

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

Saturday, June 20 <sup>th</sup> ,	5:00 PM	In Memory – Members of the Degnan Family
Sunday, June 21 <sup>st</sup> ,	8:00 AM	Birthday Remembrance – Henry Del Monico
	10:00 AM	In Memory - James H. Lynch & Enos M. Peters
Monday, June 22 <sup>nd</sup> ,	9:00 AM	In Memory – Mary & Richard Buscher, Jr.
Tuesday, June 23 <sup>rd</sup> ,	9:00 AM	In Memory – Raymond & Mary Cook
Wednesday, June 24 <sup>th</sup> ,	9:00 AM	In Memory – Rita Phaneuf
Thursday, June 25 <sup>th</sup> ,	9:00 AM	2 <sup>nd</sup> Anniversary – Donald Shaghalian
Friday, June 26 <sup>th</sup> ,	9:00 AM	In Memory – Suzanne Cross
Saturday, June 27 <sup>th</sup> ,	9:00 AM	Souls in Purgatory
Sunday, June 28 <sup>th</sup> ,	7:00 AM	Members of the Military
	8:00 AM	15 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary – Herb Bennett
	10:00 AM	In Memory – Mary B. Karkos

**St. Veronica Chapel**

Saturday, June 20 <sup>th</sup> ,	4:00 PM	In Memory – Justin Monaghan
Sunday, June 21 <sup>st</sup> ,	9:00 AM	4 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary – Janice Eldridge
	11:00 AM	In Memory – Thomas & Rosa Logan
Monday, June 22 <sup>nd</sup> ,	8:00 AM	Pro Populo
Wednesday, June 24 <sup>th</sup> ,	8:00 AM	In Memory – Edward & Jane Reidy
Friday, June 26 <sup>th</sup> ,	8:00 AM	Anniversary – Jennie Carr
Saturday, June 27 <sup>th</sup> ,	4:00 PM	Birthday Remembrance – Paul McMahon
Sunday, June 28 <sup>th</sup> ,	7:30 AM	In Memory – John & Ellen Paquet
	9:00 AM	In Memory – Vincent Calise
	11:00 AM	In Memory – Donna Martone-Benner & Robert C. Benner

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*He woke up, rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, "Quiet! Be still!" The wind ceased and there was great calm. Then he asked them, "Why are you terrified? Do you not yet have faith?" - Mk 4:39-40*

**THANK YOU!!**

Thank you to all the parishioners of St. Thomas More Parish. I appreciate all your prayers, good wishes and words of thanks. It has been a wonderful eleven years working with you and the youth of the parish. You have been helpful to me in so many ways and have made my work enjoyable. Also, thanks to all who helped with the Coffee An' after Mass. May God bless, *Marilyn Betley*

**SUMMER DAILY MASS SCHEDULE**

St. Veronica - Mon. - Fri. - 8:00AM  
 June 22<sup>nd</sup> to September 4<sup>th</sup>  
 St. Thomas More - Mon. - Sat. at 9:00AM



**YEAR FOR PRIESTS ADORATION**



On Sunday, June 28<sup>th</sup> – 6PM to Monday, June 29<sup>th</sup> – 7PM, 24 Hour Adoration will begin the Year of the Priesthood by Pope Benedict. We will host Eucharist Adoration and various prayers and devotions as well as quiet time. When the Eucharistic Lord is exposed in the Monstrance, the Presence can never be left alone. **Sign-up boards are located at the Church entrances.**



### “SUMMER-TIME BLAST”

#### Vacation bible school 2009

Register Now!! Boys & Girls ages 4-11, mark your calendars for the week of August 10<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> - from 9:30AM-12:30PM – St. Thomas More. It will be lots of fun!! Registration forms are available in the Parish Office and at the Church entrances. Please register by July 31<sup>st</sup>. If you have any questions, call Sarah Cullen at 783-2113 or Jeanne Lydon at 294-7353. An adult volunteer is needed for teaching songs and hand motions as part of daily schedule.

#### GRACE'S COURAGE CRUSADE

Grace's Courage Crusade will have a Family Festival on Sunday, June 28<sup>th</sup> at Ninigret Park, Charlestown, in honor of Grace Caldarone, who is an 8 year old student at Msgr. Clarke. All proceeds to benefit the Charcot-Marie Tooth Disease Foundation, a genetic & progressive nerve disorder. For more information, contact Tonia Hassell at 782-3574 or to register on-line go to: [www.needtorace.com](http://www.needtorace.com).

#### GOLF TOURNAMENT

The Annual Msgr. Clarke Open will be held on Monday, July 13<sup>th</sup> at the Quidnessett Country Club. Check in begins at 7:00AM with an 8:00AM shotgun start. Cost is \$135.00 per person and includes breakfast, cart, greens fees, jacket, gift bag and lunch. All proceeds will benefit Msgr. Clarke School. Tee sponsorships are available for \$100.00 and are tax deductible. For more info, please call the school at 789-0860.

#### PRAYER CHAIN

Did you know that our Parish has a Prayer Chain Ministry? If anyone would like some extra needed prayers, you may call 295-1241 and express your request.

### SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE

#### STARTING JUNE 28<sup>TH</sup>

St. Thomas More Saturday 5:00PM  
Sunday **7:00AM-No music**  
8:00AM  
10:00AM

St. Veronica Saturday 4:00PM  
Sunday **7:30AM-No music**  
9:00AM  
11:00AM

**\*\*Last Call Mass at 8:00PM-St. Veronica  
Beginning June 28<sup>th</sup>**



#### 2009 SUMMER BIBLE STUDY SERIES AT

##### ST. VERONICA CHAPEL:

The Messiah: from King David of Israel to Jesus - The Story of David in the Books of 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Samuel in the Hebrew Bible

Meeting Dates: July 7, 14, 21 & 28; Aug. 4, 11, 18 & 25

Time: 8:30 AM to 10:00 on Tuesdays (follows the 8:00AM Mass)

All are welcome. Bring a Bible with you. For more information, please contact Maryann at 203-213-4809 or [mmknag@aol.com](mailto:mmknag@aol.com).

#### FOOTBALL CAMP

The Elite Football School, RI's premier non-contact Football Camp for players between the ages of 7-15, will be held at Bishop Hendricken High School this July. For more information visit: [www.elitefootballschool.com](http://www.elitefootballschool.com) or call Keith Croft, Camp director at 489-8643.

#### BASKETBALL CAMP

LaSalle Academy Boys Basketball Camp at the LaSalle Athletic complex- from August 3<sup>rd</sup> – August 7<sup>th</sup> 8:15AM-4:00PM. The cost is \$150.00 for the week. If you have any questions or to register, please call Bill Black at 575-8849 or [bblack@lasalle-academy.org](mailto:bblack@lasalle-academy.org).



*JUNE 21, 2009*

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## Happy and Blessed Feast of St. Thomas More!

We are in the midst of our feast weekend and so far things are going great! (I'm writing this on Wednesday – how's that for faith!) Thanks to the countless number of volunteers who have helped in so many ways! We will attempt to try and point them out in the weeks ahead. So many have contributed time, talent and treasure to make these days full of grace for so many. St. Thomas More's actual feast day is June 22<sup>nd</sup> along with St. John Fisher. Let us invoke him this week.

We also begin the *Year of the Priest* this week (a bit overshadowed by St Thomas More) but a reality nevertheless. Remember our 24 hour adoration is next weekend. Imagine if every parishioner made an effort to visit the Church just once for a few minutes any time of day or night. Priests and seminarians need prayers as well as all the members of the Body of Christ. Please try to attend as many opportunities that are offered as possible.

We also welcome Fr. Tim Reilly, the Vice-Chancellor of the Diocese of Providence who will be helping us out on weekends in the summer starting next weekend. Fr. Reilly is well-known in these parts, as he served previously at St. Francis in Wakefield. He is a great priest and a true gentleman. It is especially helpful to have him with us in that we add our new masses next weekend. Please spread the word about our new 7:00am (no music/golfers dream) Mass at St. Thomas More and the 7:30 am (also no music) at St. Veronica. The popular 8:00pm Last Call mass at St. Veronica will resume next Sunday as well. We hope to bless the Narragansett Beach Rescue Team in the first liturgy and welcome Mark Castro as music minister to our faith family.

Please familiarize yourself with Faith Direct, a new on-line giving opportunity that is being introduced. It is safe and convenient. Applications will be in the pews.

Thanks to the many who have signed up for our parish pictorial directory. Summer folks and snowbirds are most welcome to participate! I know some don't like getting their picture taken but please reconsider in that it is a great way to build community and to get to know one another.

Please try to come to the Solemn Vespers on Sunday June 28<sup>th</sup> to open our adoration period. May our parish become a provider rather than a receiver of priestly vocations. This will be my intention in our adoration period.

Blessing in Christ Jesus,

*Fr. Taillon*