

Church of Saint Thomas More

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July 11, 2010

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Rev. John A Boehning, Pastor
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Sharon McKenna, Sacristan
Harvey Burgett, Director of Music & Composer in Residence

WEEKDAY MASSES

7:00 and 8:00 am and 12:15 pm
(no 7:00 am Mass on Saturday)

CONFESSIONS

Monday thru Friday
12:00 pm - 12:10 pm (before Mass)
Saturday 5:00 – 5:30 pm

BAPTISM

1:30 pm on Sunday
(Arrangements must be made in advance)

MARRIAGE

Arrangements should be made at least six months prior to the wedding

VISITS TO HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS

Our clergy are happy to visit. Call the parish office to arrange.

Parish Trustees

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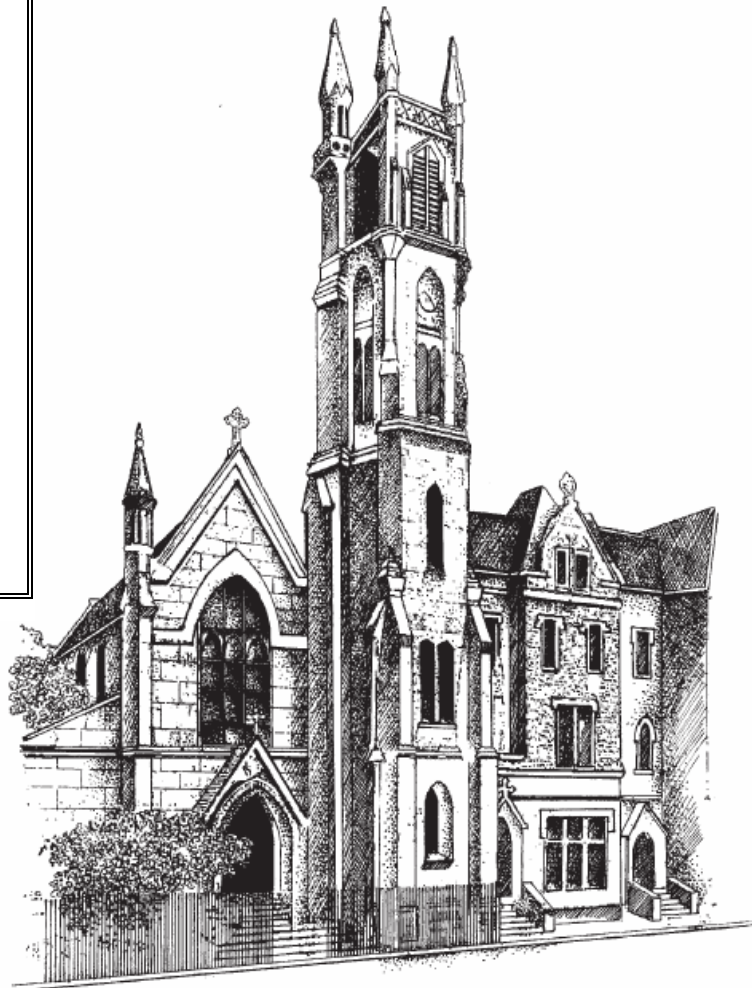
Head Usher

John F.R. Smilgin, III

SUNDAY SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Evening: 5:45 p.m.
Sunday Morning: 8:30 a.m.
10:30 a.m. (Family Mass)
Sunday Afternoon: 12:30 p.m.
Sunday Evening: 5:45 p.m.

Families and children are encouraged to attend the Family Mass at 10:30 a.m.



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JULY 11, 2010

The Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Theme/Call To Worship

Today we hear one of the most well-known parables, the parable of the Good Samaritan, which captures the heart of Jesus' teachings and the heart of the Mosaic Law: love God by showing mercy to yourself and your neighbor.

Introduction To The Word

Dt 30:10-14: The first reading from the Book of Deuteronomy teaches us that ancient Israel understood that God's commandments and statutes were something intrinsic to human nature, neither "mysterious" nor "remote," "already in your mouths and in your hearts." Over time, Israel would learn that the essence of the law was love of God and love of self and neighbor. But whereas love of God requires total commitment of heart and mind, love of self and neighbor require mercy.

Col 1:15-20: Beginning today we turn to Paul's Letter to the Colossians. Like many ancient people, the Colossians understood the universe as being directed and governed by powers and principalities beyond their control and understanding. Paul's insertion of this well known Christological hymn at the beginning of his letter serves to clarify the preeminence of Christ in God's ordering of the universe.

Lk 10:25-37: Within the synoptic Gospels, one of the hallmark activities of Jesus' public ministry was his parabolic teaching. Jesus' parables were effective tools for teaching others about himself, God and the kingdom of God and to challenge those listening to the parables. In today's parable of the Good Samaritan, in the exchange between Jesus and the scribe, Jesus taught that everyone deserves mercy and that one's "neighbor" transcends ethnic and religious lines that otherwise divide us.

At St. Thomas More This Week

<u>Date:</u>	<u>Event:</u>	<u>Time:</u>
07/11	Group Baptism	1:30 pm
07/13	No Leisure Club Lunch	
	A.A. Meeting	6:30 pm
07/14	Christian Meditation	6:00 pm
07/15	A.A. Meeting	6:30 pm
07/16	A.A. Meeting	6:30 pm

Celebrant Schedule

<u>Mass</u>	<u>July 11</u>	<u>July 18</u>
Sat 5:45 pm	Fr. Joy	Msgr. Qutorio
Sun 8:30 am	Msgr. Shelley	Msgr. Qutorio
Sun 10:30 am	Fr. Van Dyke SJ	Msgr. Shelley
Sun 12:30 pm	Fr. Van Dyke SJ	Fr. Boehning
Sun 5:45 pm	Fr. Diaz	Msgr. Shelley

Join the St. Thomas More E-Group

Send an email with your Name and the words
Join the E-Group (Currently 111 members) to
stmbusiness@gmail.com

Receive the weekly Bulletin and other
important information.

*Turn to the Lord in your
need, and you will live.*

Let us keep the Coffee
Hour Brewing Strongly
Volunteer for this important
community service.

To Volunteer: send an email to Elizabeth Williams Elizabeth.ewilliams@gmail.com or speak with her during the next Coffee Hour.

Also special thanks to the families who have volunteered to host the coffee hour and provide the sweets we enjoy, including the Collins, Morriss and Williams families.

Parish Pay

Join the Parish Pay system to help you to maintain your economic connection to your parish when you are away from home.

To enroll in Parish Pay visit their website
<https://www.paritypay.com/donor.asp>

To locate The Church of St. Thomas More, within the Parish Pay system, search: within (1 Mile) of the Zip Code (10128)

**MASS INTENTIONS AND FEAST
DAYS AT ST. THOMAS MORE
FOR WEEK OF
JULY 11 – JULY 17**

Mon. July 12

7:00 Shaughnessy & Donlon Families

8:00 The Fuller Family

12:15 Rosa Gomez (d)

Tues. July 13

St. Henry

7:00 Shaughnessy & Donlon Families

8:00 George Dunning (d)

12:15 Frederic J. Fuller, Jr. (d)

Wed. July 14

Bl. Kateri Tekakwitha

St. Camillus de Lellis

7:00 The Fuller Family

8:00 Albert Milloy (d)

12:15 Kathryn Leahy (d)

Thurs. July 15

St. Bonaventure

7:00 Maureen Flood (l)

8:00 Eleanor Obenza (d)

12:15 Vincent Leahy (d)

Fri. July 16

Our Lady of Mount Carmel

7:00 The Fuller Family

8:00 Catherine Gilroy (d)

12:15 Rev. Eamon McSweeney, MSC (d)

Sat. July 17

8:00 Catherine Gilroy (d)

12:15 In Thanksgiving to St. Anthony

5:45 Sunday Vigil



WEEKDAY BIBLE READING

07/12 [Is 1:10-17](#), [Mt 10:34-11:1](#)

07/13 [Is 7:1-9](#), [Mt 11:20-24](#)

07/14 [Is 10:5-7, 13b-16](#), [Mt 11:25-27](#)

07/15 [Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19](#), [Mt 11:28-30](#)

07/16 [Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8](#), [Mt 12:1-8](#)

07/17 [Mi 2:1-5](#), [Mt 12:14-21](#)

To add a Name of a Sick or Deceased Parishioner to the

Sunday Prayer of the Faithful,

please contact the Parish Office at 212-876-7718 by Wednesday (No Contribution Required).

Please contact the Parish Office as soon as possible to check the availability of a date for a **Mass Intention**. The offering for a Mass is \$15 for a Scheduled Mass or \$5 for a Mission Mass

See you in September

Our Regular Mass Schedule will return on September 12, 2010, when the 10:00am and 11:15am Masses will resume.

Museum of the City of New York

1220 Fifth Avenue at 103rd St.

Phone 212.534.1672

THE SPEAKEASY AT 1220 FIFTH

Wed - June 30 –Aug 18 - 6:00 - 9:00 PM

Tickets: \$15; \$10 for Museum members, you will be secretly admitted with one FREE drink ticket and can check out special exhibitions, including *Meet Flapper Jane*, and enjoy the Fifth Avenue Terrace, with music and spirits of the era.

Each week in July, 2 tickets to Shakespeare in the Park will be raffled off courtesy of the Public Theater.

Light fare by Great Performances available for purchase.

During Prohibition (1919-1933), New York City's speakeasies were home to drinking, dancing and the swinging sounds of the city's Jazz Age, and there were over 32,000 establishments. Today, the tradition lives on at the Museum of the City of New York. Be sure to put in an appearance. Or else. Spread the word – discreetly – and tell them Jerry sent you...

Annual Novena of Saint Anne

Sat July 17 - Mon July 26

Weekdays: 12:15 pm and 7:30 pm

Saturday, July 24: 12:15 pm and 7:30 pm

Sunday, July 25: 12:00 Noon - Mass

Blessing of Babies and Children

4:00 pm Holy Hour and 7:30 pm Mass

Monday, July 26: 12:15 pm and 7:30 p.m.

Other Masses: 7:30 am and 5:30 p.m.

Confession: Mon-Sat 11:30 a.m.-12:10 pm

and 7:00-7:30 pm

Saturday 4:30-5:25 pm

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Black and Indian Mission Collection July 11, 2010

The success of this missionary effort in the past has been a tribute to your generosity. Please be as generous as you can in making a sacrificial offering to this crucially important and necessary ministry of the Church in the United States

With prayerful best wishes, I am,
Faithful in Christ,
Most Reverend Timothy M. Dolan
Archbishop of New York

New York City Festivals & Special Events

Sunday July 11th

**NYC Celebration of Nations Festival
(on Madison Ave from 42nd - 57th St)**

Saturday July 17th

**East Side Summer Festival
(on Lexington Ave from 42nd - 57th St)**

Rosary Walk Through Central Park

When: July 14, 2010 (rain date July 21st)

Time: 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM - **Cost:** Free

Where: Central Park - New York, NY

Details: Rosary Walk is a Cathedral of St. Patrick Young Adults (CSPYA) Tradition for the summer season! Join us as we pray 5 decades of the Rosary while walking through Central Park. We will exercise our soul as well as our feet! Meet us at 6:30pm on 59th Street & 5th Avenue, at the main fountain outside the Plaza Hotel in Grand Army Plaza. Look for our signs that say "Rosary Walk." Afterwards, we will go to a nearby restaurant for dinner.

Christmas in July Cabaret with St. Patrick's Cathedral Choir

When: Tues, July 20 & Fri, July 23

Time: 7 PM

Where: Don't Tell Mama

343 West 46th St., NYC

Cost: \$25 Donation/Cost per show

+ 2 drink minimum

www.donttellmamanyc.com

or call 212-757-0788 after 4pm

Details: The St. Patrick's Cathedral Choir is having a special cabaret fundraiser for the St. Patrick's Cathedral Choir's 2010 Tour in Rome.

Concerts in the Parks - Great Lawn

Tuesday, July 13, 2010 at 8 PM

New York Philharmonic

- Tchaikovsky - Polonaise from *Eugene Onegin*
- Bernstein - Dances from *West Side Story*
- Ravel - *Boléro*
- Intermission
- Shanghai Symphony Orchestra**
- Wagner - *Overture to Tannhäuser*
- Rossini - Largo al factotum della città from *The Barber of Seville*
- Gounod - "Je veux vivre" from *Romeo and Juliet*
- Mozart - "La ci darem la mano" from *Don Giovanni*
- Jin Fizai - *Go and See the World*
- Gershwin - *Rhapsody in Blue*