



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



St. Thomas More Catholic Church

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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, 10:15-10:45am,
6:30-7:00pm

Adoration Chapel

Call 834-4251 to see if chapel is open

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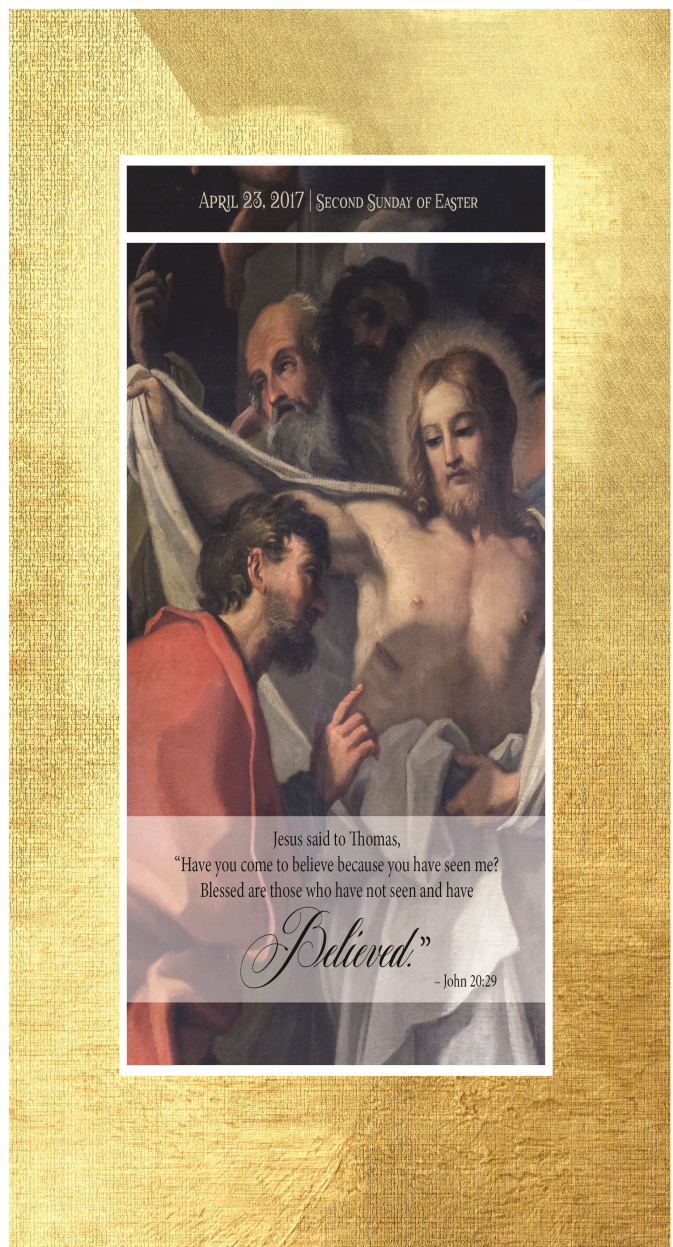
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Parish Mission Statement

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 23, 2017



Feast of the Divine Mercy

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

During the course of Jesus' revelation to Saint Faustina on the Divine Mercy, He asked on numerous occasions that a feast day be dedicated to the Divine Mercy and that this feast be celebrated on the Sunday after Easter. It was St. Pope John Paul II who granted this feast a universal character on the occasion of the Canonization of St. Faustina on April 30, 2000. In a decree dated May 23, 2000, the Congregation for Divine Worship and the Discipline of the Sacraments stated that "throughout the world the second Sunday of Easter will receive the name Divine Mercy Sunday, a perennial invitation to the Christian world to face, with confidence in divine benevolence, the difficulties and trials that mankind will experience in the years to come." Concerning the feast of mercy, Jesus told St. Faustina:

—> "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).

—> "The feast emerged from the very depths of My mercy, and it is confirmed in the vast depths of My tender mercies" (Diary 420).

—> "I desire that the Feast of Mercy be a refuge and shelter for all souls, and especially poor sinners. The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment".

—> "There must also be deeds of mercy which are to arise out of Love for me. You are to show mercy to your neighbors always and everywhere. You must not shrink from this or try to absolve yourself from it" (Diary 742).

Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, to make it convenient to participate in the Divine Mercy Sunday Celebration at 2:00 pm. May the Lord open the hearts of all of us to greater repentance and conversion through the grace of His Divine Mercy.

We are also gathering to pray, discern and plan together in prayer to which direction as a parish community we need to move together in the future. May the Lord grant you wisdom and discernment and may the outpouring of the Holy Spirit be upon all of our leaders and the entire parish community. May God grant you peace and joy that the Risen Lord promises. God Bless.

Yours sincerely in Christ Jesus,

**Fr. Francis Joseph Kalapurackal
Administrator**

Mass Intentions

Monday, April 24

8:30 am—No Mass

Tuesday, April 25

8:30 am—Reparation for the
sins of our country and the world

Wednesday, April 26

8:30 am—Mike Shea

Thursday, April 27

8:30 am—Julie Damns

Friday, April 28

8:30 am—Jim & Joyce Morgan

Saturday, April 29

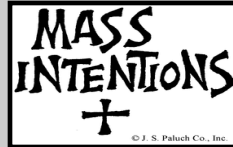
5:00 pm—1st Holy Communion students & families

Sunday, April 30

8:00 am—Parishioners of St. Thomas More

10:45 am—Mike Shea

7:00 pm—Josephine Gottemoeller



Ministries for April 29 & 30, 2017

This is the 5th Sunday of the Month so those who minister the 2nd weekend of the month are scheduled this weekend, except for 1st Communion Saturday

Ushers

5:00 pm—1st Communion Families

8:00 am—Rita Reeves, Henry Gregory

10:45 am—Cortnie & Shauna Query, Steve Egenolf

7:00 pm—Volunteers

Lectors

5:00 pm—1st Communion Families

8:00am—Myron Cassidy

10:45 am—Rachel Kenney

7:00 pm—Dan Brock

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

5:00 pm—1st Communion Families

8:00 am—Tina Cassidy, Mary Ann Feldmann

10:45 am—Jerry & Peggy Weber, Bob & Patsy

Lang, Jeanna Blackburn

7:00 pm—Martha Swanson

Altar Servers

5:00 pm—1st Communion Families

8:00 am—Riley Lesh, Gehrigh Rihm

10:45 am—Travis & Sally Blackburn, Jillian Donis

7:00 pm—Volunteers

If you'd like to have a Mass offered for a loved one, please call the office 317-831-4142

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: Peggy Weber, 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: Kevin O'Farrell, 443-3454

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: 834-4251

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

God's Blessings on
Clinton & Brittany Davis
married here at
St. Thomas More!
Congratulations!



**JUBILEE
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COMMITTEE
MEETING
APRIL 29, 3:30 PM**

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**SECOND COLLECTION
SUNDAY, APRIL 29 & 30 for our
STM ST. VINCENT DE PAUL**

**THIS WEEKEND!!!
Parish-Wide Informational Meetings
For Capital Projects Campaign**

- April 22nd after 5 pm Mass
- April 23rd after 8:00 am & 10:45 Masses
- 30 minutes in length
- Refreshments will be provided!

- Purpose
 - Present the results of our year-long parish needs assessment conducted by Parish Commissions, Ministries, and Committees
 - Preview the steps in the Feasibility Analysis process
 - Describe how all parish members will be invited to participate in the process and provide input about the potential projects

Please make plans to attend this very important meeting addressing the future direction of our parish.

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***ST. THOMAS MORE WEL-
COMES OUR NEWEST
CATHOLICS, WHO RECEIVED
THE EASTER SACRAMENTS!***

***JACOB WRAY
IAN LARCH
ELIZABETH LARCH
NOVA SUMMERS
BELLA SUMMERS
KIMBERLY ROACH
JUANITO HUERTA***

GOD BLESS YOU ALL!

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

DAILY

8:30 am Mass-Tues.-Fri.

Reconciliation-Tues.-Fri. 8:15 am

WEEKLY

Wed., 6:00 pm, RCIA, Good Shepherd Room

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

PLEASE PRAY FOR MEMBERS WITH SERIOUS ILLNESS : Carolina Trishler
 Mary Ann Brinkmann Loretta Darnell Wilma Hunt Zenta Drzakowski
 Pat Tooley Sandra Hall Ed Kurek Nancy Lasiter Herb Hill Tricia Allen
 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 Lowell Schubert George Pate Julie Parada Mae Elliott

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR CHRONICALLY ILL PARISHIONERS

Helen Stuller Clara Taylor Caitlyn Brown Todd Rexing
 Barry Catt Steve Keever 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 Wagoner Peg Palmer
 Dominic Bednarek Chris Somers Dave Minardo
 Joan McKillip Judy Helton Kellen Campbell Kathryn Sappington Melvin
 Hall Nancy Sutton Connie Tomaczewski 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
 Jean Booth Dave Laughlin George Spuhler

PLEASE PRAY FOR SICK FAMILY & FRIENDS Stephanie Light

Julie Fulkerson Kim Recker Margaret Anderson Rosemary Antonelli
 Fran Kempa Madeline Baar Marybeth Bowling Tony Ilich
 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 Pat Elward Jeannie Douglas Don Drewenski
 Barb Drewenski Ruby Farley Olivia Rees Matt & Joan McKillip
 Connie Feredz Scott Frye Linnie Shellberg
 Marianne Artka Kathy Birchler Helena Rudolf
 Rebecca Kolp Jim Gibbs Nicole Gibson Glenda Graber
 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 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
 Jennifer Robins Darla Sanders Barbara Schmidtke
 Rose Schroedle Reed & Mendenhall families Carol Schulteis
 Noni Schumaker John Bauer Doris & Earl Sharp
 Alexis Sherrow Amy Stone 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

Financial Report thru

April 16, 2017 Collection by Mass

EASTER	Budget	Actual
Saturday 5:00 PM		1,591.25
Sunday 8:00 AM		3,016.06
Sunday 10:45 AM		2,370.00
Sunday 7:00 PM		
Other		936.00
Lenten Mission Col- lection		1,929.10
Good Friday (Holy Land)		642.00
Total	6,361.00	10,484.41
	YTD Budget	YTD Ac- tual
As of 03/31/17		
Sunday Collections	230,835.00	243,054.86
Electronic Giving	29,250.00	51,243.00
Total	260,085.00	294,297.86
Savings Balance	as of 02/28/17	as of 03/31/17
Building Fund	129,520.87	130,988.68
ADLF	20,299.86	20,299.86

LES SCHUBERT MEMORIAL CHARITY GOLF OUTING

Four Person Scramble

Friday, May 12

Twin Bridges Golf Course, 1001 Cartersburg Rd. Danville

Shotgun Start: 12:30 pm

\$240.00 per team/ \$60.00 per person

For more info. call Tom McClelland-317-403-8564

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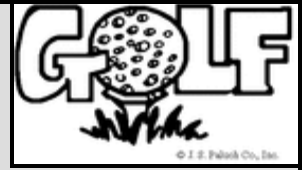
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Forms are stuffed in the bulletin this week.



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LISIEUX-PARIS Cost- \$3159.00**

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

Last day to sign up-June 30, 2017 \$400.00 registration fee due, June 30

Final Payment due July 30, 2017

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**



CHURCHES IN MISSION

ST. THOMAS MORE VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED TO STAFF OUR PANTRY OBLIGATION ON THE 3RD FRIDAY OF THE MONTH FROM 8:45 AM TO NOON. WE ARE ALWAYS IN NEED OF VOLUNTEERS ON THURSDAY EVENINGS FROM 6:00 PM-8:00 PM CALL RON BIRCHLER AT 317-834-2719 OR EMAIL BIRCHLERRON@YAHOO.COM

CHICKEN/NOODLE DINNER MAY 6 after 5:00 PM MASS COST \$7.00 Sponsored by Women of STM



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