

SAINT
THOMAS
MORE
CATHOLIC
CHURCH

*Are you envious because I am generous?
Matthew 20:15*



*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



Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time September 21, 2014

Pastor's Column

Rev. Michael Ratajczak
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Gird Your Loins and Light Your Lamps...

This past week I presided at a Funeral of a person who was only 60 years old, and his death was sudden.

The Gospel chosen by the family was: *"Gird your loins and light your lamps...be ready to greet your Master. He will come when you least expect..."*

As much as we attempt to deceive ourselves that we are on this planet, Earth, permanently, the reality is that we are all immigrants, all aliens, and all pilgrims. Earth is not our home. We are on a journey and we are just passing through!

Each of us has been given the gift of life. We did not ask to be born. We did not choose to be born. Choices were made for us and we find ourselves here for just awhile. What we do with this gift, though, is our choice, and our decision.

Whether we live 10 years or 100 years, compared to eternity, life is very short and very precious. The doorway of death is before each of us, and one day we must walk through it.

Our faith calls us to live each day with a sense of honesty and openness to the finiteness of life and the horizon of death before us. It is so easy to get caught up with the "things of earth" that we miss the "things of heaven." We lose our way and forget where we have come from, where we are going, and why we are here.

If today was to be your last day, would you be ready to walk through the doorway of death? Are you at peace with family and friends? Where does forgiveness need to be extended and where does it need to be given?

If you were to meet your Creator today, would you be satisfied in presenting God your life, its activities, agendas, and priorities? Is your life inspired and infused with the Gospel of Jesus Christ?

Our belief in the Resurrection tells us that we do not need to fear death. Death has been conquered. Death is only the doorway that leads to Eternal Life.

If today was the day...would you be ready, and would you trust God enough to walk through the doorway with faith and confidence?

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A view from the altar
area of the church.

See page 5 for your
invitation to
"A Closer Look!"



Pastor's Column *(continued from page 1)*

"Gird your loins and light your lamps and be like servants who await their master's return from a wedding, ready to open immediately when he comes and knocks. Blessed are those servants whom the master finds vigilant on his arrival."

F.A. Mike



At the Rite of Welcome and Acceptance on September 14, our new Catechumens and Candidate continued the RCIA process of becoming full members of the Catholic Church. Pictured with their sponsors, we welcome:

Nicole Acquista
Gregg Acquista
Tasi Asuncion
Trinity Asuncion
Amy Gogue
Karla Lomiglio
Clarice Rosales

Those who have entered the catechumenate are already part of the household of Christ. During this time they hear and reflect on God's word and learn the teachings and practices of the church. They are to learn the way of Jesus from the members of the church (that's you!)

CPR

The St. Thomas More CPR program will offer several classes in Adult and Infant/Child CPR in September and October. For the first time this will include weekday afternoons and evenings. For details, visit the information table on the plaza, the Parish Office, or the Parish website.

Treasures 2014 Rummage Sale/Flea Market

Remember to bring your treasures to the Parish parking lot on Friday, October 3, 3:30-8:00pm.

Remember to return and "shop 'til you drop" on Saturday, October 4, 7:30am-12:30pm.

If you can help with this effort, please contact John Murphy at 760-497-6117 or john.murphy@djoglobal.com.

Welcome New Parishioners

Dylan & Katherine Framness & Family

Maria Grastelum

Joseph & Susan Huber & Family

Congratulations to

Ron & Grace Hoffmann

who celebrate their 59th wedding anniversary September 24.

Mike & Joyce Malloy

who celebrated their 51st wedding anniversary August 31.

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

Flower Donations

The Altar Flowers for this weekend were given by **Mike & Mina Bell** in honor of their 49th wedding anniversary.

**In Memoriam**

Please pray for the repose of the souls of:

Robert Falconer, who died on August 28. His Funeral Service will be on Saturday, September 27, at 11:00 at St. Thomas More. Please keep his family in your prayers.

Elaine Collins, who died last week. She is the cousin of Parishioner Sondra Parks. Please keep her family in your prayers.

Paul West, who died on September 14. His funeral arrangements are pending. Please keep his wife, Diane Pal, and his 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

Unsure as to what to do with your future? Looking for a rewarding way of life which serves both God and mankind? Give some prayerful consideration to becoming a priest, deacon, or vowed religious. If you think that God has been calling you, take some time to listen and pray over it, then explore the possibilities. Contact Deacon Tom at thomasgoeltz@aol.com or call 760-727-8442.

STM \$crip News

Thanks to all who support the Scrip program! A percentage of every Scrip gift card purchased benefits our Parish Mortgage/Building Completion Fund. Check the flyer in today's bulletin for our updated list and information about Shop with Scrip, our online Scrip program..

Remember, Scrip is available for purchase FIVE ways:

1. Online—visit stmoside.org/scrip.html for more info!
2. On the Plaza after weekend Masses
3. Monday-Friday during business hours in the Parish Office
4. Email at scrip@stmoside.org
5. Phone at 760-758-4100 x150

Orders may be picked up after Mass on the weekend or at the Parish Office during the week.

Readings for the Week Ahead

Sunday Year A; Weekday Year II
 Readings online at www.usccb.org.
Sunday, September 21 (133)
Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Isaiah 55:6-9
 Psalm 145:2-3,8-9,17-18
 Philippians 1:20c-24,27a
 Matthew 20:1-16a
Monday, September 22 (449)
 Proverbs 3:27-34
 Psalm 15:2-4b,5
 Luke 8:16-18
Tuesday, September 23 (450)
Pius of Pietrelcina, priest
 Proverbs 21:1-6,10-13
 Psalm 119:1,27,30,34-35,44
 Luke 8:19-21
Wednesday, September 24 (451)
 Proverbs 30:5-9
 Psalm 119:29,72,89,101,104,163
 Luke 9:1-6
Thursday, September 25 (452)
 Ecclesiastics 1:2-11
 Psalm 90:3-6,12-14,17bc
 Luke 9:7-9
Friday, September 26 (453)
Cosmas & Damian, martyrs
 Ecclesiastics 3:1-11
 Psalm 144:1b,2abc,3-4
 Luke 9:18-22
Saturday, September 27 (454)
Vincent de Paul, priest
 Ecclesiastics 11:9-12:8
 Psalm 90:3-6,12-14,17
 Luke 9:43b-45
Sunday, September 28 (136)
Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Ezekiel 18:25-28
 Psalm 25:4-9
 Philippians 2:1-11
 Matthew 21:28-32

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

Changa Aguilera
 Mary Alexander
 Charlotte Atkinson
 Carrie Autrey
 Joshua Avery
 Jose Luis Barbosa
 Patricia Barbour
 Francie Barron
 Clarice Bednarz
 John Bennici
 Regina Bentz
 Lisa Berg
 Roseanne Berg
 Elaine Berquist
 Mary Betz
 Betty Jean Bielich
 Beth Brewer
 Janet Brown
 Todd Brown
 Katie Browne
 Jack & Mary Bruzas
 Anita Buerger
 Tony Calderone
 Shelby Campbell
 Brianne Campos
 Aria Cappeluti
 Iannone Martin Castro
 The Vaughn Clevenger Family
 Dolly Cole
 Carl & Dorothy Coleman
 James Coleman
 The Collins & Parks Families
 Steven Cresencia
 Lené Crowe
 The Crull Family
 Karen Flaharty Daley
 The Daniels Family
 Hugo Delgado, Jr.
 Christine DeSantis
 Cecilia DeSimone
 Carole Dillon
 Edward Dolnik
 Art & Dave Dossman
 John Drazkowski, Jr.
 La Vonne Dumas
 Carolyn Erickson Ey
 Rick Espinosa
 The Falconer Family
 Sally Fay
 Victoria Lopez Fenton
 The Fiore Family
 The First United Methodist Church/
 Napa
 Mary Fleming
 The Flores Family
 Ryan Flum
 Ernie Follis
 Eugene Franciscus
 Kathryn Franklin
 Joe Freire
 The Greg French Family
 Brian Frink
 Jim Gallagher
 The Joe Garcia Family
 Kathy Gardner
 Lois & Len Garth
 Jack & Marge Gillen
 Eric Gilliland
 Wendy Gonzales' Dad
 Rick Gonzalez
 George Gritt
 Luke Guenst
 Pat & Tom Hannon
 The Harker Family
 Dorothy Harrison
 Barbara Hatem
 Heidi Heaton
 Lillian Hills
 William Hokama
 Samara Hook
 Susan Hori
 Iolanda Iacobelli
 Linda Iacobelli Bennett
 Natalie Johnson
 Laura Kater
 Dottie Kearney
 Connor Kerzie
 Peggy Kiernan
 Debbie Kinney
 Mark Kneisel
 Dewey Kolbo
 Tony Korwin
 Helen Kuhn
 Lillian Lachance
 The Lamelin Family
 Bernie Lanzrath
 Mike Lavis
 Brandon LeBlanc
 Jeremiah Lemus
 David Leué
 The Paul Leué Family
 Ashley Load
 Shirley Loggins
 Cassandra & Lauren Loretto
 Jack Lucarelli
 Joaquin Maldonado
 The Maldonado Family
 The Maldonado Trejo Family
 Paige Mansell
 Alexander Mathews
 Gloria Maupin
 The McKeon Family
 Caryl McKinney
 Bob McWilliams
 Kalei Mendiola
 Bill Metzger
 Phyllis Minaya
 June Mitchell
 Vicky & Alda Molina
 Nancy Moore
 Elizabeth Muehlbacher
 Conrad Murphy
 Margie Myers
 Rich Navarro
 Richard Obsitnik
 Bernadette Padovan
 Ethan Palm
 Melanie & Christine Petitto
 Perry Postulka
 Douglas Price-Williams
 The Joe Prokop Family
 Barbara Ramm
 Jan Riley
 Connie Ringel
 Rita Ritchie
 Ann Roberds
 Lily Robinson
 Maria Rogers
 Dorothy Rouse
 The Russo Family
 Rachel Sainc
 Cindy Sanelli
 Linda Schmidt
 Joan Shea
 Judy Smith
 Nick Soltau
 Drew Spangler
 Jeanette Spangler
 Darek, Vanessa, & Elba Spizewski
 Patricia St. Pierre
 Sybil Staples
 Pete Sullivan
 Julie Teare
 Tommy & Ginger Thompson
 Sarah Tillinghast
 William Tompson
 Stephen Toth, Jr.
 Olivia Trejo
 The Trejo/Beltran Family
 The Trejo/Maldonado/Uribe Family
 Rodrigo Uribe
 Martin Vertson
 Lucy Vienna
 Lucy Viramontes
 Vanessa Vitiello
 Wilson Wanner
 Kevin Watson-Graff
 The West & Pal Families
 John Whitton
 Patricia Zavala
 Jeanne Zeltner

Calendar Highlights

More details at www.stmoside.org,
 Schedule and Calendar

Sep 21 Liturgy of the Word for
 Children at 8:30am Mass

Sep 21 RE.A.CH Classes at Church

Sep 28 Liturgy of the Word for
 Children not scheduled

Sep 28 Knights of Columbus
 Breakfast

Oct 4 Treasures Rummage Sale

Oct 6 Mommipotent Women's
 Bible Study

Oct 7-8 Restaurant Fundraiser at
 Famous Dave's BBQ

Oct 11-12 Women's Guild Bake Sale

Oct 10-12 Men's Retreat

Oct 12 Blood Drive

Oct 21-22 Restaurant Fundraiser at
 Nucci's

Oct 25 L!feWalk at Mission Bay

Nov 1-30 Stewardship Awareness/
 Renewal

Nov 8 Women's Retreat Day

Nov 23 Stewards' Appreciation
 Reception

Nov 23 Music Ministry Concert

2015

Jan 4 Twelfth Night Choral
 Festival

Jan 24 Women's Prayer Breakfast

Mar 1 New Member Reception

May 1 STM Gala

Jun 22-26 Vacation Bible Camp

Questions? Contact Henny at
 760-758-4100 x100
hennyj@stmoside.org.

Mass Intentions
Saturday, September 20, 5:00pm Bernie Delaney ☩
Sunday, September 21, 8:30am Ethel Vanderhagen ☩
Sunday, September 21, 10:30am Tony McCloskey ☩
Monday, September 22, 8:15am Rose Kane ☩
Tuesday, September 23, 8:15am Larry Schick ☩
Thursday, September 25, 8:15am Arthur MacCluskey ☩
Friday, September 26, 8:15am Steve & Louise Toth
Saturday, September 27, 5:00pm Deceased members of Kluis Family ☩
Sunday, September 28, 8:30am J.C. Gonzalez ☩
Sunday, September 28, 10:30am Eziquiel Barbosa ☩

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.

September 22 Sr. Catherine Rose Iverson, SHF
September 23 Sr. Barbara Jackson, OSF
September 24 Sr. Francine Jackson, RSM
September 25 Sr. Teresa Jaramillo, MMS
September 26 Sr. Yesica Jimenez, HCJS
September 27 Sr. Katherine Jobson, MMS
September 28 Sr. Jane Joppa, OCD

Deployed Military

Gunnery Sgt. Fernando Andrade, Jr.
 1st Lt. Jeffrey Bauer, USMC
 PFC John Brandone
 Lt. Devon Czarzasty
 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 Thomas Gillen, US Army
 PFC Samuel Haro, US Army
 PFC Cody Madere
 Pvt. 2 Jess Phillips, US Army
 Nicole Rieger, US Navy
 Sr. Airman Robert Spear, USAF
 Sgt. Charles Watts, USMC

Social Ministries & Outreach

St. Bonaventure Clothing Drive (November 8-9)

November 8-9 we will again be hold our annual clothing drive for the benefit of the Navajo served by St. Bonaventure Mission in New Mexico. Want to help? Scour your closets for clothing you no longer wear, sturdy shoes and extra blankets. Perhaps you could also ask your neighbors or coworkers to donate items. Clothing of all kinds and sizes are needed. The temperature on the Reservation ranges from below freezing to over one hundred. If you have questions or comments contact Deacon Tom at thomasgoeltz@aol.com or 760-727-8442...or come to our table on the plaza October 11-12. Thank you for your continued generosity. God bless!

Humanitarian Collection for the Middle East

The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) has proposed that collections be taken up to provide relief and pastoral support for our affected brothers and sisters in the Middle East.

Money given to the collection will be disbursed for humanitarian needs by Catholic Relief Services and other Catholic agencies working in partnership with the local Church.

Collection funds will also support Church programs to aid persecuted Christians and for rebuilding needs of Catholic dioceses in the impacted areas.

In proposing this collection, Archbishop Kurtz, president of the USCCB, wrote, "Our Christian brothers and sisters and other innocent victims of the violence in the Middle East urgently need the assistance of the Catholic Community of the United States. Thank you for your support of this special collection and for your continued prayers for the victims of this crisis."

If you would like to contribute to this fund, please place your donation in an envelope and label it "Middle East Collection." You may do so any time until the end of October. We then will forward the money to Catholic Relief Services.

Fully Catholic?

If you've been coming to Mass for a while, but are not Catholic, we invite you to look deeper into the Catholic faith. Come meet some faithful Catholics who love the Lord and would consider it a privilege to get to know you.

Our Parish offers sessions that give you the opportunity to share with others the truths of the Catholic faith and the fellowship of our church family.

We invite you to learn what Catholics believe in an open and welcoming environment. These sessions also are opportunities for you to ask those perplexing and difficult questions you may have about the Church.

Sessions are held Sunday mornings.

To find out how to get started, contact Kathleen Bell at 760-809-6526 or 80bell80@gmail.com.

**Our Mission is to:
worship God,
teach and live the Gospel of Jesus Christ,
and serve God's people in word and deed.**

Marriage & Family Life

Moms & Kids—Moms! The Moms and Kids ministry is meeting on the third Monday of September at a local park, 10:00am-12:00noon. There are many other events within our community throughout the month posted on our private Facebook page. Join us! Contact Jen Abelson at jen.abelson@gmail.com.



Relationship Skills Workshop—Deacon Ralph and Peggy Skiano, of the Diocesan Marriage and Family Life Office are presenting Relationship Skills Workshops every Tuesday night at 7:00pm at Corpus Christi Parish Hall, 450 Corral Canyon Rd, Bonita, through November 18. Come and explore how to improve your relationships. You can attend one workshop, several, or all of them. The next workshop is September 23, and the topic is *Listening Beyond the Words*.

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.

Bishop's Letter on Marriage—Marriage: Love and Life in the Divine Plan: Between a Man and a Woman—“Jesus teaches that marriage is between a man and a woman. ‘Have you not read that from the beginning the Creator made them male and female...For this reason a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh’ (Mt 19:4-6).” To read the document go to <http://www.usccb.org/loveandlife/>.

Marriage Encounter—Do you have a good marriage but want a little jumpstart? Would you and your spouse like to rediscover and reconnect with each other? Then we invite you to attend a Marriage Encounter Weekend. Weekends take place in San Diego and other Southern California locations throughout the year. For more information, visit www.wvme.org or contact Eddie and Sheila Murphy at 760-295-0008.

Marriage Moments—September 22 is the Fall Equinox, meaning that we have equal daylight and nighttime. The parable of the generous landowner (Mt 20:1-16) reminds us that life is not always equal and fair. Likewise, marriage is not always 50/50. Sometimes one of you will need to give much more than the other. Striving to give your all to your beloved is better than measuring tit for tat. By Susan Vogt, www.SusanVogt.net.

Parenting Pointers—Monday (September 22) is National Eat Dinner Together Day. Maybe you always eat dinner together. If not, make a special effort to eat together on this day. Tell stories of your day. What was the high? What was the low? By Susan Vogt, 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.

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You can raise money for STM while you shop!
www.stmoside.org/scrip.htm
scroll to the Amazon Smile logo

Parish Events

Attention Men!

That Man Is You continues on Saturday mornings from 6:45-8:30am. Please join us! The topic for September 27 is "Human Formation."

Are you signed up for the Men's Retreat? October 10-12 at Green Oaks Ranch in Vista with speaker Cy Kellett. Check the Parish website for a registration form and more details.

For more information, contact Deacon John at 760-758-4100 x104 or johnf@stmoside.org.

Women's Guild News

To quote Fr. Karl, "Thank God for air conditioning" and, may I add, fans and cool breezes. These past weeks have been a trial by fiery heat! Our September luncheon meeting last week, however, was a great place to be for an enjoyable time together. And it was cool!

And now you can start going through your favorite recipes, because beginning next week parishioners whose last names begin with the letters I through Z will be getting a phone call requesting a homemade bake good for our October 11-12 Bake Sale. But donors are not limited to those letters of the alphabet. If you can make a baked good e.g. cake, pie, brownies, bars, cookies, breads, cupcakes, strudel, marshmallow squares, etc., we would be very grateful to add it to the table where they will be available after the weekend Masses. And you can even feel free to make more than one item. More details will follow next week.

Our Directory will be ready for distribution at the October meeting, but that doesn't mean membership in the Women's Guild is over for the year. Anyone can join at any time during the year. Invite a friend. They don't even have to be a member of the parish. We welcome everyone. Registration forms are available in box 35 in the front office.

May God's blessings rain on you like dew drops.

—Ann Buko, president

Catholic Widows and Widowers of North County

Would you like to expand your social life and meet a group of interesting and friendly widowed people? For more information, call Carol Kope at 760-726-0533 or Gerri Wilmott at 760-758-9949. See the bulletin board on the lower level for our complete monthly calendar of social activities. RSVPs are required.

Young Adult Ministry Activities

Visit www.yamsd.org for complete information on events for young adults, including a retreat September 19-21 at Whispering Winds Retreat Center near Julian.

Also, search *Office of Young Adult Ministry* on Facebook.

Got STM eNews?

We send out occasional emails with reminders/details about Parish events and other information. If you'd like to join the list, go to the Parish website, www.stmoside.org, click on Contact Us, then click on Join Our eNews List.

A Closer Look

On Sunday, October 5, after the 10:30am Mass we are offering Parishioners a closer look at the progress that has been made with our new church. If you plan to take advantage of this opportunity, please wear sturdy walking shoes or tennis shoes. We will meet on the upper level plaza at 12:15pm.



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

Pipe Organ	\$850,000
Memorial Garden	\$500,000
Reflection Garden	\$250,000
Church Doors (Bronze)	\$100,000
Crucifix	\$75,000
St. Thomas More Shrine (Tapestry)	\$75,000
Pew Seating for the Church (1,000) 839 available	\$300/person
Daily Mass Chapel and Choir Chairs (200) 128 available	\$300/each

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For more information on our progress, visit our website, stmoside.org, and click on Our New Church.

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 June 17 we have netted \$52,402 from this program. Thank you donors!



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

Liturgy & Music *Worship God*

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

BLESSING OF ANIMALS



St. Francis

St. Thomas More's annual Blessing of Animals will take place on Sunday, October 5, at 4:00pm.

In remembrance of St. Francis of Assisi's love for all creatures, we gather with our beloved pets in the parking lot for this traditional liturgy of celebration, prayer, and blessing.

Bring your furry and not-so-furry friends to the Plaza early to meet and greet each other.

We ask that you make sure your pets are under complete control, as we expect the gathering to be a bit boisterous.

See you there!



Matthew 20:13-14

A Prayer of Blessing

Blessed are you, O Lord, who created the animals and gave us the ability to train them to help us in our work.

How wonderful are the works of your hands, O Lord!

Blessed are you, O Lord, who gave us food from animals to replenish our energies.

How wonderful are the works of your hands, O Lord!

Blessed are you, O Lord, who for the sake of our comfort give us domestic animals as companions.

How wonderful are the works of your hands, O Lord!

Blessed are you, O Lord, who show us a sign of your providence, as your Son told us, by caring for the birds of the air.

How wonderful are the works of your hands, O Lord!

Blessed are you, O Lord, who offered your Son to us as the paschal lamb and in him willed that we should be called and should truly be your children.

How wonderful are the works of your hands, O Lord!

Blessed are you, O Lord, who through your lowliest creatures never cease to draw us toward your love.

How wonderful are the works of your hands, O Lord!

O God, you have done all things wisely; in your goodness you have made us in your image and given us care over other living things.

Reach out with your right hand and grant that these animals may serve our needs and that your bounty in the resources of this life may move us to seek more confidently the goal of eternal life. *Amen.*

Upcoming Music



SEPTEMBER 28
26th Sunday in
Ordinary Time



5:00pm

Cappella Choir

8:30am

Tower Bells

10:30am

Sanctuary Choir

Fresh Flowers for Our Weekend Mass Celebrations

If you would like to remember, honor, or celebrate someone special or a special occasion with the addition of an arrangement of flowers at our weekend Masses during Ordinary Time, please see our Parish Receptionist during the week.

Your donation of \$75 will provide a lovely arrangement on the altar platform, including all taxes and delivery.

A note in the weekend's bulletin will announce your special person or event.

Only one flower arrangement may be offered each weekend and payment must be made at the time you reserve your weekend. Two week's notice is required. We are sorry that we are not able to take your reservation over the phone at this time. Thank you!



Faith Formation

Teach and Live the Gospel

Matt Franklin
Youth Advocate
760-758-4100 x161; mattf@stmoside.org

Debbie Fredette
Director of Faith Formation
760-758-4100 x110; debbief@stmoside.org

Family Faith Formation

Genesis High School
EDGEM
Today is a REACH Sunday!
GRADES 1-5
YOUNG ADULT

Adult Faith Formation

SIGN UP TODAY!!

MOMNIPOTENT

8 Feminine Strengths to Help You Find Peace,
Balance, and Joy in Motherhood
ALL Women are welcome!!
See the flyer for more details.

Sacrament Preparation

Attention Parents who are preparing their child for the Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Communion in 2015. Sunday at 12:30 is your first parent meeting!

All Are Invited!

Please join us on the upper level of the Parish Center at 12:30pm on Sunday for SYMBOLON. There is no cost to attend!

SYMBOLON
THE CATHOLIC FAITH EXPLAINED

THE SYMBOLON SERIES is a compelling presentation of the Catholic faith. Through beautifully crafted teaching and state-of-the-art video, author and speaker Dr. Edward Sri leads a team of dynamic teachers who provide a clear and comprehensive understanding of what the Catholic Church teaches and how to live it.

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INSPIRED

Pray for Our Confirmation 2015 Teens Who Are on Retreat this weekend!

Try Out Our New Guys & Girls Group

Join us every Wednesday night from 6:30-8:00pm for our "Guys & Girls" group. This is a great opportunity to build accountability, friendships, and find out our role as young men and women in the church and community. Bring a FRIEND and a snack to share.



High School Youth Group
"LIFE NIGHT"
Monday

September 22
7:00-8:30pm

PIZZA, Worship,
and a Message.
Bring a bible and friend!

Stewardship & Development

Serve God's People

Chris Smith
Director of Stewardship & Development
chriss@stmoside.org; 758-4100 x120

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.

**Do two people in your family know the location of
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Fill Your Heart with Gratitude

There's an old French proverb:
Gratitude is the memory of the heart.

It's a beautiful thought. When we remember our grandparents, a special Christmas long ago, the day a child was born, a memorable celebration or achievement, we recall these events with deep warmth in our hearts. As Christian stewards, these memories remind us of God's goodness and fill us with a deep sense of gratitude for having experienced them.

But when we look at the proverb a bit more closely, we realize those cozy thoughts are not exactly what it's suggesting. It's not that only when we remember good things, thankfulness fills our hearts. It is suggesting that for the heart, the spiritual life, gratitude must become our memory. That's far more challenging, and for the Christian steward it is a challenge that needs to be met on one's spiritual journey.

No one lives this life without forming painful memories. For some, childhood was a difficult time. For anyone orphaned, or abused in any way, memories can be cloudy and hurtful. Marriages falter, friendships end, loved ones die. Even through our painful memories, there is reason for hope, trust in God, and for gratitude.

Thought-provoking lessons on gratitude, conversion, and hope can be found in the bestselling biography *Unbroken*, soon to be released in film. It is the story of Louis Zamperini, who lived through incredible World War II experiences of surviving 46 days in a raft after his plane crashed, only to spend most of the war being tortured in a Japanese prison camp. The memories that filled his restless nights after his release were excruciating and brutal. Yet, as the title suggests, Zamperini came out of the ordeal, and through a spiritual awakening of his Christian faith, began to live an amazing life filled with gratitude. His conversion was so profound, that he was able to travel to post-war Japan and embrace his former captors.

Ultimately, when they bring their memories to prayer, the question for Christian stewards is, "Where was God for me in this or that situation or event?"

When one can find God, struggling with us in the midst of pain, or rejoicing with us in happy times, one has discovered a hallmark of the spiritual life.

God can heal memory and make it transformative. Here's an exercise we might try today: perhaps this is an ordinary, seemingly forgettable day. Ask yourself, what would I most like to remember about this day if I could look back on it in years to come? Then live this day as if you are choosing to make a memory to fill your heart with gratitude.

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Gratitude

is not only the greatest of virtues,
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MISSIO App for Smart Phones—Connects you to the Pope and his daily messages. Learn more at www.MissioApp.org/bulletin.

Iraqi Christian Relief Fund—Over 200,000 Iraqi Catholic Christians are being persecuted, and have been left homeless living in dire conditions. St. Peter Chaldean Church in El Cajon is soliciting donations to help our brothers and sisters in Iraq. Visit www.IraqiChristianReliefFund.org for more information.

Franciscan School of Theology Vision Series—Thursdays, October 16, and November 20, 7:00-8:00pm. Free lectures about the mission of the Franciscan Intellectual Tradition. For more information, contact Donna Foley at 760-547-1800 x224 or dfoley@fst.edu.

“Shaken Not Stirred” Musical Review—Sunday, September 28, 3:00pm, Broadway Theatre, 340 E. Broadway, Vista. Tickets are \$28 per person, includes appetizers, performance, and snacks. Proceeds benefit Brother Benno’s Auxiliary. For more information, contact Claire at 760-295-6099.

Rachel’s Hope After-Abortion Healing Retreat for Women—October 3-5, Diocesan Pastoral Center, 3888 Paducah Dr., San Diego. For more information, contact Rosemary Benefield at 858-581-3022 or visit www.RachelsHope.org.

Cathedral Catholic High School Open House—Saturday, October 4, 10:00am-1:00pm 5555 Del Mar Heights Rd., San Diego. The event is open to families and students of all ages and will include tours, panel sessions, and an information fair. Visit www.cathedralcatholic.org for more information.

Culture of Life Family Services 5th Annual “Pro-Life Is Good” Gala and Auction—Saturday, October 4, 5:30-10:00pm, at the Rancho Bernardo Inn with keynote speaker Rick Santorum. For more information, contact 619-564-3307 or gala@colfs.org.

Late Night Catechism—Saturday, October 4, 7:30pm, St. Elizabeth Seton Parish, 6628 Santa Isabel, Carlsbad. A one-sister off-Broadway comedy. Tickets are \$30 and available at www.kofc9022.org. For more information, call 760-438-3393.

Academy of Our Lady of Peace High School for Young Women Open House—Saturday, October 11, 9:00-11:30am, 4860 Oregon St., San Diego. Campus tours and formal presentations. For more information, visit www.aolp.org/openhouse.

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Birth Choice Fall Banquet and Auction: “Speaking the Truth in Love”—Saturday, October 25, 5:00-9:00pm., at the Carlsbad Sheraton with keynote speaker Michael of Life Training Institute. For more information, visit www.birthchoicedonors.net.

Brother Benno’s Auxiliary Annual Luncheon—Saturday, November 1, 10:00am, Sheraton Carlsbad Resort & Spa, 5480 Grand Pacific Dr., Carlsbad. The theme is “Bountiful Blessings.” Proceeds will benefit Brother Benno’s Women’s Homes for women in recovery. For more information, contact Penny Sallee at 760-912-8566 or pensal49@hotmail.com

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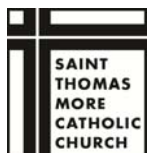


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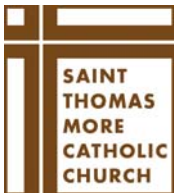
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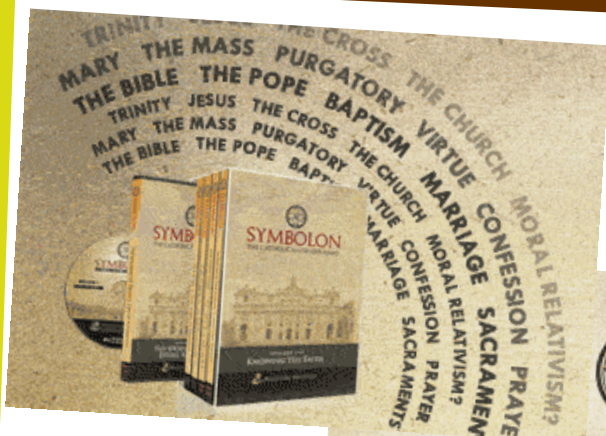


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ONLINE ORDERING		
1-800-Baskets	\$25	12.0%
1-800-Flowers	\$25	12.0%
<i>Amazon.com</i>	\$25	3.0%
<i>Amazon.com</i>	\$100	3.0%
Bergdorf Goodman	\$50	12.0%
Bergners	\$25	8.0%
Bubba Gump Shrimp Co.	\$25	9.0%
Cabela's Sporting Gear	\$25	11.0%
Cheryl & Co. Cookies	\$25	12.0%
Fannie Mae Candy's	\$10	25.0%
Groupon	\$25	7.0%
Harry &David	\$25	10.0%
Harry London Chocolates	\$25	12.0%
iTunes	\$25	5.0%
Nutrisystem	\$50	12.0%
Omaha Steaks	\$25	11.0%
OverStock.com	\$25	8.0%
restaurant.com	\$20	50.0%
Rocky Mntn. Chocolate Fac.	\$10	11.0%
Shutterfly	\$25	11.0%
Spa Finder	\$25	12.0%
Zappos.com	\$25/\$100	8.0%
GAS/AUTOMOTIVE		
76 Gas	\$25/\$100	1.5%
<i>Arco</i>	\$50/\$100	1.5%
Arco	\$250	2.5%
Auto Zone	\$25	8.0%
<i>Chevron</i>	\$50/\$100	1.0%
<i>Chevron</i>	\$250	1.0%
<i>Circle K</i>	\$25/\$100	1.5%
<i>Exxon/Mobil</i>	\$50	1.0%
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Jiffy Lube	\$30	8.0%
Pep Boys	\$20	4.0%
Sears Auto Service Center	\$25/100/250	6.0%
<i>Shell</i>	\$25/\$100	2.5%
Shell	\$50	2.5%
PHARMACY		
<i>CVS Pharmacy</i>	\$25	6.0%
<i>Rite Aid</i>	\$25	4.0%
<i>Walgreens</i>	\$25	6.0%
GROCERY		
<i>Albertson's</i>	\$25/\$100	4.0%
<i>Frazier Farms</i>	\$25/50/100	3.0%
<i>Smart & Final</i>	\$25/\$50	3.0%
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<i>Sprout's Farmers Market</i>	\$25/50/100	5.0%
<i>Stater Bros.</i>	\$25/\$100	5.0%
<i>Vons</i>	\$25/\$100	4.0%

Whole Foods Market	\$25/\$100	3.0%
HOME AND GARDEN		
Ace Hardware	\$25/\$100	4.0%
<i>Home Depot/Home Expo</i>	\$25/\$100	5.0%
Home Depot/Home Expo	\$500/\$1000	5.0%
<i>Lowe's/Hardware</i>	\$25/\$100	4.0%
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RESTAURANTS		
<i>Acapulco/El Torito</i>	\$25	8.0%
<i>Applebees</i>	\$25	10.0%
<i>Arby's</i>	\$10	8.0%
Boston Market	\$10	12.0%
Bruegger's Bagels	\$10	7.0%
<i>Buca di Beppo</i>	\$25	8.0%
Buffalo Wild Wings	\$10	8.0%
<i>Burger King</i>	\$10	4.0%
<i>Carl's Jr.</i>	\$10	5.0%
Carrows	\$10	8.0%
Chart House	\$25	9.0%
<i>Cheesecake Factory</i>	\$25	5.0%
Chevy's Fresh Mex	\$25	8.0%
<i>Chili's/Macaroni Grill/On the Border</i>	\$25	11.0%
<i>Chipotle Mexican Grill</i>	\$10	10.0%
Chuck E Cheese	\$10	8.0%
<i>Claim Jumper</i>	\$25	8.0%
<i>Coco's Bakery Restaurant</i>	\$10	8.0%
<i>Coffee Bean & Tea Company</i>	\$25	9.0%
<i>Cold Stone Creamery</i>	\$10	8.0%
Dave & Busters	\$25	13.0%
Del Taco	\$10	4.0%
Denny's Restaurant	\$10	7.0%
Domino's Pizza	\$10	8.0%
Einstein Bros Bagel	\$10	10.0%
<i>El Pollo Loco</i>	\$10	6.0%
Hard Rock Café	\$25	10.0%
Hometown Buffet	\$25	5.0%
<i>Honey Baked Ham</i>	\$25	12.0%
<i>IHOP</i>	\$25	8.0%
<i>Islands</i>	\$25	8.0%
<i>Jack in the Box</i>	\$10	4.0%
<i>Jamba Juice</i>	\$10	7.0%
KFC	\$5	8.0%
<i>Little Caesars Pizza</i>	\$20	8.0%
<i>Mimi's Cafe</i>	\$25	8.0%
<i>Noodles & Company</i>	\$10	8.0%
<i>Olive Garden/Red Lobster</i>	\$25	9.0%
<i>Outback/Carrabba's/Roy's/Fleming's</i>	\$25	8.0%
<i>Panera Bread</i>	\$10/\$25	9.0%
<i>Papa John's Pizza</i>	\$10	8.0%
<i>Peet's Coffee and Tea</i>	\$20	8.0%
<i>PF Changs/ Pei Wei</i>	\$25	8.0%

<i>Pizza Hut</i>	\$10	8.0%
Quiznos	\$10	10.0%
Rainforest Café	\$25/\$100	9.0%
Red Robin	\$25	9.0%
Rock Bottom Restaurant	\$25	6.0%
Ruth's Chris Steakhouse	\$50	10.0%
Smash Burgers	\$10	10.0%
<i>Souplantation/Sweet Tomatoes</i>	\$25	8.0%
<i>Starbucks</i>	\$10/\$25	7.0%
<i>Subway</i>	\$10	3.0%
T.G.I.Friday's	\$25	9.0%
Taco Bell	\$10	5.0%
Tony Roma's	\$25	12.0%
<i>Wendy's</i>	\$10	4.0%
Yard House	\$25	8.0%
RETAIL STORES		
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A Pea in the Pod/Motherhood Maternity/Destination Maternity	\$25	8.0%
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<i>American Eagle Outfitters</i>	\$25	10.0%
AT&T 125 min. Prepaid Card	\$9.50	20.0%
<i>Barnes & Noble/Bdalton</i>	\$10/\$25	9.0%
Barnes & Noble/Bdalton	\$100	9.0%
Bass Pro Shops	\$25	12.0%
<i>Bath & Body Works</i>	\$10/\$25	13.0%
Bed, Bath and Beyond/Buy Buy Baby	\$100	7.0%
<i>Bed, Bath and Beyond/Buy Buy Baby</i>	\$25	7.0%
<i>Bella D'ora Spa & Salon</i>	\$20	15.0%
<i>Best Buy</i>	\$25	4.0%
Best Buy	\$100/\$250	4.0%
Big 5 Sporting Goods	\$25	8.0%
Bloomingdales	\$25	12.0%
Body Shop	\$25	8.0%
Brooks Brothers	\$25	16.0%
Build A Bear	\$25	8.0%
Burlington Coat Factory/Baby Depot	\$25	8.0%
Cascading Scrip Wallets	\$3	25.0%
Casual Male XL	\$25	9.0%
Catherines	\$25	6.0%
Champs Sports	\$25	9.0%
Claire's	\$10	9.0%
Coldwater Creek	\$25	10.0%
Container Store	\$25/\$100	9.0%
Crate and Barrel	\$25/\$100	8.0%
Dell Computers	\$100	6.0%
Dicks Sporting Goods	\$25/\$100	8.0%
Dillard's	\$25/\$100	9.0%
<i>Disney</i>	\$25	2.0%
Disney	\$100/\$1000	2.0%
Dress Barn	\$25	8.0%

EB Games	\$25	3.0%
Eddie Bauer	\$25	10.0%
<i>Edwards/Regal/UA Theaters</i>	\$25	8.0%
Express	\$25	10.0%
Family Christian Stores	\$25	9.0%
Foot Locker/Lady Foot Locker	\$25	9.0%
Game Stop	\$25	3.0%
<i>Gap/Old Navy/Banana Rep/Athleta/Piperlime</i>	\$25	14.0%
<i>Gap/Old Navy/Banana Rep/Athleta/Piperlime</i>	\$100	14.0%
GNC	\$25	8.0%
Golfsmith	\$25	8.0%
Great Clips	\$25	8.0%
Guitar Center	\$25	4.0%
Gymboree	\$25	13.0%
Hallmark	\$25	4.0%
J Crew	\$25	13.0%
J Jill	\$25	8.0%
<i>JCPenney</i>	\$25	5.0%
JCPenney	\$100	5.0%
<i>Jo-Ann Fabrics</i>	\$25	6.0%
Journeys	\$25	10.0%
KMart	\$25	4.0%
<i>Kohl's Department Store</i>	\$25	4.0%
<i>Krikorian Premiere Theaters</i>	\$8	6.3%
Lands' End	\$25	16.0%
Lane Bryant/Fashion Bug	\$25	8.0%
Limited	\$25	9.0%
<i>Macy's</i>	\$25	10.0%
Macy's	\$100	10.0%
Men's Warehouse	\$25	8.0%
<i>Michael's</i>	\$25	4.0%
Neiman Marcus	\$50	12.0%
Nike	\$25	12.0%
<i>Office Depot</i>	\$25	4.0%
Office Max	\$25/\$100	5.0%
Payless Shoe Source	\$20	13.0%
<i>PetSmart</i>	\$25	4.0%
Pier 1 Imports	\$25	9.0%
Radio Shack	\$25	4.0%
REI Sporting Goods	\$25	8.0%
Ross Dress for Less	\$25	8.0%
<i>Sally Beauty</i>	\$25	12.0%
<i>Sears</i>	\$25	4.0%
Sears	\$100	4.0%
<i>See's Candy</i>	\$16	20.0%
Sephora	\$20	4.0%
Six Flags One Day Tickets	\$35	8.0%
Sports Authority	\$25	8.0%
<i>Staples</i>	\$25	5.0%
Staples	\$100	5.0%
Sunglass Hut	\$25	12.0%

Super Cuts	\$25	8.0%
<i>T.J.Maxx/Marshalls/Home Goods</i>	<i>\$25</i>	<i>7.0%</i>
Talbots	\$25	13.0%
Target	\$25/\$100	2.0%
<i>Toys 'R' Us/Kids 'R' Us/Babies'R'Us</i>	<i>\$20</i>	<i>3.0%</i>
<i>Ulta</i>	<i>\$25</i>	<i>4.0%</i>
<i>Walmart/Sam's Club</i>	<i>\$25/\$100</i>	<i>2.5%</i>
Wet Seal	\$25	5.0%
Williams-Sonoma/Pottery Barn/	\$25/\$100	8.0%
TRAVEL		
Ascend Collection Hotel	\$50/\$100	3.0%
Avis Car Rental	\$50	8.0%
BedandBreakfast.com	\$50	10.0%
Best Western International	\$25/\$100	12.0%
Budget Car Rental	\$50	8.0%
Cambria Suites	\$50/\$100	3.0%

Carnival Cruise Lines	\$100	8.0%
Celebrity Cruise Lines	\$100	9.0%
Choice Hotels	\$50/\$100	3.0%
Clarion Hotels	\$50/\$100	3.0%
Comfort Brand of Hotels	\$50/\$100	3.0%
Econo Lodge	\$50/\$100	3.0%
Fisherman's Wharf	\$25/\$100	9.0%
Hard Rock Café	\$25	10.0%
Hyatt Hotels	\$50/\$100	9.0%
Platinum Hotel Las Vegas/the Well Spa At Platinum	\$25/\$100	9.0%
Quality Inn	\$50/\$100	3.0%
Roadway Inn	\$50/\$100	3.0%
Royal Caribbean Cruise	\$100	9.0%
Merchants in <i>Italics</i> are in stock items		

Questions? Please contact the Scrip Team!
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Thank you for your order!!!

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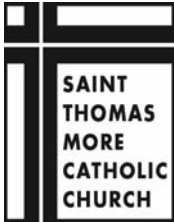
Scrip Ordering Procedure

- * Scrip is available at the Parish Office during business hours
- * Orders may be placed by email, phone, or *ShopwithScrip.com* 24/7
- * Large orders take at least 1 week to process
- * In Stock orders placed by 9:00am Friday will be available for pick-up starting Saturday after 5:00pm Mass
- * Special orders placed/paid by 9:00am Monday will be available for pick-up the following Saturday after the 5:00pm Mass.

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