

SAINT  
THOMAS  
MORE  
CATHOLIC  
CHURCH

John 11:25-26

everyone never even life Jesus die lives  
resurrection believe whoever dies believes

A Roman Catholic Parish  
in the Diocese of San Diego

- ✝ Spirituality
- ✝ Tradition
- ✝ Community

#### Mass Schedule

Saturday at 5:00pm  
Sunday at 8:30am and 10:30am  
Monday-Friday at 8:15am

#### Eucharistic Adoration

Monday-Friday, 6:30am-7:30pm

#### Reconciliation (Confession)

Saturday, 4:00-4:30pm

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StThomasMoreRCC



Please keep Bishop Cirilo Flores  
in your prayers.  
He suffered a stroke last week.  
We have heard that he is alert,  
in good spirits, and recovering.

Second Sunday of Easter  
Sunday of Divine Mercy  
April 27, 2014

## Pastor's Column

Rev. Michael Ratajczak  
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### "If Good Comes Out of This, Please Let Me Know!"

If you happened to be a part of the assembly in one of the three Masses at which I presided Easter weekend, you heard my homily about Mindy Corporon and her family and their deeply moving witness of their Christian Faith in the face of the shooting deaths of her father and her son at the Jewish Community Center in Kansas a number of days ago.

The family, in the midst of their grief, took the opportunity through a series of interviews to witness to their Christian Faith and family values, and spoke about how their faith would get them through this tragedy.

Mindy's father and son were shot to death by a man with a history of anti-Semitism. He went to the Jewish Center to kill Jews, and ironically, he killed two Christians there. Then he went on to the Jewish Assisted Living Facility and killed Terri LaManno, who happened to be visiting her mother there. She too was Christian.

The family described this man as "an idiot with a gun." In my mind, this was a very appropriate description.

Why were Christians at Jewish facilities? Because that is what we, people of faith, do in America! No matter our faith, if it is "good" religion, we are open to all people, and we work together for the betterment of the entire community.

Mindy Corporon, her father, Dr. William Lewis Corporon, and her son, Reat Griffin Underwood, and her family are Methodists. Terri LaManno and her family are Catholic.

My Resurrection experience this past week happened when I watched the interview that Mindy and her family gave. They renewed my faith as I prepared my homily for the Easter weekend. Through their witness, I once again believed that Jesus did suffer, die, and rise, and that he is alive today in us, in our flesh and blood when we are

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Welcome to  
**ST. THOMAS MORE CATHOLIC CHURCH**

Visit our newly updated and mobile-friendly website:  
[www.stmoside.org](http://www.stmoside.org)

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willing to unite our crosses to his. Jesus suffers, dies, and rises in and through our flesh today and in this moment if we say "yes."

Mindy Corporon asked: "If something good comes of this, please let me know." This is our opportunity to let her know that her faith is not in vain. That out of her pain, and suffering, good is coming forth! Good that will strengthen our world.

I ask as many people as possible to please send a note to the Corporon family and to the LaManno family. Let them know that your pastor was renewed by their experience, that he preached about them at all his Easter Masses.

Give them support and encouragement. Let them know that good is coming out of this senseless tragedy! This is the heart of our Christian Faith...

Mail can be sent to:

The Corporon Family  
c/o The Jewish Center of Greater Kansas City  
5801 West 115th St.  
Overland Park, KS 66211

The LaManno Family  
c/o The Jewish Center of Greater Kansas City  
5801 West 115th St.  
Overland Park, KS 66211

Contributions can be made in the victims' honor at [www.jcckc.org](http://www.jcckc.org).

Good will come out this senseless tragedy!

Fr. Mike

**Looking for Information on the Catholic Faith?**

Are you interested in learning more about Catholicism, becoming a Catholic, or returning to the Catholic Church?

*For information, call Kathleen Bell at (760) 809-6526.*

**Want to Donate Online?**

Our newly updated website has an online giving option! Go to [www.stmoside.org](http://www.stmoside.org) and click on *Donations*, then *Sign Up for Electronic Offerings*.

**Blood Drive**

It is time for our spring blood drive. The Red Cross mobile lab will be in the upper parking lot on Sunday, May 18, 8:30am-2:30pm. You may sign up for a time to donate at the table on the plaza after Masses the weekends of May 3-4 and May 10-11. Please be generous! For more information, contact Linda Dicus at (760) 726-5081.

**Diocese of San Diego Annual Catholic Appeal**  
Our assessment: \$48,000  
Pledges to date: \$36,437 from 240 families  
\$11,563 to go! Can you help?

**Called to Serve**

**Congratulations to**

**Angelo & Maria Vozza**

who celebrated their 61st wedding anniversary April 14.

*May God continue to bless your marriage, and may you be an inspiration to other married couples.*

**In Memoriam**

Please pray for the repose of the souls of:



**Margaret Garrett**, who died on April 10. Her Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Friday, May 9, at 10:00am at St. Thomas More. Please keep her family in your prayers.

*May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.*

**Vocations**

In today's Gospel, Jesus tells his disciples, "Blessed are those who have not seen and believe." This needs someone to assist in showing the way. Do you have a calling to lead others to Jesus as a priest, deacon, or religious? If so, contact Deacon Tom at [thomasgoeltz@aol.com](mailto:thomasgoeltz@aol.com) or (760) 727-8442 and explore the possibilities.

**Save the Date**  
**Friday, June 13**  
**4:30-9:30pm**

**STM Third Annual Gala**



St. Thomas More



**Happy Hour at 4:30pm kicks off our fundraising evening and you will have plenty of time to check out our amazing array of Raffle, Silent and Live Auction items, our Champagne Diamond Event, our new and improved Wheel of Fortune, and a chance to win a Mystery Day with Fr. Mike.**

**Join us for socializing and more fun!**



Dinner is served at 6:30pm (\$40/person)  
(vegetarian option available upon request)

Secure your spot now for our Social Event of the Year and get in on the many new and exciting opportunities that await you!



Plus reserve your spot for the *Pastor's Dinner*  
Sunday, August 24, 2014 ★ 2:00-5:00 p.m.  
*Stone Brewing World Bistro and Gardens, Escondido*  
\$150/per person (\$75 tax deductible)

**For information, please contact Chris Smith  
(760) 758-4100 x120 or [chriss@stmoside.org](mailto:chriss@stmoside.org)**

**Readings for the Week Ahead**

Sunday Year A; Weekday Year II  
 Readings online at [www.usccb.org](http://www.usccb.org).  
**Sunday, April 27 (43)**  
*Second Sunday of Easter*  
*Sunday of Divine Mercy*  
 Acts 2:42-47  
 Psalm 118:2-4,13-15,22-24  
 1 Peter 1:3-9  
 John 20:19-31  
**Monday, April 28 (556)**  
*Peter Chanel, priest, martyr; Louis Grignion de Montfort, priest*  
 1 Corinthians 1:18-25  
 Psalm 117:1-22  
 Mark 1:14-20  
**Tuesday, April 29 (557)**  
*Catherine of Siena, virgin, doctor*  
 1 John 1:5-2:2  
 Psalm 103:1-2,3-4,8-9,14-18  
 Matthew 11:25-30  
**Wednesday, April 30 (558)**  
*Pius V, pope*  
 1 John 4:1-5  
 Psalm 110:1-4  
 John 21:15-17  
**Thursday, May 1 (559)**  
*Joseph the Worker*  
 Genesis 1:26-2:3 or  
 Colossians 3:14-15,17,23-24  
 Psalm 90:2, 3-4, 12-14,16  
 Matthew 13:54-58  
**Friday, May 2 (560)**  
*Athanasius, bishop, doctor*  
 1 John 5:1-5  
 Psalm 37:3-6,30-31  
 Matthew 10:22-25  
**Saturday, May 3 (561)**  
*Philip and James, apostles*  
 1 Corinthians 15:1-8  
 Psalm 19:2-5  
 John 14:6-14  
**Sunday, May 4 (46)**  
*Third Sunday of Easter*  
 Acts 2:14,22-33  
 Psalm 16:1-2,5,7-11  
 1 Peter 1:17-21  
 Luke 24:13-35

**Prayer List** (Call (760) 758-4100 x102 to add a name for four weeks.)

Changa Aguilera  
 Mary Alexander  
 Carrie Autrey  
 Carol Baker  
 Jose Luis Barbosa  
 Patricia Barbour  
 Clarice Bednarz  
 John Bennici  
 Regina Bentz  
 Lisa Berg  
 Roseanne Berg  
 Mary Betz  
 Betty Jean Bielich  
 Beth Brewer  
 Janet Brown  
 Todd Brown  
 Katie Browne  
 Judith Brunner  
 Mary Bruzas  
 Anita Buerger  
 Jeff Butler  
 Tony Calderone  
 Leslie Campbell  
 Shelby Campbell  
 Brianne Campos  
 Claudia Caplinger  
 Aria Cappeluti  
 Marilyn Clarke  
 The Vaughn Clevenger Family  
 Dolly Cole  
 Carl Coleman  
 James Coleman  
 Elaine Collins  
 Carol Costa  
 Steven Cresencia  
 Lené Crowe  
 Karen Flaharty Daley  
 Maureen Daly  
 Beverly de Gelder  
 Hugo Delgado, Jr.  
 Cecilia DeSimone  
 Carole Dillon  
 Edward Dolnik  
 Art & Dave Dossman  
 John Drzakowski, Jr.  
 La Vonne Dumas  
 Margaret Easton  
 Debbie Ebaugh  
 Carolyn Erickson Ey  
 Sharon Evans  
 Victoria Lopez Fenton  
 The Fiore Family  
 Bishop Cirilo Flores  
 Ryan Flum  
 Ernie Follis  
 Eugene Franciscus  
 Kathryn Franklin  
 Joe Freire  
 The Greg French Family  
 Brian Frink  
 Jim Gallagher  
 The Joe Garcia Family  
 Kathy Gardner  
 The Garrett Family  
 Jack & Marge Gillen  
 Wendy Gonzales' Dad  
 Rick Gonzalez  
 Pat & Tom Hannon  
 The Harker Family  
 Barbara Hatem  
 The Hayden Family  
 Heidi Heaton  
 Lilian Hills  
 Samara Hook  
 Susan Hori  
 Rick Hughes  
 Iolanda Iacobelli  
 Linda Iacobelli Bennett  
 The Jacobson Family  
 Betty Karch  
 Laura Kater  
 The Kemmerer/Kellogg Family  
 Connor Kerzie  
 Peggy Kiernan  
 Debbie Kinney  
 Mark Kneisel  
 Dewey Kolbo  
 Tony Korwin  
 Mary Krohn  
 Helen Kuhn  
 Lillian Lachance  
 The Lamelin Family  
 Brandon LeBlanc  
 Jeremiah Lemus  
 David Leué  
 The Paul Leué Family  
 Ashley Load  
 Cassandra & Lauren Loretto  
 Jack Lucarelli  
 Joaquin Maldonado  
 Ray Malinowski  
 Paige Mansell  
 Alexander Mathews  
 Chandler May  
 Virginia McConnell  
 Bob McWilliams  
 Joyce Meehan  
 Kalei Mendiola  
 Bill Metzger  
 Rita Mikridge  
 Phyllis Minaya  
 June Mitchell  
 June Montgomery  
 Nancy Moore  
 Elizabeth Muehlbacher  
 Conrad Murphy  
 Margie Myers  
 Richard Obsitnik  
 Ethan Palm  
 Pery Postulka  
 Douglas Price-Williams  
 The Joe Prokop Family  
 Barbara Ramm  
 Lisa Reaves  
 Mark Reinmiller  
 Pat Richard  
 Jan Riley  
 Rita Ritchie  
 Adela & Elena Rivera  
 Maria Rogers  
 Dorothy Rouse  
 The Russo Family  
 Rachel Sainc  
 Marco Sainz, Jr.  
 Cindy Sanelli  
 The Saywell/Lynn Family  
 Linda Schmidt  
 Joan Shea  
 Elizabeth Shirzad  
 Nick Soltau  
 The Spiegl Family  
 Darek, Vanessa, & Elba Spizewski  
 Patricia St. Pierre  
 Mike Sterling  
 Pete Sullivan  
 David Sweet  
 Julie Teare  
 Sarah Tillinghast  
 William Tompson  
 Stephen Toth, Jr.  
 Olivia Trejo  
 The Trejo/Beltran Family  
 The Trejo/Maldonado/Uribe Family  
 Corrie & Robert Vasquez  
 Lucy Vienna  
 Vanessa Vitiello  
 Kevin Watson-Graff  
 Sue Welch  
 Paul West  
 John Whitton  
 Marceline Williams  
 Erin Young  
 Patricia Zavala

**Calendar Highlights**

More details at [www.stmoside.org](http://www.stmoside.org),  
 Schedule and Calendar

Apr 29 Restaurant Fundraiser at  
 Chick-fil-A

May 3 Women's Guild Game Day

May 4 Liturgy of the Word for  
 Children at 8:30am Mass

May 10 Women's Prayer Breakfast

May 12 Women's Guild Luncheon

May 16-18 Parish Campout  
 in Valley Center

May 17-18 Baby Shower for  
 Birth Choice

May 28 Spirited Seniors Trip to  
 Mission San Diego  
 de Alcalá

Jun 7 Confirmation with  
 Bishop Chavez

Jun 12 Spirited Seniors Trip to  
 Viejas Casino

Jun 13 STM Annual Gala

Jun 22 New Member Luncheon

Aug 24 Pastor's Dinner

Oct 4 Treasures Rummage Sale

Oct 10-12 Men's Retreat

Questions? Contact Henny at  
 (760) 758-4100 x100  
[hennyj@stmoside.org](mailto:hennyj@stmoside.org).

Mass Intentions
Saturday, April 26, 5:00pm Anthony Masseth ☩
Sunday, April 27, 8:30am Owen Fredette ☩
Sunday, April 27, 10:30am Robert A. Riley ☩
Monday, April 28, 8:15am John Tierney
Tuesday, April 29, 8:15am Jane Sam
Wednesday, April 30, 8:15am Don Yee ☩
Thursday, May 1, 8:15am Bud Flanagan ☩
Friday, May 2, 8:15am Gloria Lizardi ☩
Saturday, May 3, 5:00pm Mary & Steve Montella ☩☩
Sunday, May 4, 8:30am Brigid Landler
Sunday, May 4, 10:30am Patricia Leahy ☩

**Deployed Military**

*As a faith community let us pray for all who serve our country in these troubled times. We pray especially for those connected to our Parish who have been deployed:*

Gunnery Sgt. Fernando Andrade, Jr.  
 1st Lt. Jeffrey Bauer, USMC  
 PFC John Brandone  
 Maj. Tom Browne, Jr., USMC  
 Corp. Willie Deel  
 Chaplain Van Dinh  
 Lance Corp. Brandon Doyle, USMC  
 Capt. Branden M. Felker, USAF  
 Patrick G. Felker, USN  
 Grant Fischer  
 MSGT Steve Gallegos, USMC  
 Sgt. Alex Garcia  
 PFC Samuel Haro, US Army  
 PFC Cody Madere  
 Pvt. 2 Jess Phillips, US Army  
 Sr. Airman Robert Spear, USAF  
 Sgt. Charles Watts, USMC

**Pray for Women Religious**

Please join us in praying for the women religious who serve in the Diocese of San Diego. They have been assigned to days of the year in alphabetical order.

April 28 Sr. Lisa Turay, CSJO
April 29 Sr. Maria Paz Uribe, SJS
April 30 Sr. Maria Luisa Valdez, OLVN
May 1 Sr. Lilia del Carmen Vega Moreno, SJS
May 2 Sr. Fatima Viamontes, RJM
May 3 Sr. Eloisa Vilches, SJS
May 4 Sr. Joanne Wagenbrenner, CHS



## Social Ministries & Outreach

### Get On the Bus

During the month of May, many youngsters from infancy through age 17 will be travelling by bus to see their imprisoned mothers and fathers in prison. St. Thomas More Parish, along with other churches throughout San Diego County, are sponsoring five buses. In total, 46 buses will be taking children to see their parents in prisons throughout California. Due to finances and the long distances, this is often the only time the children see their mothers or fathers.

In order to make this happen, we need your help! An envelope was attached to the bulletin recently for contributions to cover the cost for these events. We have also been asked to donate the following items for the children on the bus:

- Entertainment items for youth, ages 12-17 (books, magazines, brain teasing workbooks, small hand held games, sketching books, etc.)
- Individually wrapped snacks (no peanuts or raisins)

These items may be dropped off at the Parish Office during the week or after all Masses the weekend of April 26-27 or May 3-4.

If you would like to donate homemade cookies for the children, please give Sr. Maureen a call at (760) 758-4100 x131. They will be needed the morning of May 8.

### Heartnotes

We welcome Dr. Curt McRae to our instructor staff. We now have five members of the St. Thomas More Parish who conduct CPR classes on a volunteer basis. We are committed to helping every member of our faith community to learn the skills that save lives.

The next Infant/Child CPR/AED class will take place on Saturday, May 17, 9:00am-12:00noon. Contact: (760) 732-1414 or [drphilg@cox.net](mailto:drphilg@cox.net). Cost \$37 per person.

If two or more families would like to schedule a class, we would be happy to provide a weekday (daytime or evening) or Saturday class. Consider this when the kids are out of school during the summer.

### Welcome Matt Franklin!

I am happy to announce that we have a new Youth Advocate—Matt Franklin. He began his ministry with us on April 25. In next week's bulletin, Matt will introduce himself to our Faith Community.

### STM Vehicle Donation Program

Do you have a vehicle you want to donate?  
Call us, and we'll have it picked up operational or not!  
**You get the tax deduction!**

We can accept vehicles without current registration and can file for replacement title if it has been lost.

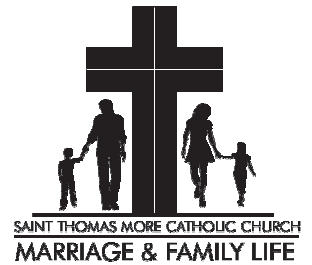
**As of March 18 we have netted \$49,652 from this program. Thank you donors!**



**For more information, contact the Parish Office:  
(760) 758-4100 x100 or [parishoffice@stmoside.org](mailto:parishoffice@stmoside.org)**

## Marriage & Family Life

**Moms & Kids**—Are you a mom with infant through school-age children wanting to meet other moms in our Parish? Want to find a great way to meet friends for both you and your children? Join our dynamic and energetic Moms and Kids ministry on the first and third Monday of the month at local parks, 10:00am-12:00noon. There are many other events throughout the month posted on our private Facebook page. Join us! For more information, contact Jen Abelson at [jen.abelson@gmail.com](mailto:jen.abelson@gmail.com).



**Pray for Life, Marriage, and Religious Liberty**—Marriage Unique for a Reason: For a wealth of Church teaching on marriage, statements by United States Bishops on marriage and many other tools to equip ourselves in the efforts to defend marriage as a sacred union of one man and one woman, go to <http://www.marriageuniqueforareason.org/> on the internet.

**Bishops' Letter on Marriage—Marriage: Love and Life In The Divine Plan: Gratitude** “As a husband and wife are thankful for one another and express this gratitude in the giving of themselves completely to one another, so this gratitude is open to the further gifts that this self-giving literally embodies: that is, a gratitude for the possible further gift of children. Inherent within a husband's gratitude for his wife is that together with her he can beget children. Inherent within a wife's gratitude for her husband is that together with him she can conceive children. Together a husband and wife are gratefully open to the gift of children.” To read the document go to <http://www.usccb.org/loveandlife/>.

**Marriage Moments**— “If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them” (John 20:23). Forgiveness (like love) is a decision, not simply an emotion. In marriage there are bound to be times when we inadvertently hurt each other. You may not be able to forget the offence, but can you decide to forgive it—and not bring it up again? by Susan Vogt, [www.SusanVogt.net](http://www.SusanVogt.net)

**Parenting Pointers**—Earth Day was April 22. Did you save any trees, compost, or reuse water bottles? It's not too late. Mother Earth is waiting for your care. Perhaps you and your child could adopt a park, street, trail, or yard to clean up this weekend. by Susan Vogt, [www.SusanVogt.net](http://www.SusanVogt.net)

For more information, visit [www.diocese-sdiego.org/Ministries/Marriage and Family Life](http://www.diocese-sdiego.org/Ministries/Marriage%20and%20Family%20Life) or call Jen Frost at (858) 692-7438.

### Knightly News

The Knights of Columbus will be on the plaza after Masses soon to answer questions and accept membership applications. Stop by and find out more about the Knights, who support our Parish and the larger church.

### Baby Shower!

The Parish Culture of Life committee will be hosting a baby shower for Birth Choice, our local pregnancy resource center, the weekend of May 17-18 at all Masses. Formula, diapers, new baby clothes, and donations will be appreciated. For more information contact Jane Kelleher at (760) 822-7041.

## Parish Events

### Attention Men!

The next Men's Fellowship meeting will be on Friday, May 9, at 7:00pm. For more information, contact Deacon John Fredette at [johnf@stmoside.org](mailto:johnf@stmoside.org) or (760) 758-4100 x132.

### Women's Guild News

Only a few more days are left to get your ticket for Game Day on Saturday, May 3. If you don't get your \$10 tickets after Mass this weekend, they can be purchased in the Parish Office during the week; but the deadline is Thursday, May 1. Game Day begins at 11:00am and includes lunch. It ends at 3:00pm, after many door prizes and opportunity basket raffles. Treat yourself to a day of fun with friends and delicious food. Men, women, and children are all invited.

Have you called in your reservation for our next Women's Guild meeting on Monday, May 12? Call Vera at (760) 285-0059 for your delicious meal. It will be at that meeting that we will have our election for next year's officers and also vote on some internal changes. Please come so you will be part of the election. Our slate of officers are:

President: Ann Buko  
 1st Vice President: Barbara Brown Barreras  
 2nd Vice President: Kathleen Gerhard  
 Recording Secretary: Henrietta Black  
 Treasurer: Marcy Bernier  
 Corresponding Secretary: Lou Gordon

The quilts that will be raffled at the Installation lunch in June will be displayed at the May meeting. Come and see the results of our wonderful quilters' hard work. We will also have our book exchange that day when Dr. Phil Goscienski will be our guest author. A slide show of our year's activities will be shown during the day.

Happy Easter Week as we continue to celebrate Jesus' Glorious Resurrection! —Ann Buko, president

### Catholic Widows and Widowers of North County

On Sunday, April 27, CWWNC will gather for communal Mass HERE at the 10:30am Mass followed by brunch at Nucci's. This is a great opportunity for prospective members to get acquainted with our group. On the second Sunday of each month we meet for a general meeting and potluck at various areas in North County. Check the bulletin board on the lower level of the Parish Center for our calendar of events including bowling, dining out, hiking, and more! RSVP's are required. For more info. call Carol Kope at (760) 726-0533 or Gerri Wilmott at (760) 758-9949.

### STM Scrip News

Thanks to all who support the Scrip program! A percentage of every Scrip gift card purchased benefits our Parish Mortgage/Building Completion Fund. Stop by the Scrip table on the plaza after weekend Masses or the Parish Office during the week to purchase/order Scrip or find out more about the program.

For more information, contact [scrip@stmoside.org](mailto:scrip@stmoside.org) or (760) 758-4100 x150.

## Memorial Item Donations

Memorials are a way of honoring those whom we love, whether they are living or deceased. Often, memorials are made for a special intention or in thanksgiving for a variety of blessings received from God.

Our Parish Campus will be a living memorial. All who help in building it will leave something to the community itself that will be used by generations to come. The good they do is not interred with them, but will remain to share in the divine activity of God here on earth.

Listed below are items still available for adoption.

All contributions will be recognized in a special memorial to be displayed in our Parish Memorial Garden.

For more information or to adopt an item, contact Chris Smith  
 (760) 758-4100 x120 or [chriss@stmoside.org](mailto:chriss@stmoside.org)

<b>Pipe Organ</b>	<b>\$850,000</b>
<b>Memorial Garden</b>	<b>\$500,000</b>
<b>Reflection Garden</b>	<b>\$250,000</b>
<b>Church Doors (Bronze)</b>	<b>\$100,000</b>
<b>Crucifix</b>	<b>\$75,000</b>
<b>St. Thomas More Shrine (Tapestry)</b>	<b>\$75,000</b>
<b>Pew Seating for the Church</b> (1,000) 858 available	<b>\$300/person</b>
<b>Daily Mass Chapel and Choir Chairs</b> (200) 133 available	<b>\$300/each</b>

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For more information on our progress, visit our website, [stmoside.org](http://stmoside.org), and click on Our New Church.

### Stay Up to Date on Construction Activity!

Check the Parish website ([www.stmoside.org](http://www.stmoside.org)) to watch live action on our webcams (click on the camera links) or view the Construction Progress album.



More walls! Progress!

# Liturgy & Music *Worship God*

Douglas Lynn  
 Director of Liturgy & Music  
 douglasl@stmoside.org; (760) 758-4100 x140

## OUR FAMILY ALBUM

### Scripture Themes for May

by Patricia Datchuck  
 Sánchez and Rafael  
 Sánchez Alonso,  
 from Celebration  
 May 2014,  
 with permission.

Once upon a time, photographs weren't stored in the camera or the computer or on your phone, but were placed in photo albums, where they became cherished keepsakes. When we open and peruse them, these albums recall long-forgotten experiences and make them fresh and new. Each picture has a story to tell about some special person or event that helped to make us who we are.

Photo albums record the growth of children and preserve the memories of friends and relatives who might no longer be with us. Birthdays, weddings, vacations, graduations, and even funeral wakes are all there within the worn covers of the albums. Do you remember that? Do you remember when? These are the questions that punctuate the journey through the special moments that were committed first to film and then to the albums that keep and preserve our stories for generations yet to come.

Believers participate in a similar experience every year during the Easter season. On each of the Sundays after Easter, we look back at our roots as a family of faith. As if we were leafing through the pages of a photo album, we reconnect with those who first believed and proclaimed the good news. We watch and listen as they share the joy of belonging to Christ and as they acknowledge their growing pains and struggles to remain faithful and true.

This month, the pages of our family album will put us in touch with Peter, as Luke tells of his efforts at preaching the kerygma to his fellow Jews in order that they, too, might accept Jesus as their messiah (Acts, May 4, 11). On May 18, Luke (in Acts) will give us a sense of the growing universality of the church,

as he recounts how the early believers welcomed and blessed Hellenist deacons to share in the ministry of the Twelve. Philip's efforts among the Samaritans (May 25) met with great success and no doubt helped to heal the breach that had separated Jews and Samaritans for centuries.

As we continue to turn the pages of our family album, Luke and John will reach out to us with the assurance that Jesus is ever present to each of us even as we continue to live in the interim between Jesus' advents.

In a narrative unique to his Gospel (May 4), Luke will recount the experience of the two disciples on their way to Emmaus. Through their conversation with the risen Jesus, whom they initially did not recognize, they were led to understand that the events in Jerusalem over the past few days were in accord with the sacred texts. As God had willed and as the prophets had foretold, Jesus allowed himself to be handed over for the sake of sinners. When Jesus blessed and broke bread with the two travelers, their eyes were opened, and they recognized him. Luke's narrative reminds us, who continue to journey in this world, that Jesus is made known and is powerfully present each time we gather to break open the bread of the word and share the gift of his very self in the Eucharist.

Jesus also remains present through the gift of the Spirit, as the Johannine evangelist will assure us on May 25. The first followers were led to do wondrous things in Jesus' name. The same Spirit who empowered them is available to each of us now. An ever renewable resource, the Spirit enables our efforts toward peace, justice, and



John 20:27

servicing the needs of God's predelict: the poor.

We continue to peruse our family album, listening on each Sunday of May as the author of 1 Peter shares his wisdom on the challenges of living the faith in an often hostile environment. Using a variety of metaphors, the ancient author encourages all who struggle to maintain a steadfast relationship with Christ to be strong, relying on God's power in every circumstance. Christ is the shepherd; we are the sheep he leads. Christ is the cornerstone; we are the living stones. Together we are built into a spiritual house, where all should find a welcome.

On May 25, our brother in the faith will urge us, "Always be ready to give an explanation to anyone who asks you for a reason for your hope, but do it with gentleness and reverence, keeping your conscience clear." Has anyone ever asked you such a question? In order to prompt such a query, we are to follow the lead of those who have gone before us, professing our faith not only with our lips but also with our lives. Then, when future generations of believers come across our page in the faith family album, they might see the reason for our hope and be inspired, as we were.

### Upcoming Music

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**MAY 4**  
**3rd Sunday of Easter**

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**5:00pm Mass**

Praise Team

**8:30am Mass**

Tower Bells

**10:30am Mass**

Sanctuary Choir



# Faith Formation

Teach and Live the Gospel

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## Adult Faith Formation

### Faith Formation for Adults

Join us for any of the following events . . .  
bring a friend!  
All are welcome, especially new Parishioners.



**YOU ARE INVITED** to a two-part Video series from the Los Angeles Education Congress 2014 featuring Fr. Robert Barron. Held Tuesdays April 29 and May 6, 9:30-11:00am following coffee and donuts after the 8:15am Mass.

## WOMEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST

Saturday, May 10, 9:30am—See the flyer in today's bulletin.

## MOMS & KIDS

Are you a mom with infant to school-aged children? Want to meet some other great moms for fun and friendship? Come join our *Moms & Kids* group! We get together for park playdates, brunch with the kids, faith projects, and more. We also do a few moms-only events without the kids like book club and moms night out—great opportunities for us to really connect as women. Please join us by connecting to our Facebook group: search for either Mindy (ByronandMindy Leonard) or Jen (Jennifer Abelson). Add them as a friend, and they'll add you to the group!



## Children's Faith Formation

### HIGH SCHOOL SPRING RETREAT: "RESURRECTED!"

Are you a High Schooler? Come join us for our Spring Retreat at Kamp Kuper on May 2-4. This is your opportunity to spend the weekend making new friends and deepening relationships with old friends, while experiencing Christ and the love he has for all of us! Don't delay! Spaces are filling fast. For more information contact Rory at [roryg@stmoside.org](mailto:roryg@stmoside.org) or drop by the Faith Formation office to sign up today.

### STEUBENVILLE SAN DIEGO—JULY 25-27

Steubenville San Diego is an amazing gathering of Catholic teens from all over the west. Join over 4,500 teens and youth leaders for a weekend of faith, friendship, and fun. There is great music, incredible speakers, time for prayer, friends, and good food. Come and discover a God who loves you, who wants to be your strength and your salvation! Don't miss one of the best weekends of your life! For more information come by the Faith Formation office or contact Rory at [roryg@stmoside.org](mailto:roryg@stmoside.org).



Today is a **RE.A.CH** Sunday at Church

## PBJ UPDATE

### Food for Children at the Emergency Crisis Center

2014 GOAL: 365 pounds  
Collected to Date: 454 pounds



All these folks made beautiful butter lambs for their Easter meal. Visit [stmoside.org](http://stmoside.org), Schedules & Events, Event Pictures to see more photos.

# Stewardship & Development

Serve God's People

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## TOWERS OF FAITH

### Future Support & Estate Planning Options

*Towers of Faith* is a movement that has arisen due to the visionary leadership and generosity of several of our Parishioners. We stress that this is not about the gift amount, but rather the love and thought behind the gift.

These individuals (*several anonymous*) have included STM in their estate planning. This helps to ensure their ongoing support and a legacy for our Parish. *Towers of Faith* is a valuable portion of our future support.



Examples of the various future planning vehicles are:

**Designated Beneficiary Accounts,  
Last Will and Testament, Living Trust, Life Insurance,  
Stocks and Bonds, Real Estate, and Endowments.**

Any Parishioners who have already included STM in their estate plans are *Towers of Faith* participants. If you are interested, please contact us. Your participation is most welcome and appreciated!

Chris Smith at (760) 758-4100 x120 or [chriss@stmoside.org](mailto:chriss@stmoside.org).

**Do two people in your family know the location of  
your will and/or living trust?**

### Week of April 17-20, 2014

<b>Holy Thursday</b>	<b>\$ 1,527.25</b>
<b>Good Friday</b>	<b>\$ 1,916.25</b>
<b>(designated to the Holy Land)</b>	
<b>Easter Sunday (to date)</b>	<b>\$32,223.28</b>
<b>Number of registered households:</b>	<b>1,090</b>

\* Offertory envelopes, credit card withdrawals, automatic checking or savings account deductions (credit card and automatic bank account withdrawals are posted at STM on the 5th and/or 20th of each month).

## Ways to Help Support Your Parish

We offer a variety of options for easier giving. In addition to the extra mail-back envelopes included in your packet, we offer automatic credit card withdrawal (Visa, MC, or Discover) and automatic checking/savings account deduction. For more information, contact the Parish Office at (760) 758-4100 x100 or [Parish\\_office@stmoside.org](mailto:Parish_office@stmoside.org).

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## Christian Stewardship in Our Time

As we celebrate the joy of the Easter season, we are filled with new fervor and energy. We rejoice in service and helping to make our world a better place, simply by giving of ourselves!

It is no secret that I am a fan of Blessed Mother Teresa. Her book, "A Simple Path" has long been a favorite of mine. Now is a perfect time to reflect on this encouragement from this book.

We have a sign on the wall of the children's home in Calcutta that reads:

TAKE TIME TO THINK  
TAKE TIME TO PRAY  
TAKE TIME TO LAUGH

IT IS THE SOURCE OF POWER  
IT IS THE GREATEST POWER ON EARTH  
IT IS THE MUSIC OF THE SOUL

TAKE TIME TO PLAY  
TAKE TIME TO LOVE AND BE LOVED  
TAKE TIME TO GIVE

IT IS THE SECRET OF PERPETUAL YOUTH  
IT IS GOD'S GIVEN PRIVILEGE  
IT IS TOO SHORT A DAY TO BE SELFISH

TAKE TIME TO READ  
TAKE TIME TO BE FRIENDLY  
TAKE TIME TO WORK

IT IS THE FOUNTAIN OF WISDOM  
IT IS THE ROAD TO HAPPINESS  
IT IS THE PRICE OF SUCCESS

TAKE TIME TO DO CHARITY  
IT IS THE KEY TO HEAVEN.



*Prayer in action is love,  
and love in action is service.*

—Blessed Mother Teresa



## News & Information from the Larger Church

**MISSIO App for Smart Phones**—Connects you to the Pope and his daily messages. Learn more at [www.MissioApp.org/bulletin](http://www.MissioApp.org/bulletin).

**After-Abortion Healing Retreat**—May 2-4, Diocesan Pastoral Center, 3888 Paducah Dr., San Diego. Closing Mass included. For information/registration, contact Rosemary Benefield at (858) 581-3022 or visit [www.RachelsHope.org](http://www.RachelsHope.org).

**Shredding and Electronic Recycling Event**—May 9-10, 9:00am-12:00noon, St. Elizabeth Seton Church lower parking lot, 6628 Santa Ysabel Rd., Carlsbad. Shredding is \$5 per copy box of papers and \$10 per computer hard drive. Any electronic item with a plug may be recycled except for clothes washers, dryers, and refrigerators. Proceeds will benefit St. Elizabeth Seton's new Parish Center. For more information, contact (760) 419-9243.

**Monthly Holy Hour for Priestly and Religious Vocations**—Third Wednesday of each month (next is May 21), 7:30-9:00pm, Diocesan Pastoral Center, 3888 Paducah Dr., San Diego. For more information, contact Fr. Pedro Rivera at [privera@diocesandiego.org](mailto:privera@diocesandiego.org) or (619) 291-7446.

**Volunteers Needed**—Scripps Coastal Medical Center, 4138 Mission Ave., Oceanside. Patient escorting, reception, and clinical and clerical help in clinic setting. For more information, contact (760) 901-5134.

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**Weekly Peaceful Prayer Vigil to End Abortion**—Tuesdays, 9:00-10:00am, outside the clinic at 120 Craven Rd., San Marcos. For more information, contact Jane Kelleher at (760) 822-7041

**Birth Choice Volunteer Counselors Training**—Call Heidi at (760) 744-1313 for details and to sign up. Birth Choice is a pro-life, Christ-centered pregnancy resource center offering free pregnancy testing, ultrasound, and options counseling for women in crisis. For more information, visit [www.birthchoice.net](http://www.birthchoice.net).

**Support Group for Separated/Divorced**—An ongoing support group meeting Sundays at 10:15am at St. James Catholic Church in Solana Beach. For more information, contact Frank Grant at (760) 533-1520 or [fwgrant@gmail.com](mailto:fwgrant@gmail.com).

**The Center for Christian Spirituality at the University of San Diego** has a great lineup of events. Visit [www.sandiego.edu/ccs](http://www.sandiego.edu/ccs).

**Volunteer with Voices for Children**—Voices for Children provides volunteer Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASAs) to abused and neglected children in San Diego County to ensure their needs are met. For more information, contact [www.speakupnow.org](http://www.speakupnow.org) or (858) 598-2235.

### Easter TV/Online Mass for the Homebound

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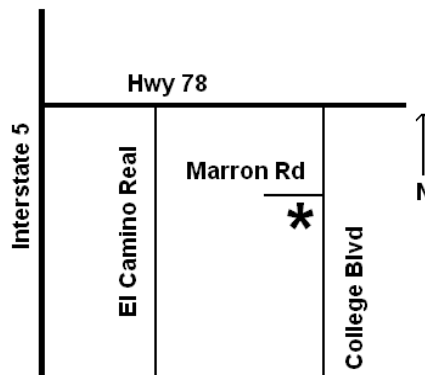
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Wednesday, May 28, 2014

\$30 members • \$35 non-members

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**Deadline for reservations is Monday, May 19**



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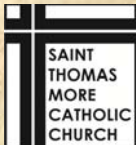
The Spirited Seniors invite you to travel with us by coach to historic Mission San Diego de Alcalá, the first Mission founded by Fr. Junipero Serra in California. You will enjoy a docent-led tour of the Mission, followed with Mass celebrated by Fr. Mike. We will then travel to Old Town, where you may explore and eat lunch at your choice of the many restaurants in the historic area, before returning to Oceanside. The price for this activity, which includes round-trip coach transportation and the tour of the Mission, is \$30 for members and \$35 for non-members. Space is limited.



Please complete the registration form with your check made out to "STM Spirited Seniors."

Place it in an envelope marked "Spirited Seniors Mission"

and return it to the offertory collection or the Parish Office, Box 12, by May 19.



For more information, contact Jim and Marilyn Day at (760)-509-4545 or [jandmday@cox.net](mailto:jandmday@cox.net).

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# A Mother's Heart: Following Mary

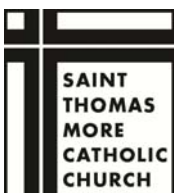
**Women's Prayer Breakfast**  
with  
**Dr. Cyndi Peterson**

**Saturday, May 10 at 9:30am**  
**Lower Level of the Parish Center**

Ever thought you had it all, but knew you didn't? Cyndi knew she had everything the world could offer, yet she lacked the inner peace she so desperately wanted.

After a trip to Medjugorje (the reported current apparition site of Mary since 1981), life dramatically changed for her. She began to live out the Blessed Mother's messages of peace. With the birth of her first baby girl, Kelly, Cyndi truly felt she now had everything. But her faith was soon challenged when she learned that her daughter had a fatal disease as well as her next child, Sarah. Let your faith be both challenged and renewed as you hear how the cross brought Cyndi the peace that had been missing in her life.

**Register at the Women's Ministry table after Masses  
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# May 2014

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	<b>St. Thomas More Catholic Church</b> <b>1450 South Melrose Drive</b> <b>Oceanside, CA 92056</b> <b>(760) 758-4100</b> <a href="http://www.stmoside.org">www.stmoside.org</a>			<b>1</b> 8:15 AM-Mass 9:00 AM-Donuts and Coffee 10:00 AM-Women's Guild Quilters 10:30 AM-JustFaith 1:00 PM-Centering Prayer 7:00 PM-Bible Study 7:00 PM-Sanctuary Choir 9:00 PM-Cappella Choir	<b>2</b> 8:15 AM-Mass 9:15 AM-Communion Service (Emeritus at Oceanside)	<b>3</b> 11:00 AM-Women's Guild Game Day 3:30 PM-RCIA 4:00 PM-Reconciliation  <b>3rd Sunday of Easter</b> 5:00 PM-Mass
<b>4</b> <b>3rd Sunday of Easter</b> <b>Restaurant Fundraiser at Jersey Mike's, Vista</b> 8:30 AM-Mass/LOWC 10:20 AM-RE.A.CH 10:30 AM-Mass 12:30 PM-Eucharist Parent Meeting 12:30 PM-RE.A.CH 4:30 PM-RE.A.CH	<b>5</b> <b>Restaurant Fundraiser at Jersey Mike's, Vista</b> 8:15 AM-Mass 10:00 AM-Moms & Kids (South Buena Vista Park) 7:00 PM-High School Youth Group	<b>6</b> <b>Restaurant Fundraiser at Jersey Mike's, Vista</b> 8:00 AM-Walking Ministry 8:15 AM-Mass 9:00 AM-Donuts and Coffee 9:30 AM-"Hope to Set the World Afire" 7:00 PM-Tower Bells 7:00 PM-Knights of Columbus	<b>7</b> <b>Restaurant Fundraiser at Jersey Mike's, Vista</b> 8:15 AM-Mass 9:00 AM-Bible Study 1:30 PM-Spirited Seniors Board Meeting 5:30 PM-Teen Prayer Hour 6:30 PM-Gala Planning 7:00 PM-Finance Council 7:00 PM-Praise Team	<b>8</b> 8:15 AM-Mass 9:00 AM-Donuts and Coffee 10:30 AM-JustFaith 1:00 PM-Centering Prayer 7:00 PM-Bible Study 7:00 PM-Sanctuary Choir 9:00 PM-Cappella Choir	<b>9</b> 8:15 AM-Mass 10:15 AM-Communion Service (Aegis) 1:00 PM-JustFaith Core Team 7:00 PM-Men's Fellowship	<b>10</b> 9:30 AM-Women's Prayer Breakfast 3:30 PM-RCIA 4:00 PM-Reconciliation  <b>4th Sunday of Easter</b> 5:00 PM-Mass
<b>11</b> <b>4th Sunday of Easter</b> <b>Mother's Day</b> 8:30 AM-Mass 10:30 AM-Mass 12:00 PM-Baptisms	<b>12</b> 8:15 AM-Mass 11:00 AM-Women's Guild Luncheon 7:00 PM-High School Youth Group	<b>13</b> 8:00 AM-Walking Ministry 8:15 AM-Mass 9:00 AM-Donuts and Coffee 7:00 PM-Baptism Preparation Part I 7:00 PM-Tower Bells 7:00 PM-Interior Design	<b>14</b> 8:15 AM-Mass 9:00 AM-Bible Study 4:00 PM-Staff Meeting 5:30 PM-Teen Prayer Hour 7:00 PM-Development Council 7:00 PM-Praise Team	<b>15</b> 8:15 AM-Mass 9:00 AM-Donuts and Coffee 10:00 AM-Women's Guild Quilters 10:30 AM-JustFaith 1:00 PM-Centering Prayer 7:00 PM-Bible Study 7:00 PM-Sanctuary Choir 9:00 PM-Cappella Choir	<b>16</b> <b>Parish Campout</b> <b>Woodsvally Kampground</b> 8:15 AM-Mass	<b>17</b> <b>Parish Campout</b> <b>Baby Shower for Birth Choice</b> 8:00 AM-Infant/Child CPR 3:30 PM-RCIA 4:00 PM-Reconciliation  <b>5th Sunday of Easter</b> 5:00 PM-Mass
<b>18</b> <b>5th Sunday of Easter</b> <b>Parish Campout</b> <b>Baby Shower for Birth Choice</b> <b>Blood Drive</b> 8:30 AM-Mass/LOWC 9:00 AM-Confirmation Class 10:20 AM-RE.A.CH 10:30 AM-Mass 12:30 PM-RE.A.CH 4:30 PM-RE.A.CH	<b>19</b> 8:15 AM-Mass 10:00 AM-Moms & Kids (South Buena Vista Park) 7:00 PM-High School Youth Group	<b>20</b> <b>Restaurant Fundraiser at Nucci's, Vista</b> 8:00 AM-Walking Ministry 8:15 AM-Mass 9:00 AM-Donuts and Coffee 7:00 PM-Tower Bells	<b>21</b> <b>Restaurant Fundraiser at Nucci's, Vista</b> 8:15 AM-Mass 9:00 AM-Bible Study 12:00 PM-Parish Social Justice Committee 5:30 PM-Teen Prayer Hour 6:30 PM-Gala Planning 7:00 PM-Praise Team	<b>22</b> 8:15 AM-Mass 9:00 AM-Donuts and Coffee 10:30 AM-JustFaith 1:00 PM-Centering Prayer 7:00 PM-Bible Study 7:00 PM-Sanctuary Choir 9:00 PM-Cappella Choir	<b>23</b> 8:15 AM-Mass	<b>24</b> 8:15 AM-Chair Set Up 3:30 PM-RCIA 4:00 PM-Reconciliation  <b>6th Sunday of Easter</b> 5:00 PM-Mass
<b>25</b> <b>6th Sunday of Easter</b> 8:30 AM-Mass/LOWC 10:30 AM-Mass/LOWC	<b>26</b> <b>Memorial Day</b> <b>Parish Office and Chapel Closed</b> 8:15 AM-Mass 7:00 PM-High School Youth Group	<b>27</b> 8:00 AM-Walking Ministry 8:15 AM-Mass 9:00 AM-Donuts and Coffee 7:00 PM-Baptism Preparation Part II 7:00 PM-Tower Bells	<b>28</b> 8:15 AM-Mass 5:30 PM-Teen Prayer Hour 7:00 PM-Praise Team	<b>29</b> 8:15 AM-Mass 9:00 AM-Donuts and Coffee 10:30 AM-JustFaith 1:00 PM-Centering Prayer 7:00 PM-Sanctuary Choir 9:00 PM-Cappella Choir	<b>30</b> 8:15 AM-Mass 3:30 PM-First Communion Rehearsals	<b>31</b> 3:30 PM-RCIA 4:00 PM-Reconciliation  <b>Ascension of the Lord</b> 5:00 PM-Mass/First Communion