

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!



20th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus said to his disciples: "I have come to set the earth on fire, and how I wish it were already blazing!" - Lk 12:49

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Mass Schedule



Saturday 4:30 p.m.

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

Please see the weekday Schedule inside this bulletin.

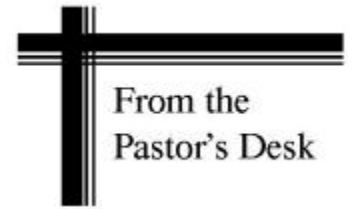
Confessions - Saturday from 3:45 - 4:15 p.m. or by appointment.

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Dear Parishioners,

The Peace of the Lord be with you!

On August 15th we celebrate the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary into heaven. This solemn feast of the Blessed Virgin Mary was defined by Pop Pius X in 1950.



**“The Immaculate Mother of God, the ever-virgin Mary, having completed the course of her earthly life, was assumed into heavenly glory.”
(Munificentissimus Deus)**

Mary is the mother of Jesus, our beloved Saviour. Mary is the mother of the Catholic Church, and our spiritual mother. Mary was given to us at the foot of the cross to be our mother.

Mary is first among all of the saints. Mary intercedes for us with her Son, Jesus.

Mary is in heaven. In the Holy Land there are many tombs of famous people. Mary has no tomb. Mary was never buried.

We only worship God, but we venerate the saints.

Let us pray to Mary, the Blessed Virgin Mary, and ask her to help us with all of our needs.

In Christ,



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Readings for August 25, 2019

Is 66:18-21
 Ps 117:1, 2, [Mk 16:15]
 Heb 12:5-7, 11-13
 Lk 13:22-30

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



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 (Loretta Ibe's sister and Great-nephew), Joe Nowak (Denny's son), Jerome Kersch, Ellen Adajian, Hugo Quiej (Ana's brother-in-law), Rita Petrucci, Loretta & Aloysius Ibe & Family, Lois Seegal, Lydia Bobes, Colleen Wolfe, Carolyn Budny, Michelle Phillip (Denny's granddaughter), Jamie Long, Susie Boch (Susan Keating's mother), Larry Glose and Michael Charles (Keith's brother).

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