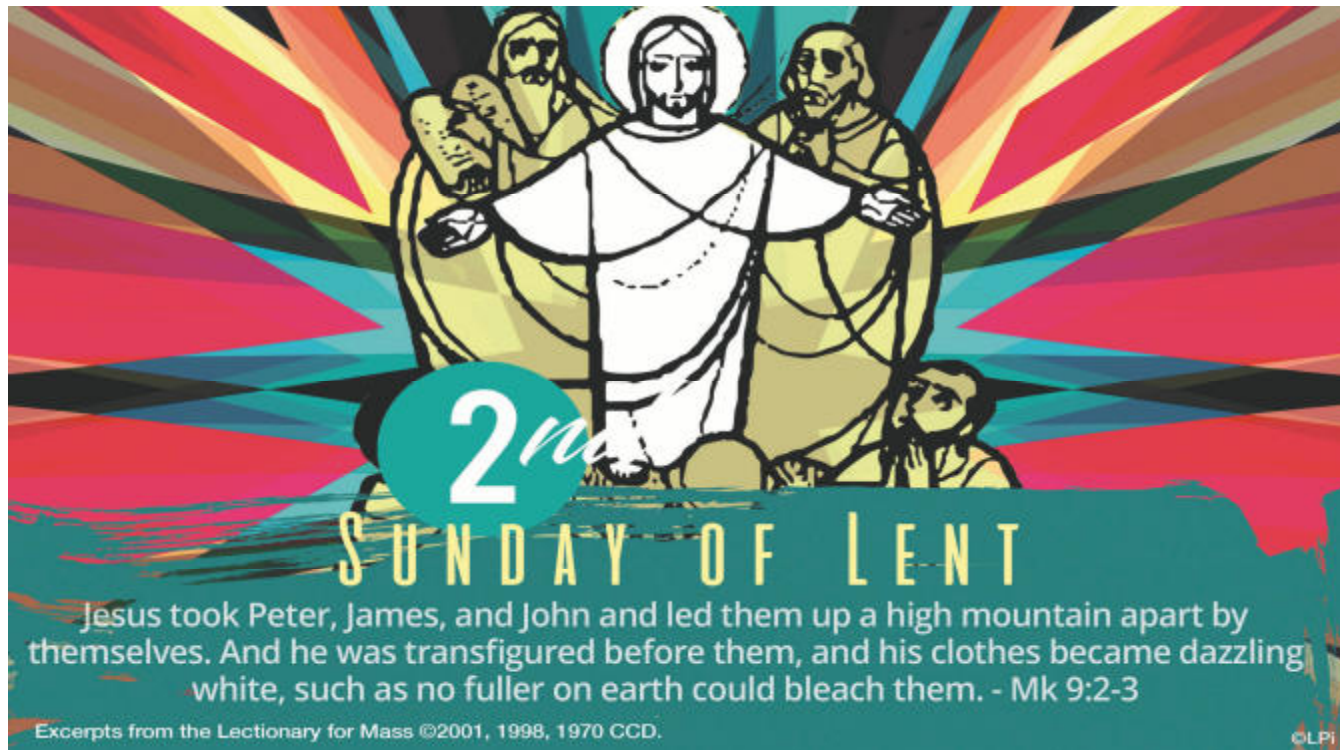


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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 pm STM

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 pm OLMC

Sunday: 8:30 a.m. OLMC

Sunday: 10:30 am STM

Sunday: 12:30 pm OLMC

Holy Days: 8:15 a.m. OLMC

7:00 pm STM

Monday – Saturday: 8:15 a.m. OLMC

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays: 4:45 p.m.

Or by appointment

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FEBRUARY 28, 2021 SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

PRAYER & WORSHIP

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT, FEBRUARY 28, 2021

MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

Sat./Sun. FEBRUARY 27 & 28, 2021

4:00 PM STM	Mary Rita Heitz, Fr. Murphy
5:30 PM OLMC	John D. Elliott
8:30 AM OLMC	Larry Clark
10:30 AM STM	Sr. Miriam Corcoran
12:30 PM OLMC	Martha Campbell
03/01 Mon. 8:15 am OLMC	Mary Sergesketter
03/02 Tues. 8:15 am OLMC	Judy Wethington
03/03 Wed. 8:15 am OLMC	Nancy Turner
03/04 Thurs. 8:15 am OLMC	Martha Campbell
03-05 Fri. 8:15 am OLMC	Louise Gaddie
03/06 Sat. 8:15 am OLMC	Communion Svc

Sat./Sun. MARCH 6 & 7, 2021

4:00 PM STM	Fr. Murphy
5:30 PM OLMC	Fr. Marius Zadinski, O. Carm.
8:30 PM OLMC	Leezer & Breen Families
10:30 AM STM	Maria Pham,
	Duane Morris Thomas
12:30 PM	Mary Hunter

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Next Sunday, March 7th, there will be a Regional Reconciliation Service at STM starting at 3:00 p.m.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Friday, 4:30 p.m. at OLMC

Friday, 7:00 p.m. at STM

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS...

...the sick of our parish family:

Teena Adkisson, James Ballard, Leo Ballard, Philip Ballard, Mike Beavin, Patricia Blackwell, Mary Brown, Henry Browning, Margaret Bussey, Donna Crabb, Mary Dorner, Bernadine Downs, Robert Erickson, Frank Friedrich, James Gann, Anna Gulick, Billy Jordan, Bill Kustes, Mary Laemmler, Martha Martin, Kate Mattingly, Charlie McCullum, Joe Murphy, Carol Nord, Margie Olliges, Donnie Paniccia, Karen Parker, Norbert Pierce, Bill Purcell, Julie Robertson, Leanne Spayd, Mary Kaye Steinmetz, Martha Taylor, Janet Tharp, Denny Thomas, Ann Marie Verwest, Angela Warden, Richard Yates.

Financial Stewardship for February 21, 2021

STM

Last Week's Contribution \$ 3,903.00

Financial Stewardship for February 21, 2021

OLMC

Last Week's Contributions \$ 6,402.09

PARISH CONDOLENCES

Please remember in your prayers, **Nancy Turner**, and all who have passed away this past week. May the souls of the faithfully departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.



READINGS

SUN
28TH

Gn 22:1-2,9a,10-1, 15-18/Ps 116:10,15,16-17, 8-19/Rom 8:31b-34/Mk 9:2-10

MON
1ST

Dn 9:4b-10/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13/Lk 6:36-38

TUES
2ND

Is 1:10, 16-20/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17/Mt 23:1-12

WED
3RD

Jer 18:18-20/Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16/Mt 20:17-28

THURS
4th

Jer 17:5-10/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 16:19-31

FRI
5th

Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21/Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

SAT
6th

Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

SUN
7th

Ex 20:1-17/Ps 19:8,9,10,11/1 Cor 1:22-25/Jn 2:13-25

OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL/ST. THOMAS MORE LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY

EAGLE SCOUT PROJECT: HELP NEEDED

Luke McArthur, a member of St Edward parish and a Scout in Troop 175, is working on his Eagle Scout project and would like the help of Our Lady of Mt Carmel and St. Thomas More parishioners. Luke is collecting items for foster children at Home of the Innocents. Many of these foster children often lack daily necessities and overnight bags or suitcases when they come to the home. Luke's goal is to help fill duffel bags with various clothing items, accessories and toiletries to help these foster children. He will be at all Masses this weekend to distribute donation wish lists. Please consider taking a list and shopping for as many items as possible. Donations can be returned the following weekend (March 6-7) during any liturgy.

To make it convenient to shop during COVID, you can also purchase items directly from a special Amazon wishlist set up for this project. Go to www.facebook.com/Troop175KY for a link to the Amazon list. All items purchased from the list are delivered directly to Luke's home. (You can easily find the troop's facebook page with more info by searching on fb for BSA Troop 175. See image below.)

If you have any questions, please email Luke at: mcluke2004@gmail.com.



A HEARTFELT THANK YOU!!!!

In 2009, Marie Blumeier, parishioner of St. Thomas More Church began Twice Blessed Bargains in the old St. Thomas More Church. Over the past 12 years, Marie has been the store's staunchest supporter having donated her time to keeping the store open. This has meant working most weekends (Friday, Saturday and Sunday) for the past 12 years. Although she would downplay her multiple roles, she has been the Financial Manager, Purchasing Manager, Advertising and Marketing Director, head of housekeeping, and head cashier. Her significant contributions will be missed; she has developed a team of confident and competent volunteers who will ensure that Twice Blessed Bargains will continue as a major source of funds for St. Thomas More Church. We wish Marie our very best for her upcoming retirement!

HOUSE BILL 149 (Education Opportunity Accounts)

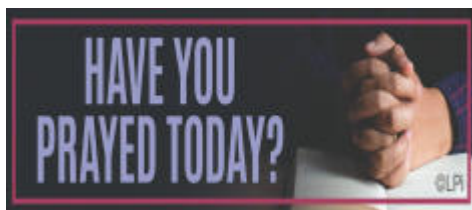
The House Bill 149 is on the move! Please call 1-800-372-7181 for the state legislative message line and the operator will leave a message for your State Representative based on your home address. Ask our State Representative to make sure HB 149 is passed out of committee as soon as possible and that they vote for the bill when it reaches the House floor. Families are depending on them to bring educational choice to Kentucky!

Education Opportunity Accounts are privately funded by citizens and businesses who donate to non-profit Account Granting Organizations (AGOs). The AGOs then use the donations to award needs-based funding to eligible families. Funding can be tailored to a student's specific needs and used for K-12 public and non-public school tuition and fees, online learning programs, tutoring services, therapy programs, transportation to and from school, and more.

STEWARDSHIP

"He who did not spare his own Son but handed Him over for us all, how will He not also give us everything else along with Him" Romans 8:32

God our Heavenly Father gave us His most beloved gift of all, His very son. When we give from what we most cherish, we too share Christ with others.



ROSARY UPDATE

For the past two weeks there has been 490 Rosaries said with a grand total of 14,973 since February 25, 2019. Thanks to everyone who has been faithful on saying the Rosary. What an easy club to join it cost you nothing but what a satisfaction you get knowing God hears your prayers. Just remember the doors are open again for the Masses and you can turn in your total Rosaries that have been said or contact either parish office. Remember to say the Rosary for an end to the Covid-19 and for world peace. God Bless you.

MARRIAGE MOMENTS

Principles for honoring your spouse:
#1 The Golden Rule - Treat your mate the same way you want to be treated.
#2 No Double Standards - Be as considerate to your spouse as you are to coworkers or strangers.
#3 Honor Requests that your spouse asks you to do or not do. (The Love Dare, by Stephen and Alex Kendrick)

PARENTING POINTERS

God said to Abraham, "because you did not withhold from me your beloved son, I will bless you." Genesis 22:16) parenting can be hard. It comes with a lot of sacrifices. Believe that God will provide even if the way is not clear right now?

EVENT HIGHLIGHTS

OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL & ST THOMAS MORE

CSA

2020 CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL

Bringing Christ to Others

As of February 5, 2021

OLMC Parish Goal	<u>\$11,800.00</u>
Total as of now	\$16,805.00
Participants	107
% of Goal	157%
STM Parish Goal	<u>\$ 3,700.00</u>
Total as of now	\$ 5,640.00
Participants	42
% of Goal	135%

Thanks to those who have already responded with a gift to the 2020 Catholic Services Appeal. There is still plenty of time to respond with a gift to this year's Appeal. Gifts can be made through our parish office or online at www.ArchLou.org/CSA

"SPORTS ARE RETURNING"!

Soccer signups are now up on the new Gameday website. This will be for students of SNA or parishioners of the 4 covenant parishes who are active in Religious Education classes in 3rd to 8th grades. In order for us to have time to prepare this is a short turnaround. Signups end 2-28-2021. Please login to the website at <https://gameday.loucsaa.net>. If you have not registered for Gameday you will need to do this before you can register your student for Soccer.



SNA Mission Statement

St. Nicholas Academy, a Catholic school in South Louisville, formed through the cooperation of four parishes, exists to assure an affordable, sustainable, high-quality Catholic educational experience based on Spiritual formation, Nourishment of character, and Academic excellence.

OLMC FISH FRY

Your support of the first Fish Fry of the 2021 season is sincerely appreciated. The Lenten Drive thru Friday Fish Fry will start on **February 26th**. Times are 4:30 to 7 pm in the parking lot at OLMC. Also beginning on February 19th are the Stations of the Cross at OLMC. In past years persons have participated this event and then enjoyed dinner in the gym. Due to COVID we are restricted to Drive thru, BUT we would like to still provide a carry out experience. For those attending the stations we will have persons in the vestibule before the service to take our carry out order. At the end of the service your dinner will be packaged and available for you in the vestibule. Dinners (one piece fish, bread, hush puppies, fries, slaw, mac n cheese, green beans) are \$12 or we have ala carte items (fish sandwich (\$6) and sides (\$2)). We accept cash and charge. **There will be a weekly Meat Tray drawing for only \$1 and a chance on a small Freezer along with a \$200 Meat Gift Card from Frank's. Chances will be sold at the Fish Fry and after Masses on Sunday.**

STM FISH FRY 50/50

St. Thomas More is also have a Drive thru Fish Fry during Lent (Feb. 26 through April 1) from 5 until 7 PM. Small Fish Sandwich (\$6) Large Fish Sandwich (\$8), Shrimp Basket (\$4), and Sides (\$2) each.

50/50 RAFFLE

St. Thomas More Parish will be having another 50/50 raffle on April 2, 2021. Tickets are \$10 each and the winnings will be split 50% to winning ticket holder and 50% to parish. Tickets will be available after Masses each weekend until day of raffle. Tickets can also be ordered by sending in the info below with a check for the number of chances you would like to purchase.

ORDER FORM

Enclosed please find my check for _____ 50/50 raffle tickets at \$10.00 per ticket.

Please send my stubs to:

Name: _____

Street Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____

Total amount enclosed _____

Enclosed please find my donation for _____. I do not wish to participate in the raffle but still wish to support St. Thomas More Parish with my donation.

Please share info with friends and family. Winner will be required to show identification and sign a W2-G when prize is claimed. Winner will be responsible for applicable state and federal taxes if amount of winnings is \$5,000 or more.

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FAITH FORMATION

FEBRUARY 28, 2021| SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT



MARRIAGE

Couples wishing to be married in OLMC/STM Church are required to contact the parish at least six months in advance of the wedding date to learn what is required and to begin the preparation process.



ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Administered upon request. Please call the parish offices. We try to respond to emergencies at any time. Also, available twice a year. **Watch the bulletin for announcements.**



RECONCILIATION

Preparation for the Sacrament of Reconciliation is coordinated through the parish at the 2nd grade age. Older children and adults should contact the Director of Religious Education for more information.



BAPTISM

(preparation required)

By appointment, contact Julie Stieren 366-1463

2nd Tuesday of the month 7:00 PM STM (Preparation Class)

ANNUAL ADULT BAPTISM through RICA at Easter Vigil



CONFIRMATION

Preparation and celebration for the Sacrament of Confirmation is coordinated through the parish for our young parishioners at the 8th grade age. Anyone over 14 contact the Director of Religious Education.



FIRST EUCHARIST

Preparation for the Sacrament of First Eucharist is coordinated through the parish for our young parishioners at the 2nd grade age. Older children and adults should contact the Director of Religious Education for more information.



HOLY ORDERS

DIACONATE

Deacon Denny Nash
502-636-0296

PRIESTHOOD

Rev. Anthony Chandler
502-636-0296

SUNDAY LITURGIES

Saturday, March 6, 2021, 4:00 p.m. STM

LECTORS	Mary Baxter
LECTORS	Marilyn Bennett
EUCH. MINISTER	Doris Tankersley
EUCH. MINISTER	Deacon Tim Johnson
PREACHER	Deacon Tim Johnson

Saturday, March 6, 2021, 5:30 p.m. OLMC

LECTORS	Nancy Price
LECTORS	Anna McNear
EUCH. MINISTERS	Donna Fultz
EUCH. MINISTERS	Deacon Tim Johnson
PREACHER	Deacon Tim Johnson

Sunday, March 7, 2021, 8:30 a.m. OLMC

LECTOR	Koffi Daboni
LECTOR	Darleen Marr
EUCH. MINISTERS	Abby Bauer
EUCH. MINISTERS	Deacon Tim Johnson
PREACHER	Deacon Tim Johnson

Sunday, March 7, 2021, 10:30 a.m. STM

LECTOR	Steve James
LECTOR	Tracy Johnson
EUCH. MINISTERS	Becky Highbaugh
EUCH. MINISTERS	Deacon Tim Johnson
PREACHER	Deacon Tim Johnson

Sunday, March 7, 2021, 12:30 p.m. OLMC

LECTOR	Sherry Powell
LECTOR	Kateri Shirley
EUCH. MINISTERS	Pat Ruzanka
EUCH. MINISTERS	Deacon Tim Johnson
PREACHER	Deacon Tim Johnson

BABY SHOWER

South Jefferson Neighborhood Place in Fairdale provides financial and personal assistance for our neighbors. Besides this support the agency also distributes toiletries, household supplies and baby necessities.

St. Vincent de Paul Conference of OLMC requests your help in a March "Showering" of S.J.N.P. with baby diapers (especially sizes 1, 4, 5 and 6) and baby wipes. Please bring these items to church from March 7 to March 21. Your generosity is sincerely appreciated.

THANK YOU

Kate Mattingly would like to thank all who sent her cards, flowers and gifts for her birthday. Kate you keep getting younger every year!!!

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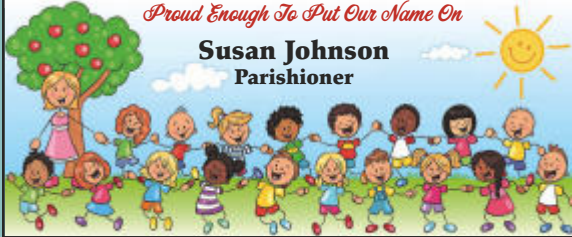
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