

Sharing
the Spirit
of Love

Catholic Church Community of

St. Thomas More

115 Kings Highway, Hauppauge NY 11788

MARCH 3RD, 2024

the hour
has come

Parish Mission

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.

FIFTH SUNDAY
OF LENT

Parish Resources

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Masses March 16th - March 24th, 2024

Saturday, March 16th:

5pm- Janet Johnson (living) *by Joan Oscar*

Sunday, March 17th: Fifth Sunday of Lent

8am- Sophie Pankus *by Deacon Al Pankus*

9:30am- Walter Markiewicz *by John & Debbie Ormando*

11:30am- Richard Stout *by Tish & Rick Landi*

Monday, March 18th:

9am- Daisy O'Neill *by Tom Dalton & Laurie*

Tuesday, March 19th: St Joseph, Spouse of the BVM

9am- Don Larney *by The Muenkel Family*

Wednesday, March 20th:

9am- Ellen Cleary *by her Family*

Thursday, March 21st:

9am- Maria Savoretti *by Greg & Michele Civitello*

Friday, March 22nd:

9am- Annette Citarella *by Marilyn Miller*

Saturday, March 23rd:

5pm- Jordan Kenna *by Clay & Kathy Chin & Family*

Sunday, March 24th: Palm Sunday

8am- Joann Ryan *by The Biczon Family*

9:30am- Eileen Daly *by Kathleen Daly*

11:30am- Frank DiModica *by The Kane Family*

Mark 11:1-10 (Palm Sunday, at the Procession)

When Jesus and his disciples drew near to Jerusalem, to Bethphage and Bethany at the Mount of Olives, he sent two of his disciples and said to them, "Go into the village opposite you, and immediately on entering it, you will find a colt tethered on which no one has ever sat. Untie it and bring it here. If anyone should say to you, 'Why are you doing this?' reply, 'The Master has need of it and will send it back here at once.'" So they went off and found a colt tethered at a gate outside on the street, and they untied it. Some of the bystanders said to them, "What are you doing, untying the colt?" They answered them just as Jesus had told them to, and they permitted them to do it. So they brought the colt to Jesus and put their cloaks over it. And he sat on it. Many people spread their cloaks on the road, and others spread leafy branches that they had cut from the fields. Those preceding him as well as those following kept crying out: "Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Blessed is the kingdom of our father David that is to come! Hosanna in the highest!"

Focus Questions for 3/24/24

Mark 14:1-15:47 (Passion Gospel)

- 1: Describe a time when you experienced God's presence in the midst of suffering.
- 2: Relate a time when you felt the pain of being faithful to God.
- 3: Describe when you witnessed someone else's suffering and were powerless to help.

Family & Children's Question:

Talk about a time when you were treated unfairly. Did anyone help you? Has that experience changed the way you respond when someone is treated unfairly?

Readings for This Week

March 17th, 2024 (Lent 5)

Jeremiah 31:31-34

Psalms 51:3-4, 12-13, 14-15

Hebrews 5:7-9

John 12:20-33

Readings for Next Week

March 24th, 2024 (Palm Sunday)

Mark 11:1-10

Isaiah 50:4-7

Psalms 22:8-9, 17-20, 23-24

Philippians 2:6-11

Mark 14:1-15:47



Fr. Antony's Letter

Dear Friends,

Devotee: "Lord, where are you? I am searching for you everywhere and you don't seem to be anywhere. Are you not hearing me? Where are you?"

God: "I am here, very near to you."

Devotee: "Come on, tell me.... where?"

God: "Deep within you. In your Heart."

God, like love, cannot be found unless you feel it for yourself within your heart.

On the Fifth Sunday of Lent, the Prophet Jeremiah, in the first reading explains how God can be experienced within each of us. "I will place my law within them and write it upon their hearts; I will be their God, and they shall be my people. No longer will they have need to teach their friends and relatives how to know the LORD." All that we need to do is, as the Responsorial Psalm instructs, to have a clean heart and steadfast Spirit so that our search for God is not mired in the swamps of various other interests nor is slackened by them.

In the Gospel Jesus realizes that his Hour has come to experience within Himself His divine Glory and express it to the world. This Hour is his moment of facing the passion and death on the Cross. But He calls his suffering and death as the Hour of Glory. It is the Hour when He, like a seed would fall on the ground in order to bear fruit. His Hour is the time when the world will begin to realize who He is and what kind of fruit the world would receive from Him. Jesus was always conscious of this Hour of Glory and He was never hesitant to live it and reveal it to the World.

Jesus calls his hanging on the Cross as "lifted up from the earth." And when He will be lifted upon the Cross, He will draw everyone to Himself, meaning that the moment of his death is the time when God will gather all of us as God's family around God in Jesus. Jesus' death on the Cross is a free invitation from God to become God's family of love. Whoever we may be and however unworthy we may be, we can become God's loving children by believing in Jesus' death and Resurrection. Let us get ourselves prepared to celebrate and participate in this mystery of God's love, the death and Resurrection of Jesus in the Holy Week.

The focus of Lenten spiritual exercises is to be conscious of God who dwells in our heart. Being conscious of such Godly presence within us, we are called to live like Jesus. As Jesus lived what God made Him conscious of, even unto death, so are we called to live what God makes us conscious of. Under the Cross we are gathered as the family of God being conscious of God's fatherly presence in our hearts and thus becoming conscious that we, as children of God are siblings to each other. Our Lenten observances and everyday prayers are nothing but an attempt to live consciously God's presence within us and courage to experience and express that God's presence to each other as brothers and sisters.

Next Sunday is Palm Sunday. We begin the Holy Week. Palms will be distributed at the beginning of the masses on Palm Sunday. We will begin the mass blessing the Palms and reading from the Gospel the event of the First Palm Sunday when Jesus entered the city of Jerusalem for his last week on earth as a human being willingly undergoing the passion death on the Cross and the Resurrection on the third day. Next Monday March 25th, confessions will be heard from 2:00 pm to 9:00 pm in our church and all the churches of our Diocese.

Friday, March 22nd at 6:00 pm is the Soup Supper. If you wish to attend, please bring meatless soup to share with others. The soup supper will be followed by Stations of the Cross. This is the last Stations of the Cross before Good Friday. We will pray it in a special way, laying down all our burdens at the foot of the Cross. All are welcome.

With love and prayers,
Fr. Antony



His Presence Is Real - Reflections on the Eucharist by Deacon Matt

The Mass: Liturgy of the Eucharist - Part IX

Our next Eucharistic Prayer to examine is the second one of the four. Eucharistic Prayer II is probably the most familiar to us since this is the one used by many priests the majority of the time. It flows well and is not too long.

This prayer was one of three formulated by the Church after considerable debate directly following Vatican II, in the years 1963-1968. The three new Eucharistic Prayers, added along with the one we looked at last week, were promulgated by a decree of the Congregation of Rites on May 23, 1968. This prayer is actually based on one composed by Hippolytus to be used by bishops at Mass, and comes from the early third century.

The main body of the prayer, after the *Preface* and the *Sanctus*, immediately begins with thanksgiving, recognizing the Father as “the fount of all holiness.” An *epiclesis* follows, in which we recall the manna from the desert (*Exodus 16:4-15*) with the words “like the dewfall.” The Israelites were fed each morning with the bread from heaven, and now Jesus becomes for



us the Bread of Life at every Mass by the power of the Holy Spirit (see *John 6:27-35*). The *Institution Narrative* and the *Consecration* follows. As usual, we are then asked to join in the *Mystery of Faith*.

In the *anamnesis* we thank God for making us worthy to minister to him. The second *epiclesis* acknowledges our desire to be one with Christ. This is followed by *intercessions* for the pope and the local bishop, as well as for the dead. The prayer concludes with a hope that we may be “coheirs to eternal life” with all the saints, and then we hear the final *doxology*.

“Therefore, as we celebrate the memorial of his Death and Resurrection, we offer you, Lord, the Bread of life and the Chalice of salvation, giving thanks that you have held us worthy to be in your presence and minister to you. Humbly we pray that, partaking of the Body and Blood of Christ, we may be gathered into one by the Holy Spirit.” – *Eucharistic Prayer II, no. 105*.

Questions? Comments? Suggestions? Contact me at eucharist@stmli.org.

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Prayers for Our Community

Pray for the Sick

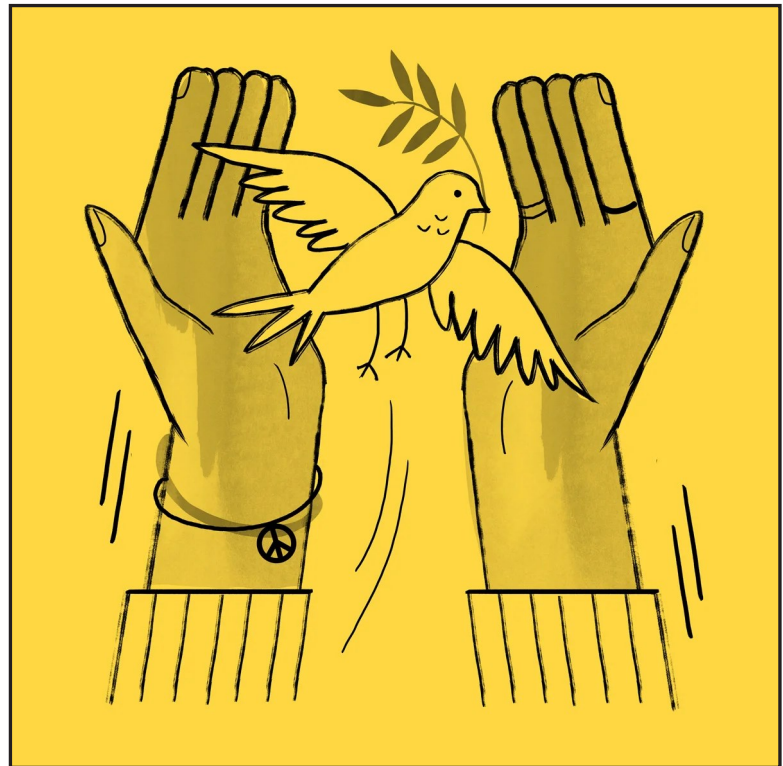
Susan Agne	Jim Marquette
Daniel Atkinson	Ellen Murphy
Anna Beltrani	Bernice Noeker
Gregory Bennett	Matt O'Connell
Barbara Cassetta	Deacon Al Pankus
Joseph Christiana	Patricia Parker
Rocco DiMaggie	Joanne Pelletier
Kathryn Douglas	George Pflugel
Bill Dowd	Nunzio (Steve) Puleio
Linda Dowling	Richard Ronning
Thomas Dwyer	Lorraine Rouse
Barbara Foberg	Mike Rouse
Susie Golembiewski	Noah Simonetti (2 yrs)
Linda Heller	John Spadaro
Jean Herlihy	Peggy Stepanek
Richard Landi	Andrew M Valentine
Maryanne Landi	Laura Vigneaux
Ellen Lentino	Lorraine White
Frank Loporto	John Zuzzolo
Ildy Loverde	

*this listing will expire on March 31st, 2024

Pray for the Deceased

Loretta Martines
 Dorothy O'Gara
 Erna Kresnik
 MaryAnn Bonitz
 Maria Jaskowski
 Joseph Cassetta
 Anthony DeMonaco

We continuously pray for our deceased loved ones.



Pray for Our Military

Please continue to pray for the brave members of our parish family who serve our country:

Troy A. Maida	Joseph Kirsch
Connor Hendrickson	Allen Kirsch
Evan Hendrickson	Nicholas Gajda
Christopher Sidor	Alexandria Feys Gajda
Ryan Smith	Andrew Lynch
Will Maley	

We also pray for our veterans, that they receive the support they need here at home.

Altar Bread & Wine Memorial



To arrange the memorial for the Altar Bread & Wine, contact the Rectory. Donation for the week is \$50.

Pray for our Clergy

Fr Antony Asir	Deacon Bob Weisz
The Capuchin Friars	Deacon Matt Surico
Fr Lenny Carlino	Bishop John Barres
Deacon Ed Vigneaux	Pope Francis



...and for all those men and women considering a life of devotion to God.

Parish Operations

SUPPORT COLLECTION

Collection from:
March 9th & 10th

\$6015

Weekly Goal: \$6700

*St. Thomas More Parish needs your support
now more than ever!*

Please consider signing up for
Faith Direct!

Faith Direct allows you to donate directly to the church electronically. No checks. No envelopes. No calling for tax statements. And best of all, no human error. Please consider making the change and supporting our parish electronically!
<https://membership.faithdirect.net/NY227>

Rectory Office Hours
Monday-Friday
9:30 A.M. - 3:00 P.M.

If in need of the immediate attention of a priest during non-office hours please call (631) 234-5551 and choose option 4

All other calls received after office hours will be returned the next business day.

Calendar Club Winners

3/11 (\$25): Richard Soldano (123)

3/12 (\$25): Tracy & Chris Rossi (1038)

3/13 (\$25): Ann & Lou Anatrella (500)

3/14 (\$25): Christian Castellano (1442)

3/15 (\$25): Rosemaria McLennon (572)

3/16 (\$25): Gina Maria Poulin (1365)

3/17 (\$50): Amelia Cordina (797)

BLESSED



PEACEMAKERS

FOR THEY SHALL BE CALLED
SONS OF GOD.
MATTHEW 5:9



Parish Social Ministry

IF YOU CAN'T FEED A HUNDRED
PEOPLE, THEN JUST FEED ONE.
-MOTHER TERESA



ST. THOMAS MORE
† PARISH OUTREACH †

Monday – Thursday 10AM to 2 PM
631-234-3149
Outreach@stmli.org

Our immediate needs for this week...

Coffee
Paper Towels
Toilet Paper
Shampoo
Juice
Juice Mixes

We appreciate all of your donations!
Please remember that it is difficult for us to use large cans, bottles, bags of rice, etc. as many of our neighbors do not have the ability to store extra food. Packages for 2-4 people are ideal.

Who YOU helped last month...

During the month of February, Outreach was able to provide food and gift cards to 62 local families. This includes 111 children and 93 adults. We are only able to do this because of your generosity and kindness!

We continue to have clothing and household goods left outside the Outreach office.

We do not have storage for these items and request that you place them in the St. Vincent de Paul box at the back right corner of the parking lot. Please contact Outreach regarding other donations.

Please reach out to Parish Outreach if you are, or know of someone, in need of support. Keep our elderly neighbors in mind and let us know if there is anyone you would like us to reach out to.



In the Gospel today, Jesus says "Whoever serves me must follow me, and where I am, there also will my servant be. The Father will honor whoever serves me."
When we help the poor, we are truly followers of Jesus, servant of the poor.

As you give to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, know that you are a sign of God's love to those who are suffering, and you give them Easter hope and joy.

To contact us, call 631-648-2760 or email svdp.stm@aol.com

In Our Parish

Young at Heart

New Members Always Welcome!
Next Meeting: Fri March 22nd, 2024

Call Anna @ 631-234-0714



SAVE THE DATE

MSGR FRANCIS S MIDURA MEMORIAL

GOLF OUTING



September 9th, 2024

Children's Liturgy!

Children 4-8 are welcome to join us, Sundays @ 9:30. This week we did a craft on the Gospel, and learned just how much God loved his son Jesus!



Presentation of Babies

Its always a beautiful thing when new parents get to bring their children up into the sanctuary for a blessing. Please keep these brand new Catholics in your prayers!



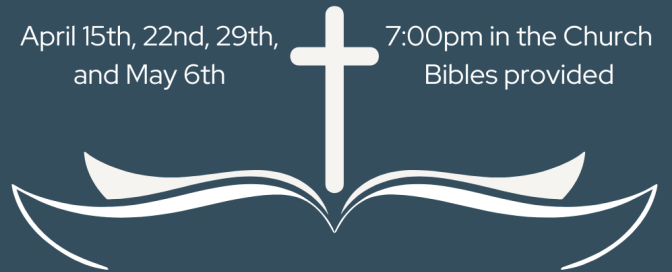
Your Questions Answered

BIBLE STUDY

WITH FATHER ANTONY

April 15th, 22nd, 29th,
and May 6th

7:00pm in the Church
Bibles provided



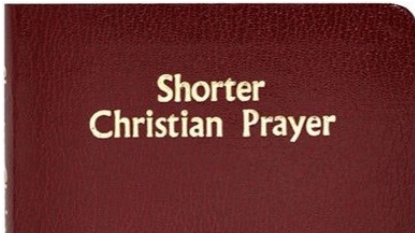
Use the QR Code to submit your questions!!



In Our Parish

Missing! Please Return!

During the pandemic, many of these books were taken home for prayer. However, many were not returned, and now we are running low! If you have copies of this from the church in your home, please return them! We pray Morning Prayer each week-day at 8:30am. Bring the book and join us!!



ST THOMAS MORE BLOOD DRIVE



NO MEAT!

SHARING!



6PM. MARCH 22ND

WALDEN HALL

BRING A MEATLESS SOUP TO SHARE, AND
THEN JOIN US AS WE PRAY THE STATIONS OF
THE CROSS FOR THE HUNGRY.

Girl Scout Celebration!

Our local Girl Scout Troops joined as at 9:30 Mass last weekend. They lectured, sang, and helped bring up the gifts. We thank them for their help, and involvement as young people in the Mass.



COMING ON WEDNESDAY,
MARCH 27TH @ 7:30PM



The Way of the Cross

with Jesus and Mary, from
Golgotha to the Resurrection

by Fr Slavko Barbaric OFM

LED BY LECTORS AND THE ADULT CHOIR

In Our Parish

TENEBRAE

GOOD FRIDAY, 7:30PM

JOIN US FOR A READING OF
THE LORD'S PASSION WITH
NEOTRADITIONAL CHANTING

LED BY DEACON MATT
COMPOSED BY ALEX WHITE
SUNG BY NOELLE WHITE



Fasting & Abstinence

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are obligatory days of fasting and abstinence for Catholics. In addition, Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence. See the guidelines below!

- Fasting is obligatory for ages 18-59 inclusive.
- Fasting constitutes no more than one full meal, as well as two smaller meals that together are less than a full meal.
- Abstinence is obligatory for all Catholics aged 14 or older.
- Abstinence is to avoid eating meat (chicken, pork, beef, etc). Fish is allowed.
- Please remember to drink lots of water!



If possible, the fast on Good Friday can be continued until the Easter Vigil as the "paschal fast" to honor the suffering and death of our Lord Jesus and to prepare more fully for his Resurrection.

In Our Community



Because no marriage is beyond hope...

- Is your marriage tearing you apart?
- Do you feel hurt and angry?
- Does talking make it worse?
- Thought of leaving or divorce?
- Is your marriage heading in the wrong direction?

Retrouvaille can help.

**Our Next Weekend is
April 26-28, 2024
at The Immaculate Conception
Seminary, Huntington**

**To register or for more information:
1-800-470-2230
HelpOurMarriage.org**

Retrouvaille is a practical program for married couples facing difficult challenges. It is not counseling and you will not be asked to share the personal details of your story.

Retrouvaille is different; it's a way to improve your communication, help you reconnect, and build a healthy, happier, stronger marriage.

Catholic in origin, couples of all faiths, or no faith background, are welcome to attend. We are a Christian Peer Ministry offering tens of thousands of marriages hope in over 160 communities world-wide.

Annual Craft & Vendor Fair @ Hauppauge!

The Hauppauge Educational Foundation is hosting its Annual Craft & Vendor Fair on Saturday March 23rd, from 10am to 4pm. Great event for Spring Shopping, and support our students! "Shop til you Drop!" Over 90 vendors to choose from. Located in the Hauppauge High School Gym at 500 Lincoln Blvd, Hauppauge.

Icon Art Exhibit: "The Written Image"

On display during March 2024 at the Smithtown Library (Main Location). Art by Janine Manheim, artist and educator in the field of religious iconography. Exhibit combines prints of Ms. Manheim's work, plus photos of her students displaying their icons. Exhibit is open for viewing in the library's downstairs space.



MUSICAL MEDITATION ON THE PASSION



CHRIST THE KING
ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

a Musical Meditation on The Passion Narratives
Featuring Choral Music and Classical Trio
led by Mary Rose Gallipeau
Director of Music

WEDNESDAY
MARCH 20TH | 7PM

2 Indian Head Road | Commack

Happening at St. Thomas More

Coming Up @ STM

Sun Mar 17th, 12:30pm
Youth Group
St Patrick's Day

Mon Mar 18th, 6:30pm
Final Alpha Session

Wed Mar 20th, 6:30pm
Knights of Columbus
Social Meeting

Thur Mar 21st, 5:30pm
Children's Choir Rehearsal

Thur Mar 21st, 7:00pm
Choir Rehearsal

Fri Mar 22nd, 12:30pm
Young at Heart

Fri Mar 22nd, 6:00pm
Soup Supper

Fri Mar 22nd, 7:00pm
Stations of the Cross
for the Hungry

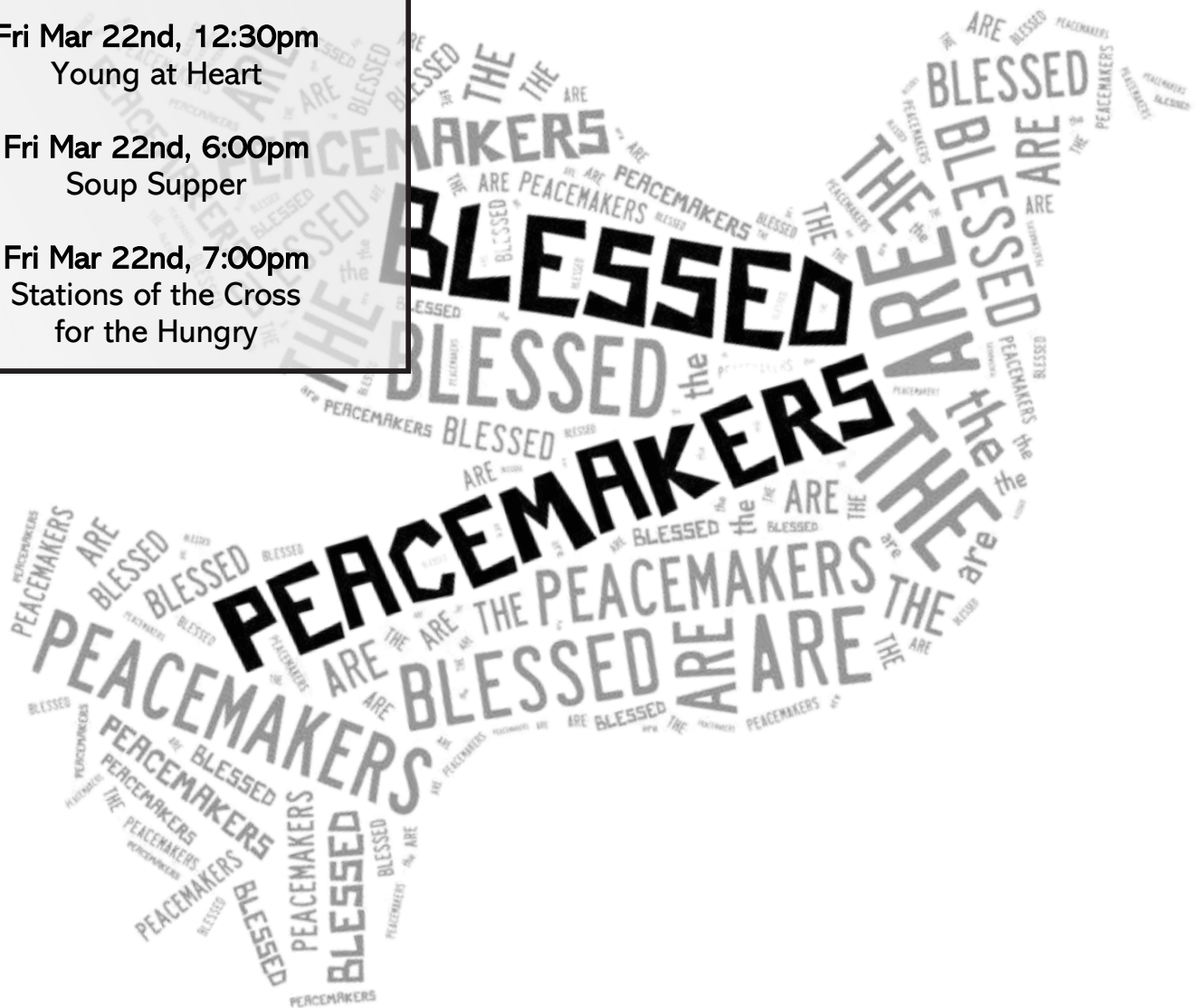
Weekly Mass Schedule

Monday-Friday
9:00 AM

Saturday
5:00 PM

Sunday
8:00 AM
9:30 AM
11:30 AM

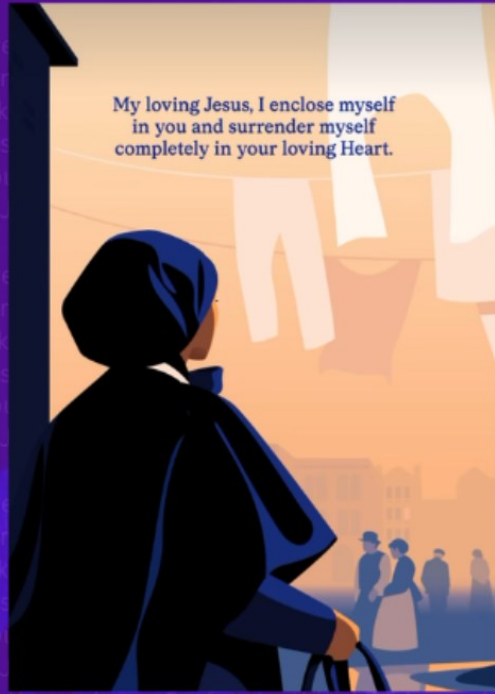
Confessions
Every Saturday
4:00 PM-4:45 PM



Hallow UPDATES

For the remainder of Lent, this page will exist to offer updates and tips using the Hallow app to expand your prayer life.

As always, if you have any questions or issues with the app, feel free to reach out to Alex in the rectory...623-234-5551 or rectory@stmlri.org



Surrender Novena



Pray each day!

New film alert!

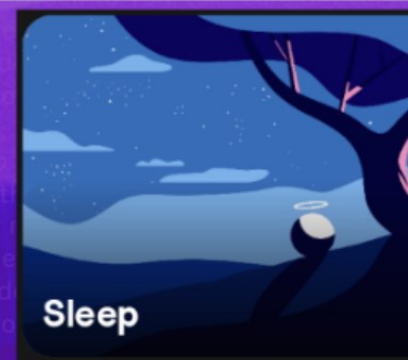
Angel Studios just released a new film, "Cabrini", about the life of St Mother Cabrini, founder of the Missionary Sisters of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, and the first US Citizen to be canonized. In theaters now.

@cabrinifilm
@angelstudios_inc

With Hallow, you can pray the Surrender Novena (given to Servant of God Father Dolindo Ruotolo) via multiple different guides! Francis, Abby, and Jonathan are all available to lead you through the novena. Only 4-6 minutes each day! What a calm and peaceful way to start your morning, surrendering yourself to Christ's will.

Trouble falling asleep? Try prayer!

Hallow has a vast selection of prayers and meditations to help you drift off to slumber. Do you enjoy a good bedtime story? There are plenty on the app, from stories of Jesus to tales of the saints. Perhaps you are more into music? So many options available, from piano to chant to LoFi to ambient. Want to pray? Try a sleep rosary, soft dulcet tones to close your night with prayer. Don't forget, the light from your cellphone disrupts sleep! Turn that brightness down!!



Hallow LENT

He Leadeth Me

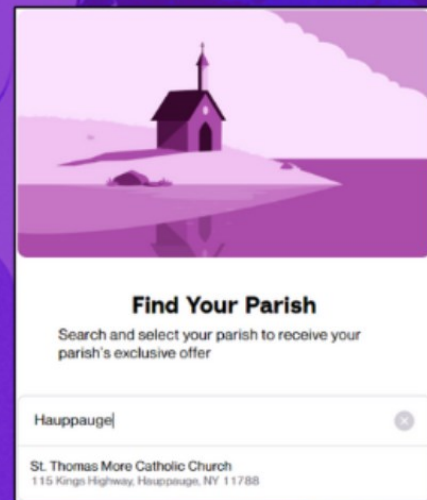


How to Access Hallow Plus through Easter:

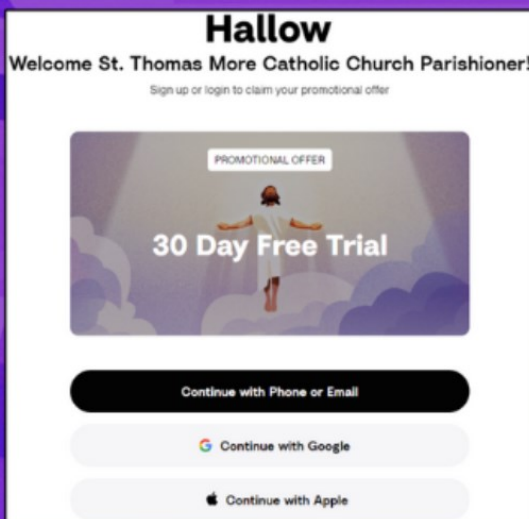
1: Scan the QR code or go to <http://hallow.com/holyday>



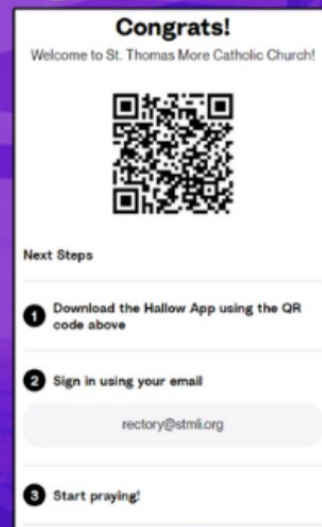
2: Search for “Hauppauge” and select our Parish



3: If you see this screen, create an account! We recommend using your phone number!



4: Use the QR code, or search Hallow in the app store to download. Then just sign in, and start praying!





St. Thomas More Lenten Project

This year's Lenten Project will support ***Alzheimer's Disease Resource Center*** on Long Island

ADRC is a Long Island nonprofit providing resources and support for those impacted by cognitive decline.

ADRCs mission is to provide care, support, and educational programs for families in need, and to be advocates for local families who are coping with Alzheimer's Disease and other dementias.

By offering life-enrichment activities, ADRC helps those with cognitive decline express themselves and their creativity. Programs offered include Art, Music, Equine, Memory Cafes, Museum Programs, and much more. Participants and caregivers enjoy activities together, creating new memories.

ADRC provides care consultations, information & referrals, education, support groups, therapy programs for caregivers and their loved ones. They provide educational training to professional healthcare workers, graduate students, and other organizations throughout Long Island.

Please see more information about ADRC and their services and supports on the bulletin board in the Narthex.

Any donation will be greatly appreciated. Checks can be made out to St. Thomas More and placed in the little house by the bulletin board, placed in the collection basket, or dropped off at the Rectory. Please note "Lenten Project" in the memo line.

HOLY WEEK

AT ST THOMAS MORE

MON 3/25

RECONCILIATION DAY

Confession available from 3:00pm-9:00pm at St Thomas More, as well as all parishes in the Diocese

WED 3/27

THE WAY OF THE CROSS

Choir Cantata at 7:30pm. The Way of the Cross reflected through Mary. Directed by Emilia Savarese, music by the STM Choir

THUR 3/28

MAUNDY THURSDAY

Daily Mass at 9:00am

Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7:30pm in the Church. This mass is always followed by the Solemn Procession to the Altar of Repose. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in Repository will be available until 10:00pm

For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life.

JOHN 3:16

FRI 3/29

GOOD FRIDAY

Morning Prayer (no mass) at 9:00am

Stations of the Cross at 12:00pm

Stations of the Cross for Young People at 1:30pm

Liturgy of the Lord's Passion and Death at 3:00pm in the Church

Tenebrae at 7:30pm in the Church. A presentation of the Lord's Passion with neotraditional Chant. Led by Deacon Matt with music by Alex, performed by Noelle

SAT 3/30

HOLY SATURDAY

Morning Prayer (no mass) at 9:00am

Blessing of the Easter Food at 10:00am in Walden Hall

*NO 5:00pm mass

Mass of the Easter Vigil at 7:30pm in the Church

SUN 3/31

EASTER SUNDAY

Masses at 8am, 9:30am, and 11:30am



THE ST. THOMAS MORE COLUMBIETTES
ARE LOOKING FOR NEW MEMBERS

BECOME A COLUMBIETTE!



Our columbiettes are a group of women 18 and over with a heart of service. We are Catholic women, united by our faith, to help in our community.

We are a charitable, nonprofit organization.

We hold multiple fundraisers a year and that money goes back into our community—helping at home first.

**If you are interested please join us
for coffee on April 10th at 7pm.**

You are invited to join us for a half hour before our formal meeting begins.

**Please feel free to fill out the membership form found
in the literature rack in the Narthex or we will have forms
available in the white room on April 10th.**

**Reach out to Kim, President of the Columbiettes at St
Thomas More, with questions, comments, anything!**

krofrano33@gmail.com OR 631-372-9220

Youth Group - Surrendering to God

March 10th, 2024



Watching Father Mike talk about surrender



Taking the donations to Outreach!



Doing the word search from the church bulletin



We did Day 1 one the Surrender Novena on Hallow!

Upcoming Meetings

Sundays 12:30-2:30

March 17th-
Irish Catholicism

March 24th-
Stations of The Cross

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Spring Flower Sale 2024



Please write a quantity for flowers you are purchasing on the line next to the color options. Write the total in the box on the bottom with your name & phone number, and place this form with your payment, cash or check, in an envelope marked "flowers" (if using, make checks payable to St. Thomas More). **Return the envelope to the collection basket or rectory by April 28th.**

Cal Small Petunia
(8" Hanging Pot)

\$18.00

Pink Yellow
 Purple/ Blue

New Guinea Impatients
(8" Hanging Pot)

\$18.00

White Salmon
 Lavender

Balkin Ivy Geraniums
(8" Hanging Pot)

\$18.00

Pink

Begonia

\$20.00/ flat

Green Leaf/Pink
 Green Leaf/Mixed
 Bronze Leaf/White

Impatients

\$20.00/ flat

Purple Red
 Mixed

Marigolds

\$20.00/ flat

Large Yellow
 Dwarf Yellow
 Dwarf Mixed

Geraniums
(6"Pots)

\$10.00

Salmon White
 Pink Red
 Blue Violet

New Guinea Impatients
(6"Pots)

\$10.00

Red White
 Pink Orange

Total Enclosed:

Name:

Phone #:

**All orders will be ready for pick up on the weekend
of May 11 & 12 before and after all masses!**

