



January 5, 2020

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 Website www.stm-church.org

Office Hours

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

Mass Schedule

Saturday Anticipation: 6:00 pm Sunday: 7:30 am, 11:15 am Wednesday and Friday: 8:30 am Holy Days: 8:30 am and 6:30 pm

Reconciliation

Wednesday and Friday: 8:15-8:30 am Saturday: 5:45-6:00 pm Sunday: 7:15-7:30 am, Sunday: 11:00-11:15 am

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

St. Ann Catholic Church

6350 S, Mooresville Rd, Indianapolis, IN 46221

Parish Office Phone 317-821-2909 Emergency Phone 317-374-3477 Website www.st-ann-rcindy.org

Office Hours

Tuesday-Friday 8:00 am-1:00 pm

Mass Schedule

Saturday Anticipation: 4:00 pm Sunday: 9:30 am Tuesday and Thursday: 9:30 am

Holy Days: anticipation 6:30 pm other TBD

Reconciliation

Tuesday and Thursday: 15 min before Mass Saturday: 3:30-4:00 pm Sunday: 15 min prior to Mass

Fr. Francis Joseph Pastor FrFrancis@stm-church.org **Deacon Joe Beauchamp** Deacon joejbeau@aol.com Jan Fletcher Executive Administrative Asst. saintannchurc@aol.com Kelly O'Brien Coordinator of Faith Formation kellyobrien@comcast.net Mike McKay Accountant and Music Coordinator mmckay@netpenny.net Preschool Director **Amy Pommer** stannpreschoolindy@gmail.com

Parish Mission Statement

We, the parish family of St. Ann Catholic Church of the Archdiocese of Indianapolis, exist to love God and one another, to grow in our personal relationships and in our Lord, and to strengthen our community through prayer and worship.

As Christians, we are committed to reaching out to those in need in the larger southwestern Marion County area; and to demonstrate our concerns for the broader universal church and the Archdiocese of Indianapolis in terms of sanctity of life, social justice, peace and love.

Steeped in the traditional faith and Catholic heritage of our founding members, we pledge our individual talents to harmoniously work in Christ's image for the growth and betterment of our community.

We accept the challenge of active stewardship of both our parish programs and property with time, talent and sacrificial giving and we pledge to preserve this legacy for future generations.



January 5, 2020 Feast of the Epiphany

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Hope you all had a great Christmas! Happy New Year!

We pray that this New Year will be a year of Blessing. The Lord blessed us with a wonderful year 2019 and we surrender all that comes with the New Year 2020. May it be blessed and anointed by the Lord.

We began the New Year with Mary, the mother of God, and through Jesus, she becomes our mother as well. May our Blessed Mother walk with us as we go through this New Year and may her maternal intercession cover all of us and our plans for the year. We are so grateful to God for all His blessings throughout the Year 2019. Let us continue to surrender to God this New Year 2020.

I would like to express my appreciation to all of you and thank you for your kind cooperation and support as I fulfill my responsibilities as your shepherd and father. For St. Ann it was a big change and probably unexpected. For St. Thomas More it was a big change too that for the first time their priest had to pastor another parish; so the priest who was available full time is no more that way. God's ways are mysterious and wonderful. May the Lord bless all of us as we welcome the New Year.

I take this occasion to thank all who made the liturgy for Christmas very special. Special thanks to Maureen Shea, Donna McGrath and Mike McKay for coordinating the liturgy and music. Thank you to the beautiful choirs and to all who helped decorate the churches. May the Lord bless you.

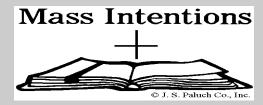
I wish to thank all of you who sent Season's greetings and generously blessed me with gifts. This year's Christmas gifts will go to one of my students, Deacon Anthony Sen, to pay for his priestly ordination, scheduled for January 26th. Please pray for him that he be a good shepherd like unto the heart of Jesus.

Thank you Lord for everything you have done for our parishes. Thank you All for everything!

Blessings,

Fr. Francis J. Kalapurackal

Pastor St. Ann & St. Thomas More



Monday, January 6 8:30 am: No Mass Tuesday, January 7

9:30 am: Jacob Cabrera (STA)

Wednesday, January 8

8:30 am: Zenta Drzakowski (STM)

Thursday, January 9

9:30 am: Zenta Drzakowski (STA)

Friday, January 10

8:30 am: Phyllis Seger (STM)

Saturday, January 11

4:00 pm: Bridgette Smith (STA) (STM)

6:00 pm: Barbara Spees

Sunday, January 12

7:30 am: Parishioners of STM (STM) 9:30 am: Robert & Zita McKay (STA) 11:15 am: Mike Shea (STM)

STM Ministry Schedule January 11 & 12, 2020

USHERS

Judy, Sharon 6:00 pm-7:30 am-Rita R., Henry G 11:15 am-Steve & Eileen, Cortnie, Shauna

Lectors

Maria C., Andrew M 6:00pm-

7:30 am-Rilev

11:15 am-Mary B., Jim M.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF

HOLY COMMUNION

6:00 pm-Allison, Will, Judy L.

7:30 am-**Volunteers**

Jerry & Peggy, Jeanna B. 11:15 am-

ALTAR SERVERS

6:00 pm-Mary Reed, Lily Clephane

7:30 am-Jacob, Eli

11:15 am-Tim, Valerie, Baylor

SCREENS

6:00 pm-**Conner Cassidy** 7:30 am-**Carol Keller** 11:15 am-Anthony V

Children's Liturgy

Lynnea, Annabell, Emily

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

First-time parents must attend the Baptismal Preparation Class. Please call the parish office.

Sacrament of Holy Orders

Those considering the Priesthood or a Religious Vocation, contact Fr. Francis or the Archdiocesan Vocation Office at 317-236-1490.

Religious Education

Grades K to 12-Sunday, 9:45 am-11:00 am STM:

High School, Confirmation-Sunday 9:45 am-11:00 am

Call 317-831-4142

STA: Grades Pre-K to 12-Sunday, 10:30 am-11:45 am

High School, Confirmation-Sunday, 10:30 am-11:45 am

Call 317-821-2909

Pastoral Care

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

New Parishioners

Welcome to our parish families! Please contact the office for registration forms and information.. STM: 317-831-4142 STA: 317-821-2909 or go online to our webpages for registration information.

Reconciliation

See the bulletin cover page.

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.

Interested in the Faith

Inquiry sessions as part of the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) Call Parish Office

STM 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: Peggy Weber, 317-831-4142

Bible Study: Marianne Hawkins, 317-831-4142

Faith Formation Commission: Pete Majeski, 317-697-2145,

Knights of Columbus: Ron Cacciotti, 317-727-0005

Liturgy: Larry Janeczek, 317-919-4156

Parish Council: Karen Houk, 317-626-0560

Project Rachel: 317-236-1569, 800-382-9836 Abortion Healing

RCIA: Marianne, Deacon Joe, 317-831-4142

Respect for Life Committee: Mari Vickers, 317-831-4142

St. Thomas More Free Clinic: 317-831-1697 St. Vincent de Paul: Joan Maxfield, 317-946-7218

Stewardship: Brian Disney, 317-831-4142

Technology Committee: 317-831-4142 Vocation Promotion: John Griffin, 317-554-7388 Welcoming Committee: Janet Deroche, 260-433-7278

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

Angie Dufour, 317-730-6590

ST. THOMAS MORE CATHOLIC CHURCH COLLECTIONS

As of December 22, 2019

	, <u>-</u>	Actual
Saturday 6:00		
PM		668.81
Sunday 7:30		
AM		987.00
Sunday 11:15		
AM		2,237.00
Mail-in		185.00
Christmas		
Flowers		0.00
Christmas		2,114.86
FF Children's		
offering		0.00
Electronic Giv-		
ing		2,573.22
Total		8,765.89
	YTD	YTD
11/30/2019	Budget	Actual
Weekend Col-		
lections	99,423.83	95,569.74
Electronic Giv-		
ing	50,000.00	50,291.56
Total	149,423.83	145,861.30
Other Collec-		
tions	_	Actual
Good Friday		0.00
St. Vincent de-		
Paul		4.35
Misc. Archdio-		
cese		220.91
Criterion		0.00
Capital Maint.		
Fund		460.00
FIF Campaign		1,781.54
Total		2,466.80
Savings Ac-	<u>.</u>	
counts	10/31/2019	11/30/2019
FIF Campaign		
Fund	128,848.82	83,022.99
Capital Maint.		
Fund	41,734.40	42,569.05
ADLF FIF	292,093.39	292,273.45
ADLF Capital	-	
Maint.	101,140.30	101,202.65

VOCATIONS MINISTRY



Each weekend a parishioner has the opportunity 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. This week Jan & Jim Musters will take the kit. The kit contains a small wood cross to set on your table as a reminder of the need for more people to answer God's call to a religious vocation, prayer guides, and informational booklets and books about vocations.

A sign up sheet is in the Social Hall, or contact John Griffin at 317-554-7388. Visit wwww.heargodscall.com



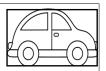
CAMPAIGN RESULTS THROUGH 11/30/19

AMOUNT PLEDGED\$940,202.00

AMOUNT RECEIVED\$685,548.00

NEED A RIDE?

If anyone needs a ride to church or for an important errand, see our volunteer drivers below. Preferred Mass time is listed. God bless!



Larry Janeczek	317-919-4156	on call
Jerry Weber	317-697-4914	on call
Rich Weihler	319-383-9723	Sat 6 pm, 11:15
Michael Tessmer	317-777-2052	11:15 am
Richard Hoying	317-752-7230	7:30 am
Dan Brock	765-243-1017	Sat 6 pm
Bunny Sheets	317-946-6981	11:15 am

STM ROSE CEREMONY SUNDAY, JANUARY 26, 11:15 MASS

Commemorating the Roe vs Wade Abortion decision.

Sign up in the social hall to represent a year from 1973-2020

If the year you were born is one of these years, please sign up for that year.



Indiana March for Life Wed. Jan. 22, noon

from Georgia St. to the Capitol Bldg. 10:30 am Mass at St. John the Evangelist 10:30 am Memorial for the Unborn Indiana Convention Center

12:45 pm Rally South Steps of Indiana State House



CALENDAR OF EVENTS WEEKDAY MASS

8:30 am Mass: Wednesday & Friday

8:15 am Reconciliation: Wednesday & Friday

WEEKLY WEDNESDAY, 9:15 AM BIBLE STUDY MEN & WOMEN

Wednesday, 11:30 am: Rosary, Meadow Lakes Wednesday, 6:30 pm: RCIA, Good Shepherd rm Wednesday, 6:30 pm: Bible Study, Social Hall Thursday, 10:00 am: Bible Study, Library

Saturday, 5:45 pm: Reconciliation

Saturday, 6:00 pm: Mass

Sunday Reconciliation: 7:15 am and 11:00 am

Sunday Masses: 7:30 am and 11:15 am

MONTHLY

2nd Sunday, 12:30 pm: St. Vincent de Paul 2nd Tuesday, 6:00 pm: Women of STM, Social

Hall

2nd Thursday, 6:00 pm: Faith Formation

Commission

3rd Tuesday, 1:00 pm: Prayer Shawl ministry,

Good Shepherd Room

3rd Wednesday, 6:30 pm: Pastoral Council,

Library

3rd Thursday, 6:30 pm: Liturgy Mtg, Library 3rd Friday, 6:30 pm: Euchre, Social Hall

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please keep our seriously ill parishioners and immediate family in prayer: Theresa Jarvis, Peggy Palmer, Don Drewenski, Ken & Martha Fetsch, Marvin Stidham, Kim Cipriani, Shawn Collier, Danny McDaniel, Brian Laurenz, Tom Cassidy, Norman Rexing, Jameson Dolan, Frances Mead, Eileen Edge, George Callies, Marie Baldwin, Larry Schubert, Carol Pikosz, Mary Bednarek, Judy Haynes, Alice Comstock, Irmgard Fischer, Janelle Allred, Jennifer Cannizzaro, Ron Gall, Larry Parrish, Carole Grindstaff, Suzie Parmerlee, Richard Young, Jim Wade, Dewayne Chernovsky, Susie Rexing, Frederick Edwards, Barbara Besso Jessica Kyle

"For it is in Giving that we receive"

Thank You, St. Thomas More for another successful Giving Tree. Together as a parish we were able to help 16 families totaling 91 people (30 adults and 61 under age 18). These families were overwhelmed by our parish's generosity and said THANK YOU many times over. To have gifts specific to each individual was a wonderful feeling. They were given Christmas stockings if needed (with stocking stuffers) and were able to pick out a new and used game for the family. Also, there were books to pick from for the children and teens. The amount of groceries bought for them along with Kroger grocery cards are always a big help through the holidays. A big thanks to the St. Vincent de Paul group who got a grant that allowed them to buy gifts for 5 of the families. As in the past this job ALWAYS reminds me to be thankful for what I have.

Thank you to my husband Larry, Chris Dufour, Dana Noel and others who all helped me in various ways to make this project a success. Cindy Fears 2019

Don't miss Scott Hahn at the St. Paul Center in Carmel Saturday, January 18, 2020 8:00 am-12:00 pm

Study Scripture from the heart of the Church with one of today's most respected scholars. Go deeper into the riches of our Catholic faith—register now! Cost: \$20.00

Schedule

8:00 a.m. — Mass 9:00 a.m. — "The Road to Emmaus: Ongoing Conversion and the Eucharist" by Scott Hahn

10:00 a.m. — St. Paul Center Presentation

10:15 a.m. — Break, books available for sale 10:45 a.m. — "Evangelizing Catholics: Missionary Discipleship in Action" by Scott Hahn

11:45 a.m. — Closing announcements 12:00 p.m. — Books available for sale

Location: Our Lady of Mt Carmel Church 14598 Oak Ridge Rd Carmel, IN 46032

Register Now https://stpaulcenter.com/carmel/? utm source=carmel&utm medium=email&utm campaign=events&utm content =button-carmel



HOW TO FIX YOUR KIDS IN 6 HOURS

Beginning January 5, 2020, we will be running Catholic Parenting Classes (support) during faith formation (9:45am-11am). We will be focusing and discussing two books by Dr. Ray Guarendi, "Good Discipline, Great Teens" and "Discipline That Lasts a Lifetime".

These books are written in question/ answer form. Such as:

Dear Dr. Ray,

I 'm a lecturer and the kids are increasingly tuning me out. Is there hope to be heard?

Talk to Me

An optional but very good book, will be "Guiding Your Catholic Preschooler", By Kathy Pierce and Lori Rowland These books may be purchased in the social hall at cost for \$5 each SEE YOU JANUARY 5 FOR THE INTRODUCTION These sessions will continue for each Sunday in January.



STM High School Class Presents

Mystery Murder Mystery Dinner Sunday, January 26 after 11:15 Mass A Spoof on

1920s Mobster Who Dunnit? \$5.00 Suggested Donation





WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22, 2020 @ 12:00PM

FROM GEORGIA STREET TO CAPITOL BUILDING

10:30AM Mass/Memorial Service

MASS with ARCHBISHOP THOMPSON & BISHOP DOHERTY ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH - 126 W. Georgia St., Indianapolis, IN MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR THE UNBORN Indiana Convention Center 500 Ballroom, 100 S. Capitol Ave., Indianapolis, IN

12:45 PM Rally

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A big THANK YOU to all those who donated gifts, money, and time to the 2019 Giving Tree. St. Ann Parish helped brighten Christmas for nine local families, including 25 children.

Toys, clothes, gift cards, and food, including whole hams, were delivered to the families by some special Christmas angels.

Thanks again!

St. Ann/St. Thomas More: Dinner and a Movie

The St. Ann/St. Thomas RCIA class would like to invite both parishes to join them for Pitch-In Dinner and Movie on January 8, 2020 at St. Ann. A pasta entrée and drinks will be provided.

We will begin with a communion service at 6pm, then dinner and the movie. The movie is "The Lamb's Supper" a biblical look at the Eucharist provided by Scott Hahn.

Please sign up on the St. Ann bulletin board or in the St. Thomas More social hall





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Jan 4	Mass: 4:00
Jan 5	Mass: 9:30
Jan 5	Coffee and Donuts: 10:30—SH
Jan 5	Religious Education: 10:30
Jan 5	Bible Study: 10:30
Jan 7	Mass: 9:30
Jan 8	RCIA: 6:30—Social Hall
Jan 8	Preschool Commission: 6:00—WR
Jan 8	Faith Formation: 7:00—WR
Jan 9	Mass: 9:30
Jan 9	STA Staff Meeting: 10:30—WR
Jan 9	Girl Scouts: 6:00—SH
Jan 11	Mass: 4:00
Jan 12	Mass: 9:30
Jan 12	Coffee and donuts: 10:30—SH
Jan 12	Religious Ed:10:30-11:45
Jan 14	Mass: 9:30
Jan 15	Parish photos begin
Jan 16	Mass: 9:30
Jan 16	Book Club: 7:00 pm—Work Room
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St. Ann's Book Club

Next meeting: Thursday, January 16

Time: 7:00 pm

Location: Work Room

St. Ann's Blessing Box

Please remember we have the maroon-colored box out front by the sidewalk. This is the St. Ann's Blessing Box and the purpose of this box is to help people in need in our community. The items are available 24 -hours a day.

Anyone who wishes to donate items are welcome to place items inside. Please—do not insert items that can freeze.

Some recommended items are: non-perishable dry food items, toiletries, new socks, gloves, and/or disposable diapers.

FINANCIAL NEWS

Saint Ann ~ Your Gifts Make a Difference

Dec. 22, 2019		
Collection	\$	3,806
New Ministries	\$	0
Debt Reduction	\$	130
Total Weekly Collections	<u>\$</u>	3,936
Fiscal YTD Overage/(Shortfall)	\$	5,384
Seeds of Hope	\$	10
Religious Retirement	\$	75



50/50 REPORT

Saint Ann - 12/22/2019 Pot — \$436 #516—Keeney DID NOT PLAY

To be eligible to win, place your envelope containing \$1.00, with name & registered number in one of the 50/50 boxes located by the entrances.

All empty envelopes will be void.

Saint Ann License - # 002377

PICTORIAL DIRECTORY

PLEASE UPDATE YOUR ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER ON THE SHEETS IN THE NARTHEX.

If you cannot have your photo taken for the directory, please submit your VERTICAL photo to the office immediately. If that photo was taken by a professional photographer, a release will need to be signed.

You can still call the office (317 -821-2909) or go online (either the St. Ann Facebook page or the St. Ann website) to sign up

for a free photo and session. Instructions are printed and in the narthex at the pictorial directory table.

NEXT WEEKEND'S MINISTRY SCHEDULE

The Bap- tism of the Lord	Ushers	Acolytes	Lectors	Chalice Ministers	Host Ministers	Greeters
Saturday Jan 11 4:00 PM			Volunteers neede	d.		
Sunday Jan 12 9:30 AM			Volunteers needed	1.		

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