



*“Pray for me as I will for thee  
that we may merrily meet in heaven.”*



## St. Thomas More Catholic Church

1200 N. Indiana Street Mooresville, IN 46158

Parish Office Phone	317-831-4142
Emergency Phone	317-374-3477
Adoration Chapel	317-834-4251
Parish Fax	317-834-2947
Website	<a href="http://www.stm-church.org">www.stm-church.org</a>

### Office Hours

Monday-Friday 9:00am-4:00pm

### Mass Schedule

Saturday Anticipation 5:00pm  
 Sunday: 8:00am, 10:45am, 7:00pm  
 Tuesday thru Friday 8:30am  
 Holy Days: 8:30 am, 6:30 pm

### Reconciliation

Tuesday-Friday: 8:15-8:30am  
 Saturday: 4:30-5:00pm Sunday: 7:30-8:00am,  
 Sunday: 10:15-10:45am, 6:30-7:00pm

### Adoration Chapel

Call 834-4251 to see if chapel is open

<b>Fr. Francis Joseph</b>	Administrator <a href="mailto:FrFrancis@stm-church.org">FrFrancis@stm-church.org</a>
<b>Kathy Phillips</b>	Executive Administrative Asst. <a href="mailto:KPhillips@stm-church.org">KPhillips@stm-church.org</a>
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### Parish Mission Statement

We, the parishioners of St. Thomas More Catholic Church, Mooresville, IN, as members of the Body of Christ, and inspired by our patron saint commit ourselves...

- *To grow in understanding and living God's word and sacraments as defenders of the Catholic faith*
- *To be responsible stewards of God's gifts/blessings and grow in generosity of those gifts*
- *To serve those in need and reflect God's mercy in all our efforts*

## Bulletin for July 1, 2018



*Thank you Kathy Phillips  
for 12 1/2 years of service to  
St. Thomas More!!*

## 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

We dedicate this bulletin to one of our most dedicated staff and parishioner Kathy Phillips, who served us for the last 12 years (3/25/2006-6/30/2018). She definitely was an "Outstanding Staff" who loved her work and gave her best to the parish in supporting, shepherding, strengthening and leading the administrative office of STM and her good will, dedication and passion for what she did/ was given were obvious. I want to thank the Lord for her and her wonderful family for her service, on my own behalf and on behalf of the entire parish family. As I said in the past we don't have a word "Retired" in our parish dictionary, but only "Redressed" or "Re-threaded" for a different assignment/ministry. May the Lord Bless her and her family.

We are preparing for the Tri-Parish Mass and Picnic at Pioneer Park July 14. This is an important event for the "Connected in the Spirit" parishes of St. Thomas More, St. Ann and St. Joseph. It will be a great opportunity for us to meet parishioners of our sister parishes, maybe some of our former parishioners too. So please plan on being there and kindly, kindly sign up for the event.

We would like to welcome our new parish secretary and administrative assistant Peggy Weber who joins us in the office July 1st. We invoke God's blessings upon her and wish her the best of luck for many years of service. Marianne Hawkins will join us July 23 and we will have a full team to serve us. Please keep the parish staff and office in your prayers.

The month of July we will have our annual parish appeal, and in preparation for this we will also have witness talks at all masses July 7 & 8. Our parish has been doing quite well in our sharing of Time, Talent and Treasure. We did have our Ministry Fair which helped us share our Time and Talent and in July we have the Treasure Pledge. Our In-Pew Appeal will be July 21 & 22. As you can see on our financial statements in the bulletin, we have fallen short of our budget goal in Sunday and Holyday collections. We also see a downward trend on our Capital Maintenance fund. However, we all know that our FIF is going real well. Our Annual Appeal is for the budget year 2018-2019 for operational expenses of our parish. Our expenditure this budget year is expected to go higher than the previous years as we have all the staff positions filled and as other projects get started. STM has a great tradition of giving to the parish. We thank the Lord for your generosity. What we look for in this effort is participation of all our parishioners. May God continue to Bless us.

Sincerely in Christ Jesus,

Fr. Francis J. Kalapurackal

Administrator

COMING IN NEXT WEEK'S BULLETIN!  
PICTURES FROM OUTDOOR MASS & PICNIC!

## **MASS INTENTIONS**

**Monday, July 2**

**8:30 am-No Mass**

**Tuesday, July 3**

**8:30 am-Kathy Lang**

**Wednesday, July 4**

**8:30 am-Patsy Lang**

**Thursday, July 5**

**8:30 am-Rita & Lee Williamson**

**Friday, July 6**

**8:30 am-Rebecca Early**

**Saturday, July 7**

**5:00 pm-Helen DuCharme**

**Sunday, July 8**

**8:00 am- Heim, Mayer & Rihm Families**

**10:45 am-Jerry Saucerman**

**7:00 pm-Parishioners of St. Thomas More**

## **Ministry Schedule for July 7 & 8, 2018**

### **Ushers**

**5:00 pm-Judy Wilson**

**8:00 am-Henry Gregory & Rita Reeves**

**10:45 am-Cortnie & Shauna Query,**

**Steve & Eileen Egenolf**

**7:00 pm-Volunteers**

### **Lectors**

**5:00 pm-John Giovanoni**

**8:00 am-Brian Cassidy**

**10:45 am-Alicia Garcia-Paul**

**7:00 pm-Jan Musters**

### **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion**

**5:00 pm-Carl & Judy Lentz, Connie G.**

**8:00 am-Mary Ann Feldmann**

**10:45 am-Jerry & Peggy Weber,**

**Jeanna Blackburn, Bob Lang**

**7:00 pm-Martha Swanson**

### **Altar Servers**

**5:00 pm-Volunteers**

**8:00 am-Riley Lesh, Gehrig Rihm**

**10:45 am-Travis & Sally Blackburn**

**7:00 pm-Volunteers**

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## **SACRAMENT AND COMMITTEE INFORMATION**

### **Sacrament of Marriage**

Engaged couples should contact the office at least six months in advance to allow for Marriage Preparation Program and meeting with Priest.

### **Sacrament of Baptism**

Infant baptisms are celebrated the 3rd Sunday. Parents must attend the Baptismal Preparation Class. Call office during pregnancy. 831-4142.

### **Sacrament of Holy Orders**

Those considering the Priesthood or a Religious Vocation, Contact Fr. Francis or the Archdiocesan Vocation Office-236-1490

### **Religious Education**

Pre K-during 10:45 am mass,  
Grades K-8-Sunday, 9:00 am-10:30 am  
High School, Confirmation-Sunday 5:15-7:00 pm  
Call 831-4142

### **Pastoral Care**

Annulments, Marriage Preparation, Faith Formation, Questions and Concerns, Emergencies: Contact Fr. Francis

### **New Parishioners**

Welcome to our parish family! Please contact the office for registration forms and information. 831-4142

### **Reconciliation**

Tues.-Fri. 8:15-8:30 am, Saturday 4:30-5:00 pm  
Sun. 7:30-8:00 am, 10:15-10:45 am, 6:30-7:00 pm or by appointment

### **Sacrament of the Sick**

In an emergency, contact the Parish Office any time. The hospitalized, those confined to home, and nursing home residents should contact the Parish Office to receive the Eucharist and/ or Anointing. 831-4142.

### **Interested in the Faith**

Inquiry sessions as part of the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)  
Call 831-4142

## **ORGANIZATIONS AND COMMITTEES**

**Administrative/Finance: Tom Ryan**

**Adoration Chapel: Closing information 317-834-4251**

**Peggy Weber 317-695-9807, Kristina Birchler, 797-7060,**

**Applefest: 831-4142**

**Bible Study: 831-4142**

**Faith Formation Commission: Mary Leonard-Bohney, 317-443-4791**

**HOPE (Beggars for the Poor): Cheryl Hildenbrand, 996-4635**

**Knights of Columbus: Larry Janeczek, 919-4156**

**Liturgy: Mary Bednarek, 697-5117**

**Parish Nurse: Cathy Gray, 831-9991**

**Parish Council: Deb Dotson, 317-517-7327**

**Project Rachel: 236-1569, 800-382-9836 Abortion Healing**

**Respect for Life Committee: 831-4142**

**RCIA: 831-4142**

**St. Thomas More Free Clinic: 831-1697**

**St. Vincent de Paul: Joan Maxfield, 946-7218**

**St. Vincent de Paul Pantry: 831-4142**

**Stewardship: 831-4142**

**Technology Committee: 831-4142**

**Vocation Promotion: 831-4142**

**Welcoming Committee: 831-4142**

**Women of STM (Women's Club): Kristy Ralston, 765-623-7746**

Financial Report thru		
June 24 2018 Collection by Mass		
	Budget	Actual
Saturday 5:00 PM		1,116.00
Sunday 8:00 AM		707.00
Sunday 10:45 AM		1,325.84
Sunday 7:00 PM		1,312.00
Other (mail in)		533.91
Other		.00
St. Vincent de Paul		.00
Misc. Archdiocese		10.00
Capital Main. Fund		446.00
FIF Campaign		1,770.00
Criterion		.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,211.50</b>	<b>7,220.75</b>
	<b>YTD Budget</b>	<b>YTD Actual</b>
<b>As of 5/31/2018</b>		
<b>Sunday Collections</b>	298,154.00	266,195.48
<b>Electronic Giving</b>	59,584.00	94,542.98
<b>Total</b>	357,738.00	360,738.46
<b>Savings Balance</b>	<b>as of 04/30/18</b>	<b>as of 05/31/18</b>
<b>Capital Maintenance Fund</b>	40,114.56	41,274.82
<b>ADLF FIF</b>	378,528.66	378,743.35
<b>ADLF Capital Main.</b>	100,000.00	100,006.16

**Please keep our seriously ill Parishioners and immediate family in prayer:  
Margaret Gibbs  
Martha Kalapurackal,  
Brian Cassidy,  
Ken & Martha Fetsch, Helena Rudolf, Frank Cardinali, Mary Wacker, Marvin Stidham,  
Gary Broadstreet**



**Campaign Results thru 5/31/2018**

Goal	Pledges	Collected
\$900,000	<b>\$ 940,202</b>	
\$800,000		
\$700,000		
\$600,000		
\$500,000		
\$500,000		
\$400,000		<b>\$410,983</b>
\$300,000		
\$200,000		
\$100,000		

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- You keep your fuel points and can still use your coupons.
- Directions to link your Kroger Plus Card are on the STM Website under Breaking News.
- You can make a difference to STM organizations each time you shop Kroger.



## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### DAILY

8:30 am Mass-Tues.-Fri.

Reconciliation-Tues.-Fri. 8:15 am

### WEEKLY

Wed. 11:30 am, Rosary, Meadow Lakes

Wed. 12:30 pm-Rosary, Meadow Lakes Asst. Living

Wed. 6:30 pm-RCIA,

Sat. 5:00 pm-Mass, Reconciliation, 4:30 pm

Sun. Masses-8:00 am, 10:45 am, 7:00 pm

Reconciliation 7:30 am, 10:15 am, 6:30 pm

### MONTHLY

2nd Tues.-6:00 pm, Women of STM, Social Hall

2nd Thurs.-6:00 pm, Faith Formation Commission

3rd Sun.- Baptisms

3rd Tues.-4:00 pm, St. Vincent de Paul

3rd Wed.-6:30 pm, Pastoral Council, Library

3rd Thurs.-6:00 pm, Liturgy Committee



**Council 7431 Saint Thomas More Knights of Columbus is an organization of Catholic men dedicated to promoting Families, Concepts of Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism all while supporting the church. If you're 18 or older and want to know more about the Knights, contact Larry at 317-919-4156. You may also join online at: [KofC.org/joinus](http://KofC.org/joinus)**

### Primary activity schedule:

**\*\* Ministry at 1st Sat. 5 pm Mass**

**\*\* Business Mtg. 2nd Mon. 7 pm Library**

**\*\* Breakfast, 3rd Sun. after 8 am Mass**

**\*\* Social Mtg. 4th Mon. 7 pm, Social Hall**

**\*\* Lead Rosary, 5<sup>th</sup> Sun. prior to 10:45 am mass**



## FROM CREATION TO ABRAHAM

### STORY HOUR & CRAFTS

**JULY 3, 10, 17, 24, 31**

**10AM-NOON**

### PRESCHOOL-8TH GRADE

**ACTIVITIES FOR ADULTS ALSO IN SOCIAL HALL.**

**SIGN UP IN THE SOCIAL HALL.**

## Churches in Mission

Once every eight months....

It is our turn to provide items for Churches in Mission. You surpassed expectations with the green bean challenge!

We hope you will fill this need as well. Place items in the box in the Social Hall.

### Items Needed

- Dish Soap
- Toilet Paper
- Shampoo
- Laundry Soap
- Bar Soap



## **TRI-PARISH MASS & PICNIC**

**Sat. July 14, 5:00 pm Mass**

**Pioneer Park, Shelter 7**

**Sign up in the Social Hall**

## **New Ministry! Praying for Vocations**

Fewer men and women are answering God's call to be priests, deacons, and religious (monks and nuns). Since 1965, the total number of priests in the U.S. has dropped by 36%. This trend can only be reversed through God's grace. We must renew our efforts to pray for His grace to be poured out on a new generation of young men and women who will have the courage to answer His call.

We are starting a new ministry to encourage prayer for vocations. Each weekend, we'd like a parishioner to take home a Traveling Vocations Cross prayer kit and commit to daily prayer for a week. At the end of the week, simply bring the kit back to Mass for the next person to take home. The kit contains a small wood cross to set on your table as a reminder, prayer guides, and informational booklets and books about vocations.

A sign-up sheet is in the Social Hall, or contact John Griffin at 317-831-4210. This week's travelers are Crista & Kyle Clephane & family. Next week's travelers are Larry & Jadwiga Janeczek. You can visit [www.heargodscall.com](http://www.heargodscall.com) for additional information and resources about vocations and discerning a call.

## **CHANGING LIVES FOREVER**

Looking for a way to deepen your faith in a more missional and personal way? Please consider mentoring an adult participant of St. Vincent de Paul's Changing Lives Forever Class which has been impacting individuals faced with poverty by teaching them the skills to build better lives. After participants graduate from the 18 week course, they become eligible to receive a mentor through Trusted Mentors, an organization that focuses on reversing homelessness and incarceration through the power of relationships. St. Vincent de Paul has partnered with Trusted Mentors to train and coach mentors on how to provide support for their adult mentees and is looking for individuals like you who simply have a desire to give back and passion for helping God's community. For more information on becoming a mentor, please contact 317-985-5041 or visit [www.trustedmentors.org](http://www.trustedmentors.org) Chris Dufour 317-919-7177  
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## **CONGRATULATIONS**

*to our newly-elected  
Parish Council members*

**JOHN DOLAN**

**LYNN EVA**

**PATRICE GOODWIN**

**JUDI WEIHLER**

***PLEASE NOTE*** Do you or someone you know need a ride to church or for important errands? Please note our new ministry with a list of volunteer drivers and their contact information below. Others wishing to volunteer to drive, please call the office to have their names added. Here is the list: Thank You!

Fred Cipriani 317-831-5253

Larry Janeczek 317-919-4156

Jerry Weber 317-697-4914

Rich Weihler 319-383-9723

Michael Tessmer 317-777-2052

Richard Hoying 317-752-7230

**Why do we need INTERCESSORY PRAYER?**

The Power of Intercessory Prayer provides many ways we can love our neighbor - praying on behalf of other people has to be one of the most powerful. God invites us to use intercessory prayer, as we seek, not only our own transformation but the transformation of the world as well.

**There are 5 INTERCESSORY PRAYER STATIONS located in our parish.**

These stations are for anyone and everyone. Please take time when you are in the building to stop and pray at these stations.

**4 located in the hallway to the gym:**

St Joseph - praying for families, our own and others through out the world

Laudato Si - On Care for Our Common Home - praying for our world wide environment

Governments - praying for our local government to world governments

Missions - praying for all the missions of the world

**1 located by the Adoration Chapel:**

Praying for STM, St Ann's, St Joseph's, our diocese and beyond

**OPEN ADORATION CHAPEL**

**HOURS: Mon. 4-5 pm**

**Tues. 3-4 pm, Wed. 2-3 pm**

**Thurs. 2-3 am; 3-4 am; 4-5 am; 4-5 pm**

**Friday: 3-4 am, 9-10 am; 11am- Noon**

**If you can help, please call PEGGY**

**317-695-9807 or KRISTINA**

**317-834-2719 Please call 317-834-**

**4251 to see if chapel is open before**

**you come in in bad weather. Call 317-834-4251**

**"CONNECTED IN SPIRIT"**

**Indians Baseball Game**

**Date. July 25**

**Time. 7:10 PM cookout before hand at St. John's starting at 5:00 till about 6:45 Cost \$8.00 for lawn seats or \$10.00 for reserved seats Tickets ordered by July 18 will be made available to be picked up at STM the weekend of July 21/22.**

**Updates for**

**Saint Thomas More**

**Applefest 2018 Activities**

**Garage Sale: - July 26-27-28, 2018**

Please bring items to the Gym at any time or just leave in Social Hall with tag for Garage Sale. We could also **use some help!** Just being there that week to help sort items and keep things straightened up! Good fellowship time!!

**Car Show: - August 11' 2018**

Sign up sheets will be in the Social Hall starting July 14<sup>th</sup>. We need workers, runners and food workers. One day, only a couple of hours! Please help make this another great success!!

**Applefest: - September 21 - 22, 2018**

As always, we need **lots** of help to run this event, Sign up sheets will be available in the Social Hall starting July 14<sup>th</sup>.

**Sign up early and often!**

**We will also have raffle tickets available for sale: \$10.00 each or 3/\$25.00!**

**TOP PRIZE IS \$2,500.00!!!**

THANKS!

Norma Bangel, Jerry & Peggy Weber  
Co Chairs

***Knights of Columbus Indians Game Thursday, July 5 Dinner at Mater Dei 5:30 Game 7:00 pm Thanks to our K of C ALTAR SERVERS GET IN FREE!!!! MORE INFO & SIGN UP SHEETS IN SOCIAL HALL***

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