



# St. Thomas More Catholic Church

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We are St. Thomas More Parish, members of the living Body of Christ,  
born again in Baptism and strengthened through the Eucharist  
to promote the Gospel values of our Catholic faith.

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## Mass Schedule

Saturday (Vigil Mass) - 5:30 pm

Sunday - 9:00 am, 11:00 am & 1:00 pm in Spanish

Monday & Thursday - 6:00 pm Tuesday & Friday - 7:00 am

**Reconciliation** Thursday 5:30 - 6:00 pm & Saturday 4:00 - 5:00 pm

**Eucharistic Adoration** - Works of Mercy Chapel



## 3<sup>rd</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus said to them, "Come after me, and I will  
make you fishers of men." - Mk 1:17



## Break Out of Your Comfort Zone to be a Good Steward

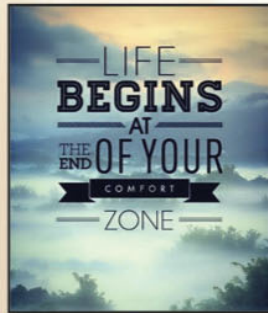
The first disciples of Jesus in today's Gospel left their work and their daily routines to follow him. They abandoned their livelihoods, familiar surroundings and the lives to which they had become accustomed to be closer to him. The good steward finds ways to be removed from what may be a comfortable existence or daily routine in order to serve the Lord more faithfully.

All too often, out of fear, insecurity or even selfishness, we refuse to leave the safety of the little world we have created for ourselves in order to hear the Lord's call and be challenged by his Gospel.

Of course, Simon and Andrew "abandoned their nets and followed him." It may be more difficult for us to "abandon our nets" so to speak, but it does prompt us that we need to make major changes in our lives if we are going to follow Jesus. Simon and Andrew, and then James and John, were common men, normal people. They had no theological credentials nor did they have any special status in the world.

Most of us are similar. Jesus did not select them (or us) for who they were. He called them for what He could do through them. It is the same with each of us. Yes, we are called, but in order to really fulfill our calling we need to follow and trust in Jesus. Perhaps we should reflect on what comforts we need to sacrifice in order to be better stewards of God's mercy, compassion and hospitality he planted within us.

# Stewardship



## MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

### Saturday, January 20

5:30 pm Parish Family

### Sunday, January 21 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am Kay Eckstein (d)

11:00 am Bill Cash (d)

1:00 pm Mass in Spanish

Harry Don Sidenstricker (d)  
& Vickie Cole (d)

### Monday, January 22

6:00 pm Pearle Curtsinger (d)

### Tuesday, January 23

7:00 am Living & Deceased Members  
of the W L Willett Family

### Wednesday, January 24

8:40 am St Mary High School

12:00 pm Lourdes Hospital Chapel

J Bernie Carroll (d)

### Thursday, January 25

6:00 pm Living & Deceased Members  
of the Mark Curtsinger Family

### Friday, January 26

7:00 am Deacon John Shoulta (d)

8:05 am St Mary Elementary School

### Saturday, January 27

5:30 pm Wayne Hagan (d)

### Sunday, January 28 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am Parish Family

11:00 am Bernie Hermann (d)

1:00 pm Mass in Spanish

Daughters of Isabella

## Sunday, January 14, 2018

<b>Regular Collection</b>	<b>\$15,196.00</b>
<b>Online Collections</b>	<b>\$14,807.50</b>
<b>Special Collections</b>	<b>\$ 102.00</b>
<b>Total Collection</b>	<b>\$30,105.00</b>

### Thank you for your generosity!

Did you know you can sign up for Online giving through the new St. Thomas More website ([www.stmore.org](http://www.stmore.org))? Just click the "online giving" tab (the last option on the right under the stained glass windows) and scroll down to click on the "WeShare Online Giving" button). Questions? Contact Ellen Anderson at 270-534-9000 or [ellen@stmore.org](mailto:ellen@stmore.org).

STEWARDSHIP  
*a way of life*

**Liturgical Ministers Schedule January 27/28**

	<b>5:30 PM</b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>	<b>11:00 AM</b>
Sacristan	Sr. Kateri Kaufman	Yvonne Bosch	Michelle Dunlap
Euch. Ministers	Ann Averill Sr Lucy Bonifas Mary Carrico Jim Kallaher Sam Leone Mike Polashock Mary Kay Sanders David Shoulta Cara Sims Caroline Veatch Dolores Webb	Scott Babbs Tom Clinton Lynn King Valerie Kortz David Langston Jill Langston Michael Langston Angie Nelson Todd Nelson Camilla Shumaker Bill Wade	Joe Hobbs Barb Larbes Ashleigh Mast David Mast Hannah Speis Sherri Speis Terry Sullivan Beth Walker Steve Walker
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Greeter Families	Jeffrey Case Randy Teitloff Vicki Tracy	Kay Dabney Kevin Wurth Matt Wurth	Tessa Cash Betty McManus Jennifer Todd
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Children's Liturgy	Laura Todino Anna Todino	Lynn King Benjamin Willett	Erin Moblely Megan Lorch

*What's Happening*

**Sunday, January 21**

- 10:00 am** Coffee & Doughnuts (Parish Hall)
- 3:00pm** Youth Group (Parish Hall)

**Tuesday, January 22**

- 7:30 am** Rosary (Chapel)
- 6:00 pm** Hispanic Confirmation (Sacred Heart Room)

**Wednesday, January 24**

- 6:15 pm** Faith Formation (SMES)

**Thursday, January 25**

- 5:30 pm** Reconciliation (Chapel)
- 6:45 pm** RCIA (Parish Hall)
- 7:00 pm** Hispanic Women's Mtg. (Sacred Heart Room)

**Friday, January 26**

- 7:00 pm** Hispanic Men's Mtg. (Sacred Heart Room)

**Saturday, January 27**

- 4:00 pm** Reconciliation (Church)
- 6:30 pm** Hope Unlimited Bake Sale After all Masses

**Sunday, January 28**

- 10:00 am** Coffee & Doughnuts (Parish Hall)
- 1:00 pm** Confirmation Class (Parish Hall)
- 3:00pm** Youth Group (Parish Hall)

**Hour of Prayer**

**Monday:**

Brenda Greenwell & Holly Newton

**Tuesday:**

John & Wanda Shaw

**Wednesday:**

Dolores Webber & Ed Puschaver

**Thursday:**

Hilda Brewer & Tamara Jones

**Friday:**

Bret & Maria Avra

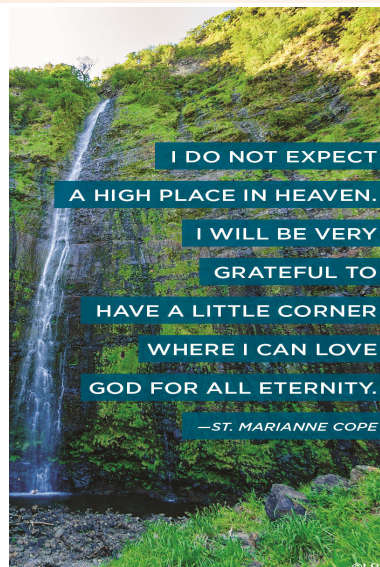
**Saturday:**

Al & Mary McKeown

**January 21, 2018:  
3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

*"Come after me, and I will make you fishers of men."*

Called by Jesus to "come after me," Simon and his brother Andrew abandoned their nets and followed him. That is to say they gave their lives to him. Jesus is calling each of us to "come after me." If you would like to learn more about discerning a vocation to priesthood, please contact the Diocese of Owensboro Office of Vocations: 270-683-1545, [www.owensborovocations.com](http://www.owensborovocations.com), or [jason.mcclure@pastoral.org](mailto:jason.mcclure@pastoral.org)



*Nothing is so strong as gentleness; nothing is so gentle as real strength.*

*-St. Francis de Sales*

**STM NEWS**



**R.C.I.A**

**Topic for Thursday January 25  
Baptism**

Meeting time: 6:45 pm in the Parish Hall. All parishioners are welcome to attend any of the RCIA sessions. For more information, please contact Pat Cairney at [pcairney@stmore.org](mailto:pcairney@stmore.org).



**Hope Unlimited Bake Sale**

The annual bake sale to benefit Hope Unlimited sponsored by Moms group and Couples in Christ will be the weekend of **January 27-28**. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

**BLOOD DRIVE**

The St. Thomas More Knights of Columbus #11591 will host a blood drive on **Sunday, February 11th**, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Parish Hall. ALL blood types are desperately needed. You will be able to donate whole blood or platelets. Coffee and donuts will go on as scheduled between Masses. To speed up your wait time, you can fill out all the necessary information by logging on to the Red Cross Rapid Pass (<https://www.redcrossblood.org/rapidpass>). For more information, please call Steve Schwetman at 270-331-2616

**BIBLE STUDY**

The Study of Hebrews from Catholic Way Bible Study will begin Feb 6 and continue for 10 weeks on Tuesdays 10am-noon in the Sacred Heart meeting room (off the parish hall). Please consider joining us! For info or to register text or email Lori Meredith 270-210-0693 or [lorimeredith7@gmail.com](mailto:lorimeredith7@gmail.com).

**Job Opening**

Paducah Faith Formation is in need of a part time office assistant (10-15 hours/week). Previous experience preferred, but not required. Interested individuals must be a practicing Catholic, highly organized and competent, have the ability to perform duties with minimal supervision; possess knowledge of computers and programs especially Word and Excel; strong interpersonal skills, creative and dynamic, proficient in both oral and written communication skills. The office assistant is responsible to assist Director and volunteer catechists in program and class activities, takes care of registration records and office files, and shares info with parishes. Reply with cover letter, resume, and references to Ging Smith at 377 Highland Blvd, Paducah KY, 42003 or email to [paducahfaithformation@smss.org](mailto:paducahfaithformation@smss.org).

**Just a Reminder...**

if you or a loved one is hospitalized, please call the Parish Office at 270-534-9000 to inform us as we cannot obtain information from the hospitals directly.

**ETERNAL REST**

**Timothy Haas**, brother of Terry (Laura) Haas and Chris (Beth) Haas passed away Wednesday, January 10, 2018.

**Marjorie Meredith**, mother of Mike (Lori) Meredith passed away Friday, January 12, 2018.

May God welcome them home and comfort their families in their time of sorrow.



**AREA NEWS**

**Bishop Medley in Paducah**

Bishop William Medley will be in his Paducah office at Lourdes Hospital on **Tuesday, January 23**. Appointments should be scheduled through his Owensboro office at 270-683-1545.

**Catholic Schools Week**

St. Mary School System celebrates Catholic Schools Week January 28 - February 3, 2018. We celebrate the choice of a Catholic education in our community and those families choosing St. Mary.

Thank you to our parishes who support Catholic education by providing subsidy for practicing Catholic families which is applied to tuition. Your Fr. Lew White contributions support tuition assistance for K-12 Catholic students.

Thank you for your unending prayer support for our school, students, families, faculty, and staff. Together we continue to build the Kingdom of God.

Preschool – grade 12 registration for the 2018-2019 school year begins Thursday, February 1. Kindergarten Sneak Peek is Tuesday, February 6. Call 270 442-1681 x.286.



**SAVE THE DATE!  
Celebrate Your Marriage  
Dinner and Dance  
February 10, 2018**

6:45 pm Renewal of Vows in St. Thomas More Chapel  
7-11pm Dinner and Dance in Parish Hall

Invite your Friends and Neighbors  
(They DO NOT have to be a member of STM)

Contact Cindy Butterbaugh at [2promark@comcast.net](mailto:2promark@comcast.net) for more information.

## NEWS FROM THE DIOCESE

**Catholic Men's Conference**

The Catholic Men's Conference of Western Kentucky is pleased to welcome Christopher West and Doug Barry as the keynote speakers on **Saturday, February 17, 2018**. The event takes place at the RiverPark Center in Owensboro. Tickets and more information are available online by visiting [kycatholic.com](http://kycatholic.com).

**Upcoming Cursillo Weekends**

In this Year of Encounter please consider making a Cursillo Weekend at Mount Saint Joseph: March 1-4 (Men); March 8-11 (Women) Cost is \$ 160 (financial assistance available). For more information please contact Fr. Tom Buckman, Spiritual Director, 270-684-4745, [frtom@stpiustenthparish.org](mailto:frtom@stpiustenthparish.org); Scott Elliott, Men's Coordinator, 270-302-5660, [cursillofe5930@gmail.com](mailto:cursillofe5930@gmail.com); Kim Haire, Women's Coordinator; [kim.haire@pastoral.org](mailto:kim.haire@pastoral.org) or 270-314-5876.

**Spring Women's Retreat: Martha and Mary**

"Essential Questions: What Martha and Mary Can Teach Us" is the theme of a **March 16-18** spring women's retreat at Mount Saint Joseph Conference and Retreat Center (located 12 miles west of Owensboro on Hwy. 56). Most discussions of these two Gospel women focus on the frazzled worker Martha compared to her quiet, prayerful sister Mary. We will consider these stories from a different approach. During presentations that peel back the layers of the Gospel stories, quiet reflection, group sharing and celebration of the sacraments of Reconciliation and Eucharist, retreatants will explore the links between Mary and Martha and their own lives. The retreat leader is Ursuline Sister Cheryl Clemons, Vice President for Academic Affairs/Academic Dean for Brescia University. The \$180 fee includes meals and accommodations. Commuters can attend for \$130. Take 10 percent off if paid in full by Feb. 16. To register, contact Kathy McCarty, 270-229-0206 or e-mail [kathy.mccarty@maplemount.org](mailto:kathy.mccarty@maplemount.org). A brochure can be found at [ursulinesmsj.org](http://ursulinesmsj.org).

**A Contemplative Weekend Feb. 9-11**

Slow down...Catch your breath...Find your calm. This weekend on Feb. 9-11 allows personal time to journey with God and with self. Spiritual direction is available for those who wish it. Relax and spend time at Mount Saint Joseph Conference and Retreat Center (located 12 miles west of Owensboro on Hwy. 56). The \$180 fee includes meals and accommodations. Contact Kathy McCarty: 270-229-0206 or [kathy.mccarty@maplemount.org](mailto:kathy.mccarty@maplemount.org).

**St. Meinrad Retreats**

Retreat information for St. Meinrad Retreats 2018-2019 can be found in the information center in the gathering space.

## OTHER NEWS

**Why Do We Do That?  
Catholic Traditions Explained****Question:**

In Year B, we hear primarily from the Gospel of Mark. Since each Evangelist has a unique perspective, what are the key issues that Mark addresses in his Gospel?

**Answer:**

Gospels are a particular faith community's reflection on Jesus. Each Gospel's author reflected that community's faith in Jesus. Jesus' message is made relevant to the community's situation and context. Mark was the first Gospel to be written. When Matthew and Luke wrote theirs, they imitated and adapted Mark for their communities.

Mark's Gospel seems to be addressed to a faith community undergoing turmoil, rejection, and persecution--forces that threaten to overwhelm them. This provides the context around which Mark fashions the story of Jesus. He presents Jesus as the One sent by God to confront the forces of evil. That is the good news of Jesus. Jesus' struggle with the demonic forces leads to confrontation, rejection, outright opposition, and a conspiracy to do away with him. Realizing this, Jesus is not deterred. Rather Jesus calls for total faith in God who helps us to overcome the forces of evil. Suffering and even death seem to be the consequences of this struggle. Yet, that is not the end. The one who suffers for the sake of others, the suffering servant, will be the one through whom redemption and salvation will come to all. For Mark, this is what discipleship demands and what true faith in God can and will accomplish. See if you can detect these themes as you read Mark's Gospel.

**Day of Prayer  
for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children**

Good and gracious God,  
you blew into our nostrils the breath of life.  
You are the One to whom we owe our very existence.

Give us the courage to take that unpopular position  
of protecting those who have no voice,  
the unborn child in the womb  
to the person taking his or her last breath.

The life you have given us is a gift beyond measure.

Embolden us to speak the truth  
about protecting the child, the elderly,  
and the one without a voice in the public square.

With thankful hearts,  
we ask all this of the One God,  
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Amen.



DAY OF PRAYER  
FOR THE  
LEGAL  
PROTECTION  
OF UNBORN CHILDREN

**Readings for the Week**

**Monday:** 2 Sm 5:1-7, 10/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 25-26 [25a]/Mk 3:22-30  
**Tuesday:** 2 Sm 6:12b-15, 17-19/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10 [8]/Mk 3:31-35  
**Wednesday:** 2 Sm 7:4-17/Ps 89:4-5, 27-28, 29-30 [29a]/Mk 4:1-20  
**Thursday:** Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]/Mk 16:15-18  
**Friday:** 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 7-8a, 10 [3]/Mk 4:26-34  
**Saturday:** 2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17/Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 [12a]/Mk 4:35

**Saints & Special Observances**

**Monday:** Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children  
**Tuesday:** St. Vincent, Deacon & Martyr; St. Marianne Cope, Virgin  
**Wednesday:** St. Francis de Sales, Bishop & Doctor of the Church  
**Thursday:** The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle  
**Friday:** Sts. Timothy and Titus, Bishops

**Special Care Numbers**

St. Mary School System  
 270-442-1681  
 Faith Formation (CCD)  
 270-443-0295  
 Mt. Carmel Cemetery (John Bufford)  
 270-331-1006  
 Bereavement (Cathy Trussell)  
 270-519-3779  
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 (Stacy Jones) 270-210-0351  
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 270-442-9351  
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 270-575-1008  
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 270-442-6795

**Remember in Prayer...**

**Parishioners:** Faye Alexander, Mary Gertrude Barkett, Judy Bufford, Margie Bunte, Celine Crane, Rebecca Crider, Pat Cvengros, Teresa Davis, Pat Dotson, Francie Duncan, Elizabeth Edwards, Morgan Eggemeyer, Gina Fraser, Rose Freiseis, Carl Harper, Amy Harris, Ann Heavrin, Joyce Holliday, Kay Husbach, Alan Hughes, Sr. Kateri Kaufman, Phyllis Kettler, David Kimble, Buzz LaGesse, Thomas/Janet Montgomery, Sandy Morrow, Ella O'Bryan, Charity Peters, Gaye Robinson, George Shaw, John Shaw, Nancy Stearns, Monty Thompson, Cathy Trussell, Leigh Ann Turner, Ann Vaughan, Beth Walker, Ann Watkins, Linda Wilson, Katherine Wise, Noel Wise, Marge Wurth, Helen Farrell

**Assisted Living:**  
 Velma Bohle-Carlton & Terry Carlton, Opal Cooper, Myrtle Dorris

**Homebound:** Randy Hand, Mike/Lorna Roper, Gertrude Yopp

**Nursing Home:** Norita Clements, Jeanette Elliott, Joe/Betty Falconite, Vonnie Howard, Ken McCauley, John Metcalf, Mary Riedfort, Carolyn Webb

**Non-Parishioners:** Ada Cruce, Matthew Shoulta, Jimmy Kapfhammer, Wayne Batts, Nanette Love, Frances Lamar, Cooper/Mary Margaret Mattingly, Susan Woods, Shirley Hudson, Mary & John Papp, Karen & Robert Schopp, Kim Mosier, Jerry Mouser, Chloe Whittaker, Lisa Buchanan, Billy Brown, Kellie Kissel, Randy Eckstein, Jennifer Hercules, Delmon/Mary Ann Casey, Don Manning, Paul Fuqua, Mason Reynolds, Chloe Nesbitt

**Military:** Justin Lamb, Chris McCoy, Timothy Lowman, Zachary Grimes, Kurt Bell, Eric Gast, Brian Clayton, Hannah Wilson, John Davis, Emily Lane Rockne, Corey Carnes, Clay Magers, Tyler Shumaker, Jeff Perry, Tyler Scott Dickson, Nathan Phipps, Kelly Scott-Nevenon, Greg Nevenon, Cameron Grueninger, Michael Renfro, Jason Smith, Alec McMahan, Michael A. Polashock

*"Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. And give us peace. I ask this in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior. Amen."*



**Saturday, January 20**

John Elliott, Gio Escalera, Kyle Johnson, Kay Puertollano, Sophie Schoot

**Sunday, January 21**

Terri Drake, John Smith

**Tuesday, January 23**

Karson Ballard, Payton Barabas, Mike Elliott, Colin Hrdlicka, Alice Penrod, Kirsten Tomes, Zoe Wadley

**Wednesday, January 24**

Cecelia Farrell, Lance Fleming, Miranda Greenwell, Robert Lawler, Jason Mayo, Theresa Medlin, Jacob Rainey, Ging Smith

**Thursday, January 25**

Jackie Froehlich, Jill Langston  
 Ashleigh Tyson

**Friday, January 26**

Robin Carrico, Linda Ciallella, John Ellis, Diane Jordan, Lucia Reyes, Aimee Vaughan, Lucas Wadley

**Saturday, January 27**

Christy Brown, Samuel Dominguez, Jr., Jim Garrett, Roselina Geronimo, Arnold Hernandez, Sue Homra, Lakyn Largent, Ellie Roof, Hannah Wright

**Sunday, January 28**

Jared Anderson, Cassie Arboleda, Julie Brigance, Michelle Dunlap, Christian Escamilla, Sherry Harpole, Mary Ellen Wurth



**Tuesday, January 23**

Kurt & Staci Averill 30 yrs.  
 Trent & Ann Bongiolatti 47 yrs.  
 Gary & Cecelia Reside 36 yrs.

**Thursday, January 25**

Erick & Claudia Garcia 15 yrs.

**Friday, January 26**

Terry & Velma Carlton 28 yrs.

**Saturday, January 27**

George & Becky Hanrahan 51 yrs.

**Sunday, January 28**

Chris & Jennifer Hodges 30 yrs.  
 Jose & Victoria Romero 24 yrs.



# The Word



Mini Edition

## Day of Remembrance *Pray the Rosary to show respect for life*



The historic Supreme Court decision of Roe -v- Wade was handed down January 22, 1973. While lawmakers, politicians, religious leaders and various organizations continue to debate the decision, we ask something far more simple. Take time out of your day to pray the Rosary to demonstrate a respect of life from conception to natural death.

As Catholics, we believe in the sanctity of all life and we further believe that life begins at conception. The U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops, in accordance with the General Instruction of the Roman Missal, designates January 22, as a particular day of prayer and penance called the “Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children.”

We invite you to join us this Monday, January 22, in our Works of Mercy Chapel for prayer. At specific times during the day, the Rosary will be prayed. If you can't be at church at one of the specified times, you are welcome to come anytime throughout the day or just take a few minutes on your own, wherever you may be, to say a short prayer.

Rosary times in the Works of Mercy Chapel will be at 7:30 a.m., noon and then again at 5:30 p.m., before the 6 p.m. daily Mass. ⊕



## Upcoming Youth Activities

### Opening Ceremonies/New Year - New You!

Sunday, Jan. 21

Join us for our Opening Ceremonies. We will create flags, play some “minute-to-win-it” games and kick off the new year with a great time.

Don't let past faults define your future. Let's learn how we can be better people this year.

*Middle School Students 3 p.m. - 5 p.m.*

*High School Students 5 p.m. - 7 p.m.*

### Super Bowl Family Potluck

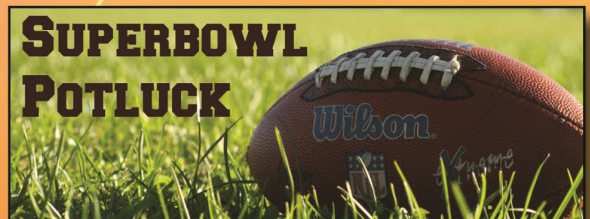
Sunday, Feb. 4 @ 4:30 p.m.

Come hang out with us on Super Bowl Sunday for a Family Potluck.

Mark your calendar now. Details coming soon!



Saint Thomas More Church  
Family Life Ministry



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 Kenneth Merges

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 Mt. Carmel Cemetery, Inc.  
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