



*“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, **5:00pm**  
 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, 4:30-5:00pm

### Adoration Chapel

Call 834-4251 to see if chapel is open

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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

## DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY APRIL 28, 2019



## **Divine Mercy Sunday**

**Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,**

**This weekend we celebrate the feast of the Divine Mercy. Divine Mercy Sunday is celebrated on the second Sunday of Easter. It is based on the private revelations of St. Faustina Kowalska, which recommended a particular devotion to the Divine Mercy. In 2000 Pope John Paul II, while canonizing Faustina said: "It is important that we accept the whole message that comes to us from the Word of God on this second Sunday of Easter, which from now on throughout the Church will be called "Divine Mercy Sunday".**

**Concerning the Feast of Mercy Jesus said: "Whoever approaches the fountain of life on this day will be granted complete forgiveness of sins and punishment". (Diary 300)**

**"I want the image solemnly blessed on the first Sunday after Easter and I want it to be venerated publicly so that every soul may know about it". (Diary 341) "This feast emerged from the very depths of my mercy and it is confirmed in the vast depths of my tender mercies" (Diary 420) The soul that will go to confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain a complete forgiveness of sins and punishment. "On that day the flood gates through which grace flows are opened. Let no soul fear to draw near to Me, even though its sins be as scarlet. My mercy is so great that no mind, be it of man or angel, will be able to fathom it throughout all eternity... Mankind will not have peace until it turns to the fount of My Mercy" (Diary699) The great promise for the individual soul is that a devotional act of sacramental penance and communion will obtain for that soul the plenitude of the Divine Mercy on the feast. We began the novena for the feast on Good Friday and have prepared through the sacrament of reconciliation, and by participation at the veneration of the Divine Mercy image and receiving Communion-all this assures us of complete forgiveness for our sins and the punishment attached to them are removed as well.**

**Please take advantage of this very special Sunday celebration of the Divine Mercy. Our confessional will be open before all masses that day and during the celebration. Completely detach from sin, even venial sins, receive Holy Communion and participate in the celebration at 2:00 pm.**

**May God seal us and cover us in His Divine Merciful Love. May the blood and water that flowed from his open side wash and cover us.**

**God Bless you all.**

**Sincerely in Christ,**

**Fr. Francis J. Kalapurackal**

**Administrator St. Thomas More Catholic Church**

## MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, April 29

8:30 am-No Mass

Tuesday, April 30

8:30 am-Louis Weber

Wednesday, May 1

8:30 am-Frances Roche

Thursday, May 2

8:30 am-Jim Fulkerson

Friday, May 3

8:30 am-Zenta Drzakowski

Saturday, May 4

5:00 pm-Parishioners of St. Thomas More

Sunday, May 5

8:00 am-Andrea Romano

10:45 am-Dolores Mick

5:00 pm- Barbara Coy

## Ministry Schedule for May 4 & 5, 2019

### Ushers

5:00 pm-Knights of Columbus

8:00 am-Bill & Carol Keller

10:45 am-Frank, Louis, Ralph & Denise

5:00 pm-Volunteers

### Lectors

5:00 pm- Knights of Columbus

8:00 am-Riley Lesh

10:45 am-1st Communion Students

5:00 pm- Jan Musters

### Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

5:00 pm-Knights of Columbus

8:00 am-Rosanne Roth

10:45 am-Pat B., Jim & Renay, Tony V.

5:00 pm-Volunteers

### Altar Servers

5:00 pm-Volunteers

8:00 am-Volunteers

10:45 am-Levi Muskat

5:00 pm-Volunteers

### Screens

5:00 pm-Brett Striegel

8:00 am-

10:45 am-Julia Muskat

5:00 pm-Mark W.

**FIRST FRIDAY  
DEVOTIONS MAY 3  
8:30 AM MASS**

## 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-12-Sunday, 9:15 am-10:30 am  
High School, Confirmation-Sunday 9:15-10:30 am  
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 or go online to webpage for registration

### 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, 4:30-5:00 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: Rosanne Roth, Tom Ryan

Adoration Chapel: Closing information 317-834-4251

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

Applefest: 831-4142

Bible Study: 831-4142

Faith Formation Commission: Mary Leonard-Bohney, 317-440-5976

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

Knights of Columbus: Larry Janeczek, 919-4156

Liturgy: Myron Cassidy, 317-258-6889

Parish Nurse: Cathy Gray, 831-9991

Parish Council: Karen Houk, 317-626-0560

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, 317-946-7218

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

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ST. THOMAS MORE CATHOLIC CHURCH COLLECTIONS As of April 21th, 2019		
		Actual
Saturday 5:00 PM		652.00
Sunday 8:00 AM		1,618.00
Sunday 10:45 AM		1,820.00
Sunday 5:00 PM		N/A
Other (mail in)		928.00
Easter Offering		1,425.00
Other-Orphan/India		342.68
Other/ Holy Places		514.76
Electronic Giving		2,519.01
<b>Total</b>		<b>9,819.45</b>
	<b>YTD Budget</b>	<b>YTD Actual</b>
<b>3/31/2019</b>		
<b>Weekend Collections</b>	222,641.48	183,316.28
<b>Electronic Giving</b>	71,698.10	91,271.62
<b>Total</b>	<b>294,339.58</b>	<b>274,587.90</b>
<b>Other Collections</b>		<b>Actual</b>
Easter Flower		0.00
St. Vincent de-Paul		111.41
Misc. Archdiocese		20.74
Criterion		39.38
Capital Maint. Fund		320.06
FIF Campaign		5,085.99
<b>Total</b>		<b>5,577.58</b>
<b>Savings Accounts</b>		
	<b>2/28/2019</b>	<b>3/31/2019</b>
FIF Campaign Fund	11,176.89	4,050.16
Capital Maint. Fund	40,416.92	41,496.35
ADLF FIF	519,315.90	539,033.42
ADLF Capital Maint.	100,816.73	100,696.69

**Vocations Ministry**  
 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. This week Crista & Kyle Clephane will take the basket. A sign-up sheet is in the Social Hall, or contact John Griffin at 317-554-7388. Visit [www.heargodscall.com](http://www.heargodscall.com) for additional information and resources about vocations and discerning a call.



**Campaign  
Results through  
3/31/19**

**AMOUNT  
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**AMOUNT  
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\$574,684.70**

*Rest in Peace*

*We extend our deepest sympathy to  
 We extend our deepest sympathy to  
 Pat & Roy Tooley on the death of  
 Pat's mom, Mary Payne and to Cathy  
 & Ken Brochus on the passing of  
 Cathy's stepfather, Dr. Peter Baldwin  
 Please keep them in prayer.*

**Catholic Home Missions Appeal  
 April 28  
 Please place your envelope in the  
 regular collection**

## 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, Good Shepherd Room

Wed. 6:30 pm-Bible Study, 6:30 pm Social Hall

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

Sun. Masses-8:00 am, 10:45 am, 5:00 pm

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

## MONTHLY

2nd Sun.-12:30 pm, St. Vincent de Paul

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

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

3rd Sun.- Baptisms

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

3rd Tues.-1:00 pm, Prayer Shawl Ministry

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

3rd Thurs.-6:30 pm, Prayer Shawl Ministry

3rd Sat. -6:30 pm-Euchre, Social Hall

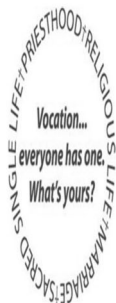
## Indianapolis Race for Vocations

May 4, 2019

Information and registration available on line at:

<https://raceforvocations.org>

Entry forms also available in social hall



Race for Vocations  
sponsored by:  
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Columbus

Unable to run or walk the event at the Indy mini marathon? You may also register to volunteer, to attend mass the eve of May 3<sup>rd</sup> at St. Johns with the archbishop, pledge dollars to a participant or pledge prayers

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## Attention All Teens Spring Break, 2020 India

**Fr Francis will be taking a group of teens and parents or chaperones to India.**

**Some of the things on the itinerary are:**

**The Taj Mahal**

**And of course, Calcutta**

**A sign up will be in the social hall for interested people. More information will be coming out soon**

***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: Thanks!

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

Would you like to learn to crochet? Already know how, but would like to improve your skills or learn a new stitch? Then please come to the May 21, 2019 Prayer Shawl group meeting. Candance Bex (an expert in crochet) will be teaching this class from 1:00 to 2:30pm. You only need to bring a crochet hook in either size H, I or J and the yarn will be provided. Please come and enjoy learning a new craft or improve your skills and join our group!

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## ADORATION CHAPEL

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Monday 4-5 pm; Wednesday 12-1pm; Thursday 2-3 am, 3-4am, 4-5 am, 4-5 pm; Friday 3-4 am, 8-9 am; Saturday 9-10 am. If you can help with any of these hours, please call Kristina at 317-797-7060, Peggy at 317-695-9807, Maureen at 317-490-2383 or call the office 317-831-4142. Thank you & God Bless



**PLEASE NOTE: IF THERE IS A WEATHER ADVISORY WE WILL CLOSE THE CHAPEL. PLEASE CALL 317-834-4251 TO VERIFY WHETHER IT'S CLOSED OR OPEN. WE WILL NOT CALL EVERYONE.**

## MONTHLY PRAYER HOUR

4-5 PM 3RD MONDAY EACH MONTH IN ADORATION CHAPEL  
NEXT DATE IS MAY 20  
ALL ARE WELCOME.  
MAY INTENTION IS MOTHERS

**LES SCHUBERT  
MEMORIAL GOLF OUTING  
FRIDAY, MAY 11  
WINDING RIVER GOLF  
CLUB**

**WELCOME  
TO STM!**

**DONOVAN  
WILSON  
Baptized here  
at STM  
Easter Sunday**



**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**

**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, 5th Sun. prior to 10:45**

## Prayer Shawl Group

Do you knit or crochet but cannot make our monthly meetings? You can work from home. Just call the parish office for more information. We would love to share patterns. Know anyone who might need or want a prayer shawl? Call the parish office.

Meetings: 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesdays of the month at 1pm and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays of the month at 6:30pm

Please keep our seriously ill Parishioners and immediate family in prayer:

Theresa Jarvis, Mary Wacker, Peggy Palmer, Martha Kalapurackal, Karen Pikosz, Ruth Griffin, Ken & Martha Fetsch, Marvin Stidham, Kim Cipriani, Shawn Collier, Danny McDaniel, Brian Laurenz, Patricia Allen, Brian Bomaster, Norman Rexing, Jameson Dolan, Frances Mead, Eileen Edge., George Callies, Jack Deroche, Marie Baldwin, Larry Schubert

Father, we come to you through your Son, Jesus Christ in the power of the Holy Spirit. We place before you all the prayer requests given to our parish family. We have complete trust and confidence that you have heard our prayer. Thank You Lord. Amen

St. Thomas More Free Clinic, 1125 North Indiana, PO Box 935  
Mooresville, IN 46158, Clinic Phone: 317.831.1697

St. Thomas More Free Clinic, located across from St. Thomas More Church, provides medical, dental, and vision care, for both acute and chronic medical conditions. Individuals must have no Medicare, Medicaid, or private insurance, meet specific income criteria (such as a level of income for a family of four at \$50,200), and show proof of Morgan County residency.

Call 317.831.1697 with questions or to schedule an appointment on the first or third Saturday of each month between 8:00 am - 1:00 pm. Patients receive a medical exam from a Nurse Practitioner or Physician, lab tests, radiology tests, and medications as necessary, all at no charge.

Volunteers are always welcome and appreciated. Specific positions include:

- ✦ Physicians
- ✦ Nurse practitioners
- ✦ Registered Nurses/Student Nurses
- ✦ Licensed Clinical Social Worker
- ✦ Dietitian and/or Nutrition specialist

People with office administrative skills, fund raising and/or marketing skills, and organizational skills with supplies & materials

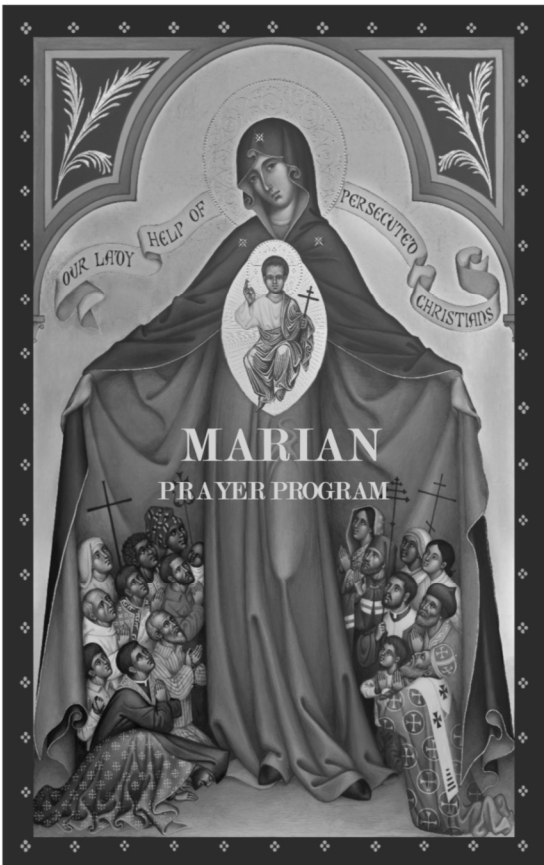
### The 7 Deadly Sins/7 Lively Virtues

**April 28: Pride/Humility, Envy/Admiration**

**May 5: Anger/Forgiveness, Sloth/Zeal, Avarice/Generosity**

**May 12: Gluttony/Asceticism, Lust/Chastity**

**We will be meeting in the gym from 9:15am-10:30am. Bring your coffee and donuts.**



## MARIAN PRAYER PROGRAM

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at



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Your Parish Family for Life

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