

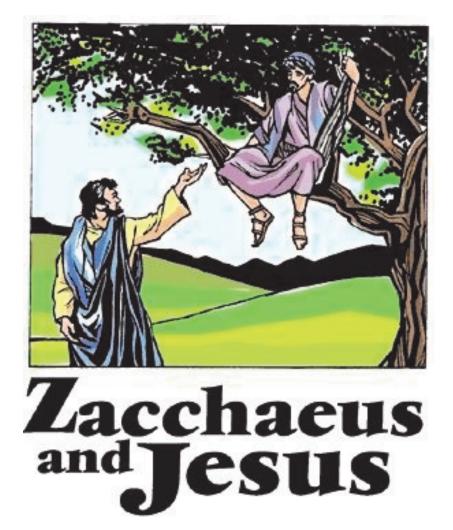
### Catholic Church Community of

# St. Thomas More

115 Kings Highway, Hauppauge, NY 11788-4221

### November 3, 2019

### Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time



#### Parish Mission Statement:

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

**Rectory** 234-5551 FAX 234-6412

#### **Contact Numbers**

**Religious Ed** 234-0397 FAX 234-1199 Outreach 234-3149 FAX 234-1199

### Masses for this coming week

November 3, 2019 Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time Wisdom 11: 22-12:2 Psalm 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13, 14 2 Thessalonians 1:11-2:2 Luke: 19: 1-10

### Saturday, November 2— The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls' Day)

9am All Souls Novena (Anticipated Mass for Sunday) 5pm All Souls Novena Sunday, November 3—Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time 8:00am All Souls Novena

8.00am All Souls Novena 9·15am All Souls Novena 10:45am All Souls Novena 12:15pm All Souls Novena Monday, November 4—St. Charles Borromeo All Souls Novena 9am **Tuesday, November 5** All Souls Novena 9am Wednesday, November 6 All Souls Novena 9am **Thursday, November 7** Terri Ilardi McKee by Andrew & Chris Paino 9am Friday, November 8 Lillian Munzer by Len Munzer 9am

Saturday, November 9—Dedication of The Lateran Basilica

9am Bob Druckenmiller by Ross & Marie Bracco (Anticipated Mass for Sunday)
5pm Mickelson & Williams Families by Barbara Mickelson, Terry Pankus by Al Pankus, Dolores Spegman by Howard Spegman, Betty Tall by Joseph & Theresa Stassi, Noriene Greening by Joseph & Linda Lamberta, Bob Druckenmiller by Deacon Ed & Laura Vigneaux
Sunday, November 10—Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am Robert Rosmini by Francine Rosmini
9:15am Paul Kirdahy by The Vrondis Family
10:45am Patricia E. Dorchak by The Mazzotta & Bianco Families
12:15pm Rose Messina by The Columbiettes

### Growing through the Sunday Scriptures

November 10, 2019 Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time 2 MC 7:1-2, 9-14 Psalm 17:1, 5-6, 8, 15 2 Thessalonians 2:16-3:5 Luke: 20:27-38

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Luke:

Some Sadducees, those who deny that there is a resurrection, came forward and put this question to Jesus, saying, "Teacher, Moses wrote for us, If someone's brother dies leaving a wife but no child, his brother must take the wife and raise up descendants for his brother. Now there were seven brothers: the first married a woman but died childless. Then the second and the third married her, and likewise all the seven died childless. Finally the woman also died. Now at the resurrection whose wife will that woman be? For all seven had been married to her." Jesus said to them, "The children of this age marry and remarry; but those who are deemed worthy to attain to the coming age and to the resurrection of the dead neither marry nor are given in marriage. They can no longer die, for they are like angels; and they are the children of God because they are the ones who will rise. That the dead will rise even Moses made known in the passage about the bush, when he called out 'Lord, ' the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob; and he is not God of the dead, but of the living, for to him all are alive."

#### Focus Questions:

1. Relate a time when someone asked you a trick question. How did you respond?

2. Describe a time when you questioned if there was life after death. How did you deal with it?

3. Relate a time when someone with no or weak faith questioned your belief in the afterlife.

### Family and children's question:

Talk about family members who have died. Remember them in your prayers this week.

### FR. ANTONY'S LETTER

Dear Friends,

At a reception, a young man was asked by a woman to guess her age. "You must have some idea," she said, as he hesitated.

"I have several ideas," he admitted, with a smile. "The trouble is that I hesitate whether to make it ten years younger on account of your looks or ten years older on account of your wisdom." It is always very difficult and dangerous to define any human being because the truth of/about a person is bigger than what that person shows of himself/herself or is perceived of himself/herself by others.

**Today's Gospel is the story of how Zacchaeus was seen by Jesus** and judged by others. Jesus valued Zacchaeus for what he can become, while others judged him for what he has become. Others nailed him to what he did and imprisoned him in his past. Jesus frees him to what he would be able to do.

Jesus saw in him what others failed to see. By self-inviting himself for a dinner at Zacchaeus' house, Jesus released in him the power of what he can become. The so-called sinner now boldly promises "Behold, half of my possessions, Lord, I shall give to the poor, and if I have extorted anything from anyone I shall repay it four times over." Jesus too approves the release of new spiritual power in him by saying, "Today salvation has come to this house." Let us not judge. Let us try to see people as Jesus sees. Every sinner has a saintly future, as every saint has a sinful past.

**November is the month we pray for those who lived with us** and left us to be with God. Death is the reality of the biological body. As the Word of God explains, our body bears the Image of God (Genesis 1:28) and is the Temple of the Holy Spirit (Paul's Letter to Corinthians 3: 16-17). Body has its own limitation and can hold life only for limited time. But that is realized in the Body, the Spirit of God lives forever. Our beloved finished their earthly bodily life. Now they are called by God to live eternally in God's presence. Please pray that they have eternal rest and enjoy God face to face living eternally.

Last Sunday the eighth graders volunteered in the heavy rain helping the annual clothing drive. The parish appreciates all their hard work with spirit of smile and generosity. In the evening the sixth graders highlighted the Youth mass at 5:30 pm taking part in various ministries of being ushers, readers, greeters. They also demonstrated to the community through pictures and arts how God cares for the creation and how much we should be part of God's creative work. Bravo sixth graders. Thank you all. Let us encourage our teenagers in their faith life. Catholic Ministry Appeal 2019: Our Parish's assessment this year is \$ 70,100. So far we have made 55.2% of our Goal. When we reach our goal we will get our rebate closer to \$13,000. Thus our generosity will serve both others and our parish by rebate. Weekend of Nov. 9 & 10 we have special envelopes to financially meet our Goal. Please be generous. Envelopes are also found on the bulletin stands in the Narthex.

With love and prayers, Fr. Antony

#### PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. Antony Asir, Pastor Deacon Robert D. Weisz Deacon Edward R. Vigneaux Deacon Matthew T.J. Surico **Religious Education** Mary Ellen Carroll, Director **Parish Outreach** Staffed by volunteers **Music Ministry** Emilia Savarese, Facilitator **Youth Ministry** Dan Haggerty, Youth Minister

#### OUR PARISH SACRAMENTAL LIFE

#### EUCHARIST

Weekend Masses: Saturday: 5pm Sunday: 8am, 9:15am, 10:45am, 12:15pm Weekday Mass: 9am, Monday through Saturday. **BAPTISM-** As soon as your child is born, please call the Parish Office to make Baptism arrangements. Preparation session and welcoming Mass attendance are required. **MARRIAGE-** As soon as a couple decides to marry, and BEFORE making any other arrangements, call the Church Office to schedule an appointment with the Parish

Office or one of the deacons. **RECONCILIATION**- Celebrated in Church every Saturday from 4pm to 4:45pm, or by previous appointment with Parish Office. **SACRAMENT OF THE SICK-** Call the Church Office to request visitation of the sick.

**CONFIRMATION-** Those who have not been confirmed should call the Parish Office to receive further information. **HOLY ORDERS-** Contact the Parish Office for more information about the priesthood or diaconate.

### SUPPORT COLLECTION

Collection of October 27, 2019 \$5,637.25

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.

### CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL 2019

#### as of October 23, 2019

Our Parish Goal\$70,Pledges to date\$38,Percentage of Goal

\$70,100.00 \$38,720.00 55.2%



This Fall, couples who have been married fifty years will be honored at a Mass on **Sunday**,

**November 3, 2019** at Maria Regina Roman Catholic Church in Seaford.

Mass will begin at 2:00 pm,

Bishop Andrzej Zglejszewski will preside.

Registration forms and complete instructions can be obtained at the rectory. Space is limited, registration will be accepted on a first come first served basis.



### USED EYEGLASSES NO LONGER NEEDED

Thank you to all who generously donated eye glasses for the poor mountain people of Peru. The ophthalmologist who travelled to Peru annually to volunteer his services there has retired and will not be going to Peru anymore. Therefore we will no longer be collecting eye glasses.

### **OUR PRIEST CELEBRANTS**

(Subject to last minute changes)

This Weekend (Nov. 2/3) Next Weekend (Nov. 9/10)

Fr. Antony

Msgr. Boccafola Fr. Antony Fr. Antony Fr. Rajan Msgr. Boccafola

Msgr. Boccafola Fr. Rajan Fr. Fred Fr. Bala



<u>Satur</u>day

Sunday

9:15am

10:45am

12:15pm

5 pm

8 am

### MINISTRY MATTERS AT ST. THOMAS MORE

### **RCIA TEAM**

Our Purpose and Responsibilities To share our faith with those who express a desire to become a Catholic Christian and to lead them to the Sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation.

### THE RCIA NEEDS EVERYONE

Just as it take an entire village to raise a child, it takes all the gifts and talents of a loving and prayerful community to make a committed Catholic Christian.

#### THEREFORE...

We invite ALL Members of St. Thomas More to join us in praying for those seeking to join us in our Faith Community and welcoming those who are now on their journey to the Easter Sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation.

### THE RCIA NEEDS EVERYONE!



## PRAY FOR THE SICK

Arlene, ASB, Richard Banyon, Bernadette, Pamela Brosnan, Barbara Cappisillo, Kathy Capuano, Dona Caragol, David Cartwright, Paul Connors, Marlene DiChristina, Walt Drechsler Jr., Walter Drechsler, Rosemarie Flore, Marilyn Gast, Jerry Georgis, Gina, John H, Tom H, Laurie Holmes, Joseph Jacklets, Chris Kenney, Kevin Kenney, Shaun Kenney, Jean Marsala Kieffner, Nicolas Lorusso, Lauren Lossani, MarvLee Manfre, Rob McGurrin, Kieran Mock, Joan Nachtman, Jean Noschese, Pat O'Connell, Beatrice Okorn, Barbara P, Brienne P, Joe P, Maura Reddy, Rosalie Rocchio, Sue Rukchael, Carlene, Robert & Kim Shenowitz, Charles & Peggy Stepanek, Robert Strommer, MaryAnn Tinger, Richard Tulipan, Chase Turano, Andrew J. Valentine, Andrew M. Valentine, Rosalind Warmuth, Diane Weisz, Janet Weil, Don Wieman.

This listing will expire on March 31, 2020.

### CALENDAR CLUB WINNERS

### Congratulations!

Here are the winners from Oct. 27-Nov. 2, 2019

10/2719`	\$50	686 Mary Ellen Skrzypek
10/2819	\$25	562 Eileen Santangelo
10/2919	\$25	482 Donna Fortmeyer
10/3019	\$25	671 Barbara Mickelson
10/3119	\$25	114 Ed & Arleen Rogan
11/01/19	\$25	808 James P. McGuire
11/02/19	\$25	225 Clarke Family

### PRAY FOR THE DECEASED

Maria Carmen Duran, Sam Cardillo, Dominick Terra, Peter Ferro, Charles J. Capilets Sr., our deceased loved ones and our deceased service men and women.

USING FAITH DIRECT? - It's quick and easy!

Consider having automatic deductions from either your checking or savings or use a credit card to support

St. Thomas More each week. With Faith Direct, there is no fee to you! Please visit the Faith Direct website at <u>www.FaithDirect.net</u> to sign up: our church code is **NY227**. You may also use the form located where you obtain the bulletin. We thank you for your support.

**UPDATING CREDIT CARD INFORMATION**—If you get a new card or a renewal card, make sure that this information is communicated to Faith Direct.

**CONTRIBUTION ENVELOPES**—If you do not receive weekly envelopes and would like them mailed to you, please use the cut out that is in the bulletin and indicate that you wish to receive them on a regular basis. Usually it takes about two weeks for your request to be completed.

#### MAINTENANCE COLLECTION

We thank you for your support of our parish project to maintain our parish facilities. If you would like to help, please use a maintenance envelope where you obtain the bulletin.

**CEREAL BOX TOP COUPONS**—Drop them off in the Church lobby drop-off box and we will use them to buy things for the students in our regional school.

**USED CELL PHONES**—We thank everyone for giving us their old cell phones. We forward them to a

convent that recycles them and uses the proceeds for the poor.

*RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS*—You can check online for any updates at http://calendar.yahoo.com/ stmreled.

**HOLY FAMILY REGIONAL SCHOOL,** Commack, New York—Grades Nursery through 8th Grade. You may contact the school at parents@holyfamilyregional.com to schedule a tour of the parish's regional school, or visit the school website at www.holyfamilyregional.com

### PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

Ethan Bernstein Jessie Bernstein Joseph Blaugrund Anthony Broncatello John Burk Collin Busto David Chester John Chester Nicholas Chester Theresa Chester Collin J. Crean Eddie Cullum Eric Cullum Adam Cussen David Cussen Capt. Sean Michael Dolan P. J. Erskin Timothy Fallon Nicholas W. Flanary J.T. Foltz Mike Foltz Michael Gioia William Gregory Carl F. Greiner Philip Gudone John Michael Haffner Sean Hendrikson Tylor J. Hickey Kevin Ilyichenko

John Karies Michael Knipper Dylan Kowalski Thomas LaFemina Alex Lombardi Andrew Lombardi Lt. Clint Lorance Scott Lovelock Andrew Lvnch Troy A. Maida, William Maley Thomas Migliara Tim Morris Ryan Murphy John Nachtman Kaitlvn Nachtman **Thomas Nichols** Adam Papaizai Michael Poist Michael Polanski Kyle Rathje Antonia Marie Rivera Ann Karen Sanchez Justin Schneider Christopher Sidor Christopher Singer Rvan Smith Michael White

If you have a service member or know of someone who is serving our country and you would like to have his or her name added to this list, please submit the name through the collection basket or the Church Office. If a person has returned from the military services, please let us know.

### YOUNG AT HEART

At the **Nov. 8** meeting at **12:30 pm**, a Health Insurance representative will be giving a Medicare Seminar. Do you have questions about Medicare? Are you familiar with the different plans? Attend the seminar to find out. This will be open to all parishioners.

### THIS WEEK AT ST. THOMAS MORE

(*Not totally inclusive*) Sunday—November 3 10:45am—RCIA—Kirwin Hall 2pm—Baptism (Orlowski)—Church Monday—November 4 5pm—DRVC-Child Lures Program —Walden Hall **Tuesday—November 5** 3:00—Alpha—Kitchen 6:30pm—Alpha—Walden Hall 7:00pm—Adoration—Church Wednesday, November 6 5pm—Knights of Columbus —Kitchen 7pm—Knights of Columbus—Walden Hall Thursday—November 7 10:30am—Lev. 2 Communion Catechist meet.— Walden Hall 5:30pm—Children's Choir—Church 6:30pm—Wedding Rehearsal Whalen/Westin— Church 7:30pm—Lev. 2 Communion Catechist meet.— Walden Hall 7:30pm—Choir—Church Friday—November 8 12:30pm—Young at Heart—Kitchen & Walden Hall 5:30pm—Wedding: Whalen/Westin—Church Saturday—November 9 2pm—Baptism (Russo)—Church 3pm—Baptism (Padilla)—Church 5pm—Kof C Veterans Mass—Church & Outside

#### Recipients of the St. Agnes Medal



Congratulations to Barbara and Joe Fratamico recipients of the St. Agnes Medal. Thank you for your many years of dedicated service to St. Thomas More Church



Focus on Religious Freedom <u>www.cffor.org</u> Dishonest Language – Example #1 "Do No Harm" Act would Greatly Harm Religious Freedom for Doctors & More

Archbishop Chaput has decried dishonest language. The mislabeled "Do No Harm" Act, does the exact opposite of its name since it eliminates religious freedom protections for employers and medical professionals. The "Do No Harm" Act gives more privileges to those claiming to be offended than to those exercising their religious freedom First Amendment rights. The "Do No Harm" Act includes the broad phrase dignity to essentially end any religious exemptions.

Since this Act is Designed to amend the Religious Freedom Restoration Act (RFRA) of 1993, it removes exemptions for religious doctors, nurses, or any medical professional giving access to, information about, referrals for, provision of, or coverage for, any health care item or Service.

This means that doctors could be forced to perform genderreassignment surgeries or prescribe hormone-blocking prescriptions. It would remove religious exemptions for those who do not want to provide referrals for abortion. The Act has the potential to target and eliminate exemptions for protected religious speech since a person might claim that hearing speech about a religious belief causes him/her dignity harm. The "Do No Harm" Act could erase all religious exemptions in America.

(washingtontimes.com,3/17/19; hrc.org; reporternews.com, 7/6/19;christianheadlines.com,9/19/19;nationalreview.com, 9/19/19; catholicnewsagency.com,9/19/19)

Archbishop Chaput tells us: "Words are important because they shape our thinking, and our thinking drives our actions. Dishonest language leads to dishonest debate and bad laws."



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.

Our next meeting will be on November 11, 2019.at 2:30 pm. The book for discussion will be **Sold on a Monday** by Kristina McMorris— Facilitator: Maria Rotolico.

We meet on the second Monday of the month at 2:30 pm in the Meeting Room. For further and/or to register, call Marilyn at 631-234-5805 or Joan at 631-234-1739.

### SOCIAL MEDIA & EMAIL

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Altar Servers Ministry: <a href="mailto:altarservers@stmli.org">altarservers@stmli.org</a> Personal PrayerSpiritualOrientations.comTo contact a member of the Pastoral Council use the following:Barbara & Joe Fratamico at		Outreach:	outreach@stmli.org
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<b>PARISH OUTREACH</b> "Give us this day our daily bread"		
Coffee/Tea ** Tomato Sauce **		
Macaroni & Cheese **		
Boxed Milk**		
Canned Vegetables **		
Canned Yams **		
Toothpaste **		
Liquid Laundry Detergent **		
Shampoo		
	ur daily bread" Coffee/Tea ** Tomato Sauce ** Macaroni & Cheese ** Boxed Milk** Canned Vegetables ** Canned Yams ** Toothpaste ** Liquid Laundry Detergent **	

\*\* We are in great need of these items as we often run low on them. Non-perishable foods may be left in the bins at the entrance to the Narthex. We are always grateful for your generosity!

#### Outreach is open Monday to Thursday 10 AM to 2 PM Phone: 631-234-3149

Outreach provides assistance with food, referrals and information regarding other agencies to meet various family needs and other emergency assistance. If you know of someone in need, please share our phone number. All information is confidential.

Our Thanksgiving Food Drive begins the weekend of November 2-3. Many of our families do not have large ovens so smaller turkeys (less than 15 pounds) or turkey breasts work best for them.

### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

"In the Gospel today, Zacchaeus accepts our Lord joyfully; and the sign of his acceptance is his open house and his resolution to give half of his goods to the poor Through your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul you also show your acceptance of our Lord by joyfully sharing your goods with your neighbor who is hopeless, alone and frightened Thank you for your help.

### **COURTESY ANNOUNCEMENTS**

(First Notice)

Vendors Wanted for Saint James Church Christmas Fair—Saturday, December 7, 2019—contact Megan Peters or Fr. Jerry Cestare at 631-941-4141.

**Divorced or Separated Catholics of Long Island Including widows, widowers and singles**—A social organization for single persons—New Member Orientation Meeting—**Tuesday, November 26th at 7:30 PM**—KofC Council #6526 of St. Frances De Chantal—**1869 Wantagh Ave, Wantagh**—For info call Carol 516-794-4933. *(Second Notice)* 

**Our Lady of the Rosary Columbiettes—Annual Chinese Auction** to benefit Good Shepherd Hospice & Sts. Cyril and Methodius Outreach and Children of Hope—**Sunday, Nov. 3, 2019—auditorium of St. Cyril & Methodius Church** (Half Hollow Road & Deer Park Avenue, Deer Park). Doors open at 12:30pm. Admission is \$12. Buy your tickets early—call Donna at 631-667-0503. Great Prizes, including gift certificates.

Molloy College Fall Open House—Sunday, Nov. 9 @ 1pm. Molloy College, Rockville Centre (516) 323-4000. The Branch Funeral Home—"Coping with the Holidays after the Loss of a Loved One".—November 16, 2019— 10:30 am to 12 noon. Facilitated by Eileen McCormick LMHC, Bereavement Specialist—The Branch Funeral Home, 190 East Main Street, Smithtown.



Congratulations Chaminade High School Students:

<u>National Honor Society</u> Connor Heslin Brandon M. Feltz Kieran Q. Morse Kyle J. Schofield

**Academic Awards Honor Pins** 

*Senior Gold* Connor P. Heslin

*Junior Bronze* Brandon M. Feltz

Sophomore Bronze Nicholas J. Barshay Anthony DeMonte James J. Kiley

### **Holy Hour**

Our next parish Holy Hour will be held on Tuesday, November 5th, from 7-8 PM in the church. This is our monthly opportunity for the devotion of Adoration, where we gaze upon Jesus, truly present in the Blessed Sacrament.

As usual, we will pray Evening Prayer (Vespers) from the Liturgy of the Hours and the Chaplet of Divine Mercy. There will be Benediction at the close of the hour. There will be ample time for quiet meditation.

Come and take time to find peace in the One who gave his life so that we may have eternal life.

All are welcome!



#### Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time — November 3, 2019

### **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 LITURGI-CAL MINISTER OR WANT TO SHARE YOUR TALENTS?

Please complete the following form: I would like to volunteer in the following parish ministry:

() Altar Server	() Hospitality
() Usher (	) Greeter
() RCIA (	) Liturgy with Children
() Lector (	) Eucharistic Minister
() Consolation Ministe	er () Landscaping/
Planting	
() Rosary Altar Society	y () Pre-Cana
() Caring for Altar Pla	nts () FOCCUS
()Adult Lending Libra	ry () Banner Committee
Name::	
Address:	
Phone:	

Please return to the Rectory for processing.

### CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL 2019

I/we would like to support the Catholic Ministries Appeal for 2019.

NAME(s) ADDRESS:

#### **PHONE:**

Amount of the pledge: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

( ) Check for entire amount is enclosed.

( ) Installment enclosed. I/We would like to pay the rest in \_\_\_\_\_ installments.

Please return to the Rectory for further processing.

### 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)

### **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

<u>Cablevision</u> - 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 Charities—many positions both full time & part time available- check Employment Bulletin Board outside Walden Hall for complete list.

Per Diem Driver-Chemical Dependence Services-Commack

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., \$13.00 per hr.-15 hrs.

<u>Geico Insurance</u>—Sales reps, mgt. trainees, claim services reps. —750 Woodbury Rd, Woodbury, NY. 9am –3pm, M-F, Open House, but apply on line first. Valid Photo ID required.

#### Healthcare Opportunities -

1. Good Samaritan Hospital, 631.969.8200

2. Mather Hospital, 631.476.2774

3. Brookhaven Hospital, 631.447.3708

4. Maryhaven, 631.474.4120, X212 - Contact Maryhaven directly

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

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.

7-Eleven--Owner is a member of St. Thomas More--Multiple positions - PT- minimum age 17. Students welcome.

ShopRite Supermarket--Various positions open; apply on-line or go to ShopRite in Hauppauge.

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

#### St. Catherine of Siena-

1. <u>Nursing Home</u>—Nurse Practitioners, RN supervisors, Recreation Therapists, FT/PT nights, P/T days and weekends, Rehab PT/ FT—dietary;

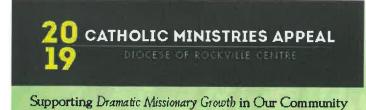
- 2. Hospital-Lab Technologist & Medical Lab assistant. Physical Therapists
- 3. <u>Physical Therapy Aides</u>—PT/ Sport Services, Hauppauge. Mon. thru Fri., days and evenings.
- 4. <u>Nurse Manager</u>—MRI techs, CT techs, Lab techs.

The Garage—Drivers & Delivery—To deliver orders PT.

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.





Witnessing Forgiving Loving Helping Teaching Igniting Evangelizing Teaching Igniting Evangelizing Forgiving Loving Helping Witnessing

### The Catholic Ministries Appeal supports our efforts to:



LIVE AND SHARE OUR FAITH by providing support for religious education programs for public school children, faith formation for those receiving the Sacraments, and vocations for the formation of our Priests, Deacons and Lay Leaders.

**CARE FOR GOD'S PEOPLE** through support for the great works of our Parish Outreach programs and Catholic Charities. The Appeal also supports other programs that help us care for God's people, including: our hospital and prison ministries, Respect Life initiatives, and our Mission in the Dominican Republic.





BUILD GOD'S KINGDOM by supporting programs that reach out to Catholics of all races and backgrounds, celebrate special needs Masses for children and adults, and support vibrant college campus ministry and dynamic youth ministry programs.

Next weekend we will give everyone an opportunity to make a gift - if you have not already done so - to the Catholic Ministries Appeal.

Thank You!

www.CatholicMinistriesAppeal.org



Supporting Dramatic Missionary Growth in Our Community





Witnessing Fargiving Loving Helping Teaching Igniting Evangelizing "We must always walk in the presence of the Lord, in the light of the Lord..."

-Pope Francis

The Catholic Ministries Appeal enables us to serve more than 600,000 people in our community each year.

By joining together and sharing our gifts, we help to:

- Feed and clothe the needy
- Comfort the sick and dying
- · Protect the dignity of all life
- Teach our children about our Faith through religious education programs
- · Educate seminarians on their path to becoming priests
- Support outreach programs at the Parish level
- Bring our Faith to young people through youth, young adult and campus ministry programs

Please prayerfully consider making a donation to the Appeal through the Catholic Ministries Appeal envelope. Self-mailer brochures with envelopes are provided in the back of the church.

> Thank You! www.CatholicMinistriesAppeal.org













## **October Youth Mass**









Upcoming Youth Masses Sundays @ 5:30pm Nov 24 Dec 22 Jan 26 Feb 23 Mar 22 Apr 26 May 31 June 28





### **Religious Ed News.....Look What Our Children Are Doing!**



The sixth graders learned that caring for God's creation is part of our Christian faith. They learned about what Pope Francis said about protecting our environment. They made posters showing how much stuff gets thrown away. They made prayer cards that were given out after Youth Mass.



The second graders donated toys to children in Haiti. The toys and other supplies will be shipped by boat and will arrive in time for Christmas.

ST. THOMAS MORE PARISH OUTREACH

### THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE NOVEMBER 2019

Items needed for the baskets: **Smaller** Turkey or Ham, Potatoes, Stuffing, Turkey Gravy, Cranberry Sauce, Canned Vegetables, Applesauce Coffee, Tea & Desserts SHOP RITE/STOP AND SHOP GIFT CARDS ARE ALWAYS WELCOMED



Non-Perishable Food may be left at church Turkeys can be dropped off at Outreach M-Th from 10 -2 **No later than Thursday November 21<sup>st</sup>please!!** 

Thank you for your generosity.





## Young At Heart Halloween Celebration





















## **St. Thomas More Msgr. Midura Council #6062**

## <u>15th Annual Spaghetti Dinner</u> <u>A.K.A "The Feast"</u>

Date:Saturday, November 16, 2019Time:6:00 pmLocation:St. Thomas More Church

Come on down and Enjoy our Italian feast of foods So the menu this year will be as follows.



<u>Main course</u> Spaghetti Meatballs Eggplant Sausage and peppers



Salad and of course bread.

Chicken

This also includes cake, coffee, beer, wine, soda, DJ.

The ticket prices are \$15pp. Lots of Raffles Share the Wealth Door Prizes Tickets can be purchased early. Ticket Sales in Narthex Starting October 26 Limited Seating - No Tickets will be sold at the Door

Groups of more than eight need to

Contact PGK Stephen Loccisano 631-357-4122 E-mail: snlocc@aol.com

#### \*\*\*\*\*New \*\*\*\*\*

Will will be collecting food donations for our Outreach. With every food item you donate you receive FREE raffle tickets . \*\* Select Group of Prizes\*\*

## WE PRAY FOR OUR

## BELOVED DECEASED

### BURIED FROM OUR CHURCH THIS YEAR

Andy Agostí Maríanne Alese Elízabeth (Betty) Baker Theresa Basíl Joan Bedosky Mary Bein Angelína Bove Eduardo Bravo Geraldíne Butíndarí Joseph Calvacca IV Brandon Camalích Jerome A. Campo Gíacínto (Vínny) Chíarella Patrícía Dorchak Robert (Bob) Druckenmiller June Dutton Ríta Eichberger George Eisenhauer Richard Erali Sr. Maryann Ferro

Louis Fontana Míchael Gallagher Edíth Gallarello James Hartnett Harold Hyman Aníta Ilardí Paul Kírdahy Líbby Marzella Ralph Manginello Carol A. McCrave Terrí Ann McKee Rose Messína Maríe Minutíllo Carolyn Molloy Frank Morettí Maureen Murphy Catherine O'Keefe Vincent Pavlic Eusebío (Peppy) Perez Joseph Phelan

Leonel Marques Ramos Domíníque Rea Mary Reilly Thomas Salentíno Jr. Rose Salerno Mary Grace Scalise Míldred Sellítto Jim Loutfy Shehata Edward Smith Charles Struzínskí John Lawrence Sullívan Jr. Rocco Vastí August (Augíe) Vrondís Joseph Wooley