

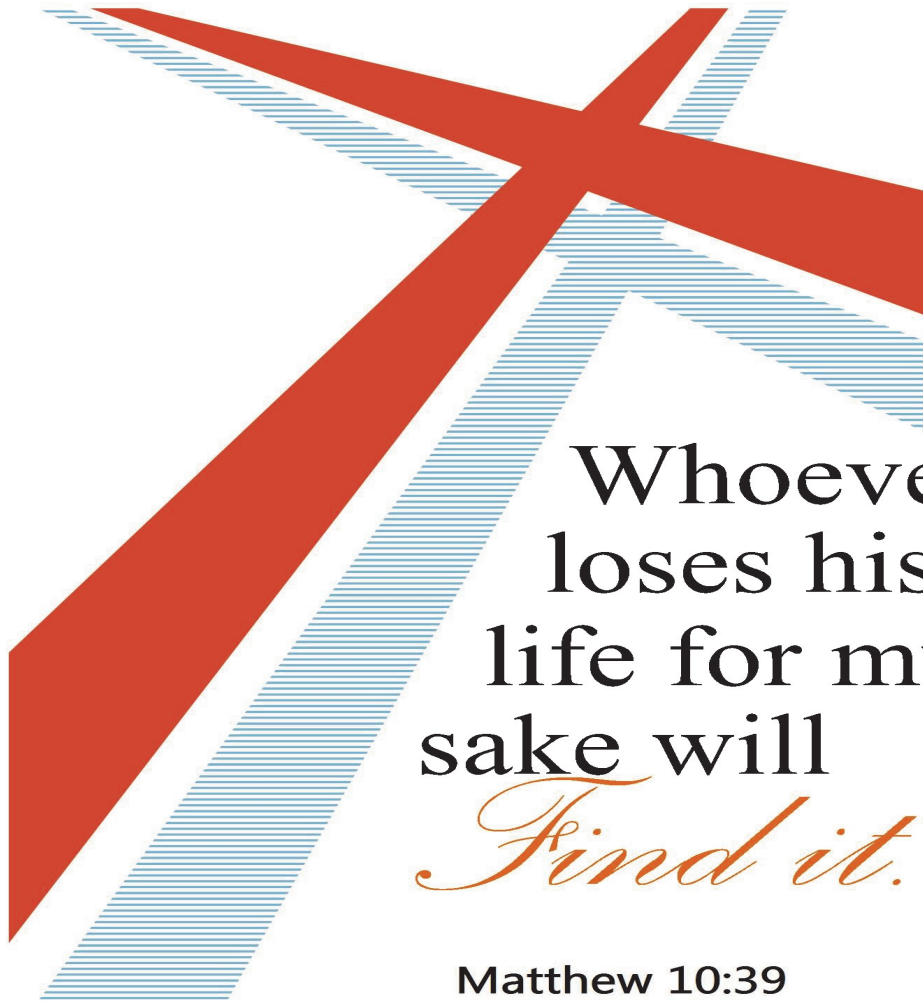


Catholic Church Community of  
**St. Thomas More**

115 Kings Highway, Hauppauge, NY 11788-4221

July 2, 2017

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Whoever  
loses his  
life for my  
sake will  
*Find it.*

Matthew 10:39

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.*

**Contact Numbers**

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**Religious Ed**  
234-0397  
FAX 234-1199

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

July 2, 2017  
**Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16a  
 Psalm 89:203, 16-17, 18-19  
 Romans 6:3-4, 8-11  
 Matthew 10:37-42

### **Saturday, July 1**

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

5pm Patrick Graziosi *by James & Anita Ilardi*

### **Sunday, July 2—Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:00am Patricia De Clark *by Dcn. Ed & Laura Vigneaux*, John Lohan *by Stephanie Scaduto*, Lydia Wieman *by Lou & Emilia Savarese*

9:15am Edward Carapezza *by the Sandbichler family*

10:45am Mary A. Ranaldo *by the Connors family*

12:15pm Peter Sanfratello *by wife & family*

### **Monday, July 3--St. Thomas, Apostle**

9am Anthony Rotolico *by Maria Rotolico*

### **Tuesday, July 4**

9am Al Russo *by Ann Russo & children*

### **Wednesday, July 5--St. Anthony Zaccaria; St. Elizabeth of Portugal**

9am Julia L. Porth *by Joe & BettyAnn Codispoti*

### **Thursday, July 6--St. Maria Goretti**

9am Judy Granville *by Mae Devine & Dottie Lossani*

### **Friday, July 7--First Friday**

9am Ana Cecilia Castro *by Milagros & family*

### **Saturday, July 8**

9am Jimmy Quinn *by the Baiz family*

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

5pm Catherine Covino *by the Covino family*

### **Sunday, July 9—Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:00am Maureen O'Donnell *by Peg O'Shea*

9:15am Nicolina Santucci *by Don & Rose Flore*, Salvatore Sicurelli *by the Sandbichler family*

10:45am Cynthia Morgan *by Lorraine Rouse*

12:15pm Martha J. Michalkewicz *by the Columbiettes*

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

July 9, 2017  
**Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 Zechariah 9:9-10  
 Psalm 145: 1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13-14  
 Romans 8:9, 11-13  
 Matthew 11:26-30

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Matthew:

At that time Jesus exclaimed:

"I give praise to you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, for although you have hidden these things from the wise and the learned you have revealed them to little ones. Yes, Father, such has been your gracious will. All things have been handed over to me by my Father. No one knows the Son except the Father, and no one knows the Father except the Son and anyone to whom the Son wishes to reveal him."

"Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am meek and humble of heart; and you will find rest for yourselves. For my yoke is easy, and my burden light."

#### **Focus questions:**

1. Describe a time when you struggled to be humble.
2. What burdens are you carrying these days that need to be lifted?
3. If Jesus were giving you direction today, what would he have you do?

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

Talk about a time when you helped someone who had "a lot on their plate". What did you do to help them?

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

Dear Friends,

**A young policeman was asked during an oral exam** what he would do to break up a crowd. His answer revealed a genuine knowledge of human nature. His answer: "I'd just take up a collection." Giving is not as easy as receiving. We think twice before giving. It is easier to receive than to give. In receiving, nothing in the receiver is challenged but in giving, the whole self of the giver is involved and some aspect of the self is required to be changed. Giving affects and changes the giver.

**In the Gospel today Jesus speaks about giving.** We think that we have to save in order to spend. We want to hold on to life so that we may not lose it. But Jesus explains that real life will be found only in losing it. One has to spend life in order to save it. This kind of explanation may not sound logical. It rather sounds contradictory. But only in giving one can receive.

**You and I are living today because our parents and fore parents** gave us all that we are and have. The universe was ready to give us whatever we needed to live even before we were born. This kind of life experience of 'giving is receiving' or 'spending is saving' or 'losing is finding' cannot be rationally explained, logically exposed or systematically stipulated. It has to be experienced by believing and following. That is why Jesus invites us, His believers, to follow Him carrying the Cross; yes the Cross is the perfect sign of Giving. Let us believe and follow God the giver, the crucified one so that we may receive in giving, find in losing and save in spending.

**The Capital Campaign Thermometer** at the Narthex shows how much we have already given and how much more we have to do in order to reach our goal of a million dollars. The thermometer is only an indication of our present giving. Our present giving is what our future generation will be receiving. As we pray in our Jubilee prayer, we are the now-recipients of what our former generation gave us. Thus our future generations are the recipients of our present giving.

**You must have also received a brochure** by mail explaining the ways and modes of giving. I thank all those who have already pledged their contribution. Thank you for your generosity. If you have not pledged yet, I would kindly suggest that you pray over it. May God continue to bless you and inspire you to make the right offering. As St. Paul writes to his believers in Corinth, God loves a cheerful giver. (2 Cor. 9:7).

**We are bringing out a Journal in celebration and commemoration of our Parish Golden Jubilee.** We invite you to memorialize yourselves and your family by printing your pictures in them for a minimum price. Frank Bayer who captures all the celebrative moments of the parish, has come forward to photograph the families. He will be available after weekend masses in Walden Hall during the last weekend of July (29-30) and first two weekends of August (5-6 & 12-13).

**Please find in this bulletin a form** of how you can sponsor space in the journal with your family pictures. For samples please visit our website [www.stmli.org](http://www.stmli.org). We are our sweet memories in our Parish History. Let us put our happy faces with wishes for many more years as the St. Thomas More Family.

**Baptized at St. Thomas More:** In June we celebrated the married couples united by the sacrament of marriage. On the last Sunday of July we are planning to celebrate those who were baptized at St. Thomas More. We invite the parents with their children to join this celebration. All you need to do is to call the Rectory and sign up for it. Please find an invitation flyer in this bulletin for this event.

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  
 Karen Berlet  
 Bernadette  
 Joseph Bittner  
 Jean Blaney  
 Mary Brussell  
 Daniel Callihan  
 Christina Cammarata  
 Barbara Cappisillo  
 Linda Sue Cappisillo  
 Dona Caragol  
 John Colosi  
 Thea Constantatos  
 Donald Crocker  
 Mary Cullin  
 Caroline De Santis  
 Amanda De Rosa  
 Preston De Rosa (2 years old)  
 Florence & Anthony Donato  
 Walt Drechsler Jr.



Laura Mattioli  
 Terri Ilardi McKee  
 Marie Minutillo  
 Rosie Miranda  
 Ralph Molinaro  
 Barbaralynn Moseman  
 Leo Myly  
 Caidee Nielsen (2 years old)  
 Victoria Nelson  
 Beatrice Okorn  
 Joseph P.  
 Rainey Pappas  
 Mary Ann Peet  
 Mary Ruchalski (10 yrs. old)  
 Elyse Schrage  
 Daniel Skinnon  
 Richard Stout  
 Andrea Suess  
 Chase Turano  
 Andrew J. Valentine  
 Andrew M. Valentine  
 Joey Ziegler

*We ask those who wish to have the sick listed in the bulletin to submit their names through the collection or drop the name(s) off at the Church Office. Please use the cut-out in the bulletin for your convenience. This listing will expire on **September 30, 2017.***

Leona Esposito  
 Dominga Francisco  
 Elviram Du Britz  
 Andrew Gallo  
 Connie Gennaro  
 Gerald Gilson  
 John Hanna  
 Richard Happe  
 Olive Harrison (16 months)  
 Jamie Hawkins  
 Laurie Holmes  
 Theresa Huebner  
 Joseph Jacklets  
 Regina Jeskie  
 Suzy Johnson  
 Jean Marsala Kieffner  
 Theresa Marvelli  
 Elaine Kleenstauber  
 Dr. C. Lalli  
 Luigi Lanzo  
 Anne Leggio  
 Wayne Leo  
 Nick Livote  
 Phillip Lloyd  
 Patricia Loicano  
 Nicolas LoRusso (22 months)  
 Cindy Mango  
 Jackie Marcello  
 Mike Masone

## PRAY FOR THE DECEASED

Joseph T. Gowell, Don Friedman, Antonio A. Izzo, Lillian Oddo, Kenneth Brosnan, Martin Timons, our deceased loved ones and our deceased servicemen and women.

## PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

Ethan Bernstein  
 Jessie Bernstein  
 Anthony Broncatello  
 John Burk  
 David Chester  
 John Chester  
 Nicholas Chester  
 Theresa Chester  
 Eddie Cullum  
 Eric Cullum  
 Christopher Day  
 Timothy Fallon  
 Bryan Figueiredo  
 Nicholas W. Flanary  
 William Gregory  
 Carl F. Greiner  
 Philip Guidone  
 Sean Hendrickson  
 John Karies  
 Michael Knipper  
 Alex Lombardi



Thomas LaFemina  
 Andrew Lombardi  
 Scott Lovelock  
 Thomas Migliara  
 Tim Morris  
 John Nachtman  
 Kaitlyn Nachtman  
 Thomas Nichols  
 Adam Papaizai  
 Michael Poist  
 Michael Polanski  
 Kyle Rathje  
 William R. Rathje  
 Antonia Marie Rivera  
 Ana Karen Sanchez  
 Donovan Sanchez  
 Justin Schneider  
 Christopher Sidor  
 Ryan Smith  
 Michael White

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

## 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

- stmreligious
- stm\_yg

### Email

Rectory: [rectory@stmli.org](mailto:rectory@stmli.org)  
 Pat Chapin: [pchapin@optonline.net](mailto:pchapin@optonline.net)  
 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 July 4<sup>th</sup>!!!!

Hard to believe it's our nation's holiday already! What happened to spring? We believe it lasted three days this year....and then it seamlessly slid into summer. The camp plans have been made, the vacations planned, the cars readied for the road trips...and now the time has come for the FUN!!! Yet the families left behind, the ones who live in the shelters, or in a room in someone's home, do not leave. Many of them do not have cars. They do not have fun, because they are worried about the temporary roof over their heads, and what they are going to feed their children...So before you leave for your vacation, or even if you are not going anywhere this year, please share some groceries with those who worry.



And did you know...98 percent of Britain's homes have carpeted floors; in Italy, only 2 percent do!

## St Vincent de Paul Conference

### DID YOU KNOW?

" Vincentians are called to journey together toward holiness."

With this in mind, several of us travelled to the south Bronx early one morning. We were headed toward the convent of the Missionaries of Charity, at St. Rita's parish. Our goal was to help the nuns and volunteers prepare lunch for 52 people from the community. We chopped, sliced, washed, served and cleaned, all the while praying the rosary! (They also provide a homeless shelter for 20 men).

When work was done, we were able to pray in the sisters' chapel and view some of Mother Teresa's mementos. She is the founder of this order. It was a tiring, but energizing day.

The nuns we met clearly put into action the words of Mother Teresa:

"God so loved the world that He gave His only Son.

God still loves the world and sends you and me to be His love,

His compassion to the poor."

Now a question for you. Have you ever thought of joining our conference?

Just call [631 648 2760](tel:6316482760) for information

### YOUTH MINISTRY CORNER



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!

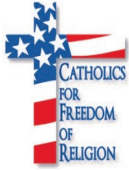


The altar servers will be hosting a garage sale on **July 29** to fund the purchase of new albs for our Jubilee. We are asking for donations of new or lightly used donation items to sell at the sale. Items that sell best are house wares, costume jewelry, clothing and baby items.

Donations can be dropped off at the church on Sundays or call Dottie Castaldo [631-860-1021](tel:6318601021) to arrange pick up.

Thank you for your support and we hope to see you at the sale .

## **CATHOLICS FOR FREEDOM OF RELIGION**



Catholics for Freedom of Religion  
[www.cffor.org](http://www.cffor.org)

The True Meaning of July 4th -  
 Independence Day

For 240 years, Independence Day has been celebrated as the most significant of all American holidays - as the day we declared our independence from the tyranny of King George III and Great Britain. This Declaration proclaimed to the world our emergence as a new sovereign nation to be based on the principles stated in the pledge to our flag, "under God, with liberty and justice for all."

"We hold these Truths to be self-evident, that all Men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty, and the Pursuit of Happiness - That to secure these Rights, Governments are instituted among Men, deriving their just Powers from the Consent of the Governed,..."

We humbly thank our Founders who gave us this Declaration of Independence which will remain for future generations of Americans the beacon of liberty, the upholder of our divine unalienable rights and the guardian of our independence. We must never forget the price paid for our freedom and the reasons why freedom is worth paying the price.

(thenewamerican.com, 7/4/11, 7/4/16;  
 dailysignal.com,6/10/10; reference.com)

**It is for freedom that Christ has set us free. Stand firm, then, and do not let yourselves be burdened again by a yoke of slavery. Galatians 5:1**

## **RESPECT LIFE NEWS**

**ADORATION BEFORE THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**  
**HOLY HOUR: Tuesday, July 11, 2017 at 7pm.**

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 Circle of Women will meet again on Sept. 11, 2017 when the book for discussion will be Stoner by John Williams--Facilitator Nina Busse.

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

*(Not totally inclusive)*

**Sunday--July 2--Second Collection Peter's Pence**

**Wednesday--July 5**

7pm--Lawyers Group--Rel.Ed. Center

7:30pm--Knights of Columbus--Walden Hall

**Thursday--July 6**

3:30pm--Wedding Reh. Frank/Liu--Church

5pm--Knights of Columbus Distr. Dep.Mtg--WH/Kitchen

**Friday--July 7**

3pm--Wedding Frank/Liu--Church

6pm--Wedding Reh. Monsees/Confredo--Church

**Saturday, July 8**

12noon--Baptism--Rogers--Church

2:30pm--Wedding--Monsees/Confredo--Church.

## **RCIA**

Have you thought about becoming a Catholic?

Were you baptized Catholic, or in another Christian church, and never received Holy Communion, Reconciliation, or Confirmation?

The RCIA Team at St. Thomas More parish is here to answer any and all questions

RCIA begins in September.

If you are interested, call Ann Russo, [631-543-2740](tel:631-543-2740)

## ***Parish History Project***

We are working on collecting and duplicating the final items for our parish history project. The next few months will be spent in completing the video editing so that it may be shown to the parish in September.

We are still looking for those who would like to share their memories of the past at St. Thomas More on video. If you would like to participate in being interviewed, even if it's just a short memory to share, kindly contact us at the special email address we've setup: [history@stmli.org](mailto:history@stmli.org) (or feel free to speak to me about it if you run into me).

Any materials which have been lent to the project for duplication will be returned, if they've not been already, over the next couple of weeks. Those materials which were not identified with an owner's name will be placed into the official parish archives in the Rectory.

Thank you!

Matt Surico  
History Project Coordinator



Msgr. Francis Midura delivers the homily during the Mass celebrating the 40th anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood, June 26, 2010.  
(Photo courtesy of Frank Bayer)

***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)*

An invitation : For Young Adults in their 20s and 30s--A time to meet new friends and re-connect with old friends!

Join us for our Young Adult BBQ Social & Talk “God Makes the Ordinary ... Extraordinary”

After enjoying some burgers and hotdogs, join us as we listen to our presenter, Jay Asparro and join in the discussion! When: July 18, 2017--Place: Starfish Coffee House, St. Francis of Assisi Church, 29 Northgate Drive, Greenlawn--Private Entrance on the Side of the Rectory -- Time: 7:00 PM

Questions? Or to rsvp please contact Marianne Sheridan at [msheridan@drvc.org](mailto:msheridan@drvc.org). Please rsvp by July 16.

*(Second Notice).*

**Long Island Coalition for Life, Inc.**--“Who is the Real Margaret Sanger?” This short video will be shown at the monthly meeting of the LI Coalition for Life on Mon., June 26, which begins at 7:45 PM. Margaret Sanger is the woman behind Planned Parenthood. Come and learn with us. The meeting is at Joseph Barry K of C, 45 Heitz Place, Hicksville. All are welcome. For further information: [631-243-1435](tel:631-243-1435); [info@prolifeli.org](mailto:info@prolifeli.org).

**Long Island Coalition for Life, Inc.**--WITH LIBERTY AND JUSTICE FOR ALL – BORN AND UNBORN: Pro-life Face the Truth event on SATURDAY, JULY 1, 2017, from 10:00AM to 11:30AM; at LIE Exit 70S & County Route 111, Manorville. Without the Right To Life we have no other rights! Pro-lifers are invited to join in a peaceful presence against the status quo of legal abortion. We hold signs (provided) on the public sidewalk. Sponsored by Long Island Coalition for Life: [631-243-1435](tel:631-243-1435); [info@prolifeLI.org](mailto:info@prolifeLI.org).

**Widowed, Divorced & Single Catholics of Long Island**--Non-denominational meeting on Wednesday, June 28th at 7:30 pm at St. Frances de Chantal School, 1309 Wantagh Ave., Wantagh. Bring proof of single status to join. Refreshments served after meeting. For further information call Carol 516-794-4933 or Barbara 516-798-2858.

### ***Thank you Letter from the Holy Family Regional School***

June, 2017

Dear St. Thomas More Parish,

The Eighth Grade greatly appreciates all that you have done for us. Your guidance and assistance has encouraged us to grow in our faith. Throughout the years, we have grown as a family and have become stronger together. As we have developed during our years at Holy Family Regional we have realized that we have changed for the better because of you and your help.

For most of us who have been here since kindergarten, we have recognized this school as a home away from home. We have made many excellent friends and experienced wonderful teachers and staff. This school has educated us for our future as high school students. Holy Family Regional has taught us the skills we need to move forward in life and has given us better qualities to mature as adults.

As we leave Holy Family, it becomes clearer how much we will miss the people, friendships, and sense of belonging. We will reminisce about all the memories of our younger years and laugh about all

the fun times that we had. You have definitely left a mark in our lives and we thank you for that. Now the graduating class of 2017 is better prepared to face tougher challenges in high school thanks to you and your support.

Sincerely,  
The Eighth Grade Class of 2017  
Holy Family Regional School

## SUPPORT COLLECTION

## OUR PRIEST CELEBRANTS

(Subject to last minute changes)

Collection of June 25, 2017-- \$7,226.50

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.

This Weekend  
(July 1/2)

Next Weekend  
(July 8/9)

**Saturday**

5 pm

Msgr. Boccafola

Fr. Antony

**Sunday**

8 am

Fr. Antony

Msgr. Boccafola

9:15 am

Fr. Antony

Fr. Antony

10:45 am

Fr. Antony

Fr. Antony

12:15 pm

Fr. Fred

Fr. Fred

## CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL 2017

as of June 21, 2017

**Our Parish Goal**      \$68,500.00  
**Pledges to date**      50,517.08



## Congratulations! CALENDAR CLUB WINNERS

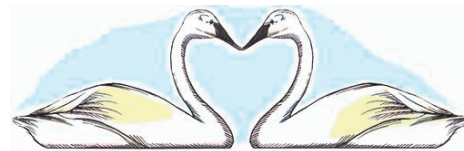


Here are the winners for June 25- July 1, 2017

III. Robert Frank and Fang Liu

III. William Monsees and Deanna Confredo

Sun..	June	25	\$50	#674	Mr. & Mrs. H. Hansen
Mon..	June	26	\$25	#16	John & Arlene Zuzzolo
Tues..	June	27	\$25	#90	Ron & Alice Pasie
Wed.	June	28	\$25	#685	Mya Cameron
Thurs.	June	29	\$25	#625	Ed & Arleen Rogan
Fri..	June	23	\$25	#486	Al & Eileen Weidig
Sat.	July	1	\$25	#875	Dom & Joan Marro



Please Pray for our Pre-Cana Couples

Please pray for these couples as they complete their Pre-Cana sessions in preparation for their upcoming weddings:

Forrest Olds Jr. & Stacey Oscar

Michael Napolitano & Kathryn Prunty

Shawn Mooney & Maria Salamone

Mike & Liz Zeitner

**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:

**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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**CATHOLIC MINISTRIES  
APPEAL 2017**

**I/we would like to support the Catholic Ministries Appeal for 2016.**

NAME(s) ADDRESS:

PHONE:

**Amount of the pledge: (Check one below)**

\$150 \_\_\_\_

\$300 \_\_\_\_

\$500 \_\_\_\_

\$1,000 \_\_\_\_

\$1,500 \_\_\_\_

\$2,500 \_\_\_\_

\$5,000 \_\_\_\_

OTHER: \_\_\_\_ How much? \_\_\_\_\_

(Please indicate)

Check for entire amount is enclosed.

Installment enclosed. I would like to pay the rest

monthly—10 payments

bi-monthly—4 payments

semi-annually—May & September

I prefer to use a credit card. Information will be sent to you so that you can contact the CMA office directly.

*(Please return to the Church Office for further processing)*

## 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

**AHRC (Advantage Care Health Center)** Teachers Aides/Assistants--Special Ed- Mon-Fri 3-6 pm. Direct Support Professionals. Family Nurse Practitioner--Comprehensive Benefit Package.

**Bethpage Federal Credit Union**--PT Tellers, Outside Mortgage Loan Financial Consultant--Digital Banking--Good Benefits.

**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.

**Harris Technology- North Amityville**--Engineers, Schedulers, Estimators, Technicians. Excellent Benefits.

#### **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

**Newsday Media Group**--Account executives for sales. Excellent benefits including matching 401K

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

**New York Community Bank**--Auditors, Financial Service System Engineer, Locksmith & Maintenance Mechanics--Excellent Benefits.

**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.

St. Thomas More Golden Jubilee Baptism Mass

Sunday, July 30, 2017

12:15 pm

*Through water and the word you have become a child of God  
and are sealed as Christ's own forever*

St. Thomas More Parish has celebrated many sacraments over the past 50 years. As part of this year's Golden Jubilee we are planning a special baptism Mass for all parishoners, especially those who have been baptised at St. Thomas More. Our celebration will take place on Sunday, July 30<sup>th</sup> at the 12:15 Mass. Light refreshments will follow Mass.

We invite you and your family to join us as we celebrate this beautiful sacrament. Please fill out the form below and drop it in the basket or send it to the rectory so we can plan ahead. We need your responses by July 18, 2017. Thank you!

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Please complete for all family members:

Name:	Where Baptised:	Year Baptised:
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
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Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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

# St. Thomas More Church

## 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Golden Jubilee Capital Campaign

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### **Over \$600,000 Pledged – Thank You! Help Us Reach Our Goal**

On behalf of Father Antony and the campaign committee we thank you for your strong support for our capital campaign. As of this past week, 181 families have returned their pledge for a total of \$601,446. **The campaign is being conducted on the basis of equal sacrifice, not equal giving. Not every family can make the same size pledge, but every family can make the same size sacrifice.**

### Campaign Brochure Mailed to Every Family

The campaign brochure outlining the proposed projects have been mailed. Please read it over carefully and prayerfully and consider how you can help. To make your families gift, use the pledge envelope included in the mailing. Your pledge can be paid monthly, quarterly, semi-annually or annually over a period of three or four years. For example, a pledge of \$2,500, can be paid with 48 monthly installments of \$47 after a 10% down payment of \$250. A down payment is not necessary to begin your pledge. All amounts are welcomed and appreciated!

#### **As you make your pledge . . . Please remember**

- \* Pledges can be made over a period of three or four years.
- \* A Down payment is not necessary to begin your pledge.
- \* Pledge payments are in addition to your weekly offertory.
- \* Payment reminders will be mailed in according to the selected payment plan.
  - \* All contributions are tax deductible.
- \* Make checks payable to: St. Thomas More Capital Campaign

**All Pledges & One-Time Donations -- no matter what the amount are welcomed, needed and appreciated!**

# **Fifty Years of Broadway**

The St. Thomas More Golden Jubilee Cabaret

**Sat. July 15 7:30 pm**

**Sun. July 16 3:30 pm**

## **Live performances on stage**

Featuring songs from classic musicals such as *Godspell*, *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*, *Pippin*, *Gypsy* and *Carousel* as well as recent new favorites like *Mamma Mia*, *Seussical*, *Les Miserables* and even *Dear Evan Hansen* (currently on Broadway).

## **Cabaret atmosphere**

Sit back and relax at a table with friends and family! Your ticket includes *wine, soft drinks, cheese, crackers, fruit, coffee, tea and dessert*

## **Tickets on sale after all Masses this weekend**

***Tickets are \$10 each.*** Forms are available in the Narthex to give you the opportunity to create tables of up to eight people.

## **Volunteers for creating table centerpieces needed**

Are you creative? Do you like to do crafts? We'll give you the table number holder and the logo of one of the shows we're featuring, and you can take it from there to create your own masterpiece! Email Patti Surico at [psurico78@gmail.com](mailto:psurico78@gmail.com) or sign up in the Narthex if you are interested.

ST. THOMAS  
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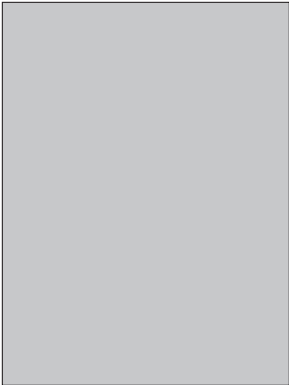
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**Half Page - \$150**



**Quarter Page -  
\$75**



**Memorial/Family  
Booster - \$25**



**Family Photo Ad  
\$40**



**One-Line Family  
Acknowledgement  
\$15**

# **Sample Layouts**



*May Jesus continue  
to guide our steps,  
love one another  
and welcome all  
who enter our doors.*



*Your Family Name  
Here*





*Here's to  
50 More!*

*Congratulations from  
The Dawson Family*

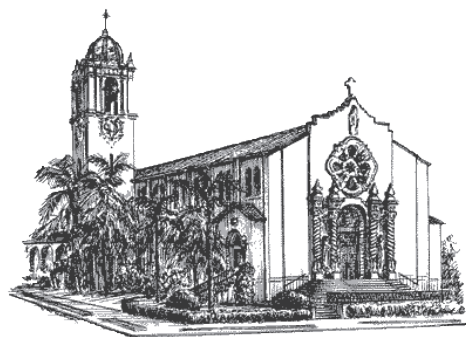
*John  
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James*



*Congratulations on 50 Years  
of Amazing Ministry  
from your neighbors down the street at*

*Mary Help of Christians  
Catholic Church*

*Ridgewood, N. J.*



*Happy 50th Anniversary,  
St. Thomas More Parish!*

*With Love from  
the Smith Family*

*Ted  
Sue  
Mary  
Louie*

*In Loving Memory  
of  
Suzy Snowflake*



*In Gratitude from  
the Jones Family*



*To God Be the Glory!*


*Our Second Family,  
St. Thomas More!*

*Paul & Edna Barone*

*This is the day  
the Lord has made!*

*May God Bless  
the Parish of  
St. Thomas More  
for 50 more!*

*Andrew Peter*




Congratulations,  
St. Thomas More Church!

The White Family



Here's to 50 More!

The Gray Family




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The Gray Family



*In Memory Of  
Your Family  
Member*



*In Memory Of  
Your Friend*



*In Memory Of  
The Ames Family*



*In Memory Of  
Delores Brown*



*In Memory Of  
John Smith*



*In Memory Of  
Mary*



*In Memory Of  
Your Family  
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*In Memory Of  
The Ames Family*



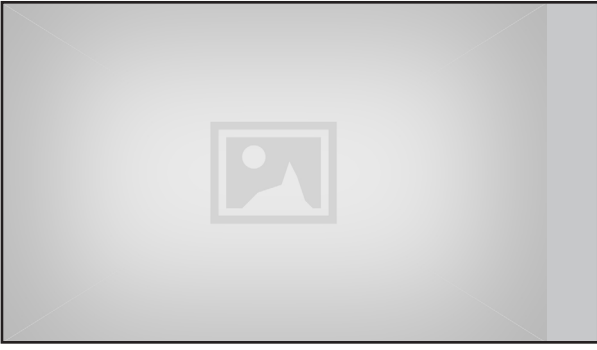
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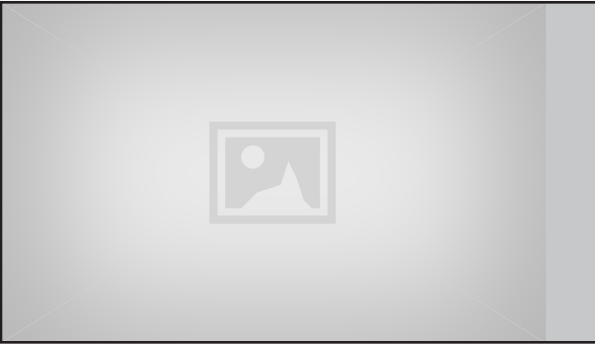
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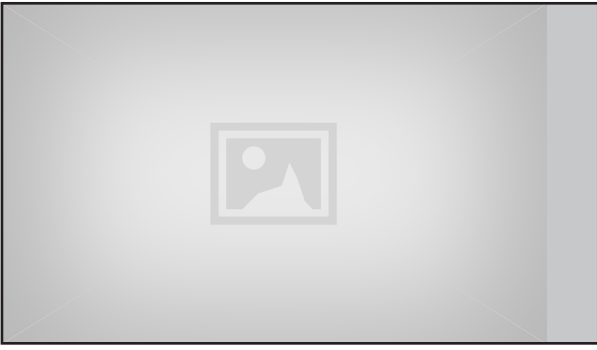
*In Memory Of  
Mary*



God Bless!  
The Jones Family



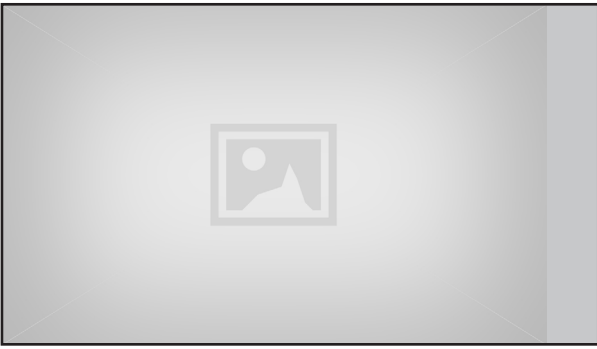
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 JORDAN  
 MARTIN BRAUN  
 JAELYN ORTEGA  
 STERLING HEBERT  
 SHAWN ADKINS  
 ZARIA STANTON  
 NATHEN SANTANA  
 MAEVE WOODS  
 CHRISTINA SCHROEDER  
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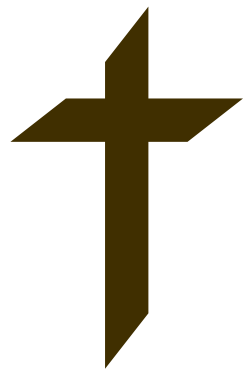
# Font Choices

Serif

*Script*

Artwork

For full page, half page, quarter page, and booster ads, you may submit your own artwork. Artwork must be provided at 300dpi resolution or as vector graphics. Otherwise you may choose one of our standard clipart options below.





# St. Thomas More R.C. Church

115 KINGS HIGHWAY • HAUPPAUGE, NEW YORK 11788-4204  
(631) 234-5551 • FAX: (631) 234-6412

## 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Journal Advertising Form

Advertiser: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone/FAX \_\_\_\_\_

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

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_ Total Cost: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Instructions: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_


**We wish to advertise in the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Journal supporting St. Thomas More Parish.**


- Ad Size:**    Family Booster, \$25    Memorial Booster, \$25    Quarter Page, \$75  
 Half Page, \$150    Full Page, \$275    One-line Family Acknowledgement, \$15  
 Family Photo Ad, \$40 *(family photos to be taken at parish after each Mass on weekends: 7/29 & 7/30, 8/5 & 8/6 and 8/12 & 8/13; Please RSVP for the day and time by calling the Rectory at 631-234-5551 and ask for or leave a message for Theresa)*

### ADVERTISING

- Exact ad is attached *(please scale to size)*    \*PDF file of ad is emailed    Ad wording is below  
*\*Please email PDF file to [stm50journal@stmli.org](mailto:stm50journal@stmli.org)   **ALL ADS ARE DUE BY JULY 31, 2017***

**AD TEXT** *(please print CLEARLY – type and placement determined by Journal Committee)*

 For examples of ads, please see samples at the church website, [www.stmli.org](http://www.stmli.org).

 To adhere to copyright law, please use personal photos for ads, or professional photos with permission from the photographer/copyright holder.

**Ads should be returned to the Parish Office.**

Please make checks payable to:  
*St. Thomas More R.C. Church*

Please contact the Parish Office at  
631-234-5551 for credit cards.