

Saint Thomas More Parish

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ONGOING ACTIVITIES

Bible Study Group – 1st & 3rd Wednesday of the month in the Parish Center. (Sept.-June)

Men's Fellowship Group—2nd Saturday of each month at 9 a.m. in the TMR.

Parish Council — 2nd Tuesday of January, March, May, September, and November, at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Center. All Parishioners are welcome!

Religious Education — Grades K -12 & Why Catholic (for Adults) classes are held on Sundays from Sept-May 9:30 to 10:45 a.m.

Rosary Group—after the 11:00 a.m. Sunday Mass.

PLEASE JOIN US!



18th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

[[Jesus] said to the crowd, "Take care to guard against all greed, for though one may be rich, one's life does not consist of possessions." - Lk 12:15

Mass Schedule



Saturday 4:30 p.m.

Sunday 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.

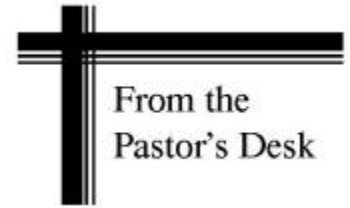
Please see the weekday Schedule inside this bulletin.

Confessions - Saturday from 3:45 - 4:15 p.m. or by appointment.

Dear Parishioners,

The Peace of the Lord be with you!

“Come, now! I will send you to Pharaoh to lead my people, the Israelites, out of Egypt. But Moses said to God, “ Who am I that I should go to Pharaoh and lead the Israelites out of Egypt” He answered, “I will be with you.”
Exodus 3:10-12



God chose Moses to lead the people out of Egypt. This was a difficult and dangerous mission.

Moses was reluctant to accept this mission from God. He lacked confidence. He did not think that he was able to do this.

God said to him. “I will be with you.” Moses relied upon God, and the people were liberated. He was a faithful servant.

If Moses said no to God, the Chosen People would not have been liberated.

Do we say yes to God when He asks us to do something for Him. Or, do we say no because we are afraid and lack confidence. God does not call the qualified. He qualifies those He calls.

Faith overcomes fear. Moses serves as an example for all of us.

God wants each of us to accomplish our mission fro Him. He is with us. We are not alone.

In Christ,

Offertory Giving

July 28, 2019

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Thank you for your continued generosity!

Readings for August 11, 2019

Wis 18:6-9
Ps 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22 [12b]
Heb 11:1-2, 8-19
Lk 12:32-48

Please pray for our Parishioners and Friends, especially:

Maureen Maguire, Rita Connor, Betty Burns (Joyce McCoy’s sister), Baby Kaiden, Sr. Isabel Marie Haughey, OSF : Rev. John Haughey, S.J.(Sr. Kathleen’s sister & brother), David Brown, Terry Doyle, Jim Gay, Claire Pistorio, Ellie Wright, Clare Doyle, Angie Gauss, Charlie Bailey, Queenette Akwari and Baby Tobenna Akwari (Lauretta Ibe’s sister and Great-nephew), Joe Nowak (Denny’s son), Jerome Kersch, Ellen Adajian, Hugo Quiej (Ana’s brother-in-law), Rita Petrucci, Lauretta & Aloysius Ibe & Family, Lois Seegal, Lydia Bobes, Colleen Wolfe, Carolyn Budny, Michelle Phillip (Denny’s granddaughter), Jamie Long and Susie Boch (Susan Keating’s mother).




We Pray in Faith that all who have died may be welcomed into the peace of God’s Kingdom.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday 08/05	
8:30 a.m. Mass	Mary Dellario
Tuesday 08/06	
8:30 a.m. Mass	Joseph Comegna
Wednesday 08/07	
8:30 a.m. Mass	Charles "Buck" Baker
Thursday 08/08	
8:30 a.m. Mass	John R. Wessel
Friday 08/09	
8:30 a.m. Mass	John Granzeano
Saturday 08/10	
4:30 p.m. Mass	For the Parishioners
Sunday 08/11	
8:30 a.m. Mass	Mary Frances Hagen
11:00 a.m. Mass	Carolyn & Bill Glaccum

**Pride of Baltimore Summer Singers Concert
August 19, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.**

at St. Thomas More Church
 Friends and family of the Pride of Baltimore Chorus and STM are cordially invited. Please join us.



Friends of St. Thomas More

I want to express to you my sincere appreciation for all your prayers, thoughts, mass cards and well wishes following my accident. I am truly blessed! I am progressing well and am starting my physical therapy this week. Please know that I will keep you in my prayers as well.

Annette Baxter



**LIVE THE LITURGY -
INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK**

How preoccupied and anxious are you over preserving and maintaining a particular standard of wealth? It is easy to develop an unhealthy relationship with our possessions and invest ourselves more in their protection and growth than in our relationship with God. Greed can overtake us, often without our immediate notice. Anxiety of heart can find us living more with sorrow and grief than with freedom and joy. We can never allow things to replace God, and we always have to keep our possessions and wealth in proper perspective. Once they begin to control us, we have a problem. Anxiety and worry can become our greatest sins. There is a joyful life to be discovered when we discover true faith!

Sight & Sound

"Miracle of Christmas"

Friday, December 6, 2019

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