

**SAINT
THOMAS
MORE
CATHOLIC
CHURCH**

*To whom shall we go?
You have the words of eternal life.*

—John 6:61



**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

Rev. Michael Ratajczak, Pastor
Rev. Karl Bauer, Senior Priest
Deacon John Fredette
Deacon Thomas A. Goeltz

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Construction Progress

Travertine floor tiles and
wooden louvers.

Visit www.stmoside.org
to see more photos!

**Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 23, 2015**

Pastor's Column

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

Towers of Faith—Be a Part of the Legacy!

The “**Towers of Faith**” is a grass-roots movement that has arisen due to the generosity of a number of parishioners who wanted to ensure that the treasure they would leave behind upon their death would be a sign of life for future generations and a legacy that would continue to support the build-out of our Parish Campus.

As participants of the “**Towers of Faith**,” program, these people share a common bond of overt generosity and visionary leadership which nourishes the ongoing success of our Parish.

The “**Towers of Faith**” have included St. Thomas More in their estate planning—through Designated Beneficiary Accounts, Life Insurance, Wills, Living Trusts, Stocks, and Gifts of Property. In some fashion, St. Thomas More is remembered, just as they remember family members and friends!

“**Towers of Faith**” is an important part of our future support. It helps to ensure that we can confidently move into the future and meet “head-on” the challenges that await us.

The Members of the “**Towers of Faith**” are the pioneers who are setting the example and encouraging other Parishioners to follow their lead. Included in the Bulletin today is a flyer that lists our Towers of Faith: those who have become members in previous years, those who are becoming members this year, and as always, the list of members that have gone before us in death. It is my hope that you would consider remembering St. Thomas More in your estate planning and participating in this venture that is so vital to our future.

This year’s “**Towers of Faith**” reception is taking place today, Sunday, August 23, 2015. At this reception which is being held at the Shadowridge Country Club, we will break bread together again and celebrate with those who have chosen to be a part of the legacy. We will remember and honor those “**Towers of Faith**” who have gone before us in death, and we will recognize and honor our newest members.

If you would like more information, please contact Chris Smith, our Director of Stewardship and Development, at 760-758-4100 x120 or chris@stmoside.org. She will be more than happy to answer any questions that you may have.

Become Towers of Faith—be a part of the legacy!

F. Mike



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!

In Appreciation

On behalf of Culture of Life Family Services, I want to thank you for welcoming us and for supporting our Baby Bottle Drive. We praise God for his provision through you of \$1,001.31 (2 Cor 9:12-15). Your partnership allows us to provide resources and care for families in need. Because of your generosity, we will be able to offer free ultrasounds, giving mothers and fathers the opportunity to see their baby for the first time! We will also be able to ease their minds about medical expenses so they are able to embrace and enjoy the miracle of life with which God is blessing them. Our pro-life physicians are also pleased to continue serving the medical needs of your Parishioners!

—*For life! Sara Littlefield, Birth Choice*

Rosary

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



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**

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.

Welcome New Parishioners

Joseph & Margaret Dudkowski
Brad Kaiser & Christie Gangnath
Tina Lazcano & Family
Tam & Ngoc Tran

Congratulations to

Michael & Barbara Sullivan

who celebrated their 52nd wedding anniversary August 17.

Bill & Theresa Goeltz

who celebrated their 9th wedding anniversary August 19.

Ezio & Rita Morici

who celebrate their 34th wedding anniversary August 22.

Richard & Marcy Bernier

who celebrate their 44th wedding anniversary August 23.

George & Joan Jones

who celebrate their 10th wedding anniversary August 26.

Bill & Betty Nelson

who celebrate their 63rd wedding anniversary August 27.

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 **George & Joan Jones** in honor of their wedding anniversary.



In Memoriam



Please pray for the repose of the souls of:

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.

Bradley Johnson, who died on August 17. His Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Wednesday, September 9, at 10:30am at St. Thomas More. Please keep his wife, Helen, 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.

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

Readings for the Week Ahead
 Sunday Year B; Weekday Year I
 Readings online at www.usccb.org.

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

Monday, August 24 (629)
Bartholomew
 Revelation 21:9b-14
 Psalm 145:10-13,17-18
 John 1:45-51

Tuesday, August 25 (630)
Louis of France
 Isaiah 58:6-11
 Psalm 112:1-9
 John 13:34

Wednesday, August 26 (427)
 1 Thessalonians 2:9-13
 Psalm 139:7-12b
 Matthew 23:27-32

Thursday, August 27 (632)
Monica
 Sirach 26:1-4,13-16
 Psalm 131:1bcd,e,2-3
 Luke 7:11-17

Friday, August 28 (633)
Augustine
 1 John 4:7-16
 Psalm 119:9-14
 Matthew 23:8-12

Saturday, August 29 (634)
The Passion of St. John the Baptist
 Jeremiah 1:17-19
 Psalm 71:1-4a,5-6ab,15ab,17
 Mark 6:17-29

Sunday, August 30 (125)
Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Deuteronomy 4:1-2,6-8
 Psalm 15:2-5
 James 1:17-18,21b-22,27
 Mark 7:1-8,14-15,21-23

Mass Intentions	
Saturday, August 22, 9:00am	Elsa Libreros ☩
Sunday, August 23, 8:30am	Harold Phelan ☩
Sunday, August 23, 10:30am	George Duarte Jr. ☩
Monday, August 24, 8:15am	Shirley Loggins ☩
Tuesday, August 25, 8:15am	Geri Barton
Wednesday, August 26, 8:15am	Mike Ayub ☩
Thursday, August 27, 8:15am	Wendy Waite Bartha ☩
Friday, August 28, 8:15am	Robert Falconer ☩
Saturday, August 29, 9:00am	Celine Summer ☩
Sunday, August 30, 8:30am	Cesarina Morelli ☩
Sunday, August 30, 10:30am	Josephine Nelson ☩

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

Changa Aguilera
 Ernie Aichele
 Mary Alexander
 Carrie Autrey
 Joshua Avery
 Rosemary Ballard
 Dee Barakman
 Jose Luis Barbosa
 Patricia Barbour
 Francie Barron
 Clarice Bednarz
 Joyce Belanger
 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
 Judy Colson
 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 Franciscus
 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
 Bill & Mary Haynes
 Heidi Heaton
 Lilian Hills
 Lisa Lynn Hodges
 Mike Hofer
 Samara Hook
 Susan Hori
 Iolanda Iacobelli
 Patricia Jimenez
 The Johnson Family
 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
 The Mehlbrech & Avila Families
 Bob McWilliams
 Joyce Meehan
 Kalei Mendiola
 Rita Mikridge
 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 Saine
 Cindy Sanelli
 Lori Sanna
 Linda Schmidt
 Teresa Shaffer
 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 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

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

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.

July 24	Sr. Helen Lembeck, MMS
July 25	Sr. Katie Lett, CPPS
July 26	Sr. Cecile Ley, RSM
July 27	Sr. Socorro Leyva-Pinal, MFP
July 28	Sr. M. Tarcisius Lim, MC
July 29	Sr. Theresa Lisak, MM
July 30	Sr. Carmel Lohan, RSM

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. 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.

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.

Bishops' Letter on Marriage—Marriage and the Community: "The marital vocation is not a private or merely personal affair. Yes, marriage is a deeply personal union and relationship, but it is also for the good of the Church and the entire community." <http://www.usccb.org/loveandlife/>.

Marriage Moments—Since we're in baseball season, consider tip #1 from Becoming An All-Star Team in the Major League of Marriage by Jack & Jane Katenkamp: "They accept the idea of the sacrifice fly (making sacrifices for your mate)." Is there a sacrifice you can make today? By Susan Vogt, www.SusanVogt.net.

Parenting Pointers— "As for me and my household, we will serve the Lord." (Joshua 24:15) As children grow older they often balk at doing "religious" stuff with their family. Be creative about inviting your children into faith experiences. Ask what THEY think would be a meaningful way to "serve the Lord." It might seem crazy, but try it once. 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.

"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

Women's Guild News

As our summer months wane, the Women's Guild Board of Directors is in preparation for a year of activities that will prove to be exciting, spiritual, fun, and educational. First and foremost, if you haven't done so already, pick up your membership renewal form either from Box 35 on the lower level or download it from the STM website, complete it, and turn it in ASAP. Dues remain at \$10 for the entire year (checks payable to STM Women's Guild). The Women's Guild 2015-2016 Directory is in the works, and we want it to be as accurate and current as possible. Also mark your calendar for Monday, September 14, at 11:00am for the season's first luncheon meeting, so reserve your spot by calling our new Hospitality Chair, Anna Robinson, at 760-842-5205. It's important to let her know how many we need to plan a meal for. Genevieve Green, our Program Chair, has some exciting news of upcoming programs—don't miss it!

I look forward to seeing you and hope that my first year as President is a very special and rewarding experience, not only for me, but for you wonderful ladies who are so inspiring to me. Have a blessed rest of the summer! See you in September, as the song goes. —*Kathy Gerhard, president*

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 or take a day hike. 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

Treasures 2015—Save the Date! Saturday, October 3

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.

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
Clergy Vestments for the Dedication of the Church and Other Celebrations Priests' Chasubles (Bishop McElroy, Fr. Mike Ratajczak, Fr. Karl Bauer, Fr. Rich Lewandowski, Fr. Peter McGuine, and Fr. Bob White) (6) 6 available	\$400/each
Deacons' Dalmatics (Deacon Tom Goeltz and Deacon John Fredette) (2) 2 available	\$400/each
Matching Pall when Vestments are used for Funerals (1) 1 available	\$500/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.

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.

Liturgy & Music *Worship God*

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

SINGING A NEW SONG IN A NEW PLACE

Sanctuary Choir in residence at Grace Cathedral



San Francisco's Grace Cathedral

The Sanctuary Choir has been invited to sing at San Francisco's Grace Cathedral next June as part of a three-day residency for 120 singers who will be preparing and presenting Gabriel Fauré's *Requiem* in concert with orchestra and soloists at the cathedral on Monday evening, June 6, 2016.

The choir will prepare the *Requiem* over the next nine months, culminating in a performance in our new permanent church as part of a Memorial Day weekend concert on Sunday, May 29, followed by the Grace Cathedral residency the next weekend. Throughout the year, we will be singing individual movements from this choral masterpiece as part of our ongoing ministry to the faith community of St. Thomas More.

I have been asked by members of the choir, "Why go to San Francisco?" My response is to ask them, "Why do people travel to the Holy Land? Or why do our youth go to the Steubenville San Diego conference? Or why do so many people attend the Los Angeles Religious Education Congress?"

The answer is that we all want to grow in faith. In this case, we want to grow our talent so that our faith might be better expressed in every part of our lives. It isn't about the destination. It's about the journey. Every

aspect of our learning the *Requiem* will make us better singers, will make us better ministers, will make us better Christians. Singing this music will be a faith journey, a pilgrimage of sorts.

As we embark on this nine-month pilgrimage, we need your help.

First, please pray for the Sanctuary Choir as we begin this journey. It will be a great musical adventure, which produces, for some, great excitement, and, for others, great trepidation. Your prayers will ensure the Spirit will work through the Sanctuary Choir in wonderful ways.

Second, please consider offering financial support. I am hoping somebody—or somebodies—will underwrite the \$685 total cost of the sheet music, and I also hope that many of us can offer some scholarship support for singers that are not quite able to afford the cost of the trip, including some who are on a fixed income. We have attached an envelope to the bulletin this week for this purpose. Any support you can give would be appreciated.

Finally, please consider joining the Sanctuary Choir in September. If you have been on the fence about singing with the choir in the past, this is a fantastic opportunity to join us. The new choir year is about to begin, and there are great opportunities for ministry ahead (and a guaranteed seat at the Dedication Mass!). You can join us in San Francisco, or not. Either way you get to experience the great joy of singing beautiful music to the praise and glory of our Lord.

I look forward to sharing the journey with you.

—Douglas



John 6:61

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If I were not a physicist,
 I would probably be a musician.
 I often think in music.
 I live my daydreams in music.
 I see my life in terms of music.

Albert Einstein

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Upcoming Music

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AUGUST 30
22nd Sunday in
Ordinary Time

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5:00pm
 Cantor &
 Congregation

8:30am
 Cantor &
 Congregation

10:30am
 Cantor &
 Congregation

MUSIC MINISTRY START-UP

Tower Bells
 Tuesday, September 1, 7:00pm

Praise Team
 Wednesday, September 2, 6:30pm
 Contact Joleen at 760-295-7170 or
 joleens@stmoside.org

Sanctuary Choir
 Thursdays, September 3, 7:00pm

Cappella Choir
 Thursday, September 3, 9:00pm
 Contact Douglas (top right of page)

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 to register today!

**REACH FAMILY ORIENTATION
WILL BE HELD ON AUGUST 30TH AT 9:45AM
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**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 at
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hear about our programs!

Adult Faith Formation

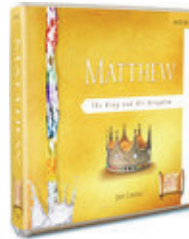
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Towers of Faith is a movement that has arisen due to the visionary leadership and generosity of several of our Parishioners. We stress that this is not about the gift amount, but rather the love and thought behind the gift.

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.

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 15/16, 2015	
Number of Registered Households	1,156
Offertory	\$6,997.32
Offertory (Loose Collection)	\$998.00
Total	\$7,995.32

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)
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Memorial Items	\$204,069.00
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We live in the "now," but we know that death will come to each of us "then." The uneasy feeling that certain death gives us makes us ask why we came if it was only going to disappear some seventy-odd years later.

But Jesus' resurrection is the event that tells us that eternal life, timeless time, begins in knowing him. Everlasting life has already begun! It means that there is an end to time, but that death will change us, not destroy us.

The resurrection of the dead is the other half of the "now" which is better in every way.

When Jesus tells us to take no thought for tomorrow, He is not saying that death won't come, nor that there will be no judgment. He is telling us to begin living in eternity now. If death ends time as we know it tomorrow, the plans we made yesterday won't make any difference.



- But today matters because:
- * today we love our neighbors,
 - * today we help the poor,
 - * today we pray,
 - * and today we give with thanksgiving.

Today is the only day we have to give our talent and treasure, and to selflessly share our time.

In this way we experience the beginning of eternity and any regret about missed opportunities slowly dies. Seize the day!

—partially excerpted from Parish Publishing, *Stewardship August 2015* (with permission)

Carpe diem ~ Seize the day!

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.

Birth Choice Evening with Marc Newman: Developing a Case for Pro-Life—Wednesday, September 2, 6:30-8:00pm, Mission Hills Church, 400 Mission Hills Ct., San Marcos.

SCRC Catholic Renewal Convention—September 4-6, Anaheim Convention Center. Visit www.scrc.org.

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>.

San Lorenzo Ruiz Feast Day Celebration—Everyone is invited to the diocesan celebration of the Feast Day of San Lorenzo Ruiz on Saturday, September 12, at St. Mary Catholic Church, National City. The day begins with the final novena prayers at 10:00am followed by the Holy Liturgy at 11:00am. After Mass, there will be a reception in the Parish Center where a feast of Filipino food awaits. This is a free event.

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.

Annual Solutions for Change “Evening to Remember” with Our American Heroes—Saturday, September 19, 5:00-11:00pm, JetSource Hangar, Carlsbad Airport. \$375 per person. For more information or to reserve a spot at the STM table, contact Chris Smith at 760-758-4100 x120 or chriss@stmoside.org.

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.

Retreat in Daily Life—You are invited to take part in a “Retreat in Daily Life,” with the Sisters of Providence of Saint Mary-of-the-Woods, Indiana. The retreat is an eight-month focus on everyday prayer for people of all faith traditions. The retreat is facilitated by Sister Mary Moloney. It will begin in October. Cost to participate is \$60 per month, plus a one-time \$40 supply fee. Registration will take place between July 15 and August 31. For

more information or to register, contact Jeanne Frost at 812-535-2952 or jfrost@spsmw.org.

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.

Young Adult Opportunities around the Diocese

Mega-Mass, Sunday, August 23, 6:00pm, Church of the Immaculata, USD.

Retreat, September 18-20, with speakers Andrew Laubacher and Mary Bielski.

Ultimate Frisbee, Mondays, 5:30-7:30pm, Liberty Station.

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Natalie and Mike Provinse
Rev. Michael Ratajczak
Jana and Randy Reznicek
Kathy and Paul Santy
Christina Smith
Masako and Carl Streling
Mary Lou and Frank Thompson
Barbara and Ed Upson
Elaine Weiler
(Two anonymous households)

Welcome New Towers of Faith

Patricia Barbour
Mary and Frank Coxon
Laura and Doug D'Agrosa
Jennifer and Andy Frost
Patricia and Tom Hannon
Betty and Bill Nelson
Alvin Rouse
Elizabeth Shirzad
John Walsh

† In Memoriam †

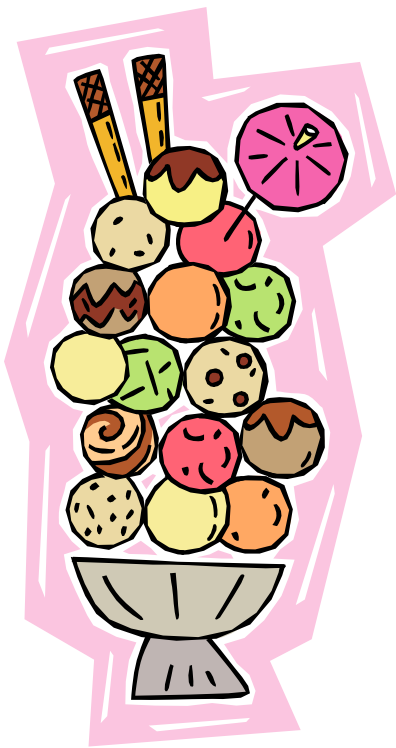
Carl Bechtold
Michael Bosak
Hazel and George Bronzan
Jean and Lew Crowell
Jack Dale
Betty and Larry Dorsa
G. Jay Falkenstein
Virginia Frost
Lois Garth
Barbara Geiss
Charles "Bob" Hall
Jim Kilian
Lillian Luisi
William Mazarella
Patrick McCarthy
Richard McGeary
Beverley and Leo Miller
Ralph Mueller
Mary Anne Palmer
Connie Ringel
Maurine Shaughnessy
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Fourth Annual FREE Ice Cream Social

Sponsored by the Spirited Seniors
Wednesday, September 16, 6:30-8:00pm
Parish Center, Lower Level



All members and prospective members (age 50+) welcome!
**Deadline for reservations:
Monday, September 14**



Please complete the reservation form. Place it in an envelope marked "Spirited Seniors Ice Cream Social" and return it to the offertory collection or the Parish Office, Box 12, by September 14.

For more information, contact Jim or Marilyn Day at 760-509-4545.



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Name(s):	Telephone:	Today's Date:
Guest Name(s):	<input type="checkbox"/> I need a non-dairy option <input type="checkbox"/> I'm already a member of the Spirited Seniors <input type="checkbox"/> I'd like to become a member of the Spirited Seniors Enclosed is \$___ for ___ memberships at \$10 each.	
Email:		