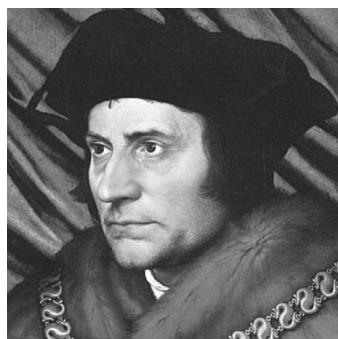


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April 16th, 2017

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SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE - OLGC

Saturday Evening: 5:30 p.m.
Sunday Morning: 9:00 a.m.
10:15 a.m. - Spanish Mass
11:30 a.m. - Choral Mass
Sunday Evening: 6:00 p.m.

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE - STM

Saturday Evening: 5:45 p.m.
Sunday Morning: 8:30 a.m.
10:00 a.m. - Family Mass
Sunday Afternoon: 12:00 p.m. - Choral Mass
Sunday Evening: 5:45 p.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES - OLGC

Monday thru Friday: 9:00 am and 6:00 pm
Saturday: 9:00 am and 12:00 pm

WEEKDAY MASSES - STM

Monday thru Friday: 8:00 am and 12:15 pm
Saturday: 8:00 am and 12:15 pm

CONFESSIONS - OLGC

Monday thru Friday - 5:45 pm
Saturday 4:30 - 5:15 pm

CONFESSIONS - STM

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

BAPTISM

OLGC - 12:30 pm on Sunday
STM - 1:00 pm on Sunday
(Arrangements must be made six weeks 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.

Church of Our Lady of Good Counsel - St. Thomas More

April 16th, 2017

Easter Sunday

Dear Brothers and Sisters, a Happy and Holy Easter!


The Church throughout the world echoes the angel's message to the women: "Do not be afraid! I know that you are looking for Jesus who was crucified. He is not here; for he has been raised... Come, see the place where he lay" (Mt 28:5-6).

This is the culmination of the Gospel, it is the Good News par excellence: Jesus, who was crucified, is risen! This event is the basis of our faith and our hope. If Christ were not raised, Christianity would lose its very meaning; the whole mission of the Church would lose its impulse, for this is the point from which it first set out and continues to set out ever anew. The message which Christians bring to the world is this: Jesus, Love incarnate, died on the cross for our sins, but God the Father raised him and made him the Lord of life and death. In Jesus, love has triumphed over hatred, mercy over sinfulness, goodness over evil, truth over falsehood, life over death.

That is why we tell everyone: "Come and see!" In every human situation, marked by frailty, sin and death, the Good News is no mere matter of words, but a testimony to unconditional and faithful love: it is about leaving ourselves behind and encountering others, being close to those crushed by life's troubles, sharing with the needy, standing at the side of the sick, elderly and the outcast... "Come and see!": Love is more powerful, love gives life, love makes hope blossom in the wilderness.

With this joyful certainty in our hearts, today we turn to you, risen Lord!

Adapted from Pope Francis, *Urbi et Orbi* Message, Easter 2014



*The Clergy and Staff of
Our Lady of Good Counsel*

St. Thomas More

*wish our parishioners and visitors a
blessed and joyous Easter Season!*

*To register and stay up to date on activities and opportunities in the parish, please
fill out a card at the back of the church or visit our website:*

olgstm.org/parish-registration

Church of St. Thomas More

Who is saying Mass this Sunday?

Sat 8:00 pm	Fr. Madigan
Sun 8:30 am	Fr. Madigan
Sun 10:00 am	Msgr. McCahill
Sun 12:00 pm	Fr. Madigan
NOTE: No Evening Mass	

Lector/EM Mass Schedule

<i>April 23</i>	<i>Lector</i>	<i>EM</i>
Sat 5:45 pm	The Rosses	Greg Gorra
Sun 8:30 am	TBD	
Sun 10:00 am	Barry Family	Dan Flynn
Sun 12:00 pm	Chris Baldwin	Sharon McKenna
Sun 5:45 pm	Rory Kelleher	Julia Shea

Did you know ...

STM's Youth & Family Sandwich-Making is completing its second season of community outreach?

Upcoming dates: May 21 and June 18, 12 noon - 1:00pm.

Monthly from August to June, our team of volunteers makes and delivers 250 sandwiches to NY Common Pantry. St Thomas More gratefully acknowledges our founding suppliers, **Eli's, Whole Foods & Morton Williams**, for their generous donations of bread, sun butter, jam, mustard, mayonnaise, sliced meats & cheese.

Please consider patronage of our neighborhood food purveyors, without whose unwavering support we couldn't do what we do!

Signup is easy via the following link: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0d49aeaf2ba4fb6-sandwichmaking>

MASS INTENTIONS AND FEAST DAYS

AT ST. THOMAS MORE

April 16 – April 22

Mon. April 17

8:00 Michael Rooney (L)
*12:15 Carmel Rossman Linskey (D)

Tues. April 18

8:00 Virginia Stivala (D)
*12:15 Evelyn Buckley (D)

Wed. April 19

8:00 Pamela Ann Tusiani (D)
*12:15 Theresa Tachub (D)

Thurs. April 20

8:00 Carrell D. Murphy (L)
*12:15 Barbara Freehill (D)

Fri. April 21

8:00 Pia Onetti (D)
*12:15 Josephine & John Garrigan (D)

Sat. April 22

8:00
*12:15 Maria and Joseph Muccino (D)

Vigil Mass

5:45 Mary Benjamin (D)

***Rosary prayed after 12:15pm Mass**

We Extend Our Thanks

To **Anne Tracy & Rebecca Bagdonas** for hosting Sunday's coffee hour. You can learn more and sign-up to host here:

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090a48a4ad2baaff2-winterspring>

“Redeeming the Rhinoceros”

Saturday, April 22nd, 2-4pm

Corpus Christi Church (529 W 121st St.)

\$20/Free for Students & Members

Join the Thomas Merton Society as Dr. Paul Pearson, Thomas Merton scholar, explores Thomas Merton's journey from cloistered to activist monk who put himself in the stampede's path to deepen his roots in social justice.

EVENTS AT OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL

DATE	EVENT	TIME
4/16	AA Meeting	3pm
4/17	Blue Army	after 9am Mass
4/19	Senior Bingo	12:30pm
	Talleres de Oracion y Vida	7pm
4/19-20	Pop-up Flea Market	11am-4pm
4/21	Religious Education	7pm
4/22	Saturday Morning Breakfast	7 - 8:30am
4/23	Religious Education	10am
	Spanish Comm. Flea Market	11:30am
	AA Meeting	3pm

Preparing for Baptism

Preparation meetings must be attended the **first Tuesday evening of the month (May 2nd) at 7:00PM** in the OLGC Parish Hall. Baptisms take place on **Sundays afternoons:**

**12:30pm at OLGC
1pm at STM**



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	OLGC	STM
Goal	\$47,750	\$110,750
Pledged	\$25,919	\$110,380
Donors	64	95

Affordable Counseling

Feeling at a loss about how to deal with some personal problem? Need someone to speak with? Catholic Charities is providing counseling (up to six sessions) at a very moderate cost (\$10 co-pay per session) from trained therapists.

For more information or to arrange an appointment, call 866-962-7487.

EVENTS AT ST. THOMAS MORE

DATE	EVENT	TIME
4/16	Family Coffee Hour & Easter Egg Hunt	11am
4/18	Leisure Club Lunch	after 12:15 Mass
	First Grade Religious Ed	5pm
4/19	Christian Meditation	6pm
4/20	Second Grade Religious Ed	5pm
4/23	Family Coffee Hour	11am

Note: AA Meetings are held on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday evenings at 6:30pm in the Chelsea Room.

*You are cordially invited to the next
OLGC-STM*

“Faith In Action Talk”

The Role of God in My Life an evening with **Loida Lewis**

Loida Nicolas Lewis is Chairman and CEO of TLC Beatrice. She was the first Filipino woman to pass the New York bar in 1974 without studying law in the USA. She is co-founder of the Asian American Legal De-fense & Education Fund (AALDEF), chair of the Reginald F. Lewis Foundation, founder and president of The Lewis College in Sorsogon her birth place, in the Bicol region.

Tuesday, April 25th

**7pm, St. Thomas More
Rochester Room**

WEEKDAY BIBLE READINGS

Sun.: Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Col 3:1-4
Jn 20:1-9

Mon.: Acts 2:14, 22-33/Mt 28:8-15

Tues.: Acts 2:36-41/Jn 20:11-18

Wed.: Acts 3:1-10/Lk 24:13-35

Thur.: Acts 3:11-26/Lk 24:35-48

Fri.: Acts 4:1-12/Jn 21:1-14

Sat.: Acts 4:13-21/Mk 16:9-15

Church of Our Lady of Good Counsel

MASS INTENTIONS AND FEAST DAYS AT OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL APRIL 16 – APRIL 22

Who is saying Mass this Sunday?

Easter Vigil @ STM (8:00pm)	
Sun 9:00 am	Fr. Maximo
Sun 10:15 am	Fr. Sheehan
Sun 11:30 pm	Fr. Maximo
NOTE: No Evening Mass	

Lector/EM Mass Schedule

<i>April 23</i>	<i>Lector</i>	<i>EM</i>
Sat 5:30 pm	Tony Johnson	Sazs Sexigs
Sun 9:00 am	Louisa Martin	Marie Nonni
Sun 10:15 am		
Sun 11:30 am	C. Williams	J. McLaughlin
Sun 6:00 pm	Ryan Richard	Carol Hopkins

Mon. April 17

9:00 William Symmonds (D)
6:00 Richard Francis (L)

Tues. April 18

9:00 Ramdeen Ramahanie (D)
6:00 Lauren Finster (D)

Wed. April 19

9:00 Margaret McLoughlin (D)
6:00 Joe "Opie" O'Connor (D)

Thurs. April 20

9:00 Louis Albrecht (D)
6:00 Annie "Nancy" Cooney (D)

Fri. April 21

9:00 Margaret McLoughlin (D)
6:00 Nora Terribery (D)

Sat. April 22

9:00 Juventina Suave (D)

Vigil

5:30 Thomas Mason (D)

OLGC Choir invites New Voices!

The OLGC choir invites you to join its ranks for the joy of making beautiful music and fellowship. Members of the choir are volunteers with varying degrees of formal musical training (and none at all). No formal audition is required. The OLGC choir sings at the 11:30am Mass on Sundays throughout the year under the direction of Joan Barton DeCaro. We rehearse on Sundays from 10:15-11:30am in the Parish Rectory.

If you are interested, please call the Parish Office, or simply stop by on Sunday at 10:15am.

Today as we celebrate the feast of Easter we find the challenge of also seeing and believing the resurrection that comes through our own lives of self-sacrifice. It is then that we are truly Easter people!



Please remember the sick, especially

Claudia Apicella, Persetta Ballard, the Carton Family, Flamina Cichi, Lavonia Cisse, Cornelius Cutter, Patrick Flanagan, the Forte Family, Bernie Helgason, Mary Ellen Nugent Lee, Veronica and Augustine Martin, Frank Meade, Gertrude ("Trudy") Paul, Liz Riker, Edward Spaeth, Alix & Wilson Stearns, Ronnie Sylvers, Scott Yeoman, and Harriet Weiss.

And all the faithfully departed, especially

Nancy Cooney, that they may see God.
To add a name or to keep a name on the list, please contact the rectory at the beginning of each month.

As you donate your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, know that you are a sign of God's love to those who are suffering and you give them Easter hope and joy.

Contact the OLGC Conference via the rectory or at blessinggifts3@gmail.com

Spanish Community

Flea Market

**April 23, 2017
11:30 Am - 2:30 pm
OLGC Parish Hall**