENT  
HOLY HOUR: Tuesday, January 3, 2017 at 8pm.**

We pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet every  
**Wednesday, at 3:00 pm  
in the Church.**



## 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 2:30 pm in Walden Hall. For further information and/or to register, call Marilyn at 631.234.5805 or Joan at 631.234.1739.

The following book will be discussed on:

Jan. 9--Miller's Valley by Anna Quindlen--

Facilitator: Aurelie Miller-Hendry

Feb. 13--Me Before You by JoJo Moyes--

Facilitator: Caroline DeSantis

## Religious Education



Bravo! Congratulations! To all the Level 3 catechists, children and families:

**YOU WENT OVER THE TOP!** Your generous participation in the Bottle Redemption project raised **\$1,150.50 for the Saint Thomas More Outreach!**

That was the largest amount in the history of this project. Christmas was brighter because you cared! I am so proud of each of you!

In addition, as host for the Feast of the Immaculate Conception masses you demonstrated that our young people are ready and able to minister at the weekend masses. Your reverence and respect during mass was outstanding!

Thank You,  
Pat Chapin

## ***Parish History Project***

Work continues on the video documentary of our parish's history for the Golden Jubilee. We thank those that have contributed personal memories and pictures so far.

We could still use more! We really would love photos, prayer cards, flyers, etc., from the years 1967-1980. Photos of sacraments are very welcome!

And we especially would love to speak with you if you would like to share your memories on camera about those early years, whatever your role in the parish was, even if you simply have a fond memory of a particular member of the clergy. This is a video documentary, so the more people we have that can add their slice of history, the better the video will be.

If you can help us out, please contact us at a special address we've set up: [history@stmli.org](mailto:history@stmli.org), or if you run into me, please feel free to speak about it directly. Thank you!

**Matt Surico**  
History Project Coordinator



Fr. John Cervini directs Confirmation students in a Walk-a-Thon in support of Catholic Relief Services, March, 1973 (photo courtesy of Jack and Rosemary Mango)

***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.

***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 Grade. You may contact the school at [parents@holyfamilyregional.com](mailto:parents@holyfamilyregional.com) to schedule a tour of the parish's regional school, or visit the school website at [www.holyfamilyregional.com](http://www.holyfamilyregional.com)

***USED EYE GLASSES*** —The Volunteer Optometrist Service to Humanity (VOSH) is a group of Ophthalmologists/Optometrists who volunteer their time and professional skills each year for two weeks in Peru. They go to rural mountainous regions and provide optical treatment and/or eye surgery to the local villagers who live in abject poverty. The glasses donated are refurbished. After an eye exam, the villagers are given glasses closest to their prescription. If you have any old glasses lying around, please put them to good use by donating them to our church.



## ***COURTESY ANNOUNCEMENTS***

*(First Notice)*

**St. James Church--Youth Ministry Program--Opening of the Christmas Presepio.** Come visit this traditional Neapolitan Nativity and enjoy some quiet moments. Located in the Parish Center on 429 Route 25A, Setauket, NY 11733, and contains thousands of figures, buildings & miniatures. The Presepio is open every day from 9 am to 9 pm. It will be closed Christmas Eve and Christmas Day and on New Year's Eve and New Year's Day. The Presepio will remain open through Sunday, January 9, 2017. For information call 631-941-4242.

**Single, Widowed, & Divorced Catholics of Long Island--Non-Denominational--All are welcome.** Meeting on Wednesday, January 21, 2017 at St. Frances de Chantal School, 1309 Wantagh Ave., Wantagh. Please bring proof of single status to join. Refreshments served after meeting. For information call Carol 516-794-4933 or Barbara 516-798-2858.

*(Second Notice)*

**Saints Philip & James Church, St. James, NY--Men's Forum-- Monday January 2, 2017.**

Guest Speaker: Fr. Roy Tvrdik, SMM, Shrine of Our Lady of the Island, "A Man's Spiritual Journey"

**BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUPS--Good Shepherd Hospice Bereavement Services are open at no charge to anyone in the community who has experienced a loss through death.**

**Upcoming Bereavement Support Groups, led by a Bereavement Specialist, include:**

**Spousal/Partner Loss Support Afternoon Group – 1/11/16-3/1/16; 2:00 PM- 3:30 PM**

**Spousal/Partner Loss Support Evening Group – 1/11/16-3/1/16; 5:30 PM- 7:00PM**

**Adult Loss of Parent or Sibling Support Group-1/10/16-2/28/16; 5:30PM -7:00PM**

**All groups held at Good Shepherd Hospice Inpatient Center, Port Jefferson, NY. Registration required. Please call Diane McNamara, LCSW-R @ – (631) 642-4200.**

## ***SUPPORT COLLECTION***

Collection of December 25, 2016--Not available when bulletin went to print.

**Envelope users:** Please enter the amount of your donation in the space provided on the envelope This will greatly help us when counting the collection and for recording Your contribution. Also, it is not necessary to staple your envelope or to seal it with scotch tape.

**Thank you for your cooperation.**

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

*(Not totally inclusive)*

**Sunday, January 1--Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God**

**Tuesday, January 3**

7pm--Adoration--Church

**Wednesday--January 4**

5:30pm--Knights of Columbus--Bus.Mtg--WH

**Thursday, January 5**

5:30pm--Children's Choir-Rehearsal-Church

7:30pm--Adult Choir- Rehearsal--Church





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

If you are interested in becoming a member of the Knights of Columbus, please complete the following membership card and either drop it in the Collection basket or bring it to the rectory.

For information please contact the Grand Knight Jerry Ferrara at 631-806-3830.



**KNIGHTS  
OF COLUMBUS**  
IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

THE MAN WHO STANDS WITH US  
NEVER STANDS ALONE.

- I wish to become a member of the Knights of Columbus.  
 I desire some information regarding membership in the Knights of Columbus.  
 I am a former member interested in rejoining the Knights of Columbus.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State or Province: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

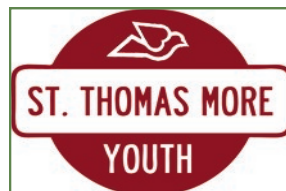
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Parish: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Best time to contact: \_\_\_\_\_

FORM 921A - 10/04

***Youth Ministry  
Corner***



***Congratulations !***

***CALENDAR CLUB WINNERS***

Here are the winners for Dec. 25 - 31, 2016

Our Registration Forms are already online for download and can be dropped off in the Parish Office or brought to Youth Ministry. Please access [www.stthomasmoreyouth.org](http://www.stthomasmoreyouth.org) and look under FORMS.

We are always in need of additional adults who would like to serve our young people with love, faith and joy. Please reach out to Joe if you would be interested in joining our Youth Ministry team!

Sun.	Dec. 25	\$100	#919	Joan & Gerard Smith
Mon.	Dec. 26	\$25	# 29	Barbara Mickelson
Tues.	Dec. 27	\$25	#657	Karen Flynn
Wed.	Dec. 28	\$25	#573	Leonard Munzer
Thurs.	Dec. 29	\$25	#827	Patricia Giacalone
Fri.	Dec. 30	\$25	#874	Louis Savarese
Sat.	Dec. 31	\$200	#160	Walter & Susan Kruprowski

**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:

**2016 CONTRIBUTION REQUEST**

I/We would like a record of our 2016 contributions to St. Thomas More.

NAME(S):

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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**CALENDAR CLUB 2017**

I/We would like to join St. Thomas More's Calendar Club for 2017.

NAME(S) \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS:

PHONE:( )

One Number for \$25

OR

FIVE Numbers for \$100

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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).*

## 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

**Aon**-Multiple positions available-Cust. Serv. claims specialist, staff accountant & many more. Excellent benefits.

**Business Agency of KC**- Field agents needed. Call Outreach (631-234-3149) for more information.

**Cablevision** - Account executives sales for potential customers—canvassing assigned territory— Excellent benefits. Understand state of the Art Digital Video - PC skills - outstanding benefits. Residential Account Executive— 4 days, 12-9, Sat. 9-6 —canvassing assigned territory for potential customers, follow up leads from customer contacts.

**Catholic Health Services of LI** 1) Openings-Client Services-Patient Financial Systems & several others. Competitive Benefits.

2) **Superintendent Helper Male** Central Islip Condo-Windbrooke Homes drivers lic., \$12.00 per hr.—15 hrs.

**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

**Holiday Hiring**--The following companies will have for the holidays:

United Parcel Service--2,850 jobs; Target--70,000 jobs; Toys R US--taking applications.

Contact stores directly.

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

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

**Lily Transportation**—Flatbed drivers—Mon.- Fri. also PT Sat. Excellent benefits incl. Health Ins.

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

**Panera**--Now hiring FT/PT Associates, Bakers and Shift Supervisors.

**School Bus Drivers**—Flexible hours—Bus Drivers. & Van Drivers. Excellent Benefits-Call now for training. Retirees welcome.

**Suffolk Bus Drivers**--Suffolk Co. Bus Company hiring drivers. Contact Suffolk Bus Company.

#### **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.

**Teachers, Teacher Assistants & Substitutes**--Town of Smithtown & Kings Park. High School Diploma, 2 yrs. Exp. - before & after school.

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.