EUCHARISTIC LITURGIES
Sunday: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 PM
and 5:30 PM (Life Teen)
Saturday: 4:30 PM
Monday—Friday: 8:30 AM (Chapel)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILATION
Saturday: 3:00 - 4:00 PM or by appointment

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
The first Friday of each month from
9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

PARISH OFFICE HOURS
Sunday: 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Monday—Thursday: 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM
Closed for lunch from 12:00 - 1:00 PM

COMMUNITY CENTER OFFICE HOURS
Monday—Thursday: 8:30 AM - 5:30 PM
Closed for lunch from 12:00 - 1:00 PM

CHAPEL HOURS
Monday – Thursday: 7:30 AM - 7:30 PM
Friday: 7:30 AM - 12:00 PM
Saturday: 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM
Sunday: 7:00 AM - 7:30 PM

CHURCH HOURS
Monday & Tuesday: 12:00 - 7:30 PM
Wednesday & Thursday: 7:30 AM - 7:30 PM
Friday: 7:30 AM - 12:00 PM
Saturday: 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM
Sunday: 7:00 AM - 7:30 PM

GIFT SHOP SUMMER HOURS
Sunday: 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM
Monday & Thursday: 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM
BECOME A REGISTERED MEMBER OF THE PARISH
In order that we may better serve you, please register with the parish by visiting www.stmlv.org or downloading our St. Thomas More App. Forms are also available in the parish office and in the gathering space of the church.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK
Call the parish office at 702-361-3022 if you need to receive the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick at home or in a hospital. The Sacrament is also offered communally within the Mass. Announcements will be made about upcoming Anointing of the Sick Masses.

HOLY COMMUNION FOR THE SICK
If you are homebound, please call Patti Sabo at 702-269-3110 and an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion will visit you. In case of hospitalization, inform the hospital staff that you are Catholic and would like to receive Communion.

FUNERAL MINISTRY
In the event of a death of a loved one, please contact the parish office at 702-361-3022 before making arrangements with any of the professional services.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM
Baptisms for infants and children up to 7 years of age are celebrated on the weekend. Parents and Godparents should attend the baptism preparation class on the first Wednesday of the month (unless otherwise announced) at 7:00 PM in the church. Please contact the parish office at 702-361-3022.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY
Please contact our Wedding Coordinator at 702-361-3022 to discuss availability and the preparation requirements.

VOCATIONS
Please consult with one of the priests.

VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT: WWW.STMLV.ORG
AND CONNECT WITH US ON OUR MOBILE APP AND ON OUR SOCIAL MEDIA PAGES!

ST. THOMAS MORE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

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Deacon Bob Rudloff
Deacon Mike Underwood
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Dear Friends,

I would like to give my sincere thanks to all those who came over to the Community Center to officially welcome Fr. Thomas and myself last weekend. We really enjoyed getting to meet and talk with so many of you. And special thanks to our staff members and ministries for planning and hosting everything.

Both Fr. Thomas and I feel very grateful and honored to be a part of this wonderful and warm community.

I believe it is important to maintain a spiritual place that is open and hospitable for everyone to come spend time and pray at, therefore I have decided to expand our Chapel & Church hours. There will always be a staff member on property while we are open. The hours are now as follows...

Chapel:
Monday – Thursday: 7:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Friday: 7:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
Saturday: 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Sunday: 7:00 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Church (Main Door):
Monday & Tuesday: 12:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday & Thursday: 7:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Friday: 7:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
Saturday: 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Sunday: 7:00 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.

We will also go back to having two reconciliation stations in the church from 3:00 to 4:00 p.m. every Saturday.

As many of you already know, our Gift Shop Coordinator; Vickie Koenig, will be retiring at the end of this month. Vickie has been working here since May of 2006. She has done an excellent job, has been an important part of this staff and she will be greatly missed by all. I would like to thank Vickie for her years of dedication and time.

I am excited to welcome Bette Snyder, Rafael Canizalez and Mary Ashley Galan-Gornal to our staff. Bette will be our new Gift Shop Coordinator, Rafael has been hired for part time building & maintenance duties and Mary Ashley is the new Assistant to the Director of Faith Formation. She will also continue her role as Liturgical Assistant. All of them will be starting this month.

Yours In Christ,

Fr. Bede Wevita
Pastor

ST. THOMAS MORE GIVING

We are happy to offer these electronic giving options:

ONLINE GIVING is easy to set up and allows you to schedule recurring contributions and view your complete online giving history from anywhere you have internet access. Simply follow these easy steps:

1) Visit our website at www.stmlv.org
2) Click “Online Giving”
3) Click on the Create Profile button
4) Follow the onscreen instructions to create an online profile and to schedule your recurring contributions. If you give by credit card and have recently received a new credit card, please be sure to update your account information. Thank you!

GIVE BY TEXT is a quick way to make a donation by using your smart phone to send a text message to 702-903-2248 with the amount you would like to give. Make sure to include the dollar sign before the amount and within seconds you’ll receive a text with a link to register.

SCAN OUR QR (QUICK RESPONSE) CODE which was created specifically for our community. When you scan this image with a Smartphone’s QR decoder, it will instantly connect you to the mobile version of our web page.

WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT

Weekly 1st Collection Goal ..............................................$32,500.00
1st Collection Actual ......................................................$29,615.60
Over / (Under) Weekly Goal ......................................($2,884.40)
Year to Date 1st Collection Goal .................................$130,000.00
Year to Date 1st Collection Actual .............................$120,313.38
Over / (Under) Year to Date Goal .............................($9,686.62)
ST. THOMAS MORE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

AUGUST 4TH, 2019 — EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

WELCOME RECEPTIONS FOR FR. BEDE AND FR. THOMAS
FAITH FORMATION IS PREPARING FOR THE 2019-2020 YEAR

Registration for all new students to the program began on June 3rd. You can download registration information and forms off our website at www.stmlv.org. Please remember to bring a copy of your child’s baptism certificate if they were not baptized at St. Thomas More. Also, please check our website for registration fees. Registration will close on August 30th.

CATECHISTS NEEDED

Do you love the Lord? Are you willing to share His message? Do you believe you can make a difference?

97 catechists have already said “Yes” to these questions and 5 additional catechists are needed.

Our Parish Family Needs You!!!

If you have taught and want to teach again or if you have never taught before but feel this ministry is one that you might be interested in, please call Juliann Dwyer at 702-361-8840 regarding these volunteer teacher openings. The church depends on people who are willing to share their faith, time, and talents with the youth of our parish. We have openings on Tuesday afternoon from 4:00-5:00 PM.

HELP THY NEIGHBOR PROGRAM

Do you need a Helping Hand? All of us do at some time in our lives! Please call Jane at 702-458-2138 so that she can activate the HELP THY NEIGHBOR Program on your behalf.

Whether you need a meal cooked, or other one-time areas of assistance, such as house and yard maintenance, an errand run, light housekeeping, ironing, or laundry.

It is our pleasure to serve you! We hope you will call!
ALTAR FLOWER DEDICATIONS

Would you like to honor a loved one, give thanks for an anniversary or accomplishment, or commemorate a loved one’s birthday or death by sponsoring flowers on the altar? Your name and the names of your loved ones will be printed in the Sunday bulletin. The cost of the altar flowers is $250.00. Please visit the parish office to secure your preferred date.

In Remembrance

ALBERT NEUMANN

Let us all keep him in our thoughts & prayers.

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, AUGUST 10TH, 2019
ANGEL DIAZ (4:30 PM)

SUNDAY, AUGUST 11TH, 2019
ARMANDO ABANILLA (8:00 AM)
ARMANDO ABANILLA (10:00 AM)
LEONCIO FONACIER (12:00 PM)
MEMBERS OF THE PARISH (5:30 PM)

Please Pray For...

JoAnn Lopiccolo
Regina Certeza
Carolann DeMatos
Jennie Schuman
Luke Kohut
Rosemary Thiele
Ashur Toma
Mary Walsh
Noriko Yasuda
Anchal Kumar
Emerenciana D. Ocampo
Robin Barry
Janine Gutstein
Lilia Ysmael
Nelida Bedetancourp
Simon Rojas
Richard Hutton
Margaret McGrath
Barbara Krankowski
Jose Orlando Balaoing
Isla Raelynn Riturban
Donald Gyorkas
Simona Dye
Cesar Carranceja
Nani Carranceja
Justin Dougherty & Family
Mario Monaco
Nancy Janush
Marilyn Galati
Margaret Watson
Nancy Louis
Helen Gilmore
Estella Sayre
Robert Matulovich
Marjorie Carter
LaMonte Family
Claire Fox
Arlene Hernandez
Helen Windsor
Jean McGuire
Vivian Vecchiarelli
Janet Hawood
Conrad McNamara
Miguel Zaragoza
David Proulx
Aiden Freistroffer
Jocelyn DeLeon

Teresita Enriquez
CarolAnne Kardash
Jeanne Amlund
Joyce Lanzillo
Ralph Lanza
Osvaldo Sanchez
Laura Flores
Mercedes Calderon
Perry DeGuzman
Mercy DeGuzman
Michael David Gam
Athena M. Lake
Erlinda C. Viray
Rosemary Grupposo
Mario Belarde
Carol Johnson
Lenny Tanchala Sr.
Nora Supnet
Eller Cortez
Sharon Buckley
Theresa Noyes
Lionel Chaloux
Cheryl Boulanger
Terri Gorski
Wendy Dwyer
Linda Steward
LuAnn Ferron
George Carque
Linda McDonell
Martha Jackson
Michael Crisci
Elizabeth Martano
Ruth Ochoa
Lenny Tanchala Jr.
Roberta Watkins
TODAY'S READINGS:

FIRST READING:
For what profit comes to man from all the toil and anxiety of heart with which he has labored under the sun? (Ecc 2:22)

PSALM:
If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts. (Ps 90)

SECOND READING:
For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ your life appears, then you too will appear with him in glory. (Col 3:3-4)

GOSPEL:
Then [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)

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 4TH:

SUNDAY: Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23/ Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14, 17 [1]/Col 3:1-5, 9-11/Lk 12:13-21

MONDAY: Nm 11:4b-15/Ps 81:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 [2a]/Mt 14:13-21

TUESDAY: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9 [1a and 9a]/2 Pt 1:16-19/Lk 9:28b-36

WEDNESDAY: Nm 13:1-2, 25-14:1, 26a-29a, 34-35/Ps 106:6-7ab, 13-14, 21-22, 23 [4a]/Mt 15:21-28

THURSDAY: Nm 20:1-13/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 [8]/Mt 16:13-23

FRIDAY: Dt 4:32-40/Ps 77:12-13, 14-15, 16 and 21 [12a]/Mt 16:24-28

SATURDAY: 2 Cor 9:6-10/Ps 112:1-2, 5-6, 7-8, 9 [5]/Jn 12:24-26
ON AUGUST 15TH, WE CELEBRATE THIS HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION. OUR MASS TIMES ARE AS FOLLOWS...

8:30 AM, 12:15 PM AND 6:00 PM

THE WEEK AHEAD

MONDAY, AUGUST 5TH
8:30 AM  Mass
9:00 AM  Sandwiches (Men’s Club)

TUESDAY, AUGUST 6TH
8:30 AM  Mass

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7TH
8:30 AM  Mass
6:30 PM  Small Church Communities
7:00 PM  Baptism Prep Class

THURSDAY, AUGUST 8TH
8:30 AM  Mass
6:30 PM  Bereavement Ministry
6:30 PM  Silent Meditation Group

FRIDAY, AUGUST 9TH
8:30 AM  Mass

SATURDAY, AUGUST 10TH
3:00 PM  Reconciliation
4:30 PM  Mass

SUNDAY, AUGUST 11TH
8:00 AM  Mass
8:30 AM  RCIA
10:00 AM  Mass
12:00 PM  Mass
1:00 PM  Safe Environment Ministry Training
3:30 PM  Life Teen Young Disciple Meeting
4:15 PM  Life Teen Core Team Meeting
5:30 PM  Life Teen Mass
6:45 PM  Life Night

PLEASE NOTE: THERE MAY BE CHANGES THAT DO OCCUR TO THIS SCHEDULE. WE SUGGEST ALWAYS CHECKING WITH THE HEAD OF YOUR MINISTRY/ORGANIZATION.

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ALTAR TEAMS  Deacon Bob Rudloff  260-0311
BAPTISM  Pam Trendell  361-3022
BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY  Deacon Mike  361-3022
BOY SCOUTS  Ed Cortney  415-9980
BUILDING & GROUNDS  Dave Sawyer  361-8840
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EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS  Lisa Fairweather  361-3022
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LITTLE KINGDOM  Juliann Dwyer  361-8840
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ValLimar Jansen

Saturday, September 7 2019
Keynote Speaker
Julianne Stanz

Closing Mass
Bishop George Leo Thomas

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Prayer and spirituality; missionary discipleship; the growing exodus of Catholics not only from the Catholic church, but from faith in general; supporting families and supporting a culture of life.

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