



## September 13, 2020 24th Sunday in Ordinary

**St. Thomas More Catholic Church**  
1200 N. Indiana Street Mooresville, IN 46158

Parish Office Phone 317-831-4142  
Emergency Phone 317-839-4255  
Adoration Chapel 317-831-4142 ext 3  
Website [www.stm-church.org](http://www.stm-church.org)

### Office Hours

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

### Mass Schedule

Saturday Anticipation: 5:30 pm  
**Sunday: 7:30 am, 10:45 am**  
Wednesday and Friday: 9:30 am  
Holy Hour: Wed., Fri. 8:30 am  
Holy Days: Call the office

### Reconciliation

Thursday 7:15-8:15 pm

### Adoration Chapel

Call 317-831-4142 ext 3 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](http://www.st-ann-rcindy.org)

### Office Hours

Tuesday-Friday 9:00 am-2:00 pm

### Mass Schedule

Saturday Anticipation: 4:00 pm  
**Sunday: 9:00 am**  
Tuesday and Thursday: 9:30 am  
Holy Hour: Tuesday & Thursday 8:30 am  
Holy Days: anticipation 6:30 pm other TBD

### Reconciliation

Saturday 3:00-3:45 pm

**Fr. Francis Joseph** Pastor

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### 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.

September 13, 2020 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

"Forgive your neighbor's injustice; then when you pray, your own sins will be forgiven. The vengeful will suffer the Lord's vengeance, for He remembers their sins in detail." (Sir 28:1-2)

He tries everything to change the bird's attitude and clean up it's talk but nothing works. Finally, in a moment of desperation, he puts the parrot in the freezer. For a few moments he hears the bird squawking, kicking and screaming and then suddenly, all is quiet. He opens the freezer door. The parrot steps out and says, "I'm sorry that I offended you with my language and actions. I ask for your forgiveness." The guy was astounded at the bird's change in attitude and was about to ask what changed him, when the parrot continued, "By the way, may I ask-what did the chickens do?"

The theme of this weekend's liturgy is Forgiveness, probably one of the hardest virtues to practice in life. Jesus' teachings and life are all about forgiveness. Forgiving the wrong doer unconditionally needs divine assistance. The last words of Jesus from the cross remind every one of us of the need to forgive everyone who wrongs us, until death. This world needs to be liberated from the clutches of unforgiveness. St. Paul reminds us that you may be angry but do not sin. Do not let the sun go down on your anger. May God open your hearts and minds to a life of grace and healing. Let us pray for all those who have offended/wronged us as we sit at the feet of the Lord beneath the cross listening to the cry of Jesus; "Father, forgive them for they know not what they do."

Your Brother in Christ,

Fr. Francis J. Kalapurackal  
Pastor St. Ann and St. Thomas More Parishes

**Safe Haven Baby Box  
Dedicated at Mooresville,  
In Fire Station  
Sept. 1, 2020**

**Fr. Francis blessed the Baby Box Sept. 1 This is the 39th Safe Haven Baby Box in Indiana. 3 babies have been surrendered safely in Indiana. Our K of C Council 7431 was instrumental in helping raise the necessary funds. (The picture was so gray last week I decided to try again.)**



## MASS INTENTIONS

**Monday, September 14**

No Mass

**Tuesday, September 15**

9:30 am: Bob Crocker (STA)

**Wednesday, September 16**

9:30 am: Kelly Enstrom (STM)

**Thursday, September 17**

9:30 am: Tamie & John Cradit (STA)

**Friday, September 18**

10:00 am: Kenneth Hill (STM)

**Saturday, September 19**

4:00 pm: John Koerber (STA)

5:30 pm: Parishioners of STM (STM)

**Sunday, September 20**

7:30 am: Edna Broadstreet (STM)

9:00 am: Stanley Routon (STA)

10:45 am: Jonathan Hawkins (STM)

**Sat. Sept. 12** mass intention at St. Ann was accidentally omitted. Apologies to the family of Mark Fletcher



ST. THOMAS MORE

Your Parish Family for Life

## 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

STM: Grades K to 12-Sunday, 9:15 am-10:30 am  
High School, Confirmation-Sunday 9:15 am-10:30 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.

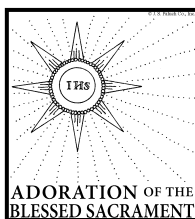
### Interested in the Faith

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

## STM ORGANIZATIONS AND COMMITTEES

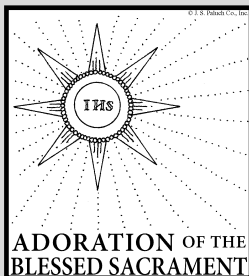
Administrative/Finance: Rosanne Roth, Tom Ryan  
Adoration Chapel: Closing information 317-834-4251  
Peggy Weber 317-695-9807, Kristina Birchler, 317-797-7060  
Applefest: Peggy Weber, 317-831-4142  
Bible Study: Marianne Hawkins, 317- 831-4142  
Faith Formation Commission: Pete Majeski , 317-697-2145,  
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: Janet DeRoche, 260-433-7278  
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

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament  
In church at STM  
Wednesdays 10 am-  
10 pm**



## ST. ANN ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

**At St Ann in the Church  
Every Tuesday from  
10am-10pm  
Beginning Oct 6, 2020  
Sign up in the narthex for an  
hour spot or call the church of-  
fice at 317-821-2909 Or  
Email Marianne at  
[mhawkins@stannindy.org](mailto:mhawkins@stannindy.org)**





**SAINT OR AIN'T**  
 October 24  
 Immediately following  
 the 4pm Mass  
At St. Ann



**Bring your children to a Catholic  
 version of Trunk or Treat!**

**Cars will be parked in the parking lot  
 with their trunks open for children to  
 go around for treats from a Saint or  
 from an Ain't.**

**Children may come in costume!  
 Prize Awarded to the best Saint!**

**Sign up in the narthex for a place to  
 park your car.**

***If religious education is continuing to  
 go virtual, packets may be picked up at  
 this time.***



**St. Ann and St. Thomas More  
 HAUNTED TRAILS Sat. Oct 17**

at Marianne's house. High School  
 Youth will come out to haunt the trails  
 Saturday at 3 pm.

Middle school kids come out at 6 pm.

Bring: 1 pumpkin

Wienie Roast included

Pick up time: 8:30pm

629 W. Gold Creek Rd. Mooresville,  
 IN 46158

## \$\$\$FINANCIAL NEWS\$\$

Saint Ann-Your Gifts Make a Difference

September 6, 2020

Collection	\$	3205.00
Debt Reduction	\$	1050.00
New Ministries	\$	65.00
Capital Maintenance	\$	25.00
Total Weekly Collection	\$	4345.00
Fiscal YTD (shortfall)	(\$	6618.00)
St. Vincent de Paul	\$	60.00



### 50/50 REPORT

Saint Ann - 9/6/2020

Pot — \$ 505.00

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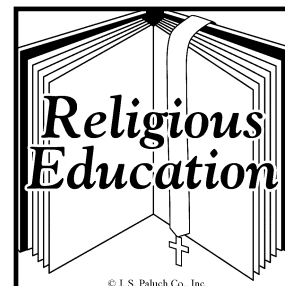
**WINNER**

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*

***St. Ann Sunday Morning  
 Religious Education will begin  
 virtually on Sunday, Sept. 20.***

***The First Communion class will  
 meet in person at 10 am on Sun-  
 days. (I will have more info lat-  
 er)***



**STM NEW GUIDELINES  
WHEN COMING TO MASS**

The St. Thomas More Safety Team wishes to thank everyone for their compliance to safety measures in place: masks, social distancing and sanitizing. We have a few changes in procedure.

**PLEASE WAIT TO BE SEATED.**

**DO NOT MOVE TO THE ENDS OF  
THE PEWS FOR COMMUNION.**

**HOLD HAND OUT FLAT (NOT  
CUPPED) TO RECEIVE COMMUNION.**

**AT THE END OF MASS, USHERS  
WILL DISMISS PEW BY PEW  
FROM BACK TO FRONT.**

**PLEASE, NO CONGREGATING IN  
CHURCH BEFORE OR AFTER  
MASS.**

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR PATIENCE  
AS WE DO OUR BEST TO KEEP  
YOU SAFE AT MASS.**



**Please join us for the 2020 Blessing of the Bikes on September 26th, immediately following the 5:30pm mass. Bring your motorcycle on down to St. Thomas More, and park in the south parking lot. Father will conduct the blessing after mass, and we will then convene for dinner at Los Patios Mexican Restaurant after the blessing for fellowship. If you have any questions, please email [andy@murrey.org](mailto:andy@murrey.org).**

**ANNOUNCING**

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**ST. ANN & ST. THOMAS MORE  
WE ARE BACK ON FORMED**

If you have already registered through our free 40 day trial, you may just hop back on.

If you have not registered yet, go to [www.formed.org](http://www.formed.org)

I am a parish and then find St. Thomas More Mooresville

Formed is a wonderful online resource that features movies, animated kid shows, bible studies, Catholic Tradition explanations, saints and much, much more. Please take advantage of this opportunity.

**RCIA for St. Ann & STM  
Rite of Christian  
Initiation for Adults**

What is it?? This is the instruction adults need to take to receive the Sacraments of Baptism and/or Eucharist and/or Confirmation.

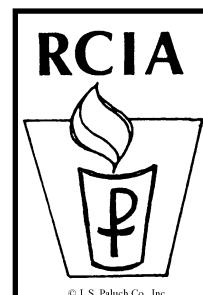
Why? ? There is much to know about our Catholic faith and we want to make sure you are aware of its rich Scripture and traditions.

Who?? Anyone who wants to know more about the Catholic faith.

When?? Beginning Sept. 8, 2020 from 6:30-8:00 pm

Want more information??

Contact Marianne Hawkins at St. Ann's [mhawkins@stannindy.org](mailto:mhawkins@stannindy.org) or Call 821-2909 or St. Thomas More [mhawkins@stm-church.org](mailto:mhawkins@stm-church.org) 831-4142



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## 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 5:30, 10:45		
Michael Tessmer	317- 777-2052	
10:45 am		
Richard Hoying	317-752-7230	
7:30 am		
Dan Brock	765-243-1017	
Sat 5:30 pm		
Bunny Sheets	317-946-6981	
10:45 am		

## VOCATIONS CROSS PRAYER MINISTRY

The Vocations Cross Prayer Ministry is resuming! For COVID safety we will do two-week prayer slots and the prayer kit will be delivered privately to each participant. Each kit will be sanitized between participants. For more information or to sign up, please contact John Griffin (317-554-7388).

**The next Zoom meeting of the ST. ANN BOOK CLUB will be on Thurs., Sept. 17 at 7:00 PM. We will continue our study of Pope Francis' apostolic exhortation, "The Joy of Love." We will be discussing chapters 6-9. In this book the Pope focuses especially on love in marriage and the family. New members are always welcome at the St. Ann Book Club. If you are interested in joining us,**

**contact Mike Cesnik at [m1cesnik@gmail.com](mailto:m1cesnik@gmail.com) or call the parish office.**



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## INTRODUCING CLUB Y.U.C. (Youth Under Christ)

**Club YUC is a high school led middle school youth group. The high school youth will meet the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month to plan out that month's middle school youth group.**

**The Youth Group itself will be held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday's of the month immediately following the 10:45 Mass, starting Sept. 13**

**The itinerary will look something like this:**

**Lunch: provided by rotating members**

**Opening Prayer**

**Activity**

**Small groups (we plan on dividing up in grade levels)**

**Closing Prayer**

**We plan on meeting outside at the campfire pit or in the K of C shelter house while the weather is nice. If there are any high school students who would like to help lead this group or middle school participants, please call or email Marianne**



## PLEASE PRAY

Please keep our seriously ill parishioners and immediate family in prayer: Theresa Jarvis, Peggy Palmer, Don Drewenski, Ken Fetsch, Marvin Stidham, Kim Cipriani, Shawn Collier, Brian Laurenz, Norman Rexing, Jameson Dolan, Frances Mead, Eileen Edge, George Callies, Marie Baldwin, Larry Schubert, Carol Pikosz, Mary & Gene Bednarek, Judy Haynes, Alice Comstock, Irmgard Fischer, Janelle Allred, Jennifer Cannizzaro, Ron Gall, Carole Grindstaff, Jim Wade, Susie Rexing, Barbara Besso, Jessica Kyle, Ken Brockus, Rosemary Albright, Brian Wesolowski, David Bruner, Arline Jervis, Gloria Lamourex, Nancy James, Mary McGill, Carl Miller, Lala Funk, Jim & Jan Musters, Yvonne Tom, Phyllis Seger, Francis O'Connor, Raju Mathew, Kelly Enstrom

**St. Thomas More  
Drive-Thru Applefest  
October 10, 2020  
noon-7 pm**



**Pulled Pork Dinner-Adults \$10.00**  
Includes Pulled Pork Sandwich,  
Chips, Potato Salad, Drink & fresh  
slice of Apple Pie

**Kid's Meal-\$5.00**  
Includes hot dog, chips, cookie,  
drink

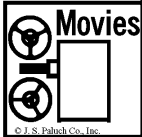
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If all tickets sold \$2500.00 prize

**Car Wash-\$7.00**

**Come out and support your parish.**  
You don't even have to leave your  
vehicle.

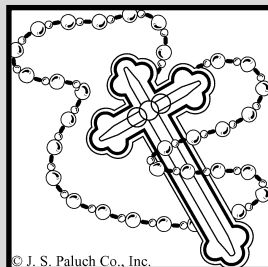
**Advance ticket sales available in**  
the office Monday-Friday 10 to 4  
Starting September 21.

**My Story, R Family Series**  
This week's video features Roncalli  
principal, Chuck Weisenbach,  
St. Jude Parish: [https://  
www.youtube.com/watch?](https://www.youtube.com/watch?)



**FATIMA  
ROSARY FOR PEACE**

**OCTOBER 10  
NOON-1 PM  
BICENTENNIAL  
PARK  
MOORESVILLE**



**ST. THOMAS MORE CATHOLIC CHURCH  
COLLECTIONS**

As of September 06, 2020

		Actual
Saturday 5:30 PM		765.00
Sunday 7:30 AM		410.00
Sunday 10:45 AM		627.00
Other (mail in)		1,320.00
Electronic Giving		6,055.63
<b>Total Sunday Collections</b>		<b>9,177.63</b>
		YTD
As of 8/31/2020	Budget	Actual
Weekend Collections	56,666.66	61,942.68
		Actual
<b>Other Collections</b>		
Other - Orphanage		50.00
St. Vincent de-Paul		419.25
Misc. Archdiocese		6.00
Criterion		0.00
Capital Maint. Fund		185.73
FIF Campaign		1,183.26
<b>Total</b>		<b>1,844.24</b>
		8/31/2020
Savings Accounts	7/31/2020	
FIF Campaign Fund	43,744.15	51,010.87
Capital Maint. Fund	35,121.90	36,213.74
ADLF FIF	451,917.18	452,108.57
ADLF Capital Maint.	101,688.43	101,731.49



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RESULTS THROUGH  
8/31/20**

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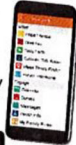
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