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**PSR PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION**

Religious education classes for public school students are held on Sundays ~ Pre-School 10:00 - 11:00 am; Grades 1 thru 8, 8:30 - 9:45 am. Please call 753-2550 for more information on how to register for PSR.

**YOUTH MINISTRY**

For questions or more information, email [youthminister@sttm.org](mailto:youthminister@sttm.org).

**INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?**

If you or someone you know is interested in joining the next RCIA group (Rite of Christian Initiation), go to our website, [www.sttm.org](http://www.sttm.org), and fill out the form at the link titled: Interested in Becoming Catholic? or call Becky at 753-2548.

**BULLETIN DEADLINE**

**Friday by Noon (9 days prior)** Submit to Kate Roelker at [kroelker@sttm.org](mailto:kroelker@sttm.org) or call 753-2550 for more information.

**VOCATION VIEWS CYCLE A ~ 21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Who do you say that Jesus is? Can you proclaim with Peter, "You are the Messiah, the Son of the living God?" Pray for the grace to act on your belief. (Matthew 16:13-20)

**Readings for Sept 3 – 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time**



First Reading: Jeremiah 20:7-9  
Second Reading: Romans 12:1-2  
Gospel: Matthew 16:21-27

**THE WEEK AHEAD**

**Tuesday, August 29**

7:00 pm Parish Council - Library  
7:00 pm CRHP Women - Fr. Heider Hall

**Wednesday, August 30**

9:30 am Bible Study (Sun Prep)- Faith Formation Room  
6:30 pm CRHP Continuation - Library  
7:00 pm Bereavement Mtg - Library Conference Room

**Thursday, August 31**

6:30 pm Adult Choir

**Friday, September 1**

8:30 am School Mass  
10:00 am Adoration

**Saturday, September 2**

7:00 am Catholic Men's Fellowship - More Martyr Hall  
9:00 am Clean Church  
3:00 pm Confessions

**Sunday, September 3**

11:00 am Blessing of Expectant Mothers - Marian Chapel



The **Wednesday Bible Study** is actually the discussion of Sunday's Readings in preparation for the Sunday Liturgies. If you would like to be better prepared for Sunday Mass, please consider joining us every Wednesday in the Faith Formation Room at 9:30 am.



**those who have died and all those who are ill or have asked for our prayers:** Donald Blom, Uldean Cieri, Mary Rettig, Mary Breving, Andrew Fricke, Annete

Gunasekera, Chris Scanlon, Frank Brunet, Kenneth Siler, Mary Baugh, Rose Brumfield, Kim Fisher, Nicole Bussard, Joe Riley, Nicole Rades, Ray Conway, Larry Farwick, Sharon Fry, Paul Stubbs, Gary Kelley, Haley & Rachel Caruso, Gary Marasco, Loretha Barnett, Pauline Young, Chrissy Ford, Derek Archer, David Feng, Jonathan Shaver, Tom Candelaresi, Mary King, Gloria Vaske, AJ Bressler, Anne Bruno, Heather Balwanz, Estelle Wolfe, Jeff Ralph, Al Meisman, Catherine Barton, Jim Johnson, Jerry Rettig, Mark Ritter, Lisa Bresser, Pat Tekulve, Mary Ann Fedak, Nancy Lang, Mike Bailey, George Hofmann, Robert Dwyer, Tony Zeiser, Debbie Bell, Rawdon Family, Joanne Vogt, Penny & Jim Swift, Arrelous Rowland, Harry Freyer, Tom Swift, Maria Orth, James Fiest, Chris Bell, Angela O'Leary, Robert Bushelman, Bill Conrad, Ava Grace Gunn, Steven Hofmann, Charollet Schworer, John & Joan Cappel, Cheryl Murray, Leo Bailey, Richard Ready, Cecilia Petri and Lee Marasco.

Names of those requesting prayers will be published in the bulletin for three months and then removed. If prayers are required longer than three months, you will need to call the parish office (753-2550) to request them for another three months. Thank you.

# MASS INTENTIONS

**MONDAY, AUGUST 28 - 8:30 AM**

Communion Service

**TUESDAY, AUGUST 29 - 8:30 AM**

† Deceased Members of Brunet Family/Frank Brunet

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 30 - 8:30 AM**

† Peter Sotak/The Kennedy Family

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 31 - 8:30 AM**

† Matthew McGonegle/Ann Bellersen

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1 - 8:30 AM**

† Ted Grachek/Terry & Kathy Brannen

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 2 - 4:00 PM**

† Joe Jenkins/Bob & Mary Baugh

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 3 - 8:00 AM**

† Adam Broerman/Grandma & Grandpa

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 3 - 10:00 AM**

† Shirley LaFary/Paul & Julie VanHoose

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 3 - 12:00 PM**

People of the Parish

† = **DECEASED**



AND ALL THOSE FROM OUR  
PARISH WHO ARE  
CURRENTLY SERVING IN THE  
ARMED FORCES:

For Our Troops, Their Families, and Our Country

Michael Hucker Jr., Corey

Campbell, Randy Damron, Keith Deardorff, Ryan Robinson, Paul Bellonby II, Andrew Schloemer, "Fritz" Schoolfield, Kimberley Brinson, Joshua A. Rettig, Beau Bockenstette, Patrick Bouley, Travis Gallivan, Tim Czubek, Neil Lizakowski, Bill Harris, Rachel Piening, Brian Faw, Tom Piening, Jeff Archer, Connor Nelson, Anthony Luster, and Matthew Quitter.

**WE THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE!**



## BRICKS AROUND THE MARIAN GROTTO

We have had some inquiries about Bricks around the Marian Grotto. No company will give us a price on the bricks until we know how many bricks we want. If anyone is interested in purchasing a brick for around the Marian Grotto, please contact the Parish Office. Once we get an idea of how many parishioners are interested, we can go forward with obtaining a price on the bricks.



## FEED THE POOR MONTHLY FOOD COLLECTION

The **September** collection will be donated to  
**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL**

### NEEDED ITEMS LISTED BELOW:

Spaghetti & Meat Sauce	Jelly
Boxed Mashed Potatoes	Cold Cereal
Boxed Dinners & Pasta	Canned Fruit
Canned Tuna & Chicken	Oatmeal/Instant
Chicken & Tuna Helper	Soup
Macaroni & Cheese	Peanut Butter
Pancake Mix & Syrup	Boxed Rice & Sides
SpaghettiOs & Ravioli	Granola Bars

### ALSO NEEDED:

Bar Soap	Shampoo	Laundry Detergent
Dish Soap	Deodorant	Tooth Brushes
Tooth Paste	Toilet Paper	Paper Towels

**We appreciate all donations of non-perishable food.**

Please place donations in the tubs marked "FEED THE POOR" located at all the church entrances. Food donations may be dropped off anytime during the month of **September**.

**Thank you for your continuing support!**

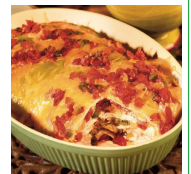
## MONTHLY PREGNANCY BLESSING

Expectant parents are invited to receive a special blessing for the health of the mom and baby as you await the arrival of your child(ren). Adoptive parents are also invited. This special blessing takes place in the Marian Chapel, on **Sunday September 3**, immediately following the 10:00 am Mass.



## THE SOCIAL ACTION COMMISSION

On the first Tuesday of every month the Social Action Commission cooks hot meals for the Clermont County Homeless Shelter. They are asking for help with meat and vegetable dishes, casseroles, salads, drinks and desserts to serve 6-8 people. There are approximately 40 people sheltered in the Clermont County Homeless Shelter and any meal donations are greatly appreciated. The next meal will be on **Tuesday, September 5th**. All donations are to be dropped off by 4:00 pm at St. Thomas More west side parking lot. If you can help, please contact Charlene Kiefer at 752-0134.



## WANT TO BE CATHOLIC?

**LOOK BACK AND THANK GOD.**

**LOOK FORWARD AND TRUST GOD.**

**LOOK AROUND AND SERVE GOD.**

**LOOK WITHIN AND FIND GOD.**

**catholic.**

**GO TO OUR WEBSITE FOR MORE INFORMATION:**

[www.sttm.org](http://www.sttm.org)

**REGISTRATIONS NOW BEING ACCEPTED FOR  
SESSIONS STARTING IN SEPTEMBER!**

**QUESTIONS? EMAIL BECKY: [bready@sttm.org](mailto:bready@sttm.org)  
OR CALL 753-2548**

## PARISH STEWARDSHIP

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>
Aug 20:	\$11,916.65	\$15,000.00
YTD	\$119,487.87	\$122,500.00
YTD Sunday Collection ONLY <u>Under Budget:</u>		<b>\$3,012.13</b>
318 Envelopes Returned Sun Aug 20:		\$11,244.54
Loose Change Aug 20:		\$672.11

### OTHER COLLECTIONS

Mission Sunday \$4,096.23

Original Outstanding Debt: \$1,802,772.91

Current Due Park National: \$745,434.02

### EXPENSES

Total Expenses Paid Thru: 8/18/2017 \$13,252.36

Notable Expenses Paid:

Workers Compensation	\$6,048.50
Teacher Benefits	\$4,061.40
Mowing	\$1,250.00

**We Thank You All for Your Continued Support of  
St. Thomas More Parish!**

**PLEASE REMEMBER ST. THOMAS MORE IN YOUR WILL!**

### LET'S PAY DOWN THE DEBT!

In order to encourage maximum participation in using the debt envelopes, we have been running a type of drawing using the returned debt envelopes. On the 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of each month, we will draw one lucky envelope from those submitted since the prior drawing. The lucky envelope contributor will receive 10 times the contribution they put in the debt envelope for the month, up to a maximum of \$500. People who give electronically or by credit card will also have an envelope entered in the drawing. Please give generously to our debt reduction program.

**CONGRATULATIONS** to **Brian & Teresa Murrell** who are our August winners in the "PAY DOWN THE DEBT" drawing!! **THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**

**Thank you for your support!**



### PSR STARTS SEPTEMBER 10TH!

Our Parish School of Religion program starts on Sunday, September 10. PSR registration forms can be found on our website at [www.sttm.org](http://www.sttm.org), Parish School of Religion under the Faith Formation tab

We are still in need of assistants to help with things like taking attendance, helping individual children with an important concept, making copies etc. If interested, call Becky at 753-2548 or email her at [bready@sttm.org](mailto:bready@sttm.org) or Linda at [lbader@sttm.org](mailto:lbader@sttm.org).

## LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Saturday, September 2 4:00 pm

**Lectors** ~ Janet Tate, Mary Lou Mulvey

**Eucharistic Ministers** ~ Deacon, Donald Weber, Carrie Lehn, Kelly Koch, Charles Rottinghaus, Ginny Rottinghaus

**Servers** ~ Mary Jane Velez, Emilie Maggard, Ryan Lytle, Kaitlyn Schulte, Connor Dawson

**Greeters** ~ Gail Convery, Jerry Edwards, Charollet Schworer

**Ushers** ~ Tom Candelaresi, Jerry Edwards, Charollet Schworer, Gene Johnson

Sunday, September 3 8:00 am

**Lectors** ~ Nelson Seip, Barbara Comello

**Eucharistic Ministers** ~ Deacon, Genevieve Ivers, Dianna Kennedy, Patricia Tussey, Kathy Senior, Jerry Philpot, Diane Meisman, Vickie Ditchen

**Servers** ~ Jasmine Haas, Ryan Gramza, Nickolas Hood, Connor Lang, Derek Moore

**Greeters** ~ Linda Gessendorf, Nancy Guertin, Helen Fehn

**Ushers** ~ Bob Guenther, Bill Imbus, Steve Denison, Joe Guertin

Sunday, September 3 10:00 am

**Lectors** ~ Charles Randolph, Tom Kiefer

**Eucharistic Ministers** ~ Deacon, Barbara Davis, Terrill Denton, Dan Casnellie, Penny Barton, Lisa Casavant, Patricia Lindsey, Karen Klysz

**Servers** ~ Elijah Mochabee, Mary Nelson, Charles Scott, Edward Scott, Aaron Lynd

**Greeters** ~ Terrill Denton, Cheryl Puckett

**Ushers** ~ Jordyn McPhillips, Patrick McPhillips, Lynn Austin, Cheryl Puckett

Sunday, September 3 12:00 pm

**Lectors** ~ Sarah White

**Eucharistic Ministers** ~ Deacon, Darline Foltz, Thomas Brannen, Dena Desrosiers, Mary Lohbeck, Muriel Casavant, Jeffrey Moore, Jacqueline Moore

**Servers** ~ Frank Rieder, Logan Rieder, Nick Mann, Lainie Moss, Emily Simms

**Greeters** ~ Dee Archer

**Ushers** ~ Tom Finn, Bill Luehrmann, Ed Lenahan

**Don't Forget  
to Register your  
Children for  
2017-2018 PSR**



LITURGICAL MINISTERS SCHEDULE ~ SEPTEMBER, 2017

Mass Time & Date	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers			Servers		Greeters		Ushers	
4:00 PM 9/02	Tate, Janet	Deacon	Weber, Donald	Unfilled	Velez, MaryJane	Schulte, Kaitlyn	Convery, Gail	Edwards, Jerry	Candelaresi, Tom	
	Mulvey, Mary Lou	Rottinghaus, Charles	Lehn, Carrie	Unfilled	Maggard, Emilie	Dawson, Connor	Edwards, Jerry	Schworer, Charollet	Johnson, Gene	
		Rottinghaus, Ginny	Koch, Kelly		Lytle, Ryan		Schworer, Charollet			
8:00 AM 9/03	Seip, Nelson	Deacon	Ivers, Genevieve	Senior, Kathy	Haas, Jasmine	Lang, Connor	Gessendorf, Linda	Guenther, Bob	Denison, Steve	
	Comello, Barbara	Tussey, Patricia	Kennedy, Dianna	Philpot, Jerry	Gramza, Ryan	Moore, Derek	Guertin, Nancy	Imbus, Bill	Guertin, Joe	
		Meisman, Diane	Ditchen, Vickie		Hood, Nickolas		Fehn, Helen			
10:00 AM 9/03	Randolph, Charles	Deacon	Davis, Barbara	Casavant, Lisa	Mocahbee, Elijah	Scott, Charles	Denton, Terrill	McPhillips, Jordyn	Austin, Lynn	
	Kiefer, Tom	Casnellie, Dan	Denton, Terrill	Klysz, Karen	Nelson, Mary	Scott, Edward	Puckett, Cheryl	McPhillips, Patrick	Puckett, Cheryl	
		Lindsey, Patricia	Barton, Penny		Lynd, Aaron		Unfilled			
12:00 PM 9/03	White, Sarah	Deacon	Foltz, Darline	Lohbeck, Mary	Mann, Nick	Rieder, Frank	Archer, Dee	Finn, Tom	Lenahan, Ed	
		Moore, Jeffrey	Brannen, Thomas	Casavant, Muriel	Moss, Lainie	Rieder, Logan	Unfilled	Luehrmann, Bill	Unfilled	
		Moore, Jacqueline	Desrosiers, Dena		Simms, Emily		Unfilled			
4:00 PM 9/09	Schoolfield, Katie	Deacon	Regan, Barbara	Unfilled	Schoolfield, Sam	Koch, Joe	Schworer, Charollet	Edwards, Jerry	Johnson, Gene	
	Jessie, Janelle	Rottinghaus, Ginny	Koch, Kelly	Unfilled	Schoolfield, Maggie	Koch, Trey	Edwards, Jerry	Schworer, Charollet	Candelaresi, Tom	
		Rottinghaus, Charles	Lehn, Carrie		Nieporte, Jake		Convery, Gail			
8:00 AM 9/10	Philpot, Jerry	Deacon	Comello, Barbara	Ramundo, Tony	Feldkamp, Allie	Duncan, Matthew	Fehn, Helen	Bauman, Kevin	Denison, Steve	
	Mulvey, Mary Lou	Lamping, Michele	Ditchen, Vickie	Ramundo, Pat	Hendrickson, Adam	Duncan, Zach	Guertin, Nancy	Guertin, Joe	Imbus, Bill	
		Molitor, Charlotte	Opp, Mary		Conrady, Peter		Gessendorf, Linda			
10:00 AM 9/10	Casnellie, Dan	Deacon	Neltner, Ray	Barton, Alena	Hart, Julia	Hollcraft, Thomas	Bishop, Sandra	Schaefer, Bob	Puckett, Cheryl	
	Kiefer, Tom	Casnellie, Lori	Schulte, Tony	Barton, Penny	Burt, Audrey	Hollcraft, Luke	Puckett, Cheryl	Bath, Tim	Austin, Lynn	
		Hornschemeier, Kathy	Klysz, Karen		Petri, Dominic		Neltner, Ray			
12:00 PM 9/10	Schuler, Richard	Deacon	Noble, Doreen	Lohbeck, Mary	Bagley, Andrew	Horne, Laura	Archer, Dee	Lenahan, Ed	Finn, Tom	
		Moore, Jacqueline	Schuler, Richard	Unfilled	Sweetman, Sydney	Wilmers, Drazen	Unfilled	Luehrmann, Bill	Unfilled	
		Moore, Jeffrey	Casavant, Muriel		Harpring, Gus		Unfilled			
4:00 PM 9/16	Tate, Janet	Deacon	Everhart, Karmella	Koch, Kelly	Lang, Matthew	Larka, Jessica	Convery, Gail	Edwards, Jerry	Candelaresi, Tom	
	Unfilled	Rottinghaus, Charles	Weber, Donald	Regan, Barbara	Presnell, Alison	Ruehlman, Payton	Edwards, Jerry	Schworer, Charollet	Johnson, Gene	
		Rottinghaus, Ginny	Lehn, Carrie		Boehme, Mikey		Schworer, Charollet			
8:00 AM 9/17	Meisman, Diane	Deacon	Philpot, Jerry	Kennedy, Dianna	Balwanz, Aubrey	Dawson, Connor	Gessendorf, Linda	Guenther, Bob	Denison, Steve	
	Randolph, Charles	Tussey, Patricia	Senior, Kathy	Comello, Barbara	Evans, Maggie	Lytle, Ryan	Guertin, Nancy	Imbus, Bill	Guertin, Joe	
		Molitor, Charlotte	Ditchen, Vickie		Tenkman, Nate		Fehn, Helen			
10:00 AM 9/17	Mulvey, Mary Lou	Deacon	Denton, Terrill	Neltner, Ray	Longbottom, Rylee	Svarda, Connor	Neltner, Ray	McPhillips, Patrick	Puckett, Cheryl	
	Casnellie, Dan	Casavant, Lisa	Kiefer, Tom	Schulte, Tony	Bramble, Boyd	Royse, Ava	Puckett, Cheryl	Austin, Lynn	Bath, Tim	
		Lindsey, Patricia	Klysz, Karen		Casavant, Juliette		Unfilled			
12:00 PM 9/17	Noble, Victoria	Deacon	Noble, Doreen	Unfilled	Rees, Jake	Mulloney, Jenna	Archer, Dee	Finn, Tom	Lenahan, Ed	
		Casavant, Muriel	Unfilled	Unfilled	Whitaker, Cohen	Mulloney, Mia	Unfilled	Luehrmann, Bill	Unfilled	
		Schuler, Richard	Unfilled		Barnes, Gracie		Unfilled			
4:00 PM 9/23	Tate, Janet	Deacon	Everhart, Karmella	Unfilled	Schulte, Kaitlyn	Everhart, Charlie	Schworer, Charollet	Edwards, Jerry	Johnson, Gene	
	Mulvey, Mary Lou	Rottinghaus, Ginny	Koch, Kelly	Unfilled	Velez, MaryJane	Everhart, Jack	Edwards, Jerry	Schworer, Charollet	Candelaresi, Tom	
		Rottinghaus, Charles	Lehn, Carrie		Lang, Connor		Convery, Gail			
8:00 AM 9/24	Seip, Nelson	Deacon	Comello, Barbara	Ramundo, Pat	Moore, Derek	Haas, Jasmine	Fehn, Helen	Bauman, Kevin	Denison, Steve	
	Philpot, Jerry	Brannen, Thomas	Ditchen, Vickie	Ramundo, Tony	Hood, Nickolas	Conrady, Peter	Guertin, Nancy	Guertin, Joe	Imbus, Bill	
		Molitor, Charlotte	Opp, Mary		Gramza, Ryan		Gessendorf, Linda			
10:00 AM 9/24	Grachek, John	Deacon	Barton, Penny	Casnellie, Lori	Barton, Sofia	Burger, Emily	Denton, Terrill	McPhillips, Jordyn	Schaefer, Bob	
	Grachek, Eva	Schulte, Tony	Denton, Terrill	Casnellie, Dan	Swarts, Hannah	Burger, Sarah	Bishop, Sandra	McPhillips, Patrick	Bath, Tim	
		Hornschemeier, Kathy	Klysz, Karen		Hitt, Ava		Puckett, Cheryl			
12:00 PM 9/24	Foltz, Darline	Deacon	Noble, Doreen	Unfilled	McFadyen, Caitlyn	Glutz, Zach	Archer, Dee	Lenahan, Ed	Finn, Tom	
		Moore, Jeffrey	Schuler, Richard	Unfilled	McFadyen, Jack	Glutz, Tanner	Unfilled	Luehrmann, Bill	Unfilled	
		Moore, Jacqueline	Casavant, Muriel		Simms, Emily		Unfilled			
4:00 PM 9/30	Jessie, Janelle	Deacon	Everhart, Karmella	Unfilled	Schoolfield, Maggie	Koch, Trey	Convery, Gail	Edwards, Jerry	Candelaresi, Tom	
	Schoolfield, Katie	Rottinghaus, Charles	Koch, Kelly	Unfilled	Schoolfield, Sam	Koch, Joe	Edwards, Jerry	Schworer, Charollet	Johnson, Gene	
		Rottinghaus, Ginny	Lehn, Carrie		Horne, Laura		Schworer, Charollet			
8:00 AM 10/01	Mulvey, Mary Lou	Deacon	Ivers, Genevieve	Senior, Kathy	Hendrickson, Adam	Duncan, Zach	Gessendorf, Linda	Guenther, Bob	Denison, Steve	
	Comello, Barbara	Meisman, Diane	Kennedy, Dianna	Philpot, Jerry	Feldkamp, Allie	Duncan, Matthew	Guertin, Nancy	Imbus, Bill	Guertin, Joe	
		Tussey, Patricia	Ditchen, Vickie		Lang, Matthew		Fehn, Helen			
10:00 AM 10/01	Kiefer, Tom	Deacon	Lindsey, Patricia	Barton, Alena	Hillard, Christopher	Bailey, Myles	Puckett, Cheryl	Puckett, Cheryl	Bath, Tim	
	Randolph, Charles	Casavant, Lisa	Neltner, Ray	Barton, Penny	Bader, Michael	Bailey, Ayden	Unfilled	Austin, Lynn	Schaefer, Bob	
		Davis, Barbara	Klysz, Karen		Martin, Katelyn		Unfilled			
12:00 PM 10/01	Moore, Jacqueline	Deacon	Foltz, Darline	Schuler, Richard	Moss, Lainie	Rieder, Logan	Archer, Dee	Finn, Tom	Lenahan, Ed	
		Desrosiers, Dena	Lohbeck, Mary	Noble, Doreen	Mann, Nick	Rieder, Frank	Unfilled	Luehrmann, Bill	Unfilled	
		Brannen, Thomas	Casavant, Muriel		Nieporte, Jake		Unfilled			

\*Please contact Donna Buchheit (dbuchheit@stm.org or 513-753-2541) by the 10th of the month to advise dates you will not be available next month or to make any scheduling changes.

\*If you are not able to make your assigned date, please find a sub replacement or switch dates with another minister.



### Commissioning and Blessing of Parish Liturgical Ministers

In our parish, these roles are exercised by laypersons, youth, young adults, and adults who undertake the ministries of Altar Server, Sacristans, Musicians/Choir Members, and the Ministers of Hospitality. We would like to commission and bless these parish members who give so willingly of their time and talent each week to enhance our liturgical celebrations.

We will be commissioning, on the weekend of September 23/24, our Eucharistic Ministers and the Ministers of the Homebound at the 4:00 pm, 8:00 & 10:00 am, and the 12:00 Noon Masses.

On the weekend of September 30/October 1 we will be giving the blessing to the Lectors at the 4:00 pm, 8:00 & 10:00 am, and the 12:00 Noon Masses.

On the weekend of October 14/15 we will be giving the blessings to the Ushers and the Greeters at the 4:00 pm, 8:00 & 10:00 am, and the 12:00 Noon Masses.

On the weekend of October 21/22 we will be giving the blessing to the Sacristans and to the Music Ministry at the 4:00 pm, 8:00 & 10:00 am, and the 12:00 Noon Masses.

We ask that all Eucharistic Ministers, Ministers of the Homebound, Lectors, Ushers, Greeters, Sacristans and Music Ministers please be in attendance for this special prayer of blessing at one of the Masses on your corresponding weekend. You don't want to miss this!

Again, thank you to all of you who participate in these ministries and for all that you do for St. Thomas More.

Your friend in Christ,  
*Deacon Bob Brazier*

### BETHLEHEM OLIVE WOOD



Today, more than 600 Christian families, mostly Catholic, living in Bethlehem rely completely on the Hand Carved Olive Wood Figures to make their living on.

The recent clashes in the Middle East have caused most serious harm to those families, forcing them to flee their homeland. The bishop in Jerusalem is well aware of the fact that emptying the land of Christ from Christians can have tragic consequences on holy sites of their beloved homeland.

Representatives are sent on a mission to market some of the beautiful religious handcrafts made by these poor families. You are encouraged to take a look at the display and see if there is something you would like to purchase. These handcrafts would make a very special Christmas gift and you would be helping to protect the many Christians in the Holy Land. Plus you would be getting a piece of art work from the land of Christ.



### Nine Months With Christ - Week 22

Jesus now has a sense of balance inside his mother. He can even tell whether he is upside down or right-side up, but he still spends the majority of his time right-side up. Jesus of the womb, Hear our prayers!

### Adoration

of the  
Blessed Sacrament



Join us every Friday after the 8:30 am Mass until 3:00 pm for Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

# It's Time to Register your Children for 2017-2018 PSR!

