Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

I am the living bread that came down from heaven; whoever eats this bread will live forever.— *John 6:51*

12 August 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*
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
Ann Bode

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 — Paige Sanchez
Youth Group—Sarah Manning
RCIA – Father Nicholas Schumm
Ladies Altar Society — Heidi Nees
Knights of Columbus — Alan Tschirgi
Bereavement — Charlene Grant
Outreach — Lynn VanNatter
HOPE Ministry — Nelson Ortiz
Burse Club — Joyce Edgar
Book Club — Mary Williams

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY – August 11th – 4:00 PM
Paul & Autumn Voisinet
Req. by: Catherine Voisinet

SUNDAY – August 12th - 8:00 AM
Norman & Regina Booth †
Req. by: Their Children

SUNDAY – August 12th - 10:00 AM
Pro Populo (For the Parish)

MONDAY– August 13th– 6:40 AM
Susan Henderson
Req. by: Ladies Altar Society

TUESDAY—August 14th - 6:40 AM
John D. Bowen, Jr. †
Req. by: Jim Bowen

WEDNESDAY– August 15th– 6:40 AM
Regina Booth †
Req. by: Mary Williams

THURSDAY – August 16th – 6:40 AM
Robert Buehler †
Req. by: Joe Buehler

FRIDAY— August 17th – 6:40 PM
Carolyn Merritt †
Req. by: Hollie Merritt

SATURDAY – August 18th – 4:00 PM
Deceased Members of the Catholic High Class of 1953 †
Req. by: Tom & Diane Kane

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.

Parish Events:

STM Ladies Altar Society
Next Meeting will be Sunday, **August 12th** after 8 am. Mass in the Parish Hall. They usually meet on the second Sunday. All women of the parish are welcome. For more info call Lynn Van Natter at (850) 456-1070.

Knights of Columbus
Father Keating Council #15836
Next business meeting will be on Tuesday, **August 14th** at 6 pm in Parish Hall. For more info contact Grand Knight Alan Tschirgi . (850)458-2361

Book Club Meeting – The next meeting is Tuesday, **September 4th** at 9:30 am in the Parish Office and Activities Center. The book for July is **Before We Were Yours** by Lisa Wingate. All are welcome to attend the 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 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—

Third Sunday, August 19th at 12:30 pm

First Tuesday, September 4th at 6:00 pm

Traditional Latin Masses are held every third Sunday and every first Tuesday of the month unless otherwise noted.

EVERY FRIDAY, Eucharistic Adoration 7 am -8 am.

First Friday, Mass at 6:40 am with Eucharistic Holy Hour 7-8:00 am. Unless otherwise noted.

First Love Adoration on September 7th, with praise and prayer from 6-8:00 pm with reception following in Parish Hall . This is held the first Friday of every month unless otherwise noted.

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.

dates to Remember

Saturday, August 11th and Sunday, August 12th—"Celebrate the Spirit Sunday" weekend.

Wednesday, August 15th—Holy Day—Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Masses will be held 6:40 am and 6 pm.

Sunday, August 19th—Traditional Latin Mass 12:30pm

Saturday, August 25th and Sunday, August 26th— Sign up for Religious Education in Narthex after each Mass.

Monday, September 3rd—Happy Labor Day! Mass will be at 8 am. **NOT 6:40 am**

Tuesday, September 4th—Traditional Latin Mass 6 pm

Friday, September 7th—First Friday Love Adoration from 6 pm—8 pm with a reception to follow in the Parish Hall.

Saturday, September 29th—Volunteer Appreciation Reception in the Parish Hall following 4 pm Mass.

The month of August is dedicated to the Immaculate Heart of Mary

Diocesan Second Collections

Church in Latin America—August 11th & 12th
Catholic Education Appeal—September 15th & 16th
World Mission Sunday—October 20th & 21st

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	Ez 1:2-5, 24-28c; Ps 148:1-2, 11-14; Mt 17:22-27
Tuesday:	Ez 2:8 — 3:4; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14
Wednesday:	Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2; Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14; 1 Cor 15:54b-57; Lk 11:27-28 Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Ps 45:10-12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56
Thursday:	Ez 12:1-12; Ps 78:56-59, 61-62: Mt 18:21 — 19:1
Friday:	Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63 or 16:59-63; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Mt 19:3-12
Saturday:	Ez 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32; Ps 51:12-15, 18-19; Mt 19:13-15
Sunday:	Prv 9:1-6; Ps 34:2-7; Eph 5:15-20; Jn 6:51-58

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday:	Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday:	Ss. Pontian and Hippolytus
Tuesday:	St. Maximilian Kolbe
Wednesday:	The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Thursday:	St. Stephen of Hungary
Saturday:	Blessed Virgin Mary

CHURCH IN LATIN AMERICA COLLECTION

The needs in this region of the world are great and can often seem insurmountable. The distance in rural areas and deteriorated roads make it difficult for some communities to have Mass regularly. We are called to share our faith with all, and this collection is a prophetic and bold way to do so. Please be generous, and take this opportunity to share your faith with many families in Latin America and the Caribbean.

Please, pray for our sick parishioners:

Bill Alexander
Betty Appelberg
Richard Beecher
Jim Bowen
Needa Brazwell
Jack Brazwell
Rusty Budde
Anna Christco
Beth Gutermuth
Susan Henderson
Loice Jackson
Regina Kaufman
Alicia Kelson
Helen Manley
Genny Manwaring
John McKeon
Dan Owczarczak
Sherry Peacock
Babe Rohan
Bob Russo
Mary Teschel
Terry Teschel
Coreen Singh
Romel Singh
Jinann Wey
Dorothy Wilkerson
Tiffany Williams

If someone needs the *Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick*—please call the parish office. If there is no answer, please leave a message with name and phone number and the priest will call you back.

FEBRUARY 9, 2019

Have you tasted and seen the goodness of the Lord? Do you know an adult who has never been confirmed? Share the goodness of the Lord by inviting them to accept Bishop Wack's invitation to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation at Celebrate Faith on February 9, 2019. Learn more at https://ptdiocese.org/celebratefaith2019 and share it with them.

Celebrate Faith 2019

CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULT NIGHT

Join us for the second annual Catholic Young Adult Night at the Pensacola Blue Wahoos! The game is Saturday, August 25 at 6:05 pm. Tickets are $12. If you are interested, please message me a text at 425-463-6245, or email me at benjamin_hastings@outlook.com to reserve a seat and arrange payment. Children are more than welcome!

Saint Thomas More Parish News & Noteworthy Items

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION SIGN-UP

Please welcome Paige Sanchez as our new director of Religious Education. She will be in the Narthex the weekend of August 25th and 26th after each mass to sign up for classes. Religious Education will start on Sunday, September 9th. For more information, please call the Parish Office at 850-456-2543.

HAVE YOU HEARD ABOUT GIVING ONLINE??

For your convenience we offer a safe, easy alternative for giving. VANCO, our online giving company has been in business for over 20 years and offers a safe solution to online giving. They offer many options from a one time donation to a monthly giving plan. Go to the website at www.stthomasmore.ptdiocese.org and click on the VANCO link. If you have questions, please call Lois in the Parish office at (850)456-2543.

WANT TO BECOME CATHOLIC?

For those interested in becoming Catholic: R.C.I.A. (Rites of Christian Invitation for Adults). Please join us in the Parish Office and Activities Center, 412 Bayshore Drive, on Thursday, September 6th, 6 pm to 8 pm. We will have an informal discussion about the process of becoming Catholic and preparing for Easter Sacraments of Initiation.

FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR ARE IN MEMORY OF

CAROLYN MERRITT

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CATHOLIC SHARING APPEAL 2018

Diocesan Goal: $45,065.36
Families Pledged to Date: 120
RegisteredParish Families: 286

Help us reach our goal. Please participate in supporting this Diocesan appeal!!

Catholic Sharing Appeal

YOUTH GROUP GAME NIGHT

Come join us on Saturday, August 11th at 5 pm in the Parish Hall. We will be having a Potluck Supper and if you'd like to bring a dish to pass please call Sarah Manning at 850-266-4799. This is for grades 6th through 9th, if there are any high school students interested please call Sarah as well.

VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION RECEPTION

Saint Thomas More would to than all of our volunteers with a Volunteer Appreciation Reception on Saturday, September 29th at 5:00 pm in the Parish Hall.