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Mission Statement: The Roman Catholic Saint Thomas More Parish Family welcomes and invites every person to join us on our journey in faith and celebration. With the grace and guidance of the Holy Spirit, and through Sacred Scripture and Tradition, we proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ to all, especially in loving service to those in need. As part of the Universal Church, we affirm the dignity of every person. All this we do to give glory and honor to God.

Sacramental Information

Confessions

 Saturdays .................................................. 3:30 to 4:30 p.m.
 First Friday ........................................... 1/2 hour before the 6:30 a.m.
 Mass
 Baptisms ............................................. First and Third Sundays at 1:00 p.m.
 Parents must be registered parishioners and regularly attending at least six months before the Baptism. At least one of the godparents must be a practicing Catholic.
 Pre-Baptism Class ............................ 2nd Tuesday 7:00 p.m.
 Parents must call the Parish Office to schedule class and/or Baptism.
 Marriage ........................................ Must be a registered, practicing member of the parish at least six months before beginning the six month preparation program for marriage.

Communion calls and visits to Hospitals and Homebound:
Call the Parish Office for Sacraments at hospital or at home.

New Parishioner Registration:
To make it as convenient as possible for you, new parishioners may register at any time in the Parish Office.
Stop in during the day, or take advantage of our convenient evening and Saturday office hours.

St. Thomas More Religious Education
Kindergarten through 8th Grade
Office Hours:
Monday, Tuesday & Friday — 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Wednesday & Thursday — 1:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.
Religious Education Phone .......................... 836-8610
Director .................................................... Emily Hackett; Ext. 2232
Administrative Assistant .......... Rosemary Strimbu; Ext. 2236
Grades K through 8 • Wednesday or Thursday from 4:30 to 6:00 p.m.

Pastoral Commissions Chairpersons
Formation/Education ................................... Allen Blocher
Parish Life ...................................................... Elaine Hermann
Peace & Social Justice ........................... Mari Casas
Spirituality & Worship .............................. Kaaren Mashura
Stewardship .................................................. Paul Liszewski

Parish Organizations
Altar & Rosary Society ................................... Cindy Keilman 923-9862
Boy Scouts .................................................. PJ Caraher (219) 838-2943
Career Networking Group ...................... Jim Kaczka (219) 201-0335
or Donna Weidelfeller (219) 688-7597
Circle of Prayer ............................................. Carolyn Cenko 741-2509
carolynrealtor@sbglobal.net
Cub Scouts ........................................... Duane Schwemlein -Scoutmaster@542@gmail.com
Finance .................................................... Barbara Shaver 838-9200
Gabriel Project ........................................... Marilyn Glennon 801-6586
Garden Club ................................................ Paul Mazier 644-8409
Gifts of Love & Warmth .................................. Bernadine Nemeth 513-6544
Girl Scouts .................................................. Renee Whelan 796-6809
Holy Name Society ...................................... Bill Burke: sbburke3@att.net
Knights of Columbus .............................. Ralph Konkoly (219) 588-4559
Relates .................................................... Denise Gard (219) 610-733
Respect Life ............................................... Leslie Demurl (219) 741-3739
Senior Citizens ........................................... Bob O’Donnell 877-5050
Ushers Club ............................................... Jim Marmalejo 718-8704
Venture Crew ............................................ Fr. Ben Ross 322-4505
Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, October 19
5:30 p.m. Fr. Mike Yadron

Sunday, October 20
6:30 a.m. Fr. Mike Yadron
8:00 a.m. Fr. Mike Yadron
10:00 a.m. Fr. Declan McNicholas
12:00 Noon Fr. Declan McNicholas

SUNDAY, October 13
For The People of the Diocese of Gary
8:00 am Frank Molinaro (Ann.) by Wife Bonita & Family
10:00 am Michalina Gryn (Ann.) by Mr. & Mrs. John Gryn
12:00 pm Philip Candella (Ann.) by Wife Tina

MONDAY, October 14 — St. Callistus I
6:30 am All Souls Day Intentions
8:30 am Patricia Ann Davidson by Bill & Dorothy O’Brien

TUESDAY, October 15 — St. Teresa of Jesus
6:30 am Pauline Kunkel by Karen, Dave and Logan Young
8:30 am Joseph & Helen Yadron by Family
10:00 am Gloria Smokvina by Lucy Perez
(MASS AT MED-INN CHAPEL, Group 2)

WEDNESDAY, October 16 — St. Hedwig
6:30 am Francis M. Rich by the Rich Family
8:30 am Margie Paruszkiewicz by Husband Richard

THURSDAY, October 17 — St. Ignatius of Antioch
6:30 am Orlando S. Cuasay (Ann.) by the Serrano Family
9:00 am Philip Trafficanti by the Serrano Family

FRIDAY, October 18 — St. Luke
6:30 am Frank Picicco by Tom & Louisa Jurich
8:30 am Leonard Jarzyczyk by Family

SATURDAY, October 19
St. John de Brebeuf, Isaac Jogues and Companions
8:30 am Dorothy Jurkash (Ann.) by the Jurkash Family
5:30 pm William Gerlach by Wife Dona & Family

SUNDAY, October 20
Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time
For The People of the Diocese of Gary
8:00 am Jay Harker by Bob Klosek
10:00 am Thomas Puplava by the Slough Family
12:00 pm Nancy Anderson by Joan Mucha

Saturday, October 19
5:30 p.m. Fr. Mike Yadron
8:00 am Frank Molinaro (Ann.) by Wife Bonita & Family
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Sacrificial Offerings
September 29, 2019
Adult $ 23,746.00
Loose $ 2,913.00
Automated $ 3,463.75
Children $ 63.85
TOTAL $ 30,186.60

Thank you for sharing your treasure with our parish!

Pastoral Care Ministry
If you or a homebound/hospitalized STM parishioner would like to receive Communion, please contact Deacon Dave Kapala at (219) 836-8610, # 2315 or dkapala@stm-church.com.

“Has none but this foreigner returned to give thanks to God?”
LUKE 17:18

Most of us live “easy” lives. We have food, shelter and clothing. We go on vacation every year and own a car or two. Most of us take this all for granted. Did you ever notice that people with the least amount of possessions are usually the most grateful? Shouldn’t this be the other way around? Take time every day and thank God for all He has given you.

Stewardship

Readings for Week of October 13

Sunday: 2 Kgs 5:14-17/Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4 [cf. 2b]/2 Tm 2:8-13/Lk 17:11-19
Monday: Rom 1:1-7/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4 [2a]/Lk 11:29-32
Tuesday: Rom 1:16-25/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 [2a]/Lk 11:37-41
Wednesday: Rom 2:1-11/Ps 62:2-3, 6-7, 9 [13b]/Lk 11:42-46
Thursday: Rom 3:21-30/Ps 130:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6ab [7]/Lk 11:47-54
Friday: 2 Tm 4:10-17b/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18 [12]/Lk 10:1-9
Saturday: Rom 4:13, 16-18/Ps 105:6-7, 8-9, 42-43 [8a]/Lk 12:8-12
Next Sunday: Ex 17:8-13/Ps 121:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 [cf. 2]/Tm 3:14—4:2/Lk 18:1-8
Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ten lepers met him. They stood at a distance...” In the ancient world and into the Middle Ages, there was no treatment for leprosy. People thought it was wildly contagious and were suspicious of any skin diseases. Lepers were isolated from civil society. This isolation was upheld by the Mosaic Law. Should there be a healing from leprosy, the former leper was to present himself to a priest to certify the healing. Like Jesus commands, “Show yourselves to the priests.” The person would then undergo a religious rite to be formally reintroduced to society. In other words, a leper got their life back. So why didn’t they come back? As they were going they were cleansed. And one of them, realizing he had been healed, returned, glorifying God in a loud voice; and he fell at the feet of Jesus and thanked him. Of the ten lepers healed by Christ, only one returns with a grateful heart. The others, perhaps, were thankful enough. Perhaps they couldn’t believe their luck, and they hastened to the priests to confirm the healing. They were more than willing to lose their life of rejection and isolation behind. Why take any steps backward, when the way ahead was so attractive? An attitude like this is perhaps understandable, but few would admire it.

How about you? Do you come back? If you’ve ever had the experience of getting what you hoped and prayed for, you know that this can sometimes be easier said than done. When we’ve wanted something badly enough, how easy it can be to focus on the gift rather than the giver. The truth is, God is daily offering us gifts: the gift of our existence, of the created world, of family and friends, of modern conveniences. Even in times of distress, there is always something to be thankful for. This Sunday, give yourself a gratitude check. Count your blessings. Glorify God and thank Him for the gift of your life! \( \text{ELP} \)

**Please pray for the sick of our parish...**

Joshua Alvarez
Margaret Amatulli
Doris Aurelio
Maria Aurelio
Antonio Belmonte
Mary Berry
Michael Berry
Michael Billedo
Michael Blazevich
Laverne Blumka
Diane Bochowski
Cheryl Bostrom
Arthur M. Branco
Linda Braun
Stephanie Burney
Kathleen Burns
Michael Burns
Dorothy Campbell
James Campbell
Al Carillo
Peter Castro
Janet Cattanach
Jeff Chastain
Jacqueline Morrow
Christian
Willie Colby
Vincent Corsello
Mike Curtian
Valerie Czapkwicz
Doris Dubkowski
Sarah Dalton
Eleuterio Del Real
Irene Dettmer
Jeanine Doescher
Patrick Doran
Alex Eiland
Shelton Evans
Herberto Flores
Maria Flores
John Forde
Bonnie Gabriele
Phyllis Garber
Andrea Garritano
Margaret Cary
Emily Gibson
Dorothy Gillespie
Margaret Good
Monica Gonzalez
Howard Gralowski
Margaret Gray

**Weekly Schedule**

**MONDAY, October 14**
- 6:30 pm Marian Rosary ~ Chapel
- 7:00 pm Schola Choir ~ Church
- 7:00 pm Parish Life ~ Conference Room

**TUESDAY, October 15**
- 9:15 am Eucharistic Adoration (until 6:30 pm) ~ Chapel
- 1:00 pm Prayer/Vocations ~ Chapel
- 5:30 pm Parent Association Officers ~ Teachers’ Lounge
- 6:00 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet ~ Chapel
- 7:00 pm RCIA ~ Conference Room

**WEDNESDAY, October 16**
- No RCIC ~ No Religious Education Classes
- 9:30 am Bible Study ~ Weis Center
- 6:30 pm Handbell Practice ~ Church (until 7:45 p.m.)

**THURSDAY, October 17**
- No RCIC ~ No Religious Education Classes
- 6:45 pm All Seasons Chorale ~ Church

**FRIDAY, October 18**
- 9:00 am Gifts of Love & Warmth ~ Weis Center

**SUNDAY, October 20**
- SPVD Regional Meeting ~ 11:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. ~ Cafeteria

**Position Available**

**St. Thomas More Parish**

**Evening Receptionist/Administrative Assistant**
St. Thomas More Parish is looking for a part-time evening and Saturday receptionist who will be responsible for welcoming all who come in, or telephone, the office to provide administrative and related office services to staff and members of St. Thomas More. Must have proficient computer skills and have at least 3 years’ experience as a receptionist/administrative assistant. Proficiency in MS Office a must and experience with Parish Data Systems and QuickBooks a plus.

Please see the Parish website for a full position description:

If qualified, please submit a cover letter and resume to:
jobopenings@stm-church.com.

**Religious Formation & Education**

Join us as we continue our work to help the parishioners of St. Thomas More grow in their faith & spirituality. All welcome.

**Monday, October 21, 2019**
- 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Conference Room

**Next Meeting: November 18 • No December Meeting**

**Doubling Up On Prayer**

Our parish Synod group *Faith Reignited* is teaming up with the *Circle of Prayer* ministry to offer prayers for our parishioners in front of the Blessed Sacrament on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of the month in the Chapel. Send your prayer requests to STMPrayerTeam@gmail.com.

A member of the Faith Reignited team will be in the Chapel on the meeting days and will include your requests, and those submitted to the Circle of Prayer in their Holy Hour prayers.
DO NOT BE SWAYED BY THE WORLD

“One of the main reasons people fall short of their potential is they care more about looking good than getting better.” ~ Adam Grant

Our human nature can be a very fickle thing and it can get us into a lot of trouble. We know that we are called by God to be a certain kind of people, to speak a certain kind of way, and to act counter to the values of the world. However, we often fall short because we allow the world to sway us.

Some people are afraid of living the Christian life to the full because they are concerned about what others may think or say of them. They can be easily influenced by others and often end up abandoning what they know to be the right thing to do.

Others are afraid of living the Christian life to the full for fear that their speech or their actions might get them into serious trouble, perhaps even arrested or killed. Remember, not all parts of the world are as amenable to people living the faith. Martyrs are not a thing of the past. They are still a modern day reality.

The followers of Christ had the same issues. They were talked about because they were counter-cultural. They also worried that they would be arrested and brought before the authorities to be tried and, possibly, convicted and put to death.

Jesus told them then what He still tells us now, “When they lead you away and hand you over, do not worry beforehand about what you are to say. But say whatever will be given to you at that hour. For it will not be you who are speaking but the holy Spirit.” (Mk 13:11)

If we are confident in our relationship with the Lord, we will be in a better position to speak His words and live His love. We will not worry about what others have to say about us because we will know that we are doing the Lord’s bidding. It is practically guaranteed that, if we live our lives according to the laws of God, we are going to receive trouble from the world.

The world is not interested in what we have to say because the world has drifted far from God. However, it is precisely because of that fact that we are called to proclaim the Good News. The world needs to hear about Jesus now more than ever.

It is never too late to speak up. Do not allow yourself to be swayed by the world. Hold fast to the promises of God and be His witnesses in the world today.

**FAITH ACTION:** If you have been reluctant to speak about the Lord or to live your life in a manner consistent with the Lord’s teachings, ask Him for His courage to be His witness in the world.

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16/17 No Class (Munster Schools Teacher Conferences)
22 Parent First Penance/Communion Meeting
    7:00 p.m. in the Church
23/24 Class
27 Family Formation: 1:00-2:00 p.m. in the Gym
30/31 No Class — Thanksgiving Break

November Schedule
6/7 Class
13/14 Class
20/21 Class
27/28 No Class

Stewardship Thoughts

The 4 Pillars of Stewardship

- **Hospitality** — leads to a sense of ownership in the parish. This "ownership" and personal involvement fosters a sense of belonging. When parishioners experience a warm and sincere welcome, they in turn become open to giving of themselves to others. When we are recipients of such love from others, we are attracted to follow their example.

- **Prayer** — purifies and intensifies the intention of the steward. Prayer increases our yearning to receive the Eucharist. It is in the Eucharist where we recognize our total dependence upon God for everything. At the heart of the steward's prayer is "thy will be done."

- **Formation** — the steward sees his gifts are meant to be shared, not buried. The formation of each individual becomes part of the formation of the parish community. Inherent in each individual is the need to give - to move from selfishness to selflessness. Stewardship formation is a life-long journey educating the mind and converting the heart. Every parish organization has a role in faith formation.

- **Service** — the parish stewardship family stands ready and eager to help others when they suffer and celebrate special events. If a parishioner finds they can be served and ministered to, they have little need to search for fulfillment elsewhere. Service is the concrete way to put the other three pillars of hospitality, prayer, and formation into practice.

If you are not a part of a Ministry at St. Thomas More Church, please consider joining and sharing with others.

Lectors for the Week

**Sunday, October 20**
- 6:30 am Mass
  Richard Gard & Jim Kaspar
- 8:00 am Mass
  John Kovach & Paul Liszewski

**Saturday, October 19**
- 5:30 pm Mass
  Judith Hamer & Louise Younkers

**Sunday, October 20**
- 8:00 am Mass
  Main: Joe & Cynthia Sindall
  Chapel: Mary Silvasi
  Choir: Jack & Judy Mateja
- 10:00 am Mass
  Main: Andrea Mazerik
  Choir: Dwight & MaryAnn Reed
- 12:00 Noon Mass
  Main: Mike Skurka & Maryanne Topor

Coffee & Donuts

The Knights of Columbus hosts **Coffee & Donuts**
**Sunday, October 27**
in the Cafeteria after the 8:00 & 10:00 a.m. Masses.
All are invited to attend.

Holy Name Society

All men of the parish are invited to join the prayerful, happy parishioners of the Holy Name Society. Enjoy being part of a dedicated, spiritual group of men who serve the parish and our community.

**Join us for our next regular meeting:**
**Monday, October 21**
7:00 p.m. at the Weis Center

Bulletin Articles

Please submit all bulletin articles at least two (2) weeks in advance via email: bulletin@stm-church.com. Thank you.

Nursery Schedule

All children, infant to age 5, are welcome to join us in our parish Nursery during the Sunday, 10:00 a.m. Mass. **Volunteers still needed!** Any Virtus trained teen or adult who is willing to help should contact Kaaren: (219) 836-5079 or kaarenann@aol.com.

**October 20**
Kim, Addison & Andrew Cipowski

**October 27**
Jennifer Anderson
Aubrey Rivera • Kaaren Mashura
T.R.I.P. Gift Card Program

Everyone can take advantage of the quick and easy T.R.I.P. Program at St. Thomas More School.

Get ready for the holidays with this convenient service that delivers gift cards for restaurants, vacations, groceries, gas & retail outlets and more, right to the Parish Office, and best of all, your orders help our students!

Submit orders in the School or Parish Office by 8:15 a.m. on Monday processing days (unless noted). Available for pick up two (2) days later in the Parish Office (or sent home with your favorite STMS student).

To learn more or to sign-up for T.R.I.P go to: stmstrip@stm-school.com.

Monday Processing Days:
October 21 • November 4 • November 18

September Student Leaders

Student Leaders, a new program at St. Thomas More School, highlights those students who consistently go above and beyond what is expected, demonstrate leadership, a willingness to take on additional responsibilities inside and outside of the classroom, show kindness and compassion to others and set an example of high character for all to follow.

One student from each homeroom in Grades K to 5, and one student per grade in Grades 6 to 8 will be selected each month throughout the school year. Preschool and Pre-K will be included in the spring semester.

We are proud to announce the September 2019 Student Leaders:

Kindergarten: Eden Alvarez
1st Caputo: Avery DeLao
1st Fiegle: Emma Hass
2nd Ensell: Rylan O’Keefe
2nd Gierut: Alexander Infusino
3rd Connelly: Orlando Hunter
3rd Gyure: Maeve Boulton
4th Borowski: Jennifer Tong
4th Markus: Julia Lydecker
5th Hawley: Ariana Hoke
5th Wade: Elia Moore
6th Grade: Kaitlyn Bowman
7th Grade: Ethan Pischner
8th Grade: Kennedy Wright

Congratulations to these wonderful young people! We know that St. Thomas More School is blessed with a student body of unique, talented and dedicated children and we look forward to recognizing more STMS students in the months ahead.

October Dine & Share Events

Two more great reasons to stay out of the kitchen!

When you dine at these fantastic area restaurants, you will not only enjoy a delicious dinner for you and your family, but you’ll be helping St. Thomas More School earn valuable educational funds.

Be sure to mention STMS when ordering! Thanks, in advance, for supporting our students!

Pop’s Italian Beef

We know your mouth is already watering for the yummy food at Pop’s. Join us on Tuesday, October 15

Pop’s Italian Beef & Sausage
1419 Joliet Highway (Route 30) in Dyer.
11:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Show this ad (or tell them you’re supporting STMS) and Pop’s will donate 20% of the sales to St. Thomas More School.
Dine-in or carry-out! Both are included!

Little Italy (Dyer)

Mark your calendar now for the next event on Tuesday, October 29!
Senior Citizens
All Senior Citizens of our parish are invited to join us for a year of fun activities, information and fellowship! All meetings will be held at 1:00 p.m. at the Weis Center (unless noted). Annual dues: $10.

Wednesday, October 23
Day of Reflection
10:00 a.m. Mass in the St. Thomas More Chapel
Guest speaker: Fr. Ted Mauch
Luncheon to follow at the Weis Center.
$15/person (advanced reservations required) payable in the Parish Office no later than Wednesday, October 16.

Wednesday, November 6
Business Meeting
Guest speaker: Crystal Snow
Area Representative from the Social Security Administration and SHIP

St. Vincent de Paul at Work
Our mission remains steadfast: To support the less fortunate in the community by delivering food and assisting with utility payments such as NIPSCO bills, rent payments and water bills. You are the reason we can help others!
Without the generous support of our parishioners, we would not be able to do what we do. We would like to thank all of you for your generous support of our ministry!

Items Needed for Our Pantry:

- Pork & Beans
- Pancake Mix
- Syrup
- Meal/Hamburger Helpers
- Rice Helpers/Sides
- Potato Helpers/Sides
- Frosting
- Peanut Butter • Jelly
- Pasta Sauce
- Canned Meats
- Canned Fruit
- Tuna
- Soup
- Cereal
- Toilet Paper
- Dish Soap
- Bar Soap

Thank you for your generosity. To volunteer or learn more about SVDP, contact Mike Martinelli at (219) 836-8610.

STM Career Networking Group

80% of Jobs are Unadvertised
82% of Jobs are Found Through Networking
15% Found Want Ads
4% Create Their Own Jobs • 2% Blindly Send Resumes

Wednesday, November 13, 2019
7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Opportunities Available at:
Deloitte
Identity & Access Management
Presented by:
Rachel Petzinger

Where: STM Weis Center
8635 Calumet Avenue • Munster
When: The 2nd Wednesday of Every Month
Time: 7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
Email: STMCareerGroup@gmail.com

Regular Meetings are Free! Open to All!
For those who are unemployed (in transition), new to the job market, employed but changing careers or those who can offer employment opportunities through their current professional connections. Have your cover letter, resume or thank you critiqued.

Events in the Area...

Wounded Healers Grief Support
Join us for our next grief support session on Wednesday, October 16 at St. James the Less Church in Highland (corner of 45th & Kennedy) from 7:00-8:30 p.m. Sessions provide grief support for all those who have lost a loved one. Special program on Sunday, November 17 from 2:00-4:00 p.m. with speaker to help you manage your grief during the holiday season. Go to www.woundedhealers-nwi.com to learn more and begin healing.

Order Delicious Pierogis
The Pierogi Sale at St. Josaphat Church, corner of Ridge Road and White Oak in Munster, is in full swing. Order no later than 9:00 a.m. each Thursday by calling (219) 838-9811. Pick-up that Friday, between Noon & 3:00 p.m. Kraut, potato, cheese or prune: $10/dozen or $5/half. Order & freeze now for the holidays.

Fall into Fun at Hartsfield Village
Hartsfield Village, 10000 Columbia in Munster, is hosting a Fall into Fun at the Village fall festival on Saturday, October 19 from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at their location. Find fun activities & food for the whole family. Beer tent, too. $5/person entrance benefits programs of Cancer Resource Centre. (219)703-5167.

Blood Drive
Land O’Frost, 10109 Columbia Avenue in Munster is holding a Blood Drive at the Blood Mobile on Tuesday, October 29 from 11:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at their location. All are welcome to attend and donate. Sign-up online: redcrossblood.org or call (800) RED-CROSS (sponsor code: landofrost).
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