



Catholic Church Community of
St. Thomas More

115 Kings Highway, Hauppauge, NY 11788-4221

July 18, 2021

Sixteenth 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.

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Masses for this coming week

July 18, 2021
Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Jeremiah 23:1-6
Psalm 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6
Ephesians 2: 13-18
Mark 6: 30-34

Growing through the Sunday Scriptures

July 25, 2021
Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
2 Kings 4:42-44
Psalm 145:10-11, 15-16, 17-18
Ephesians 4:1-6
John 6:1-15

Saturday, July 17

(Anticipated Mass for Sunday)

5pm Marie Csarny by *John & Aurelie Miller-Hendry*

Sunday, July 18—Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30am Josephine & Frank Scarcella by *the Shannon family*

12:00noon Bob Kaye by *Ronnie Benentendi*

Monday, July 19

9am James Noonas by *Amy, Richard & Brendan Hughes*

Tuesday, July 20—St. Apolinaris

9am Anne M. DiGiacomo by *the McColgan family*

Wednesday, July 21—St. Lawrence of Brindisi

9am Anne DiGiacomo by *the LoRusso family*

Thursday, July 22—St. Mary Magdalene

9am Marcelo Antonio Aievale Rodriguez by *the Matinod family*

Friday, July 23—St. Bridget

9am Debra Cameron by *the Stuart family*

Saturday, July 24 —St. Sharbel Makhlef

9am Thomas Fine by *Victoria Loeb, Kendall Wajitas, & Faith Rella*

(Anticipated Mass for Sunday)

5pm Rosemarie Migliara by *Michele & Kevin Cloke*

Sunday, July 25—Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30am Fr. Peter Miqueli by *Ann Russo*

12:00noon Vincent Benintendi by *Michele Brosnan*

A reading from the Gospel according to John:

Jesus went across the Sea of Galilee. A large crowd followed him, because they saw the signs he was performing on the sick.

Jesus went up on the mountain, and there he sat down with his disciples. The Jewish feast of Passover was near.

When Jesus raised his eyes and saw that a large crowd was coming to him, he said to Philip, "Where can we buy enough food for them to eat?" He said this to test him, because he himself knew what he was going to do.

Philip answered him, "Two hundred days' wages worth of food would not be enough for each of them to have a little."

One of his disciples, Andrew, the brother of Simon Peter, said to him,

"There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish; but what good are these for so many?"

Jesus said,

"Have the people recline."

Now there was a great deal of grass in that place. So the men reclined, about five thousand in number.

Then Jesus took the loaves, gave thanks, and distributed them to those who were reclining, and also as much of the fish as they wanted. When they had had their fill, he said to his disciples,

"Gather the fragments left over, so that nothing will be wasted."

So they collected them, and filled twelve wicker baskets with fragments from the five barley loaves that had been more than they could eat.

When the people saw the sign he had done, they said, "This is truly the Prophet, the one who is to come into the world."

Since Jesus knew that they were going to come and carry him off to make him king, he withdrew again to the mountain alone.

FR. ANTONY'S LETTER

Dear Friends,

The plumber fixes a leak in the doctor's house – then bills him \$1000.

“This is ridiculous!” the doctor says. “Even I don't charge that much.”

The plumber says, “Neither did I when I was a doctor.”

Life is not about what happens to us. Rather it is about what we do with what happens to us. Life blossoms when we begin to live from the reflection of what happened to us. Life suffocates when we begin to live reacting to all that has happened to us.

Today's Gospel is the continuation of last week's. In last week's Gospel Jesus sent his disciples on a mission in His name with His power. In this week's Gospel the disciples return and report all that they had done and taught. The Gospel of Luke (Lk. 10:17-20) gives the report of the disciples a little more in detail, the wonders and miracles that they were able to accomplish. So it is no wonder that ‘people were coming and going in great numbers, and Jesus and His disciples had no opportunity even to eat.’ But Jesus took them to a deserted place to rest a while.

The well-known economic principle is: when the demand is great, the supply (service) can easily be sold for a higher price. The great number of people flocking to Jesus and His disciples should have been a great opportunity to ‘sell’ His mission. But Jesus led His disciples to be away from the people. Is it a cheap technique of Jesus to increase demand by making the essential service not so easily available? NO. Not at all. Jesus is not working after economic models. He took them away to inspire them - to work on the Kingdom model.

He takes them away from the din of demand from the people to the silence of the desert, in order not to react/respond to the demand but to reflect and realize what happened to them in the mission. Their mission is not about working miracles but to become the message of God's kingdom among humans. Their mission is not about how God works for us but how God works in each of us. The missionaries are not agents to act on behalf of God but inspirers to make each one realize that they are God's kingdom.

Jesus wanted the missionaries (disciples) to reflect on the mission not merely to know what they did but how God's power manifested through them is ready to be manifested in each of us.

As missionaries they did not do but became God's mission to His people. Not doing but becoming the mission means that in God's mission to His people, the missionary is not different from the mission. The messenger and message is one and the same. The mission and the missionary are one and the same.

As long as we reflect and realize that we are the expression, not the executor of God's mission, our life will blossom as God's grace and power. God's mission is not how we act or how we react, rather what we reflect and how we realize that God sends us as His missionaries. Our life is both the act of God's mission and expression of God's message. We are God's ministers and ministry. We are servants and stewards of God's service and power.

We will resume the Obligation to attend Sunday Mass on the weekend of August 15th, the Solemn Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. We would celebrate it as a WELCOME HOME Mass.

We will begin all masses of the Weekend of August 14th and 15th with a procession from the Parking Lot to the Church carrying a decorated Statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary. All masses will be celebrated as we used to do before the Pandemic, with the choir and all the ministries participating in the mass. Please spread the news to all our parish families. Let us start back our Normal and Regular celebration of God and our community.

*"We don't
see things
as they are;
we see things
as WE are."*

- Anais Nin

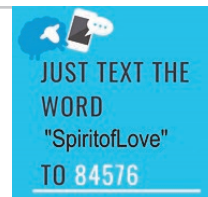


With love and prayers,

Fr. Antony



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To contact a member of the Pastoral Council use the following
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Would you like to receive a daily spiritual reflection or updates of what's happening in our Parish? See below or go to **StThomasMore29.flocknote.com**

***CATHOLIC MINISTRIES
APPEAL 2021***

as of July 12, 2021

Our Parish Goal	\$68,000.00
Pledges to date	\$31,047.00
Percentage of Goal	45.66%

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***Calendar Club Winners
Congratulations!****Here are the winners for July 4—10, 2021*

7/04/2021	\$50	616 Virginia Zablocki
7/05/2021	\$25	258 Dottie Lossani
7/06/2021	\$25	101 Betty Ann & Joe Codispoti
7/07/2021	\$25	628 Ellen & William Lentino
7/08/2021	\$25	221 Vincent Cordina
7/09/2021	\$25	72 The Holdorf family
7/10/2021	\$25	516 Hunter Tate

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

Ethan Bernstein	Michael Knipper
Jessie Bernstein	Kevin Ilyichenko
Joseph Blaugrund	Dylan Kowalski
Anthony Broncatello	Thomas LaFemina
John Burk	Alex Lombardi
Collin Busto	Andrew Lombardi
David Chester	Lt. Clint Lorange
John Chester	Scott Lovelock
Nicholas Chester	Andrew Lynch
Theresa Chester	Troy A. Maida,
Collin J. Crean	William Maley
Eddie Cullum	Thomas Migliara
Eric Cullum	Tim Morris
Adam Cussen	Ryan Murphy
David Cussen	John Nachtman
Capt. Sean Michael Dolan	Kaitlyn Nachtman
P. J. Erskin	Thomas Nichols
Timothy Fallon	Adam Papaizai
Major Michael Fantauzzi	Michael Poist
J.T. Foltz	Michael Polanski
Mike Foltz	Kyle Rathje
Michael Gioia	Antonia Marie Rivera
Carl F. Greiner	Ann Karen Sanchez
Philip Gudone	Justin Schneider
John Michael Haffner	Christopher Sidor
Sean Hendrikson	Christopher Singer
Tylor J. Hickey	Ryan Smith
Kevin Ilyichenko	Michael White
John Karies	

SUPPORT COLLECTIONCollection of **July 11, 2021** **\$3,695.00**

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.

St. Thomas More Parish needs your support now more than ever! Join the parishioners who are using Faith Direct for automated giving to St. Thomas More Parish. Faith Direct offers a safe and secure way to donate to our parish in this time of uncertainty. There is no cost to you, and the program provides a great benefit to our parish. Sign up today by visiting faith.direct/NY227, or text 'Enroll' to 631-250-8141. You can also make a one-time gift by texting a dollar amount to the same number.

Thank you for your continued support of our parish family.
God Bless You,
Fr. Antony

**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. Out next meeting is on September 13th at 2:30 pm. The book for discussion will be **Snow in August by Pete Hamill**—
Facilitator: Caroline DeSantis
We meet on the second Monday of the month. For further info. and/or to register, call Marilyn at 631-234-5805 or Joan at 631-234-1739

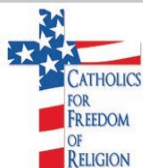
Retirement Humor

My wife said,
"What are you doing today?"

I told her, "Nothing!"

She said you did that yesterday.

I told her, "I didn't finish!"



Catholics for Freedom of Religion

www.cffor.org

Religious Freedom Rights Attacked: an Eagle Scout and a Police Officer

An Eagle Scout Project honoring America's veterans is under fire for mentioning Jesus Christ on a memorial in Monument, Colorado.

The anti-religion group, Military Religious Freedom Foundation (MRFF) objected to the memorial plaque and demanded that it be altered or removed from the public cemetery.

The town retained First Liberty Institute to defend the memorial. "Your attack on a minor who simply intended to honor our veterans is profoundly disrespectful to all involved," wrote a First Liberty attorney to MRFF. ⁽²⁾ It is not yet clear whether private ownership of the cemetery plots will be enough to ward off a lawsuit from MRFF.

A Kentucky police officer was suspended for 4 months after praying the Rosary alone with his father for less than an hour before dawn and off-duty, in civilian clothes, in front of an abortion clinic. After he was reinstated, his Thomas More Society attorney said, "It is astounding to us - shocking actually - that the police department would treat a hardworking loyal officer this way."⁽³⁾

(themix.net, 6/10/21(1); 1.cbn.com, 4/1/21(2); end.com, 6/27/21(3))

From the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops

Let us Pray: Almighty God, we ask you to bless us in our vigilance for the gift of religious liberty. Give us the strength of mind and heart to readily defend our freedoms when they are threatened; give us courage in making our voices heard on behalf of the rights of your Church and the freedom of conscience of all people of faith. Amen

This And That With Deacon Matt



In July and August, Deacon Matt will be making time to visit with small groups of parishioners in the home.

Do you have questions about our faith? Do you find it difficult to follow teachings of the Church in this day and age?

Are there issues you'd like to discuss, or suggestions you'd like to make?

The floor is yours! Deacon Matt will be the facilitator.

The format is simple: find 6-10 people to gather at your home on a specific date, serve dessert, and come with your questions/topics.

Deacon Matt is especially interested in hearing the voice of the young. So teenagers and young adults are most certainly encouraged to get a group together.

To see what dates are available and to sign up, go to a page we've setup on our website:

<https://stmli.org/ThisAndThat2021>.

You may also send an email to

ThisAndThat2021@stmli.org

or leave a message at the Rectory for Deacon Matt to call you.

Congratulations!



Chaminade High School has advised us that the following young parishioners achieved final honor roll average .

Freshman	Robert J. Carboy
Sophomore	Matthew P Masaitis
Junior	Nicholas J. Barshay Anthony DeMonte James J. Kiley

St. Anthony's High School has also advised us that the following students of our parish have received Honor Roll certificates for the fourth quarter of the 2020-2021 school year:

Caleb Aurelien	Andrea Haggety
Olivia Bento	Lauren Heberer
Nicholas Carrieri	John Lynch
Sophia Carrieri	William Mitrus
Nicole DeCanio	Gabirella Niola
Vincent Dentrone	Thomas Popp
Matthew Ficco	

ST. THOMAS MORE NEW MASS SCHEDULE

Effective **August 15, 2021**, the new Mass schedule is as follows:

Saturday	5:00 pm (<i>Anticipated Mass for Sunday</i>)
Sunday	8:00 am
	9:30 am
	11:30 am

All masses will be celebrated in the church.



Furthermore, **effective October 16, 2021 onwards** there will not be a morning Mass on **Saturdays at 9 o'clock.**



PRAY FOR THE SICK

Pamela Brosnan, Kathy Capuano, Paul Connors, Nick Conzo, Veronica Corvasce, Joey Cullem, Pat Delamer, Catherine Desolo, Catherine Regina Jeskie, Jean Kelly, Kevin Kenney, Jean Marsala Kieffner, Walter Knell, Michael Lai, Robert McGurrian, Kieko McKeon, Charles Mallon, Barbara Mickelson, Sharon Mills, Kathy Orta, Al Pankus, Richard Rantz, Helen Reichert, Blair Rocchio, Roseann, John Santangelo, Teagan Elizabeth Silverman (4 yrs), John Spadaro, John Thompson, Andrew J. Valentine, Andrew M. Valentine, Rosalind Warmuth, Janet Weil, Diane Weisz, Julia Westbrook, Edward Zebrowski,

This listing will expire on September 30, 2021.



During these difficult times, as a family of faith, we turn to our Heavenly Father in prayer. You are invited to submit your prayer intentions and those of your family. All prayer intentions will be placed in a basket near the altar in St Thomas More before each Mass. We are streaming Sunday Mass on Saturday at 5pm at www.stmli.org. Daily mass is posted Monday through Friday on [YouTube](https://www.youtube.com)

The basket will serve as a silent reminder that we are united in faith, hope and love as we lift one another up in prayer and support, while placing our trust in the Lord.

“For me, prayer is a surge of the heart; it is a simple look turned toward heaven, it is a cry of recognition and of love, embracing both trial and joy.”

St. Therese of Lisieux

PRAY FOR THE DECEASED

Dr. Bertram A. Holmes PhD, Dolores C. Borowski, Patricia Surico, for all those who have succumbed to COVID-19, 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 www.FaithDirect.net to sign up: our church code is **NY227**. You may also use the form located where you obtain the bulletin or text the word ENROLL to 631-250-8141. 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>.

**St. Thomas More Parish Social Ministry
OUTREACH**



“Love seeks not its own, but the good of others”

Our current needs include:

Pancake Mix

Syrup

Boxed Milk**

Jelly

Canned Tomatoes (28 oz)

Paper Towels **

Bread

Pasta

Spaghetti

Spaghetti Sauce

Macaroni & Cheese

Mayonnaise

Hand Soap **

Canned Fruit

Peanut Butter (smaller jars)

Rice

Canned Vegetables

Apple and other juice**

Coffee (1 pound cans/bags)

Tea Bags

Mustard/Ketchup

Soup (18-22 oz)

Tuna

Shampoo

Toilet Paper

Paper towels**

***we especially need these items*

NO CEREAL AT THIS TIME PLEASE

Please reach out to Parish Outreach if you are, or know of someone in need of support.

Outreach is open Monday through Thursday 10 AM to 2 PM

Phone: 631-234-3149

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus tells his disciples to "Come away by yourselves to a deserted place and rest a while." Vincent de Paul, a great man of action was also a contemplative. His contemplation of God's love overflowed into practical love for the poor.

Please say a special prayer for the poor and forgotten, as you contemplate on your relationship with God.

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:

- | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Altar Server | <input type="checkbox"/> Hospitality |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Usher | <input type="checkbox"/> Greeter |
| <input type="checkbox"/> RCIA | <input type="checkbox"/> Liturgy with Children |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lector | <input type="checkbox"/> Eucharistic Minister |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Consolation Ministry | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Rosary Altar Society | <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Cana |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Caring for Altar Plants | <input type="checkbox"/> FOCCUS |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Landscaping/Planting | <input type="checkbox"/> Choir |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Banner Committee | |

Name::

Address:

Phone:

Please return to the Rectory for processing.

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 the Rectory)

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)

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL 2021

I/we would like to support the Catholic Ministries Appeal for 2021.

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.

St. Thomas More Employment Services

POSITIONS AVAILABLE

NEW—Applebee's (Commack): Positions available. Inquire within.

Auto Zone: Drivers needed. Go to www.autozone.com/careers

BJ's: Local jobs available. Go to: BJs.com/careers

Brendel's Bagels: Deli Clerks, Catering, Kitchen Staff, Drivers. P/T & F/T. Call: 631-656-6828

Brookhaven Laboratories: Many positions available. Go to: <https://jobs.bnl.gov/>

Candlelight Diner: All positions available. Call 631-499-3918 or stop in.

Catholic Charities of Long Island: Many F/T, P/T and hourly positions available. Go to: www.catholiccharities.cc/careers

Catholic Health Services: Many positions available at local hospitals and medical practices: health professionals and non-health care positions. Go to: <https://jobs.chsli.org/>

Chick-fil-A: Local positions available. Go to: cfasmithtown.com

https://elcompanies.taleo.net/careersection/external/jobdetail.ftl?job=211784&lang=en&sns_id=mailto#_YEaHcp0h0M4.mailto

NEW—Community Care Home Health Services. HHAs and PCAs. Call: 516-965-2809.

COVID-19 Vaccine Administration: Seeking nurses. Go to: <https://careers.nyp.org/job/manhattan/vaccination-administrator-registered-nurse-day-evening-shifts/19715/18413593>

CVS Health: Many local positions available. Go to: <https://jobs.cvshealth.com/>

Developmental Disabilities Institute: Local jobs available. Go to: <https://www.ddiny.org/> or call Mary Ann Stein_631-366-2900

1199 SEIU: Healthcare positions available. Go to: <https://ec-1199funds.icims.com/jobs/search>

NEW—Dollar Tree (Hauppauge)— Assistant Store Manager. Go to: www.dollar-tree.com. Reference #299501BR

Dunkin' Donuts/Subway: F/T and P/T Flexible positions available. Call: 718-820-6112

GEICO Insurance: Service and sales positions available. Go to: <https://careers.geico.com/us/en>

Greek Village (Commack): Summer jobs available—all positions. Call:631-499-6590

Hauppauge Palace Diner Immediate Need: Wait Staff – Hostesses – Line Cooks. Go to their Facebook page or stop in person

Liberty Coca Cola: Multiple positions available. Go to www.libertycokecareers.com

Long Island Community Hospital (Patchogue): Multiple positions available. Go to: <https://licommunityhospital.org/careers/>

Mosquito Joe: Full- and Part-Time positions available.

Go to: southshoreny@mosquitojoe.com or call: 631-458-5910

Nassau County: Many P/T & F/T positions available. Go to: www.nassaucountyny.gov/334/Employment.

Northwell Health: Many health and non-health care positions available.

Go to: <https://northwell.edu./job-serch-results>

Panera: Positions available. Go to: <https://careers.panerabread.com/global/en/search-results>

NEW—The Paramount Theater (Huntington): Many positions available. Sign on bonuses.

Send résumé to: kevin@paramountny.com

NEW—Restaurant Reopening—NOSH (formerly Ciro's of Hauppauge): Positions available. Call 631-761-6378

Rite-Aid: Long Island positions available for Pharmacy Technicians and Shift Supervisors. Go to: <https://careers.riteaid.com/jobs>

Safelite Auto Glass: Multiple Long Island jobs open, including the Hauppauge location:

Go to: www.safelite.com/careers

7-Eleven: Local positions available. Go to: <https://careers.7-eleven.com/careers/home>

Stop & Shop (Long Island): 700 P/T jobs being sourced. Many positions. Go to: stopandshopreidsystems.com

Shop Rite: Hauppauge and other Long Island positions available. Go to: <https://shop.shoprite.com/careers>

UPDATED Starbucks: Positions available. Go to: www.starbucks.com/careers

Stony Brook Medical Center: Multiple health & non-health job opportunities available.

Go to: <https://www.stonybrookmedicine.edu/careers>

Suffolk County: Many P/T & F/T positions available. Go to: www.suffolkcountyny.gov/employment or call: 631-853-6540

Suffolk Transportation Services: Drivers, Driver Assistants & Mechanic jobs available.

Go to: <http://applynow.suffolkbus.com/jobs>

Town of Islip-Part-Time Summer Jobs. Recreation, Lifeguards, Swim Instructors, Park Attendant, Many Others.

Go to: www.islipny.gov/part-time-jobs

United States Postal Service (USPS): Many career opportunities available.

Go to: www.usps.com/careers

NEW—Walmart: Overnight Stocking (10 pm to 7am). East Setauket. F/T & P/T. Go to: www.careers.Walmart.com

NEW—White Castle (Commack): Hiring now. Apply in store.

If your business or your employer would like to be included in the available job postings that we will be listing please send an email to John White at: jmtwhite@optonline.net. Please include the position title, the location of the job, and contact information (either yours or the employers).



DIOCESE OF ROCKVILLE CENTRE
OFFICE OF THE BISHOP

July 8, 2021

Dear Father:

I'm writing to request your help.

Some powerful Members of Congress want to take away the Hyde Amendment so taxpayer dollars will pay for abortions for poor women.

When our government offers a woman a free abortion instead of the resources she needs to care for her baby, it is not "choice," but coercion. Taxpayer dollars would be far better spent **supporting women in crisis pregnancies and struggling new mothers** so that no woman ever feels economic pressure to have an abortion.

The Hyde Amendment has been credited with **saving over 2.4 million lives**, and without it, the current abortion rate would likely go up significantly.

Because of the incredibly high stakes, Congress needs to hear from a *massive* number of people before it votes on taxpayer-funded abortion during the second half of July. If we fail to generate sufficient grassroots support for the Hyde Amendment, Congress may conclude that taxpayer-funded abortion is popular.

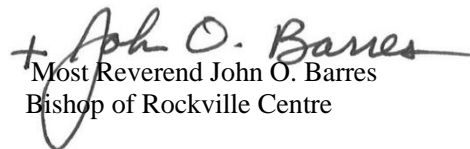
The USCCB has launched a campaign for Catholics to raise their voices on behalf of women. The goal is for *millions of Catholics to sign the petition* on NoTaxpayerAbortion.com by **July 16**.

I invite the people of your parish to join our diocesan response to this nationwide effort. **Its success and the lives of countless people depend on each of us doing our part.**

Easy, ready-to-use tools from the USCCB can be found at respectlife.org/no-taxpayer-abortion. These include an introductory webinar recording, sample announcement, petition to Congress, graphics, flyer, and infographic. (Many of these are also available in Spanish.) Additionally, some [key points](#), [pre-written messages](#), and [ideas for how to use the resources are available](#) for your own reference. (Please do not share these latter documents publicly.)

As Pope Francis has said, "The future of humanity ... is fundamentally in the hands of peoples and in their ability to organize." It is **critically important** for Catholics to send a *strong* message before Congress moves forward to impose taxpayer-funded abortion. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely in Christ,


+ Most Reverend John O. Barres
Bishop of Rockville Centre

PS: Please consider including this announcement in your parish bulletin and other communications: **Stop your tax dollars from going to abortion.** NoTaxpayerAbortion.com



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MSGR. FRANCIS S. MIDURA
8th Annual Golf Outing

\$185 per Golfer

**Includes: Breakfast and Buffet Dinner
with 2 Hour Open Bar
*Practice Facilities *Golf and Cart**

Middle Island Country Club, Middle Island

Tuesday, September 14, 2021

8:00a.m. SHOTGUN START

Registration 6:45a.m.

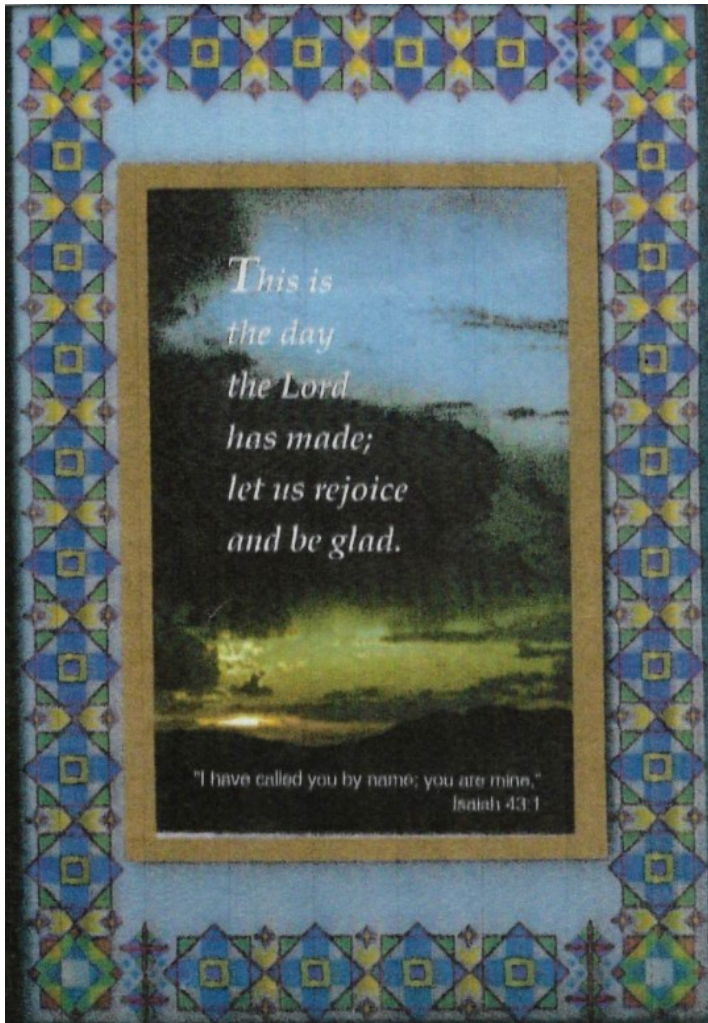
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Do you feel like there is more? Then step into the light and join us at
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find out how to start this faith journey call the rectory at 631-234-5551.