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Mass Schedule Saturday at 5:00pm Sunday at 8:30am and 10:30am Tuesday-Friday at 8:15am

**Eucharistic Adoration** Monday-Friday, 6:30am-7:30pm

> Reconciliation (Confession) Saturday, 4:00-4:30pm

#### June 16, 2013 • Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

# 2013 Pastor's Dinner Excursion Celebrate Fr. Mike's 65th Birthday!

Sunday, September 29, 1:30-6:00pm

#### Reserve Now

Let the good times roll! \$250/person (\$125 tax deduction) All payments due by August 15



For information, please contact Chris Smith 760-758-4100x120 or chriss@stmoside.org

### Pastor's Column

#### **Quotable Quotes About Fathers**

This weekend we celebrate the National Holiday of Father's Day. In honor of this day, I share with you a variety of quotes about Fathers. Some are serious and sincere, some are in jest, and some are painfully true. All are meant to call attention to Fatherhood, its importance, and to encourage all men to be faithful to their responsibilities to be good husbands and fathers.

Charles Wadsworth (1814-1882): "By the time a man realizes that maybe his father was right, he usually has a son who thinks he's wrong."

Mark Twain (1835-1910): "When I was a boy of fourteen, my father was so ignorant I could hardly stand to have the old man around. But when I got to be twenty-one, I was astonished at how much the old man had learned in seven years."

Robert Frost (1874-1963): "The father is always a republican toward his son, and his mother is always a democrat."

Peter De Vries (1910-1993): "My father hated radio, and he could not wait for television to be invented so that he could hate that too."

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

Robert Orben (1927-): "Life was a lot simpler when what we honored was father and mother rather than all major credit cards."

Spike Milligan (1918-2002): "My father had a profound influence on me, he was a lunatic."

Sigmund Freud (1856-1939): "I cannot think of any need in childhood as strong as the need for a father's protection."

Charles Lamb (1775-1834): "I am determined that my children shall be brought up in their father's religion, if they can find out what it is."

Rev. Theodore Hesburgh (1917-): "The most important thing that a father can do for his children is to love their mother."

Clarence B. Kelland (1881-1964): "My father didn't tell me how to live; he lived, and let me watch him do it."

In prayer, we remember all our fathers, living and deceased. Happy Father's Day!



#### Flower Donations

The Altar Flowers for this weekend were given by **Carl and Masako Streling** in thanksgiving.



To all our friends:

Thank you for your amazing and caring companionship, for your prayers, for your cards of good wishes during Carl's surgery and recovery period. Thank you for being you, STM.

Carl & Masako Streling

#### **Peter's Pence Collection**

This annual collection provides the Holy Father with the funds he needs to carry out his most important charitable works. The proceeds benefit the most disadvantaged: victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Your gift makes you a pilgrim of charity around the globe. Envelopes were attached to the bulletin recently and may be returned any time during the month of June. Please be generous. Thank you!

#### A Pilgrimage to Poland

September 13-21 with Fr. Rich Lewandowski. Fly out of Boston. Includes visits to many historic sites, churches, and shrines. For more information, pick up a flyer at the information table on the Plaza or the Parish Office or contact Paul Pizzo at Durgan Travel Service at 781-438-2224 x118.

#### Congratulations to

#### **August and Barbara Panella**

who are celebrating their 57th wedding anniversary on June 16 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 soul of:

Matthew Christenson, who died on June 5. His Funeral Mass was on June 13. Please keep his family in your prayers.

**Lillian Hazzard**, who died on May 28. Her Funeral Mass will be celebrated on **Monday**, **June 17**, at 11:00am at St. Thomas More. Please keep her family in your prayers.

**Danuta Wojciechowski,** who died on March 29. Her Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Friday, June 21, at 11:00am at St. Thomas More. Please keep her family in your prayers.

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

#### **Our Mission is to:**

#### worship God,

In addition to Mass, Reconciliation, and Eucharistic Adoration (see page 1 for schedules), there are opportunities to participate in liturgical and music ministries.

For further information, contact Douglas Lynn,
Director of Liturgy and Music,
at 760-758-410 x140 or douglasl@stmoside.org
Matrimony (9 months advance notice required),
communion for the sick/homebound, and anointing
are available by request

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

#### teach and live the Gospel of Jesus Christ,

There are programs for faith development and enrichment for all ages, including preparation for celebrating the sacraments.

For further information, contact Kathleen Bell, Director of Faith Formation, at 760-758-4100 x110 or kathleenb@stmoside.org.

#### and serve God's people in word and deed.

There are many groups who serve our Parishioners and provide outreach to the local community (see page 10).

For further information, contact Chris Smith, Director of Stewardship and Development, at 760-758-4100 x120 or chriss@stmoside.org.

See page 10 or www.stmoside.org for more details.

# Readings for the Week Ahead

Sunday Year C; Weekday Year I Readings online at www.usccb.org.

**Sunday, June 16** (93)

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

2 Samuel 12:7-10,13 Psalm 32:1-2,5,7,11

Galatians 2:16,19-21

Galatians 2:16, Luke 7:36–8:3

Monday, June 17 (365)

2 Corinthians 6:1-10

Psalm 98:1-4

Matthew 5:38-42

**Tuesday, June 18** (366)

2 Corinthians 8:1-9 Psalm 146:2 5-9a

Psalm 146:2,5-9a Matthew 5:43-48

Wednesday, June 19 (367)

St. Romuald, abbot

2 Corinthians 9:6-11

Psalm 112:1-4,9

Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18 **Thursday, June 20** (368)

2 Corinthians 11:1-11

Psalm 111:1-4,7-8

Matthew 6:7-15

Friday, June 21 (369)

St. Aloysius Gonzaga, religious 2 Corinthians 11:18,21-30

2 Corinthians 11:18,21-Psalm 34:2-7

Matthew 6:19-23

Saturday, June 22 (370)

St. Paulinus of Nola, bishop;

Sts. John Fisher, bishop, and Thomas More, martyrs

Thomas More, martyrs 2 Corinthians 12:1-10

Psalm 34:8-13

Matthew 6:24-34

**Sunday, June 23** (96)

Feast of St. Thomas More

1 Peter 4:12-19

Psalm 126:1-6

Romans 6:3-4,8-11

Matthew 10:34-38

#### Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 15, 5:00pm Annamae & Marie Lavelle &

Sunday, June 16, 8:30am George Brown ❖

Sunday, June 16, 10:30am Josephine Stephens 🕏

Tuesday, June 18, 8:15am Father's Day Triduum

Wednesday, June 19, 8:15am Father's Day Triduum

Thursday, June 20, 8:15am Father's Day Triduum

Friday, June 21, 8:15am Terence Flanagan 🕆

Saturday, June 22, 5:00pm Virginia Dunbar

Sunday, June 23, 8:30am Sylvana Vettese ♥

Sunday, June 23, 10:30am Cosmo Nocida 🌣 Prayer List (Call 760-758-4100 x102 to add a name for four weeks.)

Changa Aguilera Mary Alexander Lucia Ambriz Karen Ashby Carrie Autrey Mary Balli Jose Luis Barbosa Patricia Barbour Clarice Bednarz John Bennici Regina Bentz Lisa Berg Roseanne Berg Mary Betz Betty Jean Bielich

Betty Jean Bielich Monica Broussard Janet Brown Todd Brown Anita Buerger Bridget Buford Shelby Campbell Brianne Campos

Brianne Campos Claudia Caplinger Paul Cassidy Bobbi Clarke Marilyn Clarke Dolly Cole Carl Coleman James Coleman

Thomas Cornwell & Family Carol Costa

Lené Crowe Karen Flaharty Daley Beverly de Gelder Art Dossman Dave Dossman John Drazkowski, Jr.

La Vonne Dumas Connor Eberhard Carolyn Erickson Ey Danielle Esper

Sharon Evans Victoria Lopez Fenton The Fiore Family The Frank Flanagan Family

Ryan Flum Eugene Franciscus Kathryn Franklin

Joe Freire The Greg French Family Brian Frink

Jim Gallagher
The Joe Garcia Family
Kathy Gardner

Kathy Gardner
Jack & Marge Gillen
Wendy Gonzales' Dad
Rick Gonzalez
Debbie Goodknight

Rosemary Haeffelin Susan Hallahan Pat & Tom Hannon The Harker Family

Pat & Tom Hannon The Harker Family Barbara Hatem

The Hazzard Family Lilian Hills Susan Hori

Iolanda Iacobelli Linda Iacobelli Bennett Sue Johnston

George Jones
Betty Karch
Paul Kennedy

Peggy Kiernan Debbie Kinney Dewey Kolbo Sr. Anne Kremenik

Helen Kuhn Lillian Lachance The Lamelin Family The Lawrence Family

Brandon LeBlanc Jeremiah Lemus Claudia Leué The Paul Leué Family

The Paul Leué Family Ashley Load Cassandra Loretto Lauren Loretto

James MacArthur Joaquin Maldonado Paige Mansell Al Mathews Chandler May x102 to add a name for four weeks.)
Tony McCloskey

Bob McWilliams Joyce Meehan Kalei Mendiola Bill Metzger Phyllis Minaya June Mitchell June Montgomery Nancy Moore Elizabeth Muehlba

Nancy Moore Elizabeth Muehlbacher Conrad Murphy Margie Myers Noble Family Richard Obsitnik Bernadette Padovan Art Palle Ethan Palm

Ethan Palm Lupe Casas Pelletier Helen Pingtella Marilyn Pirkola Douglas Price-Williams Barbara Ramm

Rita Ritchie Adela Rivera Elena Rivera Patricia Robles Maria Rogers Dorothy Rouse The Russo Family Cindy Sanelli Linda Schmidt

The Douglas E. Schulte Family

Joan Shea
Elizabeth Shirzad
Richard Sikora
Beth Snyder
Nick Soltau
Fred & Gilda Spie

Pred & Gilda Spiegl Darek, Vanessa, & Elba Spizewski Patricia St. Pierre The Staehr Family

Patricia St. Pierre The Staehr Family Ted Stanislawski Robert Stewart Pete Sullivan David Sweet

Tommy & Ginger Thompson Sarah Tillinghast William Tompson

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William Tompson
Stephen Toth, Jr.
Mary Tysko & Family
Barbara Upson
Ethel & Bob Vanderhagen

Corrie & Robert Vasquez Vanessa Vitiello Kevin Watson-Graff Sue Welch

Sue Welch John Whitton Helen Wodyka Erin Young Patricia Zavala

#### **Deployed Military**

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

Gunnery Sgt. Fernando Andrade, Jr.

1st Lt. Jeffrey Bauer, USMC

CPL Greg Bergman
PFC John Brandone
Maj. Tom Browne, Jr., USMC
1st Sgt Christian B. Bull, USMC
Corp. Willie Deel
Chaplain Van Dinh
Lance Corp. Brandon Doyle, USMC
StfSgt Evans Formica, USMC
Grant Fischer
MSGT Steve Gallegos, USMC
Sgt. Alex Garcia
PFC Samuel Haro, US Army
Staff Sgt. Travis M. Meyers, USAF
1st Lt. Janelle Peske, USMC
Pvt. 2 Jess Phillips, US Army
Sr. Airman Robert Spear, USAF
Tyler Timmerman, US Army
Sgt. Charles Watts, USMC

#### **Calendar Highlights**

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

June 16	Liturgy of the Word for Children at 8:30am and
	10:30am Masses
June 21	Family Night
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June 22	Altar Server Training
June 23	Liturgy of the Word for
	Children at 8:30am and
	10:30am Masses
Jul 15-19	Vacation Bible Camp:
	Kingdom Rock!
Aug 16	Family Night
Oct 5	Treasures 2013
Sept 8	Religious Education Classes
•	begin
Sep 29	Pastor's Dinner/Excursion
Oct 11-13	Men's Fellowship Retreat
Oct 27	New Member Reception
Oct 28	STM Golf Tournament at
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Questions? Contact Henny at 760-758-4100 x100 hennyj@stmoside.org.

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#### **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.

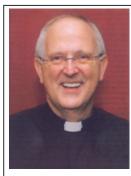
June 17		
Sr. Juana Pereyra, SJS		
June 18		
Sr. Damien Peters, FDC		
June 19		
Sr. M. Genevieve Pistacchio, CSN		
June 20		
Sr. Mary Potter, RSM		
June 21		
Sr. Mary Alice Prieto, DCJ		
June 22		
Sr. Barbara Quinn, RSCJ		
June 23		
Sr. M. Krista Ramirez, RSM		
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#### Social Ministries/Outreach

#### Support La Posada Men's Shelter

La Posada de Guadalupe Men's Shelter resides in our Parish boundaries and is run by Catholic Charities. Almost nineteen years have passed since La Posada opened its doors to offer not only food and shelter to homeless men, but help in achieving independence by providing tools such as money management, English instruction, assistance in finding jobs and permanent housing—all in a genuinely caring and inspiring environment.

Each year we support La Posada by participating in their Independence Day Raffle. Almost every year, one of our Parishioners wins one of the prizes! This year may be your turn! Tickets will be sold after all Masses this weekend. Suggested donation: \$5 per ticket.



#### Sad News from New Orleans

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Fr. Michael Jacques, the Pastor of St. Peter Claver Parish in New Orleans, who died of heart failure on June 6. Many of our Parishioners went to New Orleans and worked with Parishioners from St. Peter Claver in rebuilding their homes after hurricane Katrina from 2007 -2009. Fr. Michael and our Fr. Mike traded Parishes one weekend, so many of you

may remember Fr. Michael when he came here. Fr. Michael was a dedicated, inspiring, and energetic leader not only of his Parish but in the total rebuilding of New Orleans.

May he rest in peace. Please keep Fr. Michael's family and Parishioners in your prayers.

#### **Annual Catholic Appeal**

The Diocesan Catholic Appeal (ACA) continues. Money raised throughout the Diocese supports the ongoing ministries of the Diocese. Our fair share assessment is \$48,000. Presently we have raised \$46,403, given by 366 families. Thanks to all who have contributed! We still need \$1,597—can you help?

#### **STM Vehicle Donation Program**

Do you have a vehicle you want to donate?
The St. Thomas More program is easy!
Call us, and we'll have it picked up.
You get the tax deduction!
All we need is clear title. Non-operational is OK!
Since 2006 we have netted over \$37,350
from this program. Thank you donors!









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

#### Marriage & Family Life

**Bringing the Celebration Home**—It's Father's Day! Children follow in their father's footsteps...print your child's shoe inside a print of dad's. Get step-bystep photo instructions at: <a href="http://enterundermyroof.blogspot.com">http://enterundermyroof.blogspot.com</a>



The Bishops' Letter on Marriage—Parents-first evangelizers: 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." To read the document go to <a href="http://www.usccb.org/loveandlife/">http://www.usccb.org/loveandlife/</a>.

Marriage Moments— How does your life honor your father? What's one positive thing you learned from your father about life? Share this part of your history with your spouse. You might also acknowledge the fathers who come by their role indirectly (foster and adoptive fathers, fathers-in-law, step fathers, and those who have been like a father to you. What have you learned from them. Honor an honorary father this week. By Susan Vogt, www.SusanVogt.net

**Parenting Pointers**—Parents try hard to raise their children well. It takes a lot of effort and time. Even the best kids sometimes disappoint their parents. Even the best parents sometimes disappoint themselves. How have you been disappointed? Forgive your child and yourself today. It's OK. By Susan Vogt, www.SusanVogt.net

For more information, visit *www.diocese-sdiego.org*/Ministries/Marriage & Family Life or call Jen Frost at 760-758-4100 x100.

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

Are you interested in learning more about Catholicism, becoming a Catholic, or returning to the Catholic Church after being away? *For information, call Kathleen Bell at 760-758-4100 x110.* 

#### Stay Up to Date on Construction Activity!

Check the Parish website (www.stmoside.org) to watch live action on our webcams (click on the camera icons) or view the Construction Progress album (click on Our New Church).

#### **STM \$crip News**

Thanks to all who support our program! If you have never purchased Scrip gift cards, try out the program this year! A percentage of each gift card purchased will go to our Parish Mortgage Fund.

#### Remember, Scrip is available for purchase FOUR ways!

- 1. On the Plaza after weekend Masses
- 2. Monday-Friday during business hours in the Parish Office
- 3. Email at scrip@stmoside.org
- 4. Phone at 760-758-4100 x150

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

#### Parish Events

#### Women's Guild News

Thanks to all our members and friends for all the support for the two years that I was president of the STM Women's Guild. It was a fabulous time and I can't thank you all enough for making this a very memorable experience. We were successful in all our events this year thanks to members of the STM Women's Guild and all the members of STM. We have passed last year's donation to the church for the building fund and were able to present Fr. Mike with a check for \$20,000!

People will forget what you did, they will forget what you said, but they will not forget how you made them feel. My hope is that I made you feel welcome and happy as you have to me.

You will be hearing from our new President, Ann Buko, about our membership drive within the next few weeks. Please come and join us.

-Vera Bayliss, President

#### **Need Help with Transportation to Church!**

Volunteer drivers are needed in our Parish. Some Parishioners would like to attend Mass and cannot drive themselves. Please prayerfully consider helping some of our fellow Parishioners. If you can help in any



way with this service, please contact Ann Eriksson 760-599-7151 or *eriksson1@mindspring.com*.

#### **Vocations**

The lazy days of summer are upon us. A traditional time for relaxation. It is also a good time to look at ourselves and our vocations in life. Satisfied? Want something more than what you are doing? What about a life of service to God and His people as a priest, deacon, or religious? It can be a challenging and rewarding life. If you feel a calling, contact Deacon Tom at thomasgoeltz@aol.com or 760-727-8442.

#### Would You Like to Be an Altar Server?

If you are in 4th to 10th grade and would like to become more involved during Mass by being an Altar Server, there will be an Altar Server Training on Saturday, June 22, at 11:00am.

For more information please call Rebecca Eyer at 760-216-6553

#### Calling All 2013 Graduates!

The Parish Family of St. Thomas More desires to recognize the achievements of those among us who are graduating this year. Graduations may be from grade school, middle school, high school, college, and beyond.



If you happen to be one of these graduates, please call the Parish Office by June 25 with your name and the institution from which you have graduated. We will be compiling a list that will be published in the bulletin the weekend of June 29/30. You will be remembered in prayer at all of the three liturgies on that weekend.

Know that your Parish Family is proud of your accomplishments, and that we will continue to support you in all your future endeavors. —Rev. Michael Ratajczak, Pastor

#### **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) 948 available	\$300/person
Daily Mass Chapel and Choir Chairs (200) 153 available	\$300/each



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

# A Model of the Church Crucifix for Your Home

Limited edition (40 made, 22 still available) models of the crucifix for our new church are available for purchase at \$750 each. They are 15" high by 8" wide with a 9" corpus.

Complete the pre-order sign up form at the information table on the Plaza after Masses or contact Chris Smith at 760-758-4100 x120 or *chriss@stmoside.org*. Payment plans available.



#### Thank You to the Women's Guild!

On behalf of the entire parish, I'd like to thank our Women's Guild for their very generous \$20,000 check to the Parish. This donation will go toward 2 Concelebrant Chairs, 2 Flower Stands, and 40 Choir Chairs. The year-around fundraising efforts of this hard working group, combining Parish participation make this a stand out ministry. Thanks to one and all! —Fr. Mike

# **Liturgy & Music**



Douglas Lynn
Director of Liturgy and Music
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#### A BLESSING FOR FATHERS

We bless you and we praise you, God of our fathers!

You are the God of Adam, father of the human family.

You are the God of Abraham, our father in faith, who was ready and willing to give up everything to be faithful to you.

You are the God of Isaac, who was born of laughter and old age, and the God of Jacob, whose clever trick gained an inheritance for twelve tribes of sons and daughters.

You are the God of Jesse, from whose loins a nation sprang, a sturdy family tree of monarchs, prophets, and priests.

You are the God and Father of Israel, your child whom you love with all your heart.

You are the God of Zechariah, who fathered the Baptist and taught him the Torah, and of Joachim, the grandfather of Jesus.

You are the God of Joseph, who loved and raised Jesus as his own.

You are the God and Father of Jesus, and our Father in heaven, too: Holy is your Name!

We thank you, God, for the gift of our fathers, for grandfathers and godfathers and fathers-in-law, too.

Send your Holy Spirit upon our fathers, in whose laps we were cradled,

on whose knees we were bounced,

by whose hands we were fed, instructed, at times corrected,

in whose company we learned to work and play and pray,

at whose side we hear your word and celebrate your mysteries.

Heal their pains and disappointments.

Forgive all that needs to be forgiven.

Give to them the good that they have given others.

Welcome into your arms those who have died.

Fill this world, O God, with a father's love!

We ask this through your Son Jesus Christ, who taught us to pray to you as Abba.

He lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,

who is Father of the poor, one God forever and ever. Amen.

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JUNE 23 Feast of St. Thomas More (observed)

**Upcoming** 

Music

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5:00pm Mass Sanctuary Choir

8:30am Mass

Handbell Choir

10:30am Mass

Praise Team



Were it my father on the one side and the devil on the other, his cause being good, the devil should have his right.

-Saint Thomas More



Luke 7:47

# **Faith Formation**



Kathleen Bell, Director of Faith Formation 760-758-4100 x110 kathleenb@stmoside.org

Marcus Cabrera, Youth Advocate 760-758-4100 x161 marcusc@stmoside.org

# **Family Night**

June 21, Friday, 6:00PM

Dear Parishioners of all ages and stages,

I would like to warmly invite and strongly encourage you to participate in Family Night this Friday.

This is not just a teen event, but an opportunity for ALL of us to share a simple evening together of food, friendship, and prayer.

This event has been refined since our first one. It is all on the lower level. The Potluck starts at 6:00pm. Pizza was a big hit last time for those coming from work.

About 7:00pm, our own STM Praise Team begins to lead us in song as we transition into the prayer portion of the evening. There will be a short talk by one of our own Parish young adults, Will Mueller.

For the "older" of us, it is very refreshing to hear how the younger leaders of our church express their faith.

The Blessed Sacrament is brought out, and there is time for song and quiet adoration. I was so impressed last time with how attentive the very young children were.

The very youngest are welcome, as are the very oldest . . . and both groups can be at home and in bed by 9:00pm!

It is definitely a multi-generational event celebrating the Year of Faith with our own community.

Come, and BE that community. I hope I will see you Friday evening.

Kathleen



#### **PBJ Update**

2013 GOAL: 365 pounds Collected to date: 206 pounds

(Food for children at the Emergency Crisis Center)





Music CD available NOW!

# VACATION BIBLE CAMP

in

4

weeks

July 15-19 8:45am—12:00noon

Kingdom Crew Members:

Age 3 through grade 5

Kingdom Crew Leaders:

High Schoolers + adults

Kingdom Crew Asst. Leaders:

Finishing grades 6,7,8

#### Sign up NOW

Registration form in Parish Office or www.stmoside.org, Quick Clicks

# Stewardship & Development



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

#### **CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP**

#### You are unique!

Every day we have many opportunities to use the gifts God has given us. As the parable of the talents shows, two servants took risks with the money they were given; they invested it and earned a good return. The third was afraid to take any risks, and so he hid the money safely and returned it to his master at the first opportunity (Matthew 25:14-30).

Like the first two servants, we are also called to take risks for the Kingdom of God, stepping out in faith and watching to see God move as we trust in him.

God did not give us gifts and talents so that we would hide them or turn them to selfish ends. Every one of us has a role in the advancement of God's kingdom, using all the resources God has given us. Whether it is money, abilities, or time, nothing is irrelevant.

We can be assured that personal encounters with God's love, as well as our convictions based on scripture and the church's teaching, we will learn to integrate the two, drawing on both when we are tempted to doubt his love, or when we are called to love others.

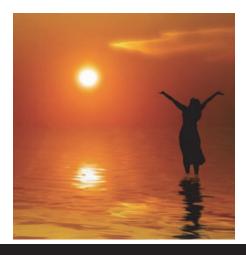
Remember that you are a steward of your talents.

God has equipped you with just the proper talents and commissioned you to serve Him in this world and in your church family.

Develop the talents inherent in yourself.

The talent that is used to the best of your ability grows and will bring light into your life.

—Parish Publishing LLC, Stewardship June (with permission)



In everything you do, put God first and He will direct you and crown your efforts with success.

#### A WAY TO GIVE ~ A WAY TO RECEIVE



#### DESIGNATED BANK ACCOUNTS, WILLS, LIVING TRUSTS, STOCKS, LIFE INSURANCE, MUTUAL FUNDS, REAL ESTATE, ENDOWMENTS

Planned Giving is a generic term that covers the many ways an individual can give to a charity while, in many cases avoiding taxes. A few examples of Planned Giving are: Designated Beneficiary Accounts, Wills, Living Trusts, Stocks, Life Insurance, Mutual Funds, Endowments, and Real Estate.

This program is one way of helping the Parish raise the resources necessary to continue our campus build out and also help plan for our future needs (i.e., Tower of Faith participants). Gifts of this nature are beneficial and much appreciated by St. Thomas More.

#### For more information please contact:

Chris Smith at 760-758-4100 x120 or chriss@stmoside.org.

"... A Time To Build!"
includes our Faith journey as well
as the build out of our Parish Campus.

# Collection for Week of June 8/9, 2013 Number of Registered Households 1,053 Offertory\* \$ 7,699.10 Offertory (Loose Collection) 1,063.00 Children's envelopes 0.00 Total \$ 8,762.10

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

#### Ways to Help Support Your Parish

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**Franciscan School of Theology**--New Graduate Theology School at Mission San Luis Rey. Next information meeting is Monday, June 17 from 7 to 8:30 PM at 4050 Mission Ave, Oceanside. For more information call 510-828-2869 or visit *www.fst.edu* 

**Kickoff to Fortnight for Freedom in San Diego**—Thursday, June 20, 6:30pm at St. Pius Parish, 1120 Cuyamaca Ave., Chula Vista. Join Co-Adjutor Bishop Cirilo Flores and other community leaders in prayer, song, and reflection in support of religious freedom in the United States. Continue with a 14-day period of prayer, fasting, education, and action from June 21-July 4.

San Diego Towerthon 2013 to Benefit Fr. Joe's Villages—Saturday, June 22, 9:00am-12:00noon. Go vertical! Climb 25 stories to the top of San Diego's Columbia Center Building at 401

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**Birth Choice Volunteer Counselors Needed**—a pro-life, Christ-centered pregnancy resource center offering free pregnancy testing, ultrasound, and options counseling for women in crisis. If you feel called to the ministry at the Oceanside or San Marcos centers, please contact Mary Rose Stearns, Executive Director, at 760-434-5063 or *mrstearns@birthchoice.net*.

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

The Center for Christian Spirituality at the University of San Diego has a great line up of events. Visit www.sandiego.edu/ccs.

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

**Catholic Singles Organization**—The Catholic Alumni Club International is expanding into the San Diego area. Visit *www.caci.org* for more information.

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Free program guides and bumper stickers available at the information table the Plaza after weekend Masses.

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#### **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? On Sunday, June 23, CWWNC will be at STM for the 10:30am Mass followed by lunch at Nucci's. This would be a perfect time to get acquainted with our members from all of North County. 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 including a potluck, dining out, dancing, bowling, golf, and theatre. RSVP's are recommended.

#### **Catholics Come Home**

Do you have a family member, friend, or co-worker who has left the Catholic Church? If so, encourage them to visit www.CatholicsComeHome.org.

#### **Young Adult Ministry Activities**

Visit www.yamsd.org for complete information on events for young adults, including Bible Study, ultimate frisbee, swing dance, praise and worship nights, and outreach projects.

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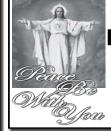


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