

THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD | APRIL 9, 2023 | STTHOMASMORERI.ORG



*"He is not here,
He has been raised."*

MATTHEW 28:6



Easter SUNDAY

CHRIST IS RISEN

He is raised, He is truly risen! Alleluia! Alleluia!

We are so blessed to celebrate the most sacred holy day of the year as we gather at the end of this Holy Week to enter into the reality of Our Heavenly Father raising Jesus in body from the dead. We know that Jesus never died in soul of course, but his body raised from the tomb is the promise that all of our graves one day will be empty as Christ promised.

The Easter season begins with an 8-day octave that continues with a fifty-day celebration until Pentecost, when the Father and Jesus sent the Holy Spirit and the Catholic Church was born.

We must enter into the suffering, death and resurrection of Christ in our daily lives. We do this most effectively by encountering Jesus in all 7 sacraments that He has instituted. We also want to imprint the whole story of Jesus into all of our own relationships and circumstances.

I couldn't give you Easter greetings without thanking all of you who helped make our Holy Week liturgies so moving and sincere. Our readers, singers and musicians, servers, decorators and our selfless clergy and outstanding staff.

We welcome our converts and members of our RCIA program into fullness of communion with us, as well as welcome all of you that the Lord has brought from near and far to celebrate the holy days!

May the risen Jesus especially touch all of us who are grieving the loss of a loved one this year. The Easter promise is of special significance and importance to us.

Let us move forward in the joy of Easter and the peace of Christ!

Fr. Taillon

ST. VERONICA PARKING LOT ENHANCEMENT



*View of the parking lot
from Carol Lane
(adjacent to St. Veronica)
upon completion.*

The parking lot at St. Veronica Chapel will be going through a significant improvement project starting in April 2023, lasting through the summer with projected completion for September.

The improvements include:

- Compliance with previous zoning requirements regarding the number of parking spaces required at the time the chapel and classrooms were built.
- Meeting OSHA handicap parking and accessibility codes
- Reduction of on-street parking
- Providing safer entrance and exits
- Providing a safe drop off lane for children/other persons going to activities on parish property
- Creation of a retention basin to significantly reduce runoff, thus increasing water quality to nearby critical coastal resources
- Extensive natural landscaping to buffer the perimeter with the adjacent neighborhood

On Saturdays and Sundays, the parking lot will be accessible during scheduled Mass times. We appreciate our countless donors who generously donated to this project. We know they value the enormous improvements in safety for our parishioners and those we serve. We are deeply grateful to the many professionals who have worked over the last five years to facilitate all necessary approvals from civil and ecclesiastical authorities. We would like to thank all parishioners, visitors and neighbors in advance for their patience during this exciting project and improvements.

I was glad when they said to me, "Let us go to the house of the Lord." Psalm 122:1

MASS *intentions*

HOLY SATURDAY ~ EASTER VIGIL, APRIL 8th

7:30 PM – for the soul of Albert Alba, Sr.

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD, APRIL 9th

8 AM – for the soul of Samuel F. Conca

9 AM – for the souls of Gerald & Lydia Coli

10 AM – for the soul of Dawna Lee Ursillo

11 AM – for the soul of Gus Andolfo

MONDAY, APRIL 10th

9 AM – Special Intention ~ Daniel Patrick Colello (Living)

TUESDAY, APRIL 11th

9 AM – for the soul of Inez Cote

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12th

9 AM – for the souls of Charles & Ellen Quandt

THURSDAY, APRIL 13th

9 AM – 10th Anniversary ~ Linda A. Ruscito

FRIDAY, APRIL 14th

9 AM – Birthday Remembrance ~ Lena Rustico

SATURDAY, APRIL 15th

9 AM – for the soul of Sheril Ann Murphy

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

SATURDAY, APRIL 15th (Vigil)

4 PM – for the souls of Rocco & Adelaide Ferolito and Anthony & Rose Salvato

5 PM – for the souls of Frank & Margaret King and the deceased members of the King family

SUNDAY, APRIL 16th

8 AM – for the souls Kathy Connor and Frances Furbush

9 AM – for the souls of Gilbert & Mary Taylor and the deceased member of the Taylor family

10 AM – for the soul of Shelley Renée Gardner

11 AM – for the deceased members of the Delaney and Kirwan families



Our Lady's Guild Meeting

**Wednesday, April 12th
10:00 AM**

All are welcome to join at
St. Thomas More Parish Hall


"God wishes to establish in the world, devotion to my Immaculate Heart. If people do what I tell you, many souls will be saved and there will be peace."

For more info contact Diane 401-996-3876

Knights of Columbus

Monthly Membership Meeting

Monday, April 10th- 7PM
St. Thomas More Parish Hall




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Knitting Ministry Meeting

Wednesday, April 12th - 1:00 PM

St. Thomas More Parish Hall

For more information, call the parish office at 789-7682. All are welcome!



SILENT EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Thursday, April 13th

St. Thomas More Church - 6:30 - 7:30 PM
with Exposition and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

CHRIST *is* RISEN

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Easter Flower Donations

in memory of

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Brendan Tapley
The Terminesi Family
Sal & Angie Torregrossa
Claire Wayland
Dennis Wayland
Jack & Bernice Wayland

** In Honor Of*



Happenings around the parish

Parish Pilgrimage

with Fr. Taillon

Saturday April 15th, 2023
(Space Limited)

All are welcome
to attend!



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Join the Knights of Columbus on a pilgrimage to the Blessed Michael McGivney Pilgrimage Center in New Haven, CT with Mass and veneration at St. Mary's Church (where Fr. McGivney is entombed).

Includes coach bus from St. Thomas More, Mass and veneration, lunch and tour of the pilgrimage center and return to St. Thomas More.

\$50 per person

Visit www.popepiusxii.org/pilgrimage
for more details

Religious Education

There are no Religious Education classes the week of April 9th for Easter Break.

2023 Catholic Charity Appeal

In-Pew solicitation April 22nd & 23rd

Parish Goal: \$130,000

Appeal Co-Chairs:

Kathy Leonard & Lynn Notarantonio



WALKING TOGETHER
IN FAITH

The services provided by the ministries supported by the Catholic Charity Appeal range from...

- social service ministries providing direct support to the poor, the hungry and homeless
- immigration and refugee services
- emergency rent and medical aid
- prison ministry
- justice & peace education, to end inner city violence
- social service to State Department of Elderly Affairs
- child care voucher program for low income families
- a youth camp & two youth centers
- grants for ministries outside the diocese like: the RI Food Bank and the Rhode Island Poverty Institute
- grants to "Keep The Heat On," a program for low income emergency heating assistance

URGENT NEED! GIVE BLOOD

Patients like Holden need your help.

St. Thomas More Parish

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Monday, April 17, 2023

2:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Narragansett Community Center

Upstairs Room

53 Mumford Rd, Narragansett

DONATIONS BY APPOINTMENT!

Scan the QR Code to Book:

(walk-ins will be welcomed if availability permits at time of arrival)

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WEEKLY PARISH FOOD COLLECTION

Current Needs

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|----------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| ✓ Natural Peanut Butter | ✓ Low Sodium Canned Veggies |
| ✓ Low Sugar Jelly | ✓ Canned Fruit in 100% Juice |
| ✓ Baked/Black/Kidney Beans | ✓ Healthy Snacks |
| ✓ Whole Grain Cereal/Crackers/Pasta & Jarred Pasta Sauce | |

Collection baskets are located at the entrance of both churches.



The Resurrection
OF THE LORD

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DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

April 16, 2023
St. Thomas More Parish



1:30 PM ~ ROSARY

Pray the Joyful, Sorrowful &
Glorious Mysteries of the Rosary
at the entrance of
Narragansett Town Beach

2:45 PM ~ CHAPLET

Pray the Chaplet of Divine Mercy
in the church at St. Thomas More

3 ~ 4 PM ~ ADORATION
& CONFESSION

Silent Eucharistic Adoration
with Benediction & Confession
in the church at St. Thomas More