

Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

The greatest among you must be your servant.

- Matthew 23:11



WE WELCOME YOU

David & Gloria Barousse!

New to the parish? There are Parish Registration forms in the vestibule, please fill a form out and give it to an usher/greeter, place it in the offertory

5 November 2017

Saint Thomas More Parish

Rev. Father Nicholas Schumm, *pastor*
Rev. Father Eugene Casserly, *priest in residence*
Rev. Monsignor John Cassidy, *pastor emeritus*
Lois Hicks, *office manager & parish assistant*
Sarah Manning, *youth group*
Susan Henderson, *parish organist*
Thomas More Salamida, *maintenance*
Claudia Hill, *part-time office assistant*
Betty Jo Tanner, *part-time data assistant*
Kevin McCall, *missionary*

Finance Council

Mort O'Sullivan, *chairperson*
Joe Buehler
Jim Mathis

Parish Pastoral Council

Michael Juhas, *chairperson*
Ann Bode
Stoney Dyson
Becky Edmondson
Casey Etheridge
Molly Henley
Patrick Kinnell
Penny Locke
Nelson Ortiz
Al Sharlow
Jane Turner

Other Parish Groups and Ministries

Sacred Liturgy — Father Nicholas Schumm
Organist & Sacred Music — Susan Henderson
Ushers — Charlie Dickin
Religious Education — Michele Keegan
Youth Group—Sarah Manning
RCIA — Father Nicholas Schumm
Ladies Altar Society — Lynn VanNatter
Knights of Columbus — Alan Tschirgi
Bereavement — Charlene Grant
Outreach — Lynn VanNatter
HOPE Ministry — Nelson Ortiz
Burse Club — Regina Booth
Book Club — Mary Williams
Prayer Chain—Stoney Dyson

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY – November 4th– 4:00 PM
All Soul's Intentions †

SUNDAY – November 5th - 8:00 AM
All Soul's Intentions †

SUNDAY – November 5th- 10:00 AM
Pro Populo (For the Parish)

MONDAY– November 6th - 6:40 AM
Hunter Ernde (Living)

TUESDAY - November 7th - 6:40 AM
Sick and Homebound
Req. The Ladies Altar Society

WEDNESDAY– November 8th - 6:40 AM
Mary Fortney †
Req. by: Jim Fortney

THURSDAY – November 9th – 6:40 AM
Reuben Williams †
Req. by: Mary Williams

FRIDAY— November 10th – 6:40 AM
All Souls' Intentions †

SATURDAY – November 11th – 4:00 PM
**Intentions of Father Nicholas Schumm
on his Birthday**
Req. by: The Office Staff

Parish Events:

Parish Pastoral Council

Next Meeting will be held on Thursday, **November 9th** starting at 6:00 PM in the Parish Hall. Council members sit at the table. All parishioners are welcome to attend and sit in the row of chairs provided. For more info call Parish Office (850) 456-2543..

STM Ladies Altar Society

Next Meeting will be Sunday, **November 12th** after 8 a.m. Mass in the Parish Hall. They usually meet on the second Sunday. All women of the parish are welcome. For more info call Lynn Vanatter at (850) 456-1070.

Knights of Columbus

Father Keating Council #15836

Next business meeting will be on Tuesday, **November 14th** at 6:00 PM in Parish Hall. For more info contact Grand Knight Alan Tschirgi . (850)458-2361

Book Club Meeting – The next meeting is Tuesday, **November 7th** at 9:30 AM in the Parish Office and Activities Center. The book for November is “Raiding with Morgan”, by author Jim R. Woolard. All are welcome to attend book club.

Weekly Novena to Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal will be said here at Saint Thomas More Parish every **Wednesday morning** at 7:00 AM following the 6:40 AM Daily Mass.

Parish Breakfasts -

First Sunday: Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast
Second Sunday: Ladies Altar Society
Third Sunday: Knights of Columbus– Coffee & Donuts
Fourth Sunday: Shawn & Kathy Salamida
Fifth Sunday (Occasional): Parish Council Breakfast

Breaking Open the Word scripture study of upcoming Sunday Gospel, **Wednesdays, 6:00—7:30 pm** in the Parish Hall.

Traditional Latin Mass at 6:00 PM. **Tuesday, November 7th.**

Traditional Latin Mass at 12:30 PM. **Sunday, November 19th.** (Usually on Third Sunday)

EVERY FRIDAY, Eucharistic Adoration 7-8:00 AM.

First Friday, Mass at 6:40 AM with Eucharistic Holy Hour 7-8:00 AM. Unless otherwise noted. Also, **First Love Adoration** with praise and prayer from 6-8:30 PM with pot-luck reception in the parish hall afterwards.

First Saturday, The Holy Rosary will be recited at 3:30 PM in the church in honor of the Immaculate Heart of Mary and her request at Fatima in 1917.



Sunday, November 5th—Daylight Saving time ends.

Friday, November 10th—The office will be closed in recognition of Veteran's Day.

Saturday, November 11th—Happy Birthday Father Nicholas Schumm!

Saturday, November 11th—Veterans Day

Wednesday, November 15th—RCIA will join Bible Study the hall at 6:00 pm.

Saturday, November 18th—Peacemaker Workshop on Reconciliation and Conflict Resolution will be held in the Parish Hall from 8:30 am—12:30 pm. Presenters: Peggy & Bill White. Please sign up or call the office for more details.

The month of November is dedicated to the Holy Souls



Diocesan Second Collections

Campaign for Human Development—

November 19, 2017

Retirement Fund for Religious - December 10, 2017

Saint Thomas More Parish News & Noteworthy Items

Happy Birthday Father Nicholas Schumm

*You have a wonderful way of
Living the Word and leading
The flock entrusted to your care
—a special way of touching lives
And inspiring the best in people*

Happy Birthday, Father!



**Altar Flowers
this week were
donated in
Memory of
Errika Gavagni**



Holiday Bake Sale

St. Thomas More Outreach will have the Holiday Bake Sale November 18th & 19th In the parish hall after each Mass. There will be cookies, cakes, pies, and candies from the greatest bakers in the parish. Please plan to visit the hall and buy your favorite baked goods. All proceeds go to provide the Happy Birthday Jesus bags for the needy children at Warrington Elementary School



FOR SEEKERS—RCIA

Do you or someone you know have questions about the Catholic Faith, or want to become Catholic?

Father Nicholas Schumm would like to invite you to find out more about our beliefs, Church, and the process of Rites of Christian Initiation for Adults (R.C.I.A.).

Our next meeting will be **Wednesday, November 15th**. We will join Bible Study in the Parish Hall at 6:00 pm.

A Prayer for Veterans

“God of peace, we pray for those who have served our nation and have laid down their lives to protect and defend our freedom. We pray for those who have fought, whose spirits and bodies are scarred by war, whose nights are haunted by memories too painful for the light of day. We pray for those who serve us now, especially for those in harm’s way. Shield them from danger and bring them home. Turn the hearts and minds of our leaders and our enemies to the work of justice and a harvest of peace. Spare the poor, Lord, spare the poor! May the peace you left us, the peace you gave us, be the peace that sustains, the peace that saves us. Amen



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Rom 8:12-17; Ps 68:2, 4, 6-7ab, 20-21;
Lk 13:10-17

Tuesday: Rom 8:18-25; Ps 126:1b-6; Lk 13:18-21

Wednesday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14; Ps 24:1-6; 1 Jn 3:1-3;
Mt 5:1-12a

Thursday: Wis 3:1-9; Ps 23:1-6; Rom 5:5-11
or 6:3-9; Jn 6:37-40, or any readings from
no. 668 or from Masses for the Dead,
nos. 1011-1016

Friday: Rom 9:1-5; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20;
Lk 14:1-6

Saturday: Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29; Ps 94:12-13a,
14-15, 17-18; Lk 14:1, 7-11

Sunday: Mal 1:14b — 2:2b, 8-10; Ps 131:1-3;
1 Thes 2:7b-9, 13; Mt 23:1-12

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time;
National Vocation Awareness Week;
Daylight Saving Time ends

Tuesday: Election Day

Thursday: The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

Friday: St. Leo the Great

Saturday: St. Martin of Tours; Veterans Day

LOVE NEEDED HERE

No one needs love more than someone who
doesn't deserve it.

—Anonymous

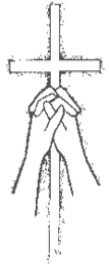
Notary Service

We are now offering Notary services in the Parish
Office. If you are in need of a notary, call Lois in
the Parish office at (850) 456-2543. This is a free
service.



Please, pray for our sick parishioners:

John Clark
Bill Alexander
Richard Beechaer
Regina Booth
Needa Brazwell
Jack Brazwell
Rusty Budde
Anna Chrisco
Chipleigh Clopton
Charles Hanson
Marylee Hanson
Regina Kaufman
Patrick Kelly
Alicia Kelson
Helen Manley
Genny Manwaring
Carolyn Merritt
Bob Russo
Chris Russo
Mary Teschel
Terry Teschel
Coreen Singh



If someone needs the *Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick*—
please call the parish office. If no one answers, please leave a
message with name and phone number

Warrington Emergency Aid Thanksgiving Food Bags

This is our annual special giving to provide a family in
need with a traditional Thanksgiving meal. This year
we will be giving \$15.00 gift cards for meat from
Greer's instead of turkeys.

Shopping List Needed

1 \$15.00 gift card from Greer's (or other store)
1 box of mashed potato flakes
2 boxes of instant stuffing mix
1 or 2 cans of yams/sweet potatoes
1 can cranberry sauce
4 cans of vegetables
4 packages of gravy mix
2 cans of fruit
2 packaged dessert items like "Little Debbie"

We ask you to fill a bag and provide a gift card for a
family in need or give what you can to help!! Dona-
tions and gift cards are appreciated.

*Please have food and cards delivered to WEAC by
Thursday, November 9th.

If you know of someone in need, call WEAC
453-6193 and give their name.

God Bless you for helping others in need at this time
of Thanksgiving

*Community Thanksgiving Service—WEAC
Churches coming together to worship.
Sunday, November 19th at 4:00 pm
Warrington United Methodist Church
301 E Winthrop Avenue