

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
SUNDAY, JULY 27TH, 2025

CO-CATHEDRAL OF ST. THOMAS MORE



We exist to reflect Jesus Christ, to worship Him, and to proclaim His good news to all.

A MESSAGE FROM FR. TIM



This weekend is Burse Club Weekend!

The Burse Club has been instrumental in funding our vocations and seminarians program for the last several decades.

We currently have 20 seminarians in formation for the priesthood in our diocese! This actually places us in the top ten in the country per capita....so God has blessed us!

We recently ordained four men at the end of May, and are going to ordain another here at the Co-Cathedral on November 22nd.

Educating seminarians is an expensive endeavor but the Burse Club helps make it possible for us to provide an education for these men and secure the future of the Church.

Please consider joining and making a contribution.

Bring the pamphlet home and pray for the men who are in formation!

Fr. Tim

Clergy & Staff

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*"If you then, who are wicked,
know how to give good gifts to
your children, how much more
will the Father in heaven
give the Holy Spirit to those who
ask him?"
Luke 11:13*

MASS SCHEDULE

MON-FRI: 7:00 AM, 5:15 PM

SATURDAY: 8:00 AM

SATURDAY: 5:15 PM VIGIL 

SUNDAY: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM,
12:00 PM, & 6:00 PM

CONFESSION

INSIDE THE CHURCH

SATURDAY: 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY-FRIDAY

9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

OFFICE PHONE (850) 222-9630
RECTORY (EMERGENCIES ONLY)
(850) 224-4887

VISIT US ONLINE: COCATHEDRAL.COM
WIFI PASSWORD: stm1967!

Rosary in the Chapel

After every 7am Daily Mass join
others in the chapel to pray a
rosary!

Have you done CRHP?



An old friend with a new name is coming to St. Thomas More. Christ Renews His Parish, or CRHP, is now "Welcome" and we are preparing for our first weekends in the fall. We need men and women who have previously presented a CRHP weekend to help us present the fall retreat. We will begin formation for these special teams this summer. If you are interested please scan the QR code to sign up.

For more information, please contact Deacon Andy or Kate Grosmaire at chezgrosmaire@yahoo.com

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

July 2025 Dates: 07/14- 07/20

Weekly Need: \$18,000

Weekly Giving: \$17,823

Year-to-Date Need: \$673,000

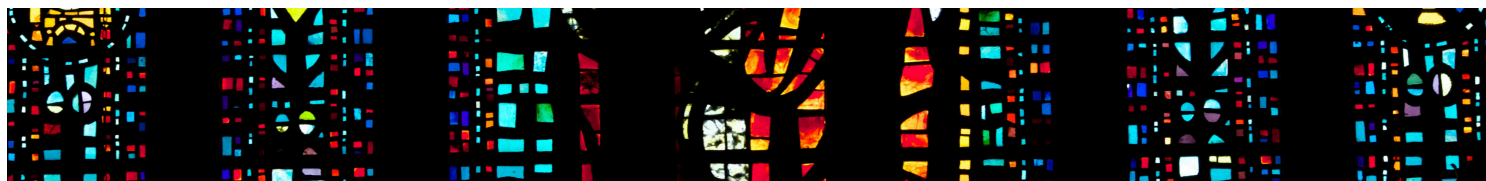
Year-to-Date Giving: \$683,420

Thank you so much to our parish community for your continued support throughout the year! To give online, please visit www.cocathedral.com and go to the "Giving" page.

2025 Bishop's CATHOLIC SHARING APPEAL (CSA)

If you have not made your pledge, please return your completed pledge card into the Offertory basket today or go to the Diocesan webpage, www.ptdiocese.org/csa, and select "Donate Here" to find our parish, "Co-Cathedral of St. Thomas More.

So far, 212 parishioners have pledged \$125,000.
We have received \$112,527 to date.



Very Reverend Timothy Holeda
invites you to join the
Co-Cathedral of St. Thomas More for our

CHRISTUS MEDICUS MASS

*A Mass in honor of all Catholic Healthcare Professionals,
including Doctors, Nurses, Mental Health Professionals,
All Allied Healthcare Professionals and Medical Students.*

**Saturday, October 11th, 2025
at 5:15pm**

**Co-Cathedral of St. Thomas More
900 W. Tennessee St.**



Scan to nominate your Catholic healthcare
worker or a Catholic medical organization
to receive a Christus Medicus Award.
Nominations close September 8th, 2025

More information about The Divine Physician Retreat
coming soon!



**FLORIDA CONFERENCE
OF CATHOLIC BISHOPS**

The nonpartisan public policy voice of the Catholic Church in Florida

The Florida Catholic Conference / Florida
Conference of Catholic Bishops is looking for
a "Part-Time" interior/exterior
maintenance person.

Please send replies to:
Contact@flacathconf.org
Or phone, 850-222-3803

Sacraments

Welcome to the Catholic Church

**Melissa Ann Notman
Brook Phillips
Grace Talkington
Grey Talkington
Jay Townsend
George Vanderbilt
Blake Lind Voth**

*who were received into Full Communion
Saturday, July 19th, 2025*

Congratulations to

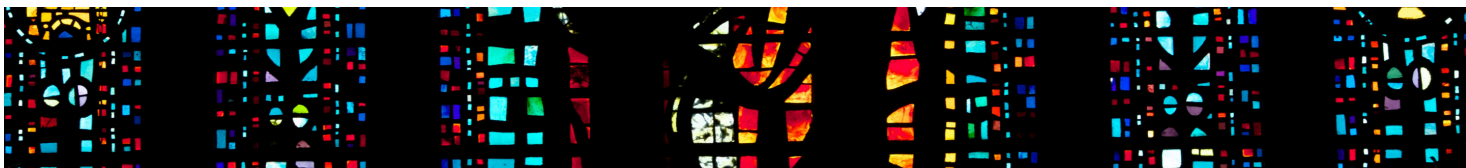
Mr. Robert & Melissa Notman
*who were united in the sacrament of
matrimony on
Saturday, July 19th, 2025*

Congratulations to

**Carlos David Alfonso
Emmanuel Aragon
Kevin Yoel Rivas-Sasvin
Emma Fury Zeitler
Ana Cristina Goni-Lessan
Julia Victoria Nigrelli
Alejandro Antonio Quintero Graxirena
Nicole Gisselle Spina**
*who were received Confirmation
Sunday, July 20th, 2025*

Welcome to our Parish Family

Annina Orner
*who was baptized
Sunday, July 20th, 2025*



Secular Franciscans

From Gospel to Life, and Life to Gospel.

Our Lady of Guadalupe fraternity of the Secular Franciscan Order (lay Franciscans) will start a new formation class in the Fall of 2025. We invite you to encounter Christ, the gift of the Father's love, by following in the steps of St. Francis and St. Clare. Fraternity meetings are Third Saturdays at Good Shepherd parish, 9:30 – 11:30 a.m.

Information about the SFO can be found at www.secularfranciscansusa.org (national) and www.ffmr-ofs.org (regional). For meeting details, contact J. Frank Pate OFS at (850) 728-4426 or franksta70@comcast.net.



CATHOLIC NOLES



REGISTER NOW!



**TRINITY
CATHOLIC
SCHOOL**

TRINITY IS HIRING!

OPEN POSITIONS:

- **Instructional Aides**

Support classroom learning in a dynamic, faith-filled environment.

- **Substitute Teachers**

Openings available in PreK-8, including special area classes. Flexible scheduling and a chance to be part of a vibrant school community.

- **Beyond the Bell (BTB) After-School Counselors**

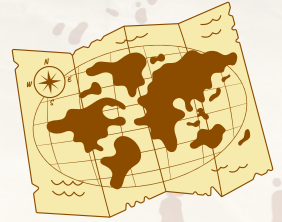
Engage with students in a safe, nurturing after-school program filled with fun, learning, and enrichment activities.

<https://www.trinityknights.org/employment>

Apply Now



IT'S A WHOLE NEW WORLD! IN FAITH FORMATION



Faith Formation is undergoing some changes. The Bishop has announced that our Diocese is going to Restored Order and wants more Family based Catechesis to happen.

What does that mean for St. Thomas More?

2025-2026

- Children in grades 6 and up will prepare for the sacrament of Confirmation in class Sundays 8:30 am – 9:45 am.
- Children in grades 3-5 will be in class together Sundays 8:30 am – 9:45 am.
- Children in grades 1-2 will be in class together Sundays 8:30 am – 9:45 am.
- Children in 2nd grade will receive Communion and Reconciliation Preparation sessions with parents.
- Four Family of Faith programs will be offered on Sunday Afternoons. Childcare will be available for children 3 and under. Registration will take place for each event so that the proper number of supplies can be purchased etc.
- A Family Penance service will be held once a year on a Saturday morning.

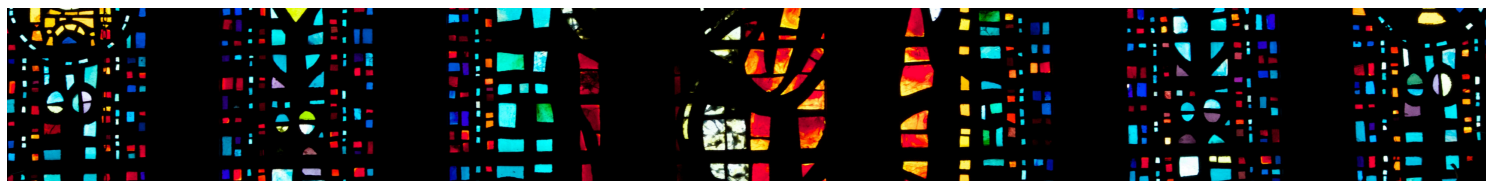
2026-2027

- Children in grades 3 and up will prepare for the sacrament of Confirmation
- Children in grades 1-2 will be in class together.
- Children in 2nd grade will receive Communion and Reconciliation Preparation sessions with parents.
- Four or more Family of Faith programs will be offered.
- A Family Penance service will be held.

2027-2028

- Children in grades 1-2 will be in class together.
- Children in 2nd grade will receive Communion and Reconciliation and Confirmation Preparation sessions with parents.
- Four or more Family of Faith programs will be offered.
- A Family Penance service will be held.

To register go to cocathedral.com and click on the first banner. If you have any questions please email Paula Wright at faith@cocathedral.com



ST. JOHN PAUL II Preschool

Preschool is too early for a rigid and strict academic focus (kids' brains aren't ready yet!) much, when kids are playing hard, they are hard at work.

SJP II preschool focuses on PLAY. When children are able to be creative, use their imagination, take risks, be the leader, create rules, learn from mistakes, take turns, be silly, and so much more...they are learning!

NEW PRESCHOOL!

NOW ENROLLING

AGES 2-5

PART & FULL TIME

OPTIONS

Play based learning,
Reggio Emilia Inspired

What Makes Us Unique

- > Cozy Classroom
- > Faith Based
- > No Shoes - No Problem
- > LOTS of outside time
- > Onsite Library
- > Screen/Tech Free

CONNECT WITH US >>> www.sjp2preschool.com

TRINITY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

ENROLL TODAY!

Trinity Catholic School is still accepting applications for the upcoming 2025-2026 school year.

Remaining spots are filling up fast!

Discover what makes Trinity a place where faith, learning, and community come together. For more information or to submit an application visit www.trinityknights.org/apply or contact the Enrollment Director, Jeanne Cross, at crossj@trinityknights.org

ADOPT A STUDENT

Scholarship Program

If you are interested in the future of Catholic education, please consider donating to the Adopt-A-Student Scholarship Program. There is a gap between the cost to educate and the school choice state scholarships. Some families need support to make up the difference in tuition. Your donation can make a difference in the life of a child.

To give the gift of a Catholic Education today, scan the QR code or visit www.trinityknights.org/giving

SCAN ME!

ST. JOHN PAUL II CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

ENROLLING NOW FOR 2025-2026!

Don't forget to apply before Applications close!

CATHOLIC - INTIMATE - DIVERSE - ACTIVE - SAFE - AFFORDABLE

APPLY TODAY!

Are you interested in a Christ-centered Catholic education for your child? We are excited to announce that applications for the 2025-2026 school year are now open!

Did you know all Florida students are now eligible to receive state scholarships for private K-12 education? There is no better time to take action and seek more for your child! Visit stepupforstudents.org for more information about applying for your child's state-funded scholarship.

☎ (850) 201-5744
✉ admissions@sjpiichs.org
🌐 www.sjpiichs.org/admissions/apply/

St. Vincent de Paul Society

Recently, we helped a mother of two and her two grandchildren with a past due utility bill. Her bank account had been hacked and the utility payment was one of the casualties. We paid it quickly, so they would not get disconnected. She was very grateful.

Consider becoming a member of the Saint Vincent de Paul Society. Meetings are the 2nd and 4th Tuesday each month at 6pm, in the Church hall. For more information, email us at svdptally@gmail.com.

TO DONATE, SCAN HERE

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Mass Intentions

Sunday, July 27

8:00 am † Hilda Occhiuzzo by John & Mary Sue Occhiuzzo
 10:00 am The Bowden Family by Aubrey Heiss
 12:00 pm For the People of St. Thomas More
 6:00 pm For the Graduates of FSU, FAMU & TSC by Catholic Noles

Monday, July 28

7:00 am † Mrs. Elizabeth Betton Mooney by Paul Chang
 5:15 pm † Matthew Cecil by Rose Ann Wakeman

Tuesday, July 29

7:00 am Kendall Walden by Jearld Quick
 5:15 pm † Kaveon Dux by Rebecca & Brien Dux

Wednesday, July 30

7:00 am † Gaspar & Richard Renada by Diana Mnenge
 5:15 pm Kristen West by Jearld Quick

Thursday, July 31

7:00 am Katherine Reeves by Joe Hart
 5:15 pm † Rosa Scianna by Eric Giunta

Friday, August 01

7:00 am All the patients and staff at TMH & in particular the cardiac progressive care unit by Nicolas Woodall
 5:15 pm Victor Herrera by STM Staff

Saturday, August 02

8:00 am † Joseph N Hobert Jusma by Marie Jusma
 5:15 pm † William Jakiel by Judith Jakiel

"We cannot underestimate the power of prayer and the difference it will make in our world."
 - Saint Teresa of Calcutta

HOW CAN WE PRAY FOR YOU?

Visit our website:
cocathedral.com/prayer-requests

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Assistance for Victims of Sexual Abuse

Our Diocese has established Victim Assistance Coordinators to help anyone who has been abused by church personnel.

Victims should call Dr. Shannon Mullen at 229-233-8009

To report a case, call the

24-Hour Child Abuse Hotline at 800-962-2873.