



January

February 7, 2021 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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
Website 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

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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 317-839-4255
Website 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

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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.



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Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

The Book of Job is a glaring example of human misery and the struggles of life on earth. Job stands as a model of patience and endurance. Job experienced every form of evil a man can experience in this world. Job's attitude of surrender to God's plans in the midst of all these events happening is something to take home. "The Lord gave and the Lord has taken away". (Job 1:21) In Habakkuk 3: 17-19 the prophet expresses this beautifully. "Though the fig tree does not bud and there are no grapes on the vines, though the olive crop fails and the fields produce no food, though there are no sheep in the pen and no cattle in the stalls, yet I will rejoice in the Lord, I will be joyful in God my Savior." Our life is not much different today, especially as the pandemic hit the world. Many of us have lost someone dear to us in the battle against Covid-19; many have been affected and some of us experienced the virus ourselves. But as Paul said, "we are hard pressed on every side, but not crushed; perplexed, but not in despair." The reason for our Hope is Christ the Risen Lord whom Paul encountered on the way to Damascus and then on throughout his ministry. Paul's union with Christ was so deep, he says, "it's no longer I but Christ who lives in me." May Christ the Lord be with you in your struggles and challenges of life and nothing can take away our Hope in the Risen Lord.

Blessings in Christ,

Fr. Francis J. Kalapurackal

Pastor St. Ann and St. Thomas More Churches

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, February 8
9:30 am: No Mass

Tuesday, February 9
9:30 am: Eulalia Funk (STA)

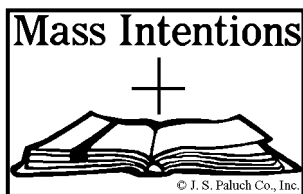
Wednesday, February 10
9:30 am: Kim Cipriani (STM)

Thursday, February 11
9:30 am: Leonard Koerber (STA)

Friday, February 12
9:30: Mary McGill (STM)

Saturday, February 13
4:00 pm: Parishioners of St. Ann
5:30 pm: Christina Winn (STM)

Sunday, February 14
7:30 am: Heim, Mayer, Rihm
Families (STM)
9:00 am: Frances Lay (STA)
10:45 am: Parishioners of STM



We extend our deepest sympathy to Henry & Rita Gregory and their family on the death of Henry's mother Selma. Please keep them in prayer.

Rest in Peace

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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

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, 10:00 am-11:15 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: Jack Dolan, 317-748-6189
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

The Vocations office of the Archdiocese of Indianapolis is implementing a program: **“Adopt a Seminarian”**

Each parish will be given the Name of a seminarian to Sponsor.



St. Ann parish will have

Liam Hosty
Birthday: August 23
School: St. Meinrad
Parish: St. Barnabas

Why: To bring God into people’s lives through the sacraments

Favorite Saint: Philip Neri
Hobbies: Reading, running, hiking
Favorite Prayer Form: Eucharistic Adoration
Favorite bible Verse: John 14:9

We would like to welcome Liam as our adopted seminarian with sending him welcome cards with a little bit about each of us. These may be dropped off at the office or brought to Sunday Mass. We could also do a spiritual bouquet where parishioners pledge a rosary or Mass or holy hour or other prayer and then we will make a paper bouquet from them.



St. Thomas More parish will have

Anthony Armbruster
Birthday: January 28
School: St. Meinrad
Parish: St. Malachy

Why: to lead others to a relationship with God

Favorite Saint: Bernadette
Hobbies: Camping and technology
Favorite Bible Verse: Psalm 8
Favorite Prayer Form: Rosary

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

Saint Ann-Your Gifts Make a Difference

January 31, 2021

| | |
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| Collection | \$ 3926.00 |
| Debt Reduction | \$ 355.00 |
| New Ministries | \$ 45.00 |
| Capital Maintenance | \$ 255.00 |
| Total Weekly Collection | \$ 4551.00 |
| Fiscal YTD (shortfall) | \$ (10, 401.00) |
| St. V de P | \$ 650.00 |



50/50 REPORT

Saint Ann -
1/31/2021
Pot \$323.00
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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



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Baking Bread with Club YUC

Attention All in Grades 6-12

February 14 from noon-1:45pm, we will be making bread for the homeless.

Every participant will have their own table and their own ingredients.

Jeff Buckner will give a presentation on the Beggars of the Poor.



Why Consecration to St. Joseph?

When God wishes to raise a soul to greater heights, he unites it to St. Joseph by giving it a strong love for the good saint. 1 — St. Peter Julian Eymard Do you want to ascend to greater heights in the spiritual life? Consecration to St. Joseph will take you there. Many Christians have consecrated themselves to the Virgin Mary so as to be more closely united to Jesus. Without a doubt, consecration to Mary is one of the best things you can do for your spiritual life. The essence of Marian consecration is to help you become “another Mary” for Jesus, a faithful, loving, and trusting companion of the Savior. Consecration to St. Joseph does something similar. Books will be available for the discounted rate of \$10.00 in February

As a prep, you will find this movie insightful to Joseph's character. Of course, a lot is speculation, but it does give us a glimpse of life at that time and the magnitude of Joseph's role.

Joseph of Nazareth: The Story of the Man Closest to Christ - Joseph of Nazareth: The Story of the Man Closest to Christ - FORMED

A children's video can be found at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=K4NBV840xTc>

STM FAITH FORMATION

CLASSES K thru 12

Resume this week

Feb. 7 9:15-10:30

Music will not be included at
this time

St. Ann First Communion Schedule

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| Jan 24 | Begin Class |
| Feb 14 | First Communion Parent Meeting |
| March 14 | Blessing Cups during Class with Parents |
| March 24 | Lamb's Supper/Prince of Egypt 6:30pm parents and children |
| March 28/April 4 | No Class |
| March 31 | Seder Meal at STM |
| April 10 | First Communion Retreat |
| April 24 | First Communion at 4pm Mass |

St. Ann Sunday Morning Religious Education

Opening up January 24th Grades Kindergarten -6 will meet on Sunday mornings from 10am-11:15am. If you would like to register, please call Marianne at 317-821-8202 email at mhawkins@stannindy.org

St. Ann Confirmation Classes have opened up

All high school students are invited to attend Confirmation classes which begin Jan. 24 2pm. Please see the schedule below
Confirmation: 2pm on Sunday Afternoon-taught by Marianne

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| Jan. 24 | Class begins 2pm-3pm: Parents come to first meeting |
| Jan. 31 | Class Feb. 7 Class |
| Feb 14 | Class |
| Feb 20 | Sponsor Day, 1pm, close with 4pm Mass |
| Feb 21 | No Class Feb. 28 Class |
| Mar 7 | Class March 14 Class |
| March 21 | Class Mar 28/April 4 No Class |
| April 11 | Class |
| April 17/18 | Confirmation Retreat at Camp Rancho/Framasa \$75 (scholarships available) |
| April 25 | Class |
| May 5 | Confirmation at St. Peter/Paul Cathedral |

St. Ann Ladies Guild

All women of the parish are invited & encouraged to be a part of this vital ministry.

Ladies' Guild Pledge

As women sharing a common faith, we unite through the church:

- to grow in Christ, faith and responsibility,
- to demonstrate His love in all areas of life,
- to work together to contribute financially and spiritually for the prosperity of St. Ann's Church,
- to support the activities of our church.

We shall seek to implement this pledge by study, prayer and service, supporting with the giving of our time and of ourselves. Hope to see you when in 2021 we meet again.

Jane Gilliam (prez) 317-627-8827
janeagilliam@gmail.com

NEED A RIDE?

Do you need a ride to church or for an important errand? See our volunteer drivers below. Preferred Mass time is listed.

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|----------------|---------------|-----------------|
| Larry Janeczek | 317-919-4156 | on call |
| Jerry Weber | 317-697-4914 | on call |
| Rich Weihler | 319-383-9723 | Sat 5:30, 10:45 |
| Mike 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 |

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Thank you to all of the giving souls at St Ann Catholic Church. I am proud to be a member and I am proud of our church family. For Christmas 2020, working with Mike Duffy, the Gabriel project team, Right to Life and SVDP... with your help, we were able to serve 28 families through a modified giving tree operation. We did not ask for gifts to be bought and wrapped in this time of the Covid Virus... but St Ann's stepped up and donated monetarily and with food. We assembled and distributed 28 baskets: including around 100.00 worth of food, \$40 in Kroger gift cards and a \$25 Meijer gift card for each child in the family, so a gift could be purchased by the parent. In all we assisted over 80 individuals. We distributed in a drive thru fashion to minimize social contact. The process went well and was well received. Many thanks to all who contributed and made this event such a blessing for our families in need.

**Thank You.
Tom Gerding/ SVDP**

| ST. THOMAS MORE CATHOLIC CHURCH COLLECTIONS As of January 31, 2021 | | |
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| | | Actual |
| Saturday 5:30 PM | | 280.00 |
| Sunday 7:30 AM | | 350.00 |
| Sunday 10:45 AM | | 305.00 |
| Other (mail in) | | 2,455.00 |
| Electronic Giving | | 2,988.97 |
| Total Sunday Collections | | 6,378.97 |
| | YTD | YTD |
| As of 12/31/2020 | Budget | Actual |
| Weekend Collections | 169,999.98 | 190,445.03 |
| | | Actual |
| Other Collections | | |
| Propagation of Faith | | 50.00 |
| St. Vincent dePaul | | 101.22 |
| Misc. Archdiocese | | 54.59 |
| Latin America | | 10.00 |
| Capital Maint. Fund | | 89.40 |
| FIF Campaign | | 1,691.68 |
| Total | | 1,996.89 |
| | 11/30/2020 | 12/31/2020 |
| Other Parish Funds | | |
| FIF Campaign Fund | 545,458.54 | 562,667.69 |
| Capital Maintenance Fund | 140,694.27 | 141,644.09 |
| General Fund | 175,176.97 | 175,251.16 |

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| | CAMPAIGN RESULTS THROUGH 1/31/21 |
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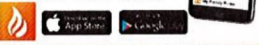
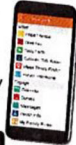
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