

Church of Saint Thomas More

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July 04, 2010

CLERGY

Rev. John A Boehning, Pastor
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Msgr. Thomas J. Shelley, In Residence
Msgr. Pedro Quitorio, Visiting Priest

STAFF

Edward Litcher, Business Manager
Margaret Peet, Development
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

George Sim Johnston
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Parish Council President

Heather Crimmins

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George Sim Johnston

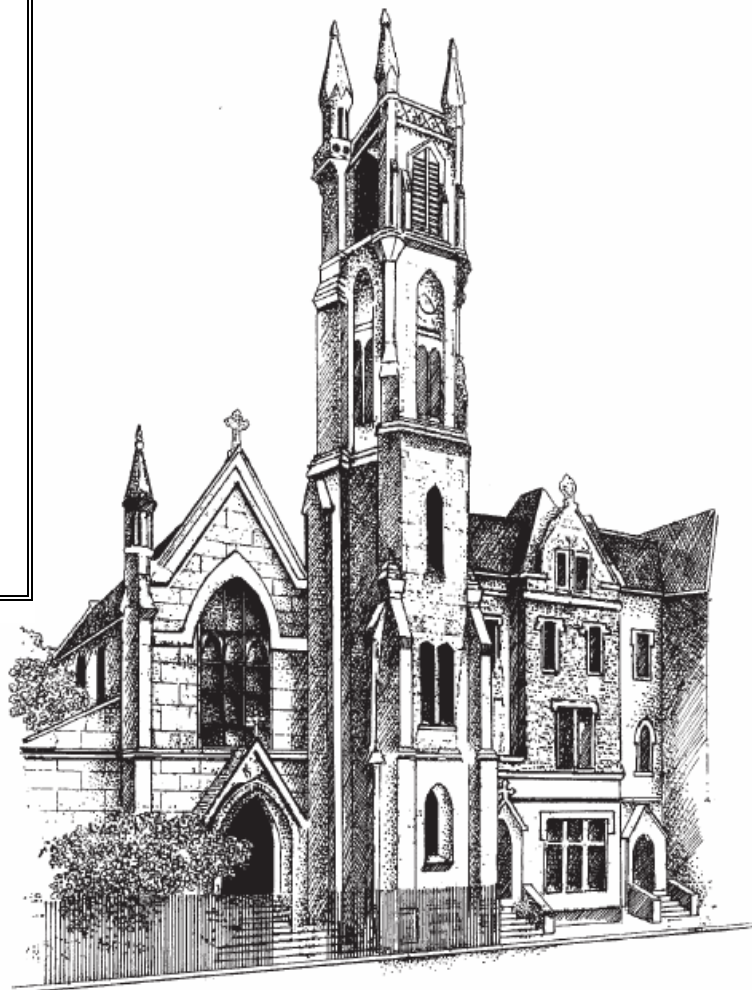
Head Usher

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.



Church of St. Thomas More
JULY 04, 2010 – INDEPENDENCE DAY
The Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Theme/Call To Worship

From the first generation of Christians to our current generation, the call for laborers remains. As laborers, we are called to evangelize the world – to harvest the fields by healing the sick and preaching the good news of Jesus Christ.

Introduction To The Word

Is 66:10-14c: In the first reading, we hear the closing words from the prophet Isaiah. In response to Israel's national crisis, its adjustment to life after the Babylonian Exile, Isaiah spoke to Israel of the Lord's intention to bring prosperity and wealth back to Israel, to cradle and comfort Israel as a child in its mother's arms. In prophesying to Israel in this way, Isaiah provides for us a model and a strategy for evangelization.

Gal 6:14-18: The second reading for today is the closing words of St. Paul's Letter to the Galatians. In ending this letter, Paul makes a final appeal to the churches of Galatia that circumcision was no longer relevant as a sign of one's faith in the God of Israel. For Paul, preaching the good news of what God has accomplished in Jesus Christ, is the work of the missionaries that heals and brings about a new creation.

Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 or 10:1-9: Today's Gospel reading, the mission of the seventy-two, is a narrative found only in the Gospel of St. Luke. In today's reading we hear how Jesus extended this original work of evangelization beyond the circle of the Twelve. The work remained the same for the seventy-two: to heal the sick and to preach the good new of the kingdom of God, and like the original Twelve, the seventy-two returned to Jesus, "rejoicing" in the success of their missionary work.

At St. Thomas More This Week

<u>Date:</u>	<u>Event:</u>	<u>Time:</u>
07/04	Group Baptism	1:30 pm
07/05	Parish Office Closed	
07/06	No Leisure Club Lunch	
	A.A. Meeting	6:30 pm
07/07	Christian Meditation	6:00 pm
07/08	A.A Meeting	6:30 pm
07/09	A.A. Meeting	6:30 pm

Celebrant Schedule

Mass	July 04	July 11
Sat 5:45 pm	Fr. Diaz	Fr. Joy
Sun 8:30 am	Fr. Diaz	Msgr. Shelley
Sun 10:30 am	Fr. Boehning	Fr. Van Dyke SJ
Sun 12:30 pm	Msgr. Shelley	Fr. Van Dyke SJ
Sun 5:45 pm	Fr. Joy	Fr. Diaz

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.

*Let all the earth cry out to
 God with joy.*

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 04 – JULY 10**

Mon. July 05 *St. Anthony Mary Zaccaria*
Independence Day – Parish Office Closed

7:00 No Mass
8:00 Pietro Pira (d)
12:15 Fr. Cylvester Catallo (I)

Tues. July 06 *St. Maria Goretti*

7:00 Kevin Barry (d)
8:00 Juan Domingo Soto Noriega (I)
12:15 Catherine Leahy (d)

Wed. July 07

7:00 Phil Moriarty (I)
8:00 Greg Redoblado (d)
12:15 Diego Reyes (d)

Thurs. July 08

7:00 Carlos Noreiga (d)
8:00 Christopher Kinney (I)
12:15 Nicoletta Scicchitano (d)

Fri. July 09 *St. Augustine Zhao Rong*
and his companions

7:00 Walter Jennings & Family (I)
8:00 Anne O'Neil (d)
12:15 Paul Gagliardo (d)

Sat. July 10

8:00 The Fuller Family
12:15 Adeline Sanford (I)
5:45 Sunday Vigil



WEEKDAY BIBLE READING

07/05 [Hos 2:16, 17c-18, 21-22, Mt 9:18-26](#)

07/06 [Hos 8:4-7, 11-13, Mt 9:32-38](#)

07/07 [Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12, Mt 10:1-7](#)

07/08 [Hos 11:1-4, 8c-9, Mt 10:7-15](#)

07/09 [Hos 14:2-10, Mt 10:16-23](#)

07/10 [Is 6:1-8, Mt 10:24-33](#)

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.

New York City Festivals & Special Events

Sunday July 4th

**The Great July 4th Festival
(on Water from Fulton - Broad St)**

Friday July 9th

**Financial Community Day Festival
(on Broad St. from Water - South St)**

Saturday July 10th

**Park Avenue Summerfest
(on Park Ave South from 17th - 23rd St)**

Child Safety

The Archdiocese of New York is committed to doing all that it can to protect young children and young people from sexual abuse. As part of that effort, we periodically reach out to the Catholic community to advise them whom they may contact and what steps they can take if they have suffered abuse by someone representing the Catholic Church.

Anyone who needs to report an alleged incident of sexual abuse of a minor by a priest, deacon, religious or lay person serving in the Archdiocese of New York is asked to contact Sr. Eileen Clifford, O.P. at 212-371-1000 x 2949 or Deacon Lawrence O'Toole at 914-594-4646. Both may also be reached via e-mail at victimassistance@archny.org.

Information can also be found on the Archdiocese website, <http://ny-archdiocese.org>. In keeping with the Archdiocesan policy regarding sexual abuse of minors, this information is provided to ensure that our children remain safe and secure.

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

**Saint Jean Baptiste Catholic Church
Congregation of the Blessed Sacrament**

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Black and Indian Mission Collection July 11, 2010

For more than a century and a quarter, the Archdiocese of New York has generously responded to this annual collection which enables the Church in the United States to assist the pastoral, educational, and spiritual needs of some of the neediest people across the country – from the inner-cities of the rural south, to the deserts of the southwest, to Alaska's wilderness. Grants from the annual appeal permit us to assist our Black Catholic communities here in the Archdiocese as well.

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 Reverent Timothy M. Dolan
Archbishop of New York

Rosary Walk Through Central Park

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

Time: 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Where: Central Park - New York, NY

Cost: Free

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.

Other dates include:

July 28, 2010 (rain date August 4th)

August 11, 2010 (rain date August 18th)

August 25, 2010 (rain date September 1st)

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.

Macy's 4th of July Fireworks

The 2010 Macy's fireworks show will feature more than 40,000 shells exploding at a rate of more than 1,500 per minute and fireworks reaching heights of 1,000 feet in the air. At approximately 9:20 pm. The 26-minute display will be set off from six barges positioned between 24th and 50th Streets on the Hudson River. This year, Macy's has increased the amount of shells that can reach heights of 1,000 feet in the sky, providing for greater visibility of the show for millions more spectators.