

**SAINT
THOMAS
MORE
CATHOLIC
CHURCH**

*My flesh is true food and my blood is true drink. .
—John 6:55*



**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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**Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 16, 2015**

Pastor's Column

*Rev. Michael Ratajczak
760-758-4100 x100
michaelsr@stmoside.org*

Come for a Day of Worship and Spiritual Enrichment

On Saturday, September 19, the Diocese of San Diego is hosting a Church Ministers Conference: "Called to Be Disciples of Christ."

It will be held at Mater Dei High School in Chula Vista. Check in begins as 7:30am and Mass will begin at 8:30am. The day continues until 4:30pm.

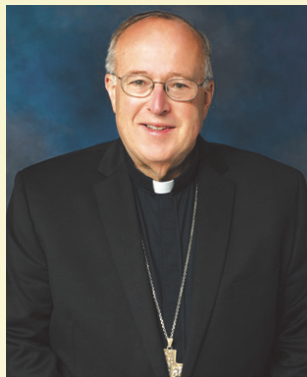
Bishop McElroy, the Bishop of San Diego, will celebrate Mass and deliver the keynote address.

There will be over 80 workshops in English, Spanish, and Vietnamese from which to choose, as well as over 50 exhibitors.

The cost for the day is only \$25 and includes lunch.

Visit www.diocese-sdiego.org/cmc to sign up.

Included in today's Bulletin is a flyer outlining the Conference along with a list of all the various workshops.



I highly encourage as many Parishioners as possible to attend this very worthwhile day.

Your presence there and what you bring back with you to our Parish will continue to strengthen our Parish and help it to be the vibrant and faith-filled community that it is.

Fr. Mike



Construction Progress

Travertine floor tiles and wooden louvers.

Visit www.stmoside.org to see more photos!



Tickets for the Junipero Serra Canonization Mass at the Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington D.C. on September 23, 2015

We have just received word that the Diocese of San Diego will receive a limited number of tickets for the Canonization Mass.

If you, or anyone you know, would like tickets for the Mass, please contact the STM Parish Office no later than 12:00noon on Monday, August 17. Please leave the name or names of each person interested in attending, mailing address, and phone number.

We will need to contact the Diocese on Monday, August 17, before the end of the business day. Thank you!

—Fr. Mike Ratajczak

In Gratitude

We wanted to take a moment to express our gratitude to our St. Thomas More Parish Family for the prayers, support, Mass, and Rite of Committal that was prepared for the passing of our husband, father, and grandfather, Edward Dolnik. It was truly a wonderful celebration of his life, and it was orchestrated perfectly; we will cherish the day in our hearts forever.

—The Dolnik Family

Missionary Cooperative Appeal

Recently, Br. Steve Pardy shared with us about the work of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith and how all the good work is made possible by support “from the likes of you.”

The envelopes that were attached to the bulletin may be returned any time before the end of September. Thank you for your prayers and generosity!

Considering Becoming Catholic?

Are you beginning to search for a deeper meaning and purpose in your life? Would you like to explore a spiritual dimension inside yourself? Do you have a yearning to experience God in your life? You are invited to join our group of “seekers” who are just beginning to discover the joy of knowing God. We meet two Saturdays a month from 3:00-4:45pm and **you** are most welcome! For more information, contact Kathleen Bell at 760-809-6526 or 80bell80@gmail.com.

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. **For more information, visit www.stmoside.org/scrip.htm or contact the Scrip team at 760-758-4100 x150 or scrip@stmoside.org**

Looking for a Way to Be Involved?

Visit our website (www.stmoside.org) and click on Get Involved for an easy way to find the perfect ministry to fit your time and talent!



Welcome New Parishioners

Justin Autry & Alysha Mantanona-Aganon & Family
Bryce & Alicia Carrier & Family
Jose & Angela Flores & Family
Jerrold & Shannon Loo & Family
Frank Witt

Congratulations to

Michael & Ramona Hastings

who celebrate their 23th wedding anniversary August 15.

Bret & Joleen Schanzenbach

who celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary August 18.

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:

Daniel Robert Avila, who died on August 4. His Funeral Mass will be on Thursday, August 20, at 11:00am at St. Thomas More. Please keep his parents, Parishioners Consuelo and Darwin Mehlbrech, and his family in your prayers.

Lucy Retz, who died on August 10. Her funeral services will be in Yucca Valley. Her interment will be on Friday, September 4, at 10:00am, at Mission San Luis Rey in Oceanside. 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.

Local Hospitals with Catholic Chaplains Available

If you or a loved one is in one of these hospitals and need the ministry of a Catholic priest, please contact the Chaplain's Office to make the arrangements.

Hospital	Chaplain's Office
Tri-City	760-940-7954
Palomar	442-281-1328
Scripps Encinitas	760-633-7784
Scripps Green	858-554-3698
Scripps Mercy	619-260-7020
UCSD Thornton	619-543-2103
Kaiser Zion	619-528-5188

Vocations

Pope Francis, in his writings and talks has emphasized, time and again, the need for “worker” priests and religious, i.e., men and women who will carry the Gospel message, not only by word but more importantly by deed, to the marginalized, poor, and needy. Are you such a person? Do you have a calling from God to be his “worker”? If so, investigate how you can become such a “worker” as a priest or vowed religious. They are wonderful and challenging vocations. To investigate such a calling, contact Deacon Tom at thomasgoeltz@aol.com or 760-727-8442...or any priest, deacon, or religious. They will help you get started.

Readings for the Week Ahead

Sunday Year B; Weekday Year I
 Readings online at www.usccb.org.
Sunday, August 16 (119)
Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Proverbs 9:1-6
 Psalm 34:2-7
 Ephesians 5:15-20
 John 6:51-58
Monday, August 17 (419)
 Judges 2:11-19
 Psalm 106:34-37,39-40,43ab,44
 Matthew 19:16-22
Tuesday, August 18 (420)
 Judges 6:11-24a
 Psalm 85:9,11-14
 Matthew 19:23-30
Wednesday, August 19 (624)
John Eudes, priest
 Ephesians 3:14-19
 Psalm 131:1bcd,e,2-3
 Matthew 11:25-30
Thursday, August 20 (625)
Bernard, abbot, doctor
 Sirach 15:1-7
 Psalm 119:9-14
 John 17:20-26
Friday, August 21 (626)
Pius X, pope
 1 Thessalonians 2:2b-8
 Psalm 89:2-5,21-22,25,27
 John 21:15-17
Saturday, August 22 (424)
The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary
 Ruth 2:1-3,8-11;4:13-17
 Psalm 128:1b-5
 Matthew 23:1-12
Sunday, August 23 (122)
Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Joshua 24:1-2a,15-17,18b
 Psalm 34:2-3,16-21
 Ephesians 5:21-32
 John 6:60-69

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

The Avila & Mehlbrech Families
 Changa Aguilera
 Ernie Aichele
 Mary Alexander
 Carrie Autrey
 Joshua Avery
 Rosemary Ballard
 Dee Barakman
 Jose Luis Barbosa
 Patricia Barbour
 Francie Barron
 Clarice Bednarz
 John Bennici
 Regina Bentz
 Lisa Berg
 Roseanne Berg
 Mary Betz
 Betty Jean Bielich
 Pieter Boets & Family
 Zane Breier
 Beth Brewer
 Hannah Bronson
 Janet Brown
 Todd Brown
 Katie Browne
 Jack & Mary Bruzas
 Anita Buerger
 Shelby Campbell
 Brianne Campos
 Aria Cappeluti
 Jorge Cartajena
 Donald Cashmore
 The Vaughn Clevenger Family
 Carl & Dorothy Coleman
 James Coleman
 Steven Cresencia
 Lené Crowe
 Karen Flaharty Daley
 Beverly de Gelder
 Nick Del Sesto
 Paul Del Vecchio
 Hugo Delgado, Jr.
 Cassandra D'Ercole
 Christine DeSantis
 Cecilia DeSimone
 Carole Dillon
 The Dolnik Family
 Art & Dave Dossman
 La Vonne Dumas
 Marge Egan
 Jerome Elbacha
 Carolyn Erickson Ey
 Victoria Lopez Fenton
 The Fiore Family
 Fr. James Flanagan
 Mary Fleming
 Ryan Flum
 Ernie Follis
 Eugene Francisus
 Kathryn Franklin
 The Greg French Family
 Brian Frink
 Jim Gallagher
 The Joe Garcia Family
 Kathy Gardner
 Jack & Marge Gillen
 Wendy Gonzales' Dad
 Rick Gonzalez
 Tillie Gonzalez
 Lou Gordon
 Robert Graskemper
 George Gritt
 Fred Gritzen and Family
 Luke Guent
 Susan Hallahan
 Pat & Tom Hannon
 The Harker Family
 Dorothy Harrison
 Barbara Hatem
 Heidi Heaton
 Lilian Hills
 Lisa Lynn Hodges
 Mike Hofer
 Samara Hook
 Susan Hori
 Iolanda Iacobelli
 Patricia Jimenez
 Bradley Johnson
 Sue Johnston
 Laura Kater
 Dottie Kearney
 Paul Kennedy
 Connor Kerzie
 Peggy Kiernan
 Debbie Kinney
 Mark Kneisel
 Dewey Kolbo
 Tony Korwin
 Helen Kuhn
 Lillian Lachance
 The Lamelin Family
 Bart Landry
 Brandon LeBlanc
 Jeremiah Lemus
 The Paul LeuÉ Family
 The Lew Family
 Ashley Load
 Cassandra & Lauren Loretto
 Jack Lucarelli
 Joaquin Maldonado
 The Maldonado Family
 The Maldonado Trejo Family
 Paige Mansell
 Alexander Mathews
 Gloria Maupin
 Colleen McCall
 Virginia McConnell
 Bob McWilliams
 Joyce Meehan
 Kalei Mendiola
 Rita Mikrudge
 Tom Miller
 Phyllis Minaya
 June Mitchell
 June Montgomery
 Nancy Moore
 Elizabeth Muehlbacher
 Conrad Murphy
 Margie Myers
 Angela Nacional
 Melanie Nacional
 Nida Navarro
 Joe Nickel
 Richard Obsitnik
 Kare O'Dell
 Laura Paciorek Gloor
 Ethan Palm
 Salina Pearson
 Salina Pearson
 Elisa Petrie
 Helen Pingtella
 Delilah Plasterer
 Perry Postulka
 The Joe Prokop Family
 Barbara Ramm
 The Reyes Family
 Evelyn Richards
 Jan Riley
 The Ringel Family
 Rita Ritchie
 Lily Robinson
 Maria Rogers
 The Rubio Family
 The Russo Family
 Jennine Rybarczyk
 Rachel Sainc
 Cindy Sanelli
 Lori Sanna
 Linda Schmidt
 Joan Shea
 Elizabeth Shirzad
 Nick Soltau
 Drew Spangler
 Darek, Vanessa, & Elba Spizewski
 Don St. Pierre
 Patricia St. Pierre
 Sybil Staples
 Mike Sterling
 Laura Bernard Stover, MD
 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
 Martin Vertson
 Lucy Vienna
 Lucy Viramontes
 Vanessa Vitiello
 Wilson Wanner
 Kevin Watson-Graff
 Jerry Wechsler
 Patricia Zavala
 Jeanne Zeltner
 Martin Zschoche

Calendar Highlights

More details at www.stmoside.org,
 Schedule and Calendar
 Aug 16 Liturgy of the Word for
 Children at 8:30am and
 10:30am Masses
 Aug 18-19 Restaurant Fundraiser at
 Nucci's
 Aug 23 Knights of Columbus
 Breakfast
 Aug 23 Towers of Faith Reception
 Sep 1-3 Music Ministry Rehearsals
 Resume
 Sep 9 Gospel of Matthew Bible
 Study Begins
 Sep 16 Spirited Seniors Ice Cream
 Social
 Sep 19-20 Brother Benno's Toiletries
 Drive
 Sep 20 New Member Luncheon
 Oct 3 Treasures Rummage Sale
 Oct 4 Blessing of Animals
 Oct 9-11 Men's Retreat
 Nov 1 Pizza & Beer Party
 Dec 19 Christmas Cookie Exchange
2016
 Apr 29 STM Gala
 Jun 20-24 Vacation Bible School

Deployed Military

Gunnery Sgt. Fernando Andrade, Jr.
 1st Lt. Jeffrey Bauer, USMC
 Lt. Devon Czarzasty
 Chaplain Van Dinh
 Lance Corp. Brandon Doyle, USMC
 Capt. Branden M. Felker, USAF
 Patrick G. Felker, USN
 Grant Fischer
 Gy Sgt Julian Fyffe, USMC
 MSGT Steve Gallegos, USMC
 Sgt. Alex Garcia
 Adolfo Granados, MD, U.S. Navy
 PFC Samuel Haro, US Army
 Sr. Airman Stephan LaMothe, USAF
 Cpl Caleb Lemons, USMC
 PFC Cody Madere
 Jordan Millikan
 1st Lt. Jennifer Mozzetta
 Jeremiah Gabriel Nelson, USAF
 Thomas Kevin Nelson, US Navy
 Fireman Griffin Joseph Ochoa, US Navy
 Pvt. 2 Jess Phillips, US Army
 Nicole Rieger, US Navy
 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.

August 17 Sr. Mary Daniel McGinn, OSB
August 18 Sr. Rosanne McGrath, RSM
August 19 Sr. Eleanor McNally, CPPS
August 20 Sr. Michele McQueeney, OSF
August 21 Sr. Gloria de Maria Medina, HMSS
August 22 Sr. Luz Divina Medina, DCJ
August 23 Sr. Maria de la Paz Mejia, CVI

Mass Intentions
Saturday, August 15, 9:00am Deborah Anne Dowling ☩
Saturday, August 15, 5:00pm Zane Staebell ☩
Sunday, August 16, 8:30am Bill & Theresa Goeltz
Sunday, August 16, 10:30am Ernesto & Elena Voza ☩
Monday, August 17, 8:15am Dorothy Rouse ☩
Tuesday, August 18, 8:15am Maria Filipasic ☩
Wednesday, August 19, 8:15am Bill Linson ☩
Thursday, August 20, 8:15am Edward Ozuna ☩
Friday, August 21, 8:15am William Robert Daniels III ☩
Saturday, August 22, 9:00am Elsa Libreros ☩
Sunday, August 23, 8:30am Harold Phelan ☩
Sunday, August 23, 10:30am George Duarte Jr. ☩

Social Ministries & Outreach

Brother Benno's Toiletry Drive

Our annual toiletry and NEW underwear drive will take place the weekend of Sept 19-20. This year we are also asking for disposable diapers which are desperately needed. Any questions, contact Deacon Tom at thomasgoeltz@aol.com or 760-727-8442.

St. Bonaventure Clothing Drive

Are the kids going back to school and you find they have out grown last year's clothes? Have you finally started that long put off project of cleaning out your closets and storage areas and found those winter clothes you saved from when you lived in Chicago (or some such area) six years ago? The people served by St. Bonaventure Indian Mission are desperately in need of good, slightly used shoes and clothing for men, women, and children of all ages and of all types. (They are among the poorest people in our country and live in an area where the temperatures range from below zero to over one hundred degrees.). Our annual clothing drive is the second weekend in November...but please set aside such clothing now. For information, assistance or to answer any questions you might have, contact Deacon Tom at thomasgoeltz@aol.com or 760-727-8442.

STM Mental Health Ministry Network

Are you interested in participating in the Ministry team of the STM Mental Health Ministry Network to help serve as "prayerful companions" for fellow Parishioners experiencing mental health issues, walking with them through the treatment process, and helping to provide Parish-wide education on the subject of mental illness? For more information., contact Deacon John at 760-758-4100 x104 or johnf@stmoside.org.

Jail/Detention Ministry

Jesus said, "I was in prison and you visited me. What you did for the least of these you did for me." To volunteer and bring the gifts of presence, compassion, hope, and love to those in prison, call Rita at 760-758-4100 x100. For more information, visit www.diocese-sdiego.org/restore, where you will find information on not only visiting those in prison, but ways to provide support for victims or their families and ways to get involved with victim/offender mediation and reconciliation.

Social Justice Email "Hotline"

Do you ever wonder where you fit in the social justice picture? How do you respond as a Christian when a social justice issue arises?

Sign up to be on an email list to be informed about some of the issues the Parish Social Justice Committee is working on or be invited to participate in an event in North County.

Send your email address to: maureenb@stmoside.org

*You are not alone in your desire to follow
Jesus' call for justice for all God's children.*

Walking Ministry

Join the Walking Ministry on Tuesday mornings at 8:00am starting from the Parish Center parking lot. For more information, contact Diane Pal at 760- 815-2519.

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 Monday, August 17, at 10:00am at Buccaneer Beach Park in Oceanside.

There are many other events throughout the month posted on our private Facebook page. Join us! Contact Jen Abelson at jen.abelson@gmail.com.

Relationship Skills Workshop—Deacon John and Debbie Fredette will be presenting *Relationship Skills Workshops* every Wednesday evening at 7:00pm right here at St. Thomas More, beginning September 2 and ending December 9. Come and explore how to improve your relationships. You can attend one workshop, several, or all of them. The first workshop topic is *Building a Climate of Respect*. For more information call Deacon John at 760-758-4100 x104.

Civil to Church Marriage—Are you civilly married, but haven't yet been married in the church? Contact Fr. Mike at michaelr@stmoside.org to begin your preparation!

Bishops' Letter on Marriage—Parents-first evangelizers: "Not only do parents present their children for Baptism, but, having done so, they become the first evangelizers and teachers of the faith. They evangelize by teaching their children to pray and by praying with them. They bring their children to Mass and teach them biblical stories. They show them how to obey God's commandments and to live a Christian life of holiness." <http://www.usccb.org/loveandlife/>.

Marriage Moments— "...Live not as foolish persons, but as wise" (Ephesians 5:15). Dare you share with your beloved a foolish thing you've done during your life? More importantly, share one way that you see your beloved as wise (other than marrying you). By Susan Vogt, www.SusanVogt.net.

Parenting Pointers—Have a memory party. Pull out old photographs or songs from your youth. Enjoy. Maybe even organize those loose photos or digital files. 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.

Rosary

A communal Rosary is prayed after every weekday Mass (Monday-Friday) in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel. Please join us!



"A Closer Look" Tours Continue

We provide the hard hats, **you provide the closed-toe shoes!** Weekly tours are offered following the 8:30am Mass and before the 10:30am Mass. To make a reservation, please contact Chris Smith at chris@stmoside.org or 760-758-4100 x120.



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

Parish Events

Catholic Night at the Padres

Join your fellow Parishioners, our own padre, Father Mike, and other Catholics from around the diocese along with Bishop McElroy, to cheer for the Padres vs. the Cardinals on Friday, August 21, at 7:10pm for "Catholic Night" at Petco Park. Tickets are \$14.50 or \$25.00. Contact Deacon John at 760-758-4100 x104 to reserve your tickets or find out more information. Wear a WHITE jersey, t-shirt, or jacket to the game show our unity.

Women's Guild News

The Women's Guild of St. Thomas More is entering the final phase of their 2015-2016 Membership Drive. To be listed in the Membership Directory, please return your membership form soon. The annual dues are only \$10 a year, payable by check.

Men's Fellowship Update

Many of the men in our Men's Fellowship group get together on occasion to fellowship over a few beers at a local micro-brewery, take a day hike, throw a few horseshoes, catch a movie, or go to a ball game together. If you would like to know what's going on with the guys and perhaps join in on the fellowship, **text @ithirst to 23559** and receive SMS text messages of all the happenings...

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

Catholic Widows and Widowers of North County

See the bulletin board on the lower level for our complete monthly calendar including dining out, free concert, dancing, bowling, hiking, miniature golf, and bocce ball. RSVPs are required. For more information, call Carol Kope at 760-726-0533 or visit www.cwwnc.com.

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 July 29 we have netted \$58,252 from this program. Thank you donors!



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

Memorial Item Donations Available

Pipe Organ	\$850,000
Memorial Garden & Reflection Garden	
Landscape Concrete Walkways	\$80,000
Decomposed Granite Pathways with Header	\$24,000
Melrose Landscape Slope	\$15,000
Building Accent Lighting & Pole Fixtures	\$14,000
Drinking Fountains (2) 1 available	\$2,500/each
Audio Visual Systems	
Sound and Video Mixing Board	\$12,000
Video Screen (Motorized 21-foot)	\$9,000
Sound System Base Speaker	\$8,000
Sound System Cabling	\$5,000
Overflow Parking Lot Mulch	\$3,500

Memorial Item Donations Partial

Pew Seating for the Church (1,000) 776 available	\$300/each
Daily Mass Chapel and Choir Chairs (200) 99 available	\$300/each

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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 above 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



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

Treasures 2015—Save the Date! Saturday, October 3

Please mark your calendars and check your schedules to see how you may be able to help with our Treasures rummage sale this year. If you are interested in joining the Treasures Committee, please contact John and Wendy Murphy at 760-497-6117. We will need approximately 70 volunteers to help that weekend. Look for us after future Masses to sign up and watch the bulletin for details.

Liturgy & Music *Worship God*

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

SINGING THE MERCY OF GOD

looking ahead to the Holy Year of Mercy

*Adapted from
 J. Michael McMahon,
 former president of the
 National Association
 of Pastoral Musicians,
 from Celebration
 September 2015,
 with permission.*

As we begin another school year, many pastoral musicians are also starting the program year for their music ministry. Many choirs return from a summer break or at least from a less demanding schedule, and directors set about working on goals for the coming months.

This year musicians and other pastoral leaders will take account of the upcoming Holy Year of Mercy that Pope Francis has declared, beginning on December 8, the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception.

Proclaiming and singing the mercy of God is, of course, something that we already do on a regular basis. Each time we celebrate the Eucharist we sing and proclaim the compassion of God that reaches out to us in our sin and weakness. The Eucharist reveals God's merciful love for humanity as it makes present the Paschal Mystery of Christ's death and resurrection. We proclaim Christ's victory over sin and death and celebrate the profound love of God for weak and sinful human beings.

Every celebration of the Eucharist invites us to seek and proclaim the mercy of God. The introductory rites of the Mass, for example, always include one or more of the following: an act of penitence, the litany *Kyrie eleison*, and the sprinkling with blessed water. The mercy of God is likewise invoked in the eucharistic prayer, which proclaims God's great work of reconciliation in Christ, and in the immediate preparation for Communion, when all together pray in confidence, "but only say the word and I shall be healed."

The song of the community often includes the words "have mercy on us," such as the Gloria, the Agnus

Dei, and the Prayer of the Faithful. Because we are confident in God's will to save, we boldly stand together to seek and claim the mercy of God.

As we prepare for the Year of Mercy, it might be helpful to begin by spending some time reflecting on ways in which our community is already singing of God's compassionate love. If we pay very close attention to the psalms and hymns that we sing, I think that most of us would be surprised to discover how frequently in our song we praise God for compassionate love or seek God's mercy in our need.

The upcoming Year of Mercy can be a marvelous opportunity for all of us to delve into a deeper appreciation of God's compassionate love. The proclamation and celebration of God's unbounded mercy are already integral dimensions of the liturgy. The music we sing at liturgies during the coming year will help to enrich our encounter with Christ, the incarnate Mercy of God, in the weekly celebration of Word and Eucharist.

In fact, it already does.



John 6:51

Singing in a choir
 is cheaper than therapy,
 healthier than drinking,
 and more fun than working out!



Upcoming Music

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AUGUST 23
21st Sunday in
Ordinary Time

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5:00pm

Cantor &
 Congregation

8:30am

Cantor &
 Congregation

10:30am

Cantor &
 Congregation

New Altar Server Training

Saturday, August 22 | 1:00pm

Are you in 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, or 8th grade? An adult?

Contact Rebecca Eyer at psalm_23@live.com

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

REACH NEWS

If You Loved Our Vacation Bible School,
You Will Love Our Faith Formation Program!
Re-Enroll for the 2015-2016 REACH Year Today!
First Day of REACH is September 13!
Get your packet for registration today!

**NEW FAMILY REACH ORIENTATION
WILL BE HELD ON AUGUST 30
AT 9:45AM ON THE LOWER LEVEL**

Parents: We will be offering Adult Faith Formation once a month during our 12:30-2:00pm REACH sessions. Please attend this opportunity for faith and fellowship! Contact Debbie in the Faith Formation Office for more info.

Sacrament Prep News

Does your child need to make his/her Sacraments?
Would you like to know more about the process?
For more information on Sacrament Preparation please contact Debbie in the Faith Formation Office at 760.758.4100 x110 or debbief@stmoside.org .

Confirmation & Post-Confirmation Information Meetings for Parents and Teens Will be Held on Sunday, August 30. Year 1 Meeting will be held at 5:00pm, Year 2 Meeting will be held at 6:00pm, and Post-Confirmed meeting will be held at 7:00pm. Please plan to attend!

Adult Faith Formation

COMING SOON!

FREE RELATIONSHIP SKILLS WORKSHOP

Beginning Wednesday evening September 2
At 7:00pm

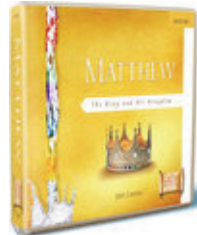
See flyer for further details or contact Debbie at debbief@stmoside.org.

Join Us for
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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:

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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.

Collection for Week of August 8/9, 2015

Number of Registered Households	1,152
Offertory	\$20,129.07
Offertory (Loose Collection)	\$892.00
Total	\$21,021.07

Mortgage/Building Completion Fund Income

September 15, 2014 to July 31, 2015

Mortgage Offering Collected	\$472,125.54
Less Administrative Costs	\$22,913.00
Payment toward Parish Reserves (10%)	\$44,921.25
Payment toward Mortgage	\$404,291.29
Mortgage Payment Due	\$463,726.10
Mortgage Payment Overage/(Shortfall)	(\$59,434.81)

Memorial Items	\$204,069.00
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Christian Stewardship Another Form of Progress and Development

It is not unusual that I have an immediate emotional or spiritual response to something I read. Recently, I had one such reaction when Pope Francis tweeted in June: "**A decrease in the pace of production and consumption can at times give rise to another form of progress and development.**"

Upon reading those words, my body relaxed and I felt at peace.

Though Pope Francis' comment was an insight directed at our environmental and human ecology, the potential outcome of such a decrease overwhelmed me. The thought of living in a world that was not production or consumption driven immediately created an image in my mind of what taking a step closer to the Kingdom might look like and it made me happy.

I imagined what we consistently talk about in stewardship becoming more of a reality. It was about taking time to receive God's gifts gratefully, nurture them responsibly, share them generously, and return them to God in abundance. It was about assessing our lives as followers of Jesus and as members of humankind. The statement was a call to set priorities that reflect a God-centered way of life and a change in understanding the definition of power and success.

As a baby boomer, I remember Sundays when the stores were closed and my family would take turns entertaining or visiting our cousins. On beautiful summer days we might spontaneously gather with our backyard neighbors (many of them widowed or retired) for a picnic. We scavenged our kitchens for ingredients to make a dish to pass around, put our lawn chairs in a circle, and spent the day together. It was simple, but yet some of the most wonderful memories of my childhood.

When I look at all of my children and grandchildren I would like for progress and development to reflect a faithful simplicity and generosity.



It would be a way of life that honors the earth and humankind. So, in the end, I want my children and grandchildren not to experience instant gratification and great wealth, but to experience lifelong joy. **That would be progress!**

—Partially excerpted, by Mary Ann Otto, Stewardship Director,
Diocese of Green Bay, WI—ICSC Stewardship e-bulletin,
August 2015 e-bulletin (with permission)

Throughout my life, time and again I've found that less is more. Giving is more rewarding than receiving. Spending quality time with family and friends is a gift that can never be replaced. God has richly blessed us all in so many ways. —Chris

Give thanks to God and enjoy the little things!

News & Information from the Larger Church

After-Abortion Healing Program: “The Healing Continues—Nurturing the Healing Hearts and Souls of Post-Abortive Women”—Saturday, August 29, 9:00am-5:00pm, Mission San Luis Rey, 4050 Mission Ave., Oceanside. A meditative/contemplative retreat. \$35 includes snacks, lunch, and materials. Confidential. For information and to register, contact Patti Smith at 760-305-8044 or gridirongranny@live.com.

Interfaith Community Services 2015 Annual Meeting—Wednesday, September 9, 11:00am-1:00pm, North Coast Church, 2405 N. Santa Fe Ave., Vista. You are invited to come and help guide strategic priorities for the coming year. RSVP by September 2 by visiting <http://tinyurl.com/qfkh5wu>.

St. Vincent de Paul Ladies Guild Membership Luncheon—Monday, September 14, 11:00am, Ladies Guild Room at St. Vincent de Paul Village, 1501 Imperial Ave., San Diego. For information, contact Janet Salus at 858-483-7911 or jsbolts@san.rr.com.

Women’s Retreat—September 18-20, Sacred Heart Retreat House, Alhambra. Come share a personal unique spiritual experience with talks given by Fr. Bruce Nieli, CSP, daily Mass, adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, meals together, and rosary procession. Carpooling available. For more information, contact Kim Severino at 760-622-5437 or Edie Sando at 760-940-1914.

Diocese of San Diego Ministers Conference—Saturday, September 19, 9:00am-4:30pm, Mater Dei Catholic High School, 1615 Mater Dei Dr., Chula Vista. Bishop McElroy will be the keynote speaker. Visit www.diocese-sdiego.org/cmc for more information and to sign up.

Sixth Annual “Pro-Life Is Good” Gala and Auction—October 10; keynote speaker is Lila Rose, director of Live Action; visit www.colfs.org for details. Sponsored by Culture of Life Family Services.

Life Perspectives’ Life Walk 2015—October 24; visit www.LPLifeWalk.com for details on walking and/or sponsoring.

Around the Diocese—Visit www.diocese-sdiego.org to learn more about activities available through the Diocese and other Parishes.

Abortion Clinic Closes—The North County Women’s Medical Clinic operated by Dr. Kung in San Marcos across from Cal State San Marcos closed permanently on August 1. Birth Choice of San Marcos is thankful to God for his amazing grace and encourages us to continue our prayers and support for women in crisis pregnancies that they may turn to pregnancy resource centers like Birth Choice.

Shoppportunity—Catholic Charities Thrift—Item donations appreciated. For more information, contact Yolanda Ungo, Program Manager, 760-631-2819.

Catholic Charities Food Resource Center Has Volunteer Opportunities for YOU!—Drivers, Daily Food Packers, Intake Workers, and Calfresh (food stamp) Advocate. For information call Marco Lemus at 760-631-4792.

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

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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.

Mission San Luis Rey Retreat Center in Oceanside has an ongoing schedule of retreats! Visit www.sanluisrey.org for more details.

Retrouvaille for Troubled Marriages—A program designed to help troubled marriages regain their health. It helps spouses uncover or re-awaken the love, trust, and commitment that originally brought them together. For confidential information or to register a weekend workshop, call 951-259-9474 or visit www.retrosandiego.org.

Natural Family Planning Course in San Diego—For more information and/or to register for the series, contact 619-303-5053 or davidandcherylross@gmail.com.

Diocese of San Diego Social Ministry Office Website: www.socialministrysandiego.com. Check it out and sign up for email notification of issues and events.

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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.

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	Integrating Our Liturgical Year into Faith Formation Programs	Terry Cotting-Mogan
	Leadership as Relationship: The Ethos of Designed Impact	John Galvan
	Pastoral Skills for Evangelizing Parishes	John Hurley, CSP
	Religious Freedom Today and Catholic Action	Ruben Quezada
	Restorative Justice - Transforming Lives, Strengthening Communities, Promoting Accountability	Mary Acosta and Andrea Travers
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	The Transformative Power of Everyday Stewardship	Tracy Earl Welliver
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	Discipleship: Old Testament Virtues Realized in the New Testament	Garrett Galvin, OFM
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	Evangelize by Becoming a Catechist: truy?n giao b?ng cach tr? Thanh giao ly vien	Vincent Nguyen
	Exodus: the Christian Heart of the Old Testament	Kevin Kennedy
	Healing the Wounds of Abortion through God's Mercy and Compassion	Leslie Brunolli and Patti Smith
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	Pastoral Skills for Evangelizing Parishes	John Hurley, CSP
	Prayer: Nourishment of our Mission	Ana Barraza
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	Taking Your Parish from Good to Great!	Raul Espericueta
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