



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



St. Thomas More Catholic Church

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Emergency Phone	317-374-3477
Adoration Chapel	317-834-4251
Parish Fax	317-834-2947
Website	www.stm-church.org

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

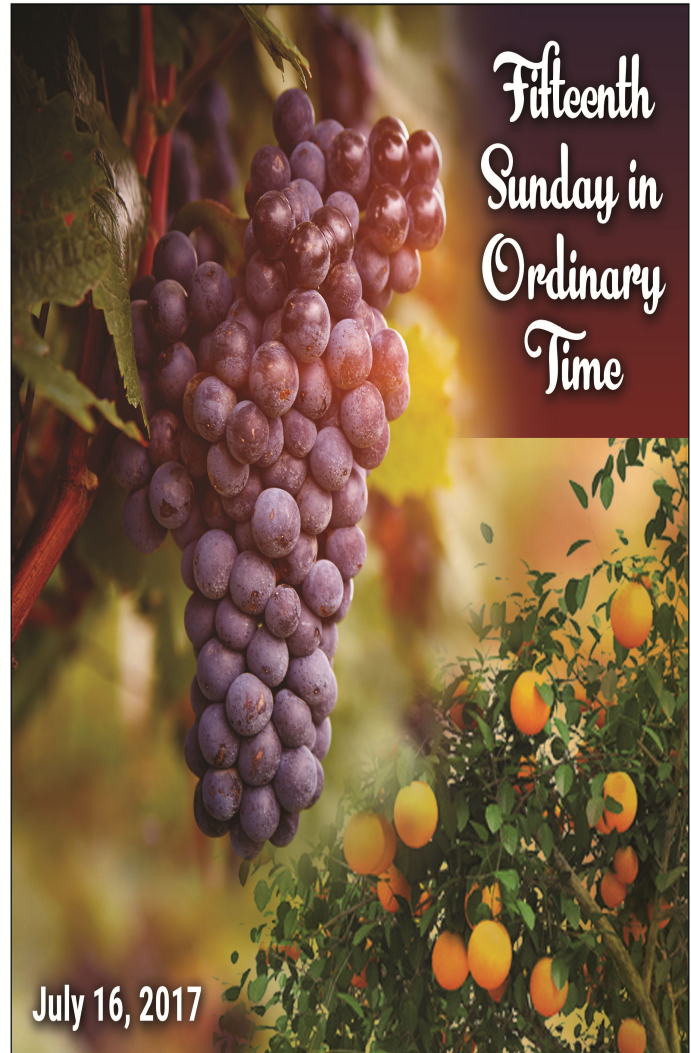
Call 834-4251 to see if chapel is open

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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*



*Fifteenth
Sunday in
Ordinary
Time*

July 16, 2017

A sower went out to sow.
Some seed fell on the path . . . some fell on rocky ground.
. . . Some seed fell among thorns.
. . . But some fell on rich soil, and produced fruit.

Matthew 13:3, 4, 5, 7, 8

July 16, 2017 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Thank you to everyone who made the Tri-parish picnic a great success. Way to go STM! You made me proud. Thank you to John Griffin, Kevin O'Farrell, Kathy Phillips, Maureen Shea, Jerry & Peggy Weber and Bill Keller for their leadership and sacrifice and thank you to all who came. God bless you.

We are on the 15th Sunday of the year. Through the Prophet Isaiah we are reminded of the power of the word of God in our life. Just as from the heavens the rain and snow come down and do not return there till they have watered the earth, making it fertile and fruitful, giving seed to him who sows and bread to him who eats, so shall my word be that goes forth from my mouth; my word shall not return to me void, but shall do my will, achieving the end for which I sent it. For the word of God is alive and active. Sharper than any double-edged sword, it penetrates even to dividing soul and spirit, joints and marrow; it judges the thoughts and attitudes of the heart (Heb 4:12). We are reminded to read and meditate on the word of God given to us in the Bible. Regular reading and meditating on the word of God will have a lasting impact on our lives and our faith journey, where God speaks to us so personally. Let us make it a point to read and meditate on the word of God regularly.

May the Blessed Mother Mary who bore fruit in her womb by listening and responding to God's word intercede for us that we may listen and obey His word.

Sincerely in Christ Jesus,

Father Francis Joseph Kalapurackal

Administrator



**11 days Fatima, Lourdes & Paris MARIAN PILGRIMAGE NOV. 7-17, 2017
(PORTUGAL, SPAIN & FRANCE) FATIMA-AVILA-LOURDES-NEVERS-
LISIEUX-PARIS Cost- \$3159.00**

Contact: Fr. Francis Joseph Kalapurackal 317-831-4142

Final Payment due July 30, 2017

Mass Intentions

Monday, July 17

8:30 am—No Mass

Tuesday, July 18

8:30 am—Bob & Patsy Lang

Wednesday, July 19

8:30 am—Paul Jarvis

Thursday, July 20

8:30 am—Xuan Bui

Friday, July 21

8:30 am—Leonarda Schubert

Saturday, July 22

5:00 pm—Mike Shea

Sunday, July 23

8:00 am— Parishioners of St. Thomas More

10:45 am—Elanor St. John

7:00 pm— Rita & Lee Williamson



Ministries for July 22 & 23, 2017

Ushers

5:00 pm—Louise Ash

8:00 am—Fred & Diane Cipriani

10:45 am—Amy Griffin

7:00 pm—Sue & Mark Willison

Lectors

5:00 pm—Charter members of STM

8:00am—Brian Cassidy

10:45 am—Marji Clark

7:00 pm—Brian Bomaster

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

5:00 pm—Charter members of STM

8:00 am—

10:45 am—Denise Kraemer, John Griffin,

Alicia Garcia-Paul, Theresa Gomez

7:00 pm—Vern Willison, Sharon Gerigs

Altar Servers

5:00 pm—Volunteers

8:00 am—Riley Lesh, Gehrig Rihm

10:45 am—Kate Disney, Frankie Gomez

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

Parish Pre-school

Please call the Parish Office for information at 831-4142

Religious Education

Pre K, Kindergarten—during 10:45 am mass,

Grades 1-8, H.S.—Sunday, 9:15 am-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

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

Bereavement Committee: 831-4142

Bible Study: 831-4142

Christ Renews His Parish: 831-4142

CYO Sports: 831-4142

Faith Formation Commission: Jan Russell, 742-5035

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

Knights of Columbus: Larry Janeczek, 919-4156

Liturgy: Mary Bednarek, 697-5117

Parish Life: 831-4142

Parish Nurse: Cathy Gray, 831-9991

Parish Council: John Griffin, 831-4210

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

Respect for Life Committee: 831-4142

RCIA: 831-4142

Returning Home: 831-4142

St. Thomas More Free Clinic: 831-1697

St. Thomas More Social Hall: 834-4252

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's Club: Carolyn Clements, 831-4142

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. 2:15 pm-Rosary, Meadow Lakes Asst. Living

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

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

2nd Fri.-Women of STM, after 8:30 am Mass

3rd Sun.- Baptisms

3rd Tues.- St. Vincent de Paul, 7:00 pm

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

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

No financial report available.

WINE AND FELLOWSHIP

The Faith Formation Team will be hosting an evening of Wine and Fellowship following the 5:00 Mass on Saturday, August 19. Please bring your favorite bottle of wine for others to sample and we will provide hors d'oeuvres. Join us in this evening out and take this opportunity to get to know some of your fellow parishioners. Look for a sign-up sheet soon in the Social Hall or contact Amy Griffin at indygriffins@comcast.net for more information. (Adults Only Please!)



WE EXTEND OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILY OF DON FRAZEE WHO PASSED AWAY LAST WEEK. PLEASE KEEP THEM IN PRAYER.



PLEASE PRAY FOR MEMBERS WITH SERIOUS ILLNESS : Carolina Trishler Mary Ann Brinkmann Loretta Darnell Wilma Hunt Todd Rexing Barry Catt Steve Keever Josh & Nicole Baldonado Debbie Wells Sandra Hall Ed Kurek Herb Hill Tricia Allen Marge Mudon Kenny Rose Ken & Martha Fetsch Bill O'Neal Terry Saucerman Hershel Knight Toni Grieser Tabitha Gregory Frank Cramer George Mountain Don Wewe Irmgard Fischer Chris Binhack Gene Bednarek Conception Magtoto Larry Schubert Julie Parada Mae Elliott Denice Corbin

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR CHRONICALLY ILL PARISHIONERS

Helen Stuller Clara Taylor Caitlyn Brown Rebecca Early Bob Gruber Fran Kempa Steve Keever Josh & Nicole Baldonado Debbie Wells Frank Hall Michael Gibbons Dottie Black Matthew Gregg Jim Musters Jennifer Reed Frances O'Connor Nancy McKinney Mike Mattingly Carl Jones Laura Jasinski Marjorie Wagener Peg Palmer Dominic Bednarek Chris Somers Dave Minardo Melvin Hall George Pate Joan McKillip Judy Helton Kellen Campbell Kathryn Sappington Nancy Sutton Connie Tomaczewski Betty Callies Brittany Howard Kathy Webb Randy Scott Kim Wright Barbara Baldouf Kim McCleary Joann Jones Amanda Grace Stephens Stephanie Evans Pat Bowen Kimberly Cipriana Mark Runkel Cathy Hofmann Dave Laughlin George Spuhler Zenta Drzakowski Ruth Padgett

PLEASE PRAY FOR SICK FAMILY & FRIENDS

Stephanie Light Julie Fulkerson Kim Recker Margaret Anderson Rosemary Antonelli Fran Kempa Madeline Baar Marybeth Bowling Debbie Baker Diane Ball Ronald Barr Abby Baugh Traci Baugh Ralph Kirton Joseph Beber Elaine Osborne Donna Becktel Kyle Askey Mike Boyd Ryan Long Nick Bell Patrick Bell Mike Bennett Marguerite Klain Richard, Brian & Eric Classen Rev. James Bennett Donna Blackman John Murphy Paul Casey Kathy Brown Joe Leonard Jim Martin Betty Young Kevin Bryan Allan Bryant Colleen Sutton Marcia Byrnes Bob Jacobs Bonnie Criswell Russell Chastain Margie Collins Linda Cap Dorothy Cottrell Jay Creed Willie Sutton Doug Debruhl Chadwick Walter Ken & Josie Corse Don Davis Jeannie Douglas Don & Barb Drewenski Ruby Farley Olivia Rees Matt & Joan McKillip Connie Fernedz Scott Frye Linnie Shellberg Marianne Artka Helena Rudolf Rebecca Kolp Jim Gibbs Nicole Gibson Glenda Graber Sydnie Dobrowolski Anthony Grannan Curtis Grannan Donald Grannan Michael Grannan Tina Grannan Laura Leis Dymple Green Margaret Edwards Vernon Green Jim Martin Dorothy Grady Jerome Balvo Mary Gunnell Jeanine Mowery Sharla Hackney Dorothy Hardin Dennis Hedinger Katelyn Gehl Cameron Holt Rita Holt Robbie Gonzales Kelli White Jim Hutchinson Bailee Dunnigan Tom Johnson Vincent, Erica & Chad Graves Jerome Hickerson Tom Johnson Al Grannon Brandon Winegar Judy Kerr Mike Sandley Laura Pierce Tracy McCardle Ronald Gall Rosemary Kinman Rita Kluemper Shirley Lambert Michael & Andrea Stockman Ann Kendall Jose Ojeda Geraldine Liffick Mary Lindop Betty Lollar Frank Cardinali Mike Wierzbicke Connie Weber Leo Mays Ernest Montgomery Irma Marion Mary Ann Berlin Bill Martin Shirley Martin Jeanne Mathews Scott Mason Steve Speck Linda Massie Nicole Baldonado Tom Mays Theresa Simmons Kevin Grannan Kevin & Lauren Wysocki Genny Larkin Diane Downey Ardith Mauck George McMannis Logan McPeak Kendra Springs Bret Neylon Michelle Scott Lisa Zabst Freida Terrell Jennifer Eaton Glenda Norris Becky Oaldon Belinda Shelton Phyllis O' Neal Rebecca Orloff Diane Plotz Joseph Palmer Sr. Megan Patterson Lisa Caldwell Elmer Price Sue Miller Crissy Quinn James Ragsdale Ruth Ramey Mona Mendieta Annie Blair Matthew Reynolds Tiffany Rhew Shirley Richmond Shelia Robert Kathy Sell Michelle Chasteen Barbara Schmidtke Jennifer Robins Darla Sanders Barbara Schmidtke Rose Schroedle Reed & Mendenhall families Carol Schulteis Noni Schumaker John Bauer Doris & Earl Sharp Alexis Sherrow Amy Stone Betty Callies Kathy Birchler Lucy Ann Muniz Judy Siner Oycie Henderson Kelsey Smith Raymond Fitzpatrick Ron Smith Rhonda Stagner Lee Stigger Janet McDevitt Robert Svendsen Becky Thomas Sherry Thompson Jim Lanning Bob Turner Amy Unger Vanessa Unterreiner Jinnie Vonder Wal Kelly Moon Linda Cap Kathy Webb Robert Richey Thomas Wellspring Rudy Gagliardi Larry White Anna Whited Donna Witt Jim Witt Mike Witt Mike Witt II Leopold & Yoli Guerra John Leonard Randy Scott Jill Riley David & Karla Miller Gary Paulson Elena Brugh

**OPEN ADORATION CHAPEL HOURS: TUESDAY 3-4 PM, 4-5 PM
WEDNESDAY 11 AM-NOON THURSDAY 2-3 AM, 3-4 AM, FRIDAY 3-4 AM,
FRIDAY 4-5 PM SATURDAY 3-4 AM, 4-5 AM**

**If you can help, please call PEGGY 317-695-9807 or KRISTINA
317-834-2719**

TO ALL OUR FAITHFUL ADORERS... Thank you all for your dedication to our chapel. You are truly a blessing to our Church. Just a quick reminder that we are into summer, our lives are busier, so please find a substitute when you cannot cover your hour. If you are going to be late, please call the person in front of your hour to let them know. Thank you and God Bless.



Knights of Columbus is an organization of Catholic men dedicated to promoting Families, Concepts of Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism. If you're 18 or older and want to know more about the Knights, contact Dave at 831-1935. Here is activity schedule:



- ** Business Mtg. 2nd Mon. 7 pm Library**
- ** Social Mtg 4th Mon. 7 pm, Social Hall**
- ** Breakfast, 3rd Sun. after 8 am Mass, Oct -May**
- ** Ministry at 1st Sat. 5 pm Mass**

**JUBILEE MASS
JULY 22, 2017**

PRIOR TO MASS (4:50 PM) Fr. Francis will unveil a replica of the Papal Blessing. The bronze plaque will be located on the southeast corner of the church. For those who wish to witness the unveiling, please remain outside near this area or come outside prior to the unveiling. The plaque was donated by Carlisle/Branson Funeral Service & Crematory. St. Thomas More greatly appreciates their contribution to our Jubilee Year.



PAL (PARENTS OF ADDICTED LOVED ONES)

Welcome to PAL. Parents of Addicted Loved Ones is a support group of parents helping parents. We meet every week to offer education and support, at no cost, for parents who are dealing with a son or daughter battling addiction. PAL can also help spouses who feel they have to parent a partner with addiction issues.

PAL is especially helpful for parents and spouses, however all other sober family members and friends (18 or older) are welcome at our meetings. You will have an opportunity to give support and receive support from others facing the same challenges.

There are two parts to PAL meetings: an educational component and an opportunity to share about your current experiences. We value confidentiality and we understand that everyone has their own opinion. We strive to be non-judgmental and to not provide advice, but to offer suggestions. All our educational topics are theory and we believe you can "take what you want and leave the rest."

We understand that everyone experiences this journey at their own pace and we will be just as supportive of you whether you choose to do what is suggested or not. We believe in the power of prayer and it is our desire that by attending our meetings you will learn proven ways to help your loved one and ultimately learn to find joy in your own life regardless of the choices of your loved ones.

**PAL MOORESVILLE MEETING 1ST CHRISTIAN CHURCH-
Indiana St. THURSDAY 6:30 PM**

Carolyn 317-937-2421 Teresa 317-694-8663 Lari 765-318-7585

Garage Sale!

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July 28 & 29

Time for the Annual Applefest Garage Sale. Time to clean out all the clothes, appliances, books, linens, etc. that you no longer need. Additionally, get that garage and storage shed cleaned out and help benefit the Church. Items may be brought to the back of the gymnasium starting this weekend. Let's make this the biggest sale ever! THANK YOU!!!

APPLEFEST RAFFLE TICKETS FOR SALE NOW!! Stop in the Social Hall and get your tickets! Beat the rush!! If you'd like to help man the ticket sales after a Mass, please contact Peggy Weber 317-695-9807

2017 APPLEFEST VOLUNTEER DESCRIPTIONS

Where do YOU want to help?

September 29-30, 2017

Food Barn – Tony and Becky Voi – Work includes either, cooking, serving, dish washing, cash register operation or clean-up. Workers should be friendly and able to stand on their feet.

Elephant Ears – Part of the Food Barn. Workers will make the Elephant Ear dough, roll it out, and take pre-made ears to barn for frying and finishing. Workers should be able to stand on their feet and walk to and from the barn.

Pancake Breakfast – Lauri Griffin – Work includes either, cooking, serving, cash register operation or clean-up. Workers should be friendly and able to stand on their feet.

Kitchen – Lauri Griffin – Kitchen involves food preparation and serving dinner at 6:00 on Sat.. Work includes cooking, serving and taking prepared food to the barn. Workers should be able to stand on their feet.

Crafts – Judy Haynes – Work includes setting up the gym on Friday am.

50/50 Raffle - Angie and Chris Dufour – Work includes selling raffle tickets during the open hours of the Applefest. Workers should be friendly, able to walk around, and need to be at least 21 years of age.

Basket Raffle – Norma Bangal – Work includes helping obtain items for the baskets (including the baskets themselves) arranging the baskets, setting them up for display on Friday am, and helping to police them during the Applefest.

Games – Beth Brock – Work includes monitoring and running the various children's games located in the Games Tent. Workers need to be friendly, work well with children, and able to be on their feet the entire shift.

Wine – Carolyn Clements and Brenda Mattingly – Workers will sell wine from behind the counter. Workers should be friendly, must be 21 years of age and must have an Alcohol Permit (which we will obtain for you)

Set Up & Tear Down – Larry Janeczek and K of C – Any and all Parishioners are welcome to help during the week leading up to the Applefest and on Sat. night and Sunday after the Applefest.

THANK YOU!



CAR SHOW AUGUST 12, 2017

***Our annual Car Show will be held Aug. 12
We need donated Soft Drinks. Please bring
and leave in Social Hall. We're expecting a
big crowd this year but anything left over
will be used for Applefest. Thank you!***

**2ND COLLECTION
JULY 29 & 30
FOR OUR
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL**

ANNOUNCING

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**MINISTRY OF WORD AND
HEALING
LAST SATURDAY OF EACH
MONTH 9:00 AM-NOON
1ST SESSION JULY 29**

St. Vincent de Paul – Monthly Wish List

Happy Summer Everyone! First of all, many thanks to all who are supporting St. Vincent de Paul through volunteering, material and monetary donations and shopping in our new Mission 27 Resale Store, 132 Leota Street. Once again I am sending you a link to our web site outlining our critical volunteer needs at both the Food Pantry and Distribution Center as well as our need for donations of material goods for our clients and to replenish the Resale Store. We have several opportunities for individuals who would like to volunteer from the comfort of their own home ...check it out! One more volunteer need not on the list: we need a volunteer for our business office familiar with donor management software – 8 hours a week. For detailed information, click on <http://www.svdpindy.org/2017/06/21/monthly-svdp-indianapolis-wish-list-2/> Questions: Darlene Sweeney 317-924-5769 ext. 238 darlene.sweeney@svdpsb.org

Online Electronic Donations are now available on our website www.stm-church.org

Simply click on the "Donate Online" button on our Home Page to get started. This will take you to our Donate Page. Once you have read everything over and are ready to proceed, click on the Click to Donate Online button. Follow the onscreen instructions to set up your account.

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