THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

I love you, Lord, my strength. -Рsalm 18-

October 29, 2023

Saint Thomas More Parish

Rev. Father Nicholas Schumm, Pastor Michele Gousy, Office Manager Michele Kenaga, Director of Faith Formation Madeline Miller, Director of Sacred Music James White, Maintenance

Finance Council

Jim Mathis, chairperson Joe Buehler Mort O'Sullivan

Parish Pastoral Council

Heidi Nees, chairperson Gene Church Norm Gousy Dr. Gerry Goyins Chris Moore David Olson Delia Stierwalt Joe Trechter Jack Williams Michael Witt

Other Parish Groups and Ministries
Sacred Liturgy - Father Nicholas Schumm
RCIA - Father Nicholas Schumm
Faith Formation - Michele Kenaga Sacred Music - Madeline Miller Ladies Altar Society, CCW-Lynn VanNatter Knights of Columbus - Alex Bui Outreach - Lynn VanNatter Burse Club - Joyce Edgar Ushers - Charlie Dickin

URGENT SACRAMENTAL CARE



To request urgent care, please text or leave a detailed voicemail at the following number: (850) 266-5996.

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28 4:00 PM— MARY WILLIAMS † Req. by: Ann Bode

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29 8:00 AM— JAMES DENNY + Req. by: Lan Nguyen

10:00 AM—PRO POPULO

7:00 PM— **HUYNH LUU †** Req. by: Hue Watson

MONDAY, OCTOBER 30 - 7:30 AM TRISH CARAPAZZA (LIVING) Req. by: Michele Kenaga

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31 - 7:30 AM **MONSIGNOR JOHN CASSIDY †**

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31 - 6:00 PM TRADITIONAL LATIN MASS VONG DINH + Req, by: Hue Watson

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1 ALL SAINTS DAY

7:30 AM - PRO POPULO

6:00 PM - GINNY MANWARING + Req. by: Ray Averill

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2 ALL SOULS' DAY

7:30 AM - **CARLA BURKE +** Req. by: Shirley Kargleder

6:00 PM - DECEASED PARISHIONERS OF SAINT THOMAS MORE PARISH †

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3 - 7:30 AM NGUYEN SU † Req. by: Hue Watson

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4 - 9:00 AM FIRST SATURDAY MASS MARGARET SIELA + Reg. by: Joe Buehler

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4 - 4:00 PM ZENAIDA COLLANTES YUMANG † Reg. by: Delia Stierwalt

PARISH NEWS AND NOTEWORTHY ITEMS

<u> Parish Events:</u>

Parish Pastoral Council: The next meeting will be on November 9, 2023 the Parish Hall. Dinner will be provided at 5:45 PM; the meeting will begin at 6:00 PM.

Ladies Altar Society, CCW: The next Ladies Altar Society meeting will be on Sunday, November 12 at 9:00 AM in the Parish Hall. All women of the parish are invited to join and attend Ladies Altar Society.

Knights of Columbus Father Keating Council #15836:

The next meeting will be held on **Tuesday**, **November 14** in the Parish Hall after the 6:00 PM Mass. For more info about the Knights of Columbus, please call Alex Bui at (850) 261-1099 or alexanderbui@cox.net

Weekly Novena to Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal and Litany to Saint Joseph: 8:00 AM on Wednesdays following the 7:30 AM Daily Mass.

Traditional Latin Masses:

Every Tuesday at 6:00 PM (Low Mass). Every Second & Fourth Sunday at 8:00 AM (Sung Mass).

Catholic Moms: Catholic Moms- All moms are welcome to join the group for monthly meetings, Night Outs, play dates, worship and prayer together. For information, please email Olga Witt at stm momsgroup@fastmail.com.

Eucharistic Exposition and Adoration:

Fridays: following the 7:30 AM Mass until Noon with Benediction

Sundays: starting at 6:15 PM before 7:00 PM Mass First Wednesday of each month: 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

First Saturday: Mass will be celebrated at 9:00 AM on First Saturdays in honor of the Immaculate Heart of Mary and her request at Fatima in 1917. The Holy Rosary will also be recited at 3:30 PM on First Saturdays.

Parish Breakfasts: These families or groups of the parish volunteer to bring treats to share in the Parish Hall after the 8:00 and 10:00 AM Masses on the following Sundays:

1st Sunday of the Month: Knights of Columbus 2nd Sunday of the Month: Ladies Altar Society 3rd Sunday of the Month: Salamida Family

4th Sunday of the Month: Van Natter and Church Families

5th Sunday of the Month: Parish Council

VICTIM'S ASSISTANCE

The Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee is committed to healing the hurting hearts of sexual abuse survivors and established Victim's Assistance Coordinators to help those who have been sexually abused by a priest, deacon, or other church personnel. Louis M Makarowski, PhD, PA is the Coordinator for Pensacola. His phone number is (850) 477-7181.

CONFESSION AND MASS SCHEDULE

DAILY MASS

Monday - Friday at 7:30 AM

SATURDAY

Confessions heard from 3:00-3:45 PM Mass at 4:00 PM

SUNDAY

Mass at 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM Confessions heard from 6:15 - 6:45 PM Mass at 7:00 PM

TUESDAY EVENING

Confessions heard from 5:15 - 5:45 PM Traditional Latin Mass at 6:00 PM (Low Mass)

TRADITIONAL LATIN MASS

2nd & 4th Sundays at 8:00 AM (Sung Mass) Every Tuesday evening at 6:00 PM (Low Mass)

FIRST SATURDAY MASS

Mass at 9:00 AM the First Saturday of every month



As we head into the Fall and into the flu season, please keep in mind these guidelines if you're not feeling well:

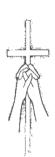
If you're running a fever, vomiting, feeling very unwell, have a severe cough or symptoms of flu, COVID, or other illness, please stay home to heal and also to avoid spreading illness among parishioners.

In order to best avoid illness this season. wash your hands frequently and avoid touching your face when out in public in order to keep yourself and your loved ones as healthy as possible!

Please, pray for our sick parishioners:

Please call the Parish Office at 850-456-2543 to add a parishioner to the list.

Gavin Andrews Ray Averill **Richard Beecher Rusty Bizzell Tommy Bosso Nedda Brazwell Rusty Budde Anna Christco Johnnie Clopton Dot Davis** Joyce DeVore



Beth Gutermuth Richard Hahner Regina Kaufman Paul O'Donnell **Nelson Ortiz** Dan Owczarczak **Damion Rampersaud Babe Rohan** Marie Turchi **Theresa Westcott** Jinann Wev

If someone is in need of the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick, please call the Parish Office at 850-456-2543. If there is no answer, leave a message with name and number. For an emergency outside office hours, call the emergency line at (850) 266-5996 and leave a detailed voicemail message.

Scripture Readings For the Week of October 29, 2023

Sunday, October 29: Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time Ex 22:20-26; Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51; 1 Thes 1:5c-10; Mt 22:34-40

Monday, October 30

Rom 8:12-17; Ps 68:2 & 4, Lk 13:10-17

Tuesday, October 31

Rom 8:18-25; Ps 126:1b-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6; Lk 13:18-21

Wednesday, November 1: Solemnity of All Saints Rv 7:2-4, 9-14; Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12a

Thursday, November 2
The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls)
Wis 3:1-9; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5-6; Rom 6:3-9; Jn 6:37-40

Friday, November 3

Rom 9:1-5; Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20; Lk 14:1-6

Saturday, November 4
Memorial of Saint Charles Borromeo, Bishop
Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29; Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15, 17-18;
Lk 14:1, 7-11

THANKSGIVING GIFT CARDS FOR WEAC

St. Thomas More Community Outreach is supporting Warrington Emergency Aid Center (WEAC) in their request to provide Thanksgiving dinner to needy families in our community. They are doing \$15 gift cards from Greer's (cards will be marked "Food Only") and used for a turkey or ham. Sides such as boxes of stuffing, instant mashed potatoes, canned baked beans, canned sweet potatoes/yams, gravy mixes, etc. are also needed. Due to the extraordinary need this year, we are hoping to collect at least 30 gift cards. If you want to buy a gift card, please be sure to attach the receipt with the card. If you want to make a donation, that is very acceptable as well. Funds will be used to purchase gift cards and/or sides. You can give the card or donation to Cathy Lipham, 453-5636, usually at 4 PM Mass, or call Lynn VanNatter 456-1070, usually at 10 AM Mass, or you can deliver donations directly to WEAC, Monday-Friday, 9 AM to 1 PM. This is a challenging year so your support is appreciated more than ever.

Be sure that you first preach by the way you live.
If you do not, people will notice that you say one thing,
but live otherwise,
and your words will bring only cynical laughter

and a derisive shake of the head.

—Saint Charles Borromeo—Feast Day November 4

FRIDAY EUCHARISTIC EXPOSITION AND ADORATION



Eucharistic Exposition and Adoration, beginning after the 7:30 AM Daily Mass and concluding with Benediction at 12:00 PM, is ongoing every Friday. There is a need for at least two people to be in the Church from 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM. If you'd like to commit to an hour or more on a regular basis, please call the Parish Office at (850) 456-2543 to leave a message for Heidi Nees, or email office@stm.ptdiocese.org.

MASS TO PRAY FOR HEALING

There will be a Mass to pray for healing on Thursday, November 16th at Saint Paul Catholic Church at 3131 Hyde Park Road in Pensacola, 32503.

Praise & Worship at 5:30 PM. Mass will begin at 6:00 PM.

Bishop Holley will be the main celebrant, and Father Nicholas Schumm will be the concelebrant. After the Mass, Bishop and Father will lay hands and pray individually for your needs. This Mass is sponsored by DCCR. For more info, see the flyer in the Narthex! https://www.ptdccr.org



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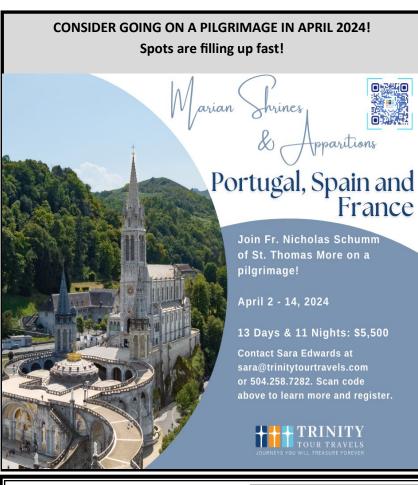
This is an excellent streaming site that contains thousands of programs, studies, audiobooks, movies, ebooks, content for children, and much, much more. It is able to be used with Smart TV's such as Fire TV or Roku, as well as with apps that are available for both Android and IOS.

Formed has been organized and developed by the Augustine Institute and Ignatius Press, and has quality Catholic content for everyone in the family.

This is a WONDERFUL gift for all parishioners!

TO REGISTER:

- 1. Go to formed.org/signup
- 2. Select our parish by searching for "Saint Thomas More Parish" in Pensacola, FL.
- 3. Enter your name and email address.
- 4. Check that email account for a link to begin using!





The next OCIA (formerly RCIA) sessions are:

- After the 6:00 PM All Saints Mass with Adoration and Benediction on Wednesday, November 1st.
- ♦ 6:00 PM on Wednesday, November 15th

Sessions will be held in the Parish Hall. OCIA is open to all those seeking Baptism, those already baptized seeking Reception into the Catholic Church, and for Catholics desiring to deepen their faith while learning more about the Church.

CHILDREN'S RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

The November Religious Education classes for 1st-5th graders will be on November 5th and 19th. The classes are held from 8:50 - 9:45 AM in the Parish Office. If you need to register your child for First Communion in May 2024, please bring them to a November class!



NOVEMBER 1 - ALL SAINTS DAY

Wednesday, November 1st is All Saints Day, also known as All Hallows' Day, Hallowmas, or the Solemnity of All Saints. It is a Holy Day of Obligation. All Catholics are obliged to attend Mass in honor of all Saints - those who have died in friendship with God and who lived with Him now in heaven. These Saints are those who are known and all those who are unknown.

Wednesday, November 1st All Saints Day Masses at Saint Thomas More Parish:

7:30 AM - No Music or Incense 6:00 PM - Music and Incense

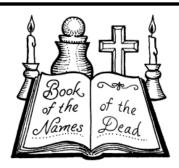
After the 6:00 PM Mass, there will be Eucharistic Adoration concluding with Benediction. OCIA will follow in the Parish Hall after Benediction.

NOVEMBER 2 - ALL SOULS' DAY

On 2 November, All Souls' Day, the Church gathers in solemn suffrage for the souls in purgatory that God may forgive them their sins and welcome them into the fullness of His presence. At Saint Thomas More Parish, there will be Masses at 7:30 AM and 6:00 PM in commemoration of all the faithful departed. This is not a Holy Day of Obligation, but everyone is invited and encouraged to attend Mass on All Souls' Day.

ALL SOULS INTENTIONS

Envelopes for your All Souls Intentions will be in the Narthex. Intentions will be taken and then placed in the binder at the front of the Church during November. Place your intentions in the collection basket, or drop them off at the office.



Requested by Father Nicholas Schumm for the repose of the souls of Leo Schumm, Louise Neubert Schumm, Ernest Pfaff, Edna Snodden Pfaff, Gerald Schumm, Ruth Pfaff Schumm, Aaron Frank Ward, Sr., Margaret Mary Finkler Ward, Herbert Paul Cartwright, Gabrielle Labrie Cartwright, Aaron Frank Ward Jr., Celeste Hope Cartwright Ward, Joy McMann Somers, David Ward, and all deceased relatives.

Requested by Bernadette Gangloff for the repose of the souls of Joseph A. Gangloff, Dora I. Gangloff, Monsignor John Cassidy, and Dorothy Kaufmann

Requested by Mr. and Mrs. Francis Turchi for the repose of the soul of Antoinette Turchi

Requested by the Lipham Family for the repose of the souls of deceased members of the Dahnk Family and the Warren Family.

Requested by Tom and Diane Kane for the repose of the souls of Jack Kane, Joseph Dargacz Sr., Joseph Dargacz Jr., Jack Dargacz, Genevieve Dargacz, Sheila Beery, Catherine Kane, David Kane, Bill Neylon, Pat Neylon, Kathy Schultze, Donald Kelly, and Brendan Kelly

Requested by Michele Kenaga for the repose of the souls of Bill & Kathleen Kenaga, Paul & Ollie Kenaga, Jerry Kenaga, Viola Smith Byler, Gene Byler, Carmelita Byler, Nadine Byler Williams, Glenn Byler, Larry Byler, Cathy Marie Keegan, and Jill Raschio

