

St. Thomas More Catholic Church

April 11, 2021

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday

5:00 pm

Sunday

8:00 am & 10:00 am

Tuesday-Friday

8:20 am & 5:00 pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday

4:00 pm

or by appointment



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2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER

Thomas answered and said to him, "My Lord and my God!" Jesus said to him, "Have you come to believe because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed."

- Jn 20:28-29

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CLP

*St. Thomas More welcomes up to 75 people
at our daily and weekend Masses!*

Visit our website, stmpdx.org, or call the Parish Office to learn more and sign up to attend Mass.

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STM COMMUNITY

STM Campus Clean Up on April 17 — Join Us!

Join us for a STM Community Campus Clean Up on Saturday, April 17, from 8:30 am to 11:30 am. Use the sign-up link below or call the office to let us know how many from your family will be there (so we have enough donuts!) and if you have a leaf blower, chain saw, or other helpful lawn equipment (so we can assign jobs accordingly).

Many hands make light work! Please make a plan to attend so we can spruce up our campus!

Questions: contact Amy Dice at adice@stmpdx.org.

Sign up here: <https://www.wejoinin.com/sheets/bqzux>

Annual STM PLANT SALE!

The amazing tradition that was started by the Altar Society to benefit our Church is back! We are excited it is happening this year — albeit in a limited format due to current COVID guidelines.

There are hanging baskets - 12" premium containers in both sun and shade variety - available for pre-order. A limited quantity of geraniums and impatiens will also be available for on-site purchase!

Place your order by April 23rd. Pick up in the Dosch Parking lot on Saturday, May 1, from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm. Or schedule May 1st delivery (for \$5 within 5 miles of STM).

Use the link below to order. And tell your friends! These hanging baskets make great Mother's Day gifts!

Order here: <https://membership.faithdirect.net/events/details/6676>

Do you have time to help us get organized on Saturday morning or make deliveries on Saturday afternoon? Please call the Parish Office or contact Amy Dice at adice@stmpdx.org to volunteer.



Rice Bowls

The Parish Office is receiving Rice Bowl offerings to return to Catholic Relief Services. You can drop your donation during office hours, 8:00 am—4:00 pm Monday through Friday, and we will get the funds to this most worthy organization.



Monthly Parish Offertory Report for April

Week 1

Basket Collection Month to Date	\$ 7,786.00
eGiving Collection Month to Date	\$ 0
Total Offertory Month to Date	\$ 7,786.00
Offertory Budget FYTD	\$ 297,100.00
Offertory FYTD	\$ 269,933.97

(STM fiscal year is July 1-June 30.)

Thank you for your continued support!



Tuesday, April 13th

8:20 am Daily Mass

Brenna Quigley

5:00 pm Daily Mass

Wednesday, April 14th

8:20 am Daily Mass

Russell D. Humberston †

5:00 pm Daily Mass

Thursday, April 15th

8:20 am Daily Mass

5:00 pm Daily Mass

Friday, April 16th

8:20 am Daily Mass

Brian Dooney

5:00 pm Daily Mass

Join FaithDirect.net and make Giving Easy!

Did you know STM has an online giving partner to make your giving easy? Sign up for regular online giving at FaithDirect.net and use parish code OR915.

We need your consistent donations now more than ever! Online giving keeps your gifts safe and on-time...even when you can't make it to Mass. Join Faith Direct and support STM! Questions? Contact Amy Dice, STM's Development Director.

Attention STM Community!

Can't find a good movie on TV? Can't afford to attend or have time to participate in a Zoom, webinar, or online faith conference? Want to learn more about the Catholic Church teachings, traditions, daily devotions, history, rituals, education, etc... and do it All for FREE?

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THANKYOU!

Thank you to our church and school families who helped to make Easter at St. Andrew Nativity special again this year! We were able to deliver Easter baskets and dinner boxes (complete with turkey breasts and a \$15 Fred Meyer gift card) for the entire sixth grade class. We appreciate your amazing generosity — and we know they do, too!



STM Golf Tournament

Thursday, May 13,
at Langdon Farms Golf Club

Save the Date Now!

NEW: Breaking Bread 2021 eMissal app

Oregon Catholic Press has created a very simple and easy to use app that puts the whole 2021 Breaking Bread book at your fingertips. You can have all the readings and psalms for every week, and every song that's in that book. You can plug the songs in to their appropriate slot before mass, if you have the music schedule, or easily search for them on the fly.

The is a one-time purchase of \$4.99 that covers the rest of this liturgical year, just as the book does.

What's included:

- Over 850 songs, psalms and Gospel Acclamations
- Readings for Sundays and holy days
- Order of Mass

Breaking Bread 2021 eMissal App is available for all [iOS](#) and [Android](#) users on their smartphones and tablets.

Simply look up Breaking Bread 2021 eMissal in your app store.

**The Breaking Bread 2021 eMissal app is only intended for use during the 2021 liturgical year. A new app will be released for each of the following years. For more information go to www.ocp.org*

John 20:19-31

On the evening of that first day of the week, when the doors were locked, where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you." When he had said this, he showed them his hands and his side. The disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained." Thomas, called Didymus, one of the Twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples said to him, "We have seen the Lord." But he said to them, "Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands and put my finger into the nail marks and put my hand into his side, I will not believe." Now a week later his disciples were again inside and Thomas was with them. Jesus came, although the doors were locked, and stood in their midst and said, "Peace be with you." Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands, and bring your hand and put it into my side, and do not be unbelieving, but believe." Thomas answered and said to him, "My Lord and my God!" Jesus said to him, "Have you come to believe because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed." Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples that are not written in this book. But these are written that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that through this belief you may have life in his name.



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