Third Sunday of Easter

You alone, O LORD, bring security to my dwelling.

— Psalm 4:9

15 April 2018 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

Robin Whipple, office receptionist 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 – April 14th – 4:00 PM Victoria Cajthami Req. by: Lee Hual

SUNDAY - April 15th - 8:00 AM Lillian Marsh Req. by: Marsh Family

SUNDAY - Aprill 15th - 10:00 AM **Pro Populo (For the Parish)**

MONDAY- April 16th - 6:40 AM John D. Bowen Reg. by: Jim Bowen

TUESDAY—April 17th - 6:40 AM **Communion Service**

WEDNESDAY – April 18th - 6:40 AM **Communion Service**

THURSDAY - April 19th - 6:40 AM **Communion Service**

FRIDAY— April 20th – 6:40 PM **Communion Service**

SATURDAY – April 21st – 4:00 PM Adam C & Elizabeth Alger Req. by: Jim Bowen

WE WELCOME YOU!

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 collection, or stop by the parish office to register. We would like to extend a warm welcome to **Brenna & Christian Gintyrapp.**

Parish Events:

STM Ladies Altar Society

Next Meeting will be Sunday, May 13th 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, May 8th 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, May 1st at 9:30 AM in the Parish Office and Activities Center. The book for April is **The Tour** by Jean Grainger. 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

Traditional Latin Masses—

12:30 PM, Third Sunday, April 15th

6:00 PM, First Tuesday, May 1st.

EVERY FRIDAY, Eucharistic Adoration 7:00 AM -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 on April 6th, with praise and prayer from 6-8:00 PM with reception following in Parish Hall.

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.

We are now offering free Notary Services In the Parish Office. If you need a notary, please call Lois in the office at (850) 456-2543 to set up an appointment. This is a free service.





Saturday, April 28th—Silent Auction in Parish Hall at 5:00 pm to 6:30 pm.

Tuesday, May 1st—Traditional Latin Mass at 6:00 pm.

Sunday, May 20th—First Holy Communion at 10:00 Mass.

Sunday, May 20th—Traditional Latin Mass at 12:30 pm.

The month of April is dedicated to the Eucharist and to the Holy Spirit



Diocesan Second Collections

Diocesan Priests' Retirement Fund—May 5th & 6th Catholic Communication Campaign—May 19th & 20th Peter's Pence —June 23rd & 24th Church in Latin America—August 11th & 12th Catholic Education Appeal—September 15th & 16th World Mission Sunday—October 20th & 21st Campaign for Human Development—November 17th & 18th Retirement Fund for Religious—December 8th & 9th

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 6:8-15; Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30;

Jn 6:22-29

Tuesday: Acts 7:51 — 8:1a; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6, 7b, 8a,

17, 21ab; Jn 6:30-35

Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8; Ps 66:1-3a, 4-7a; Jn 6:35-40

Thursday: Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20;

Jn 6:44-51

Friday: Acts 9:1-20; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 6:52-59

Saturday: Acts 9:31-42; Ps 116:12-17; Jn 6:60-69

Sunday: Acts 4:8-12; Ps 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29;

1 Jn 3:1-2; Jn 10:11-18

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

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Sunday: Third Sunday of Easter

Tuesday: Income Tax Day

Saturday: St. Anselm

SAINT JOSEPH'S BLUE & BARBECUE

To help maintain Pensacola's historic 127 year old church. Saturday, April 28th 11:00 am to 7:00 pm and Sunday, April 29th, 1:00 pm to 6:00 pm at Saint Joseph's Church, 140 W. Government St, Pensacola. Barbeque, music, children's corner, arts and crafts, silent auction, sweet shop and \$5,000. first prize raffle.





Faith furnishes prayer with wings, without which it cannot soar to Heaven.

—St. John Climacus

Please, pray for our sick parishioners:

Bill Alexander	Helen Manley
Betty Appelberg	Genny Manwaring
Richard Beecher	John McKeon
Regina Booth	Carolyn Merritt
Needa Brazwell	Dan Owczarczak
Jack Brazwell	Sherry Peacock
Rusty Budde	Babe Rohan
Anna Christco	Bob Russo
Linda Dyson	Chris Russo
Beth Gutermuth	Mary Teschel
Charles Hanson	Terry Teschel
Susan Henderson	Coreen Singh
Regina Kaufman	Jinann Wey
Alicia Kelson	Mary Williams

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 and the priest will call you back.

LAY FORMATION INSTITUTE

We will be starting another cohort in August of this year with the following changes:

- The program will run three years rather than two.
- We will be using the University of Dayton instead of Notre Dame.

The application process will begin in May. We will have information evenings so that possible candidates can explore if they would like to be part of this program.

Monday, April 9th at 6:30 pm—Pastoral Center, Pensacola.

Tuesday, April 10th at 6:30 pm—Saint Rita Parish Office, Santa Rosa Beach.

K Through 3rd Grade Religious Education Schedule

April 15th —regular class

April 22nd—regular class

April 29th—regular class

May 6th—LAST CLASS for Religious Education

students

May 13th—Mother's Day, NO CLASS

May 20th—First Communion at 10 AM—Mass in the Church

Saint Thomas More Parish News & Noteworthy Items

SEMINAR ON PRAYER & LIFE IN HOLY SPIRIT

All are invited to come and experience "Life in Holy Spirit" as we learn how to pray and dialogue with the LORD and live in Him. Each Wednesday beginning on May 2nd at 6:00 pm in the Parish Hall and will conclude on Wednesday, June 13th. Please feel free to invite friends as we go deeper in Jesus.



DIOCESAN COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN ANNUAL CONVENTION

"MARY—SHARING HER GIFT OF JOY"

Friday and Saturday, April 27th & 28th at the Holiday Inn in Panama City. Prayer & Liturgies—Inspirational Speakers—Fun & Fellowship—Gift Basket Drawying. Information at www.ptdccw.org and registration at ptdiocese.org. Deadline to register is April 23rd.



DISCERNMENT RETREAT FOR WOMEN (18-35)

This is an opportunity for prayer, reflection and support for women who feel God may be calling them to religious life. Retreat will be held on Saturday, April 21st from 9:00 am to 9:00 pm at the Pastoral Center in Pensacola. Contact Sr. Margaret Kuntz for more information and to RSVP by Thursday, April 19th at 850-435-3523 or kuntzm@ptdiocese.org.

HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS COME AND SEE!

Friday, April 20th from 5:00 to 8:00 pm at the Pastoral Center in Pensacola, is an evening to meet sisters and learn a bit more about religious life. Join us for pizza, prayer and sharing. Contact Sr. Margaret Kuntz for more information and to RSVP by Thursday, April 19th at 850-435-3523 or kuntzm@ptdiocese.org.

CATHOLIC SHARING APPEAL 2018

Required Diocesan Goal: \$45,065.36

Number of Families Pledged to Date: 111

Total Number of Registered Parish Families: 286

We must reach our goal. Please do not fail to participate in supporting this diocesan appeal!!

SILENT AUCTION FOR WEAC

This fundraiser for Warrington Emergency Aid Center is being held at Saint Thomas More Church Hall on Saturday, April 28th at 5:00 pm to 6:30 pm. There will be appetizers, door prizes, and entertainment. Come join the evening!

"Sunset Star" Sponsorships

Saint John Catholic School and the Sunset Run are offering \$25.00 sponsorship opportunities to support the special needs students of the Morning Star Program. A "Sunset Star" sponsorship will provide a Morning Star student and a Catholic High School partner, official Sunset Run race shirts, registrations, and entry to all race festivities to be held Saturday, May 12th. Please contact Saint John School to sponsor today! (850) 456-5218.

CELEBRATE FAITH 2019 FEBRUARY 19TH

Have you received the Sacrament of Confirmation? If not, Bishop William Wack, CSC invites any adult (18 or order) to received the Gift of the Holy Spirit through this Sacrament. To sign up for further information, go to: https://form.com/80705038043146 or contact: Sister Margaret Kuntz (850-435-3523) or Msgr. James Flaherty (850-435-3546).

CelebrateFaith@ptdiocese.org