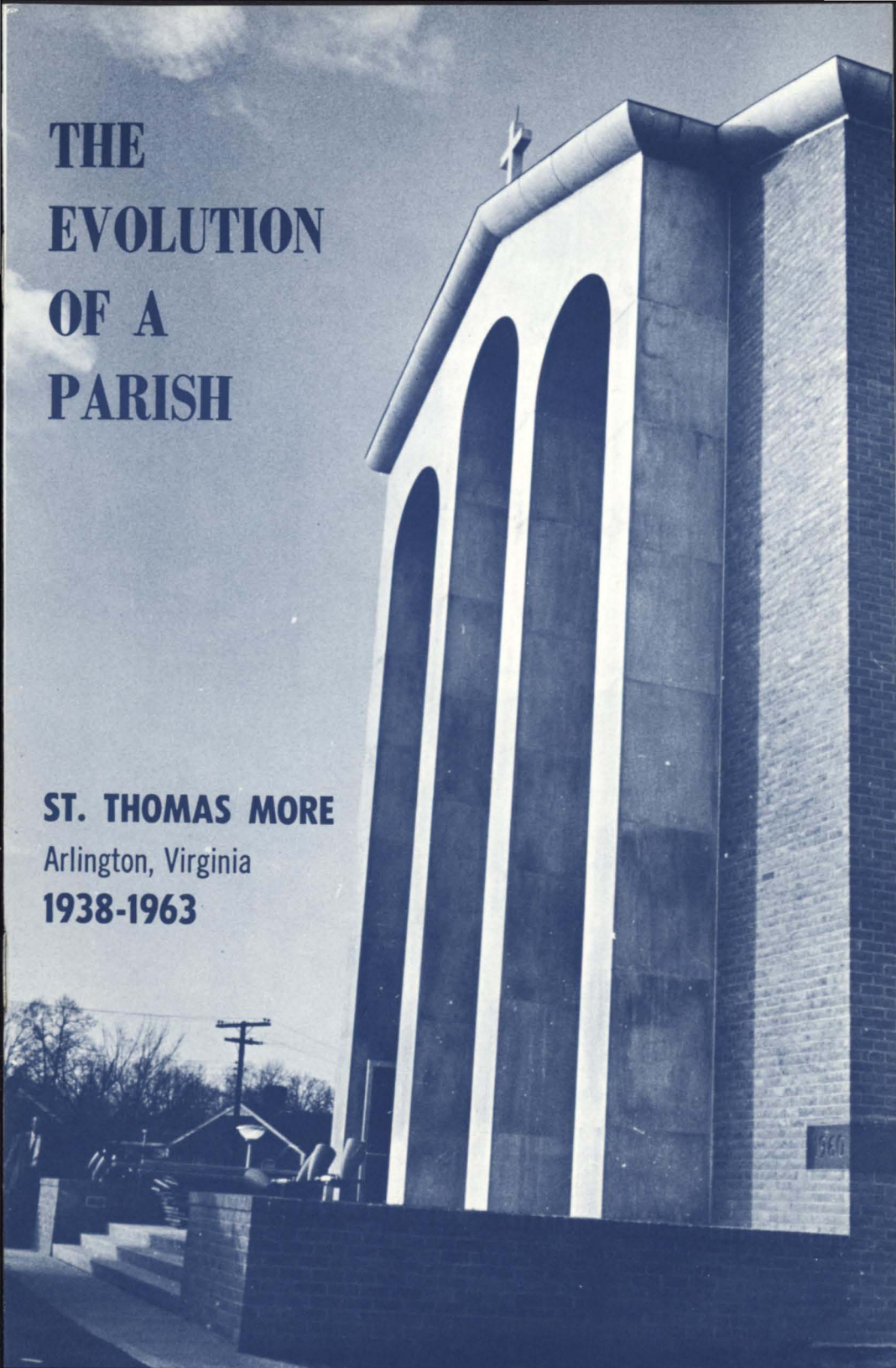


THE EVOLUTION OF A PARISH

ST. THOMAS MORE

Arlington, Virginia

1938-1963





**TEMPORARY CHURCH
1938-1942**

EXTERIOR

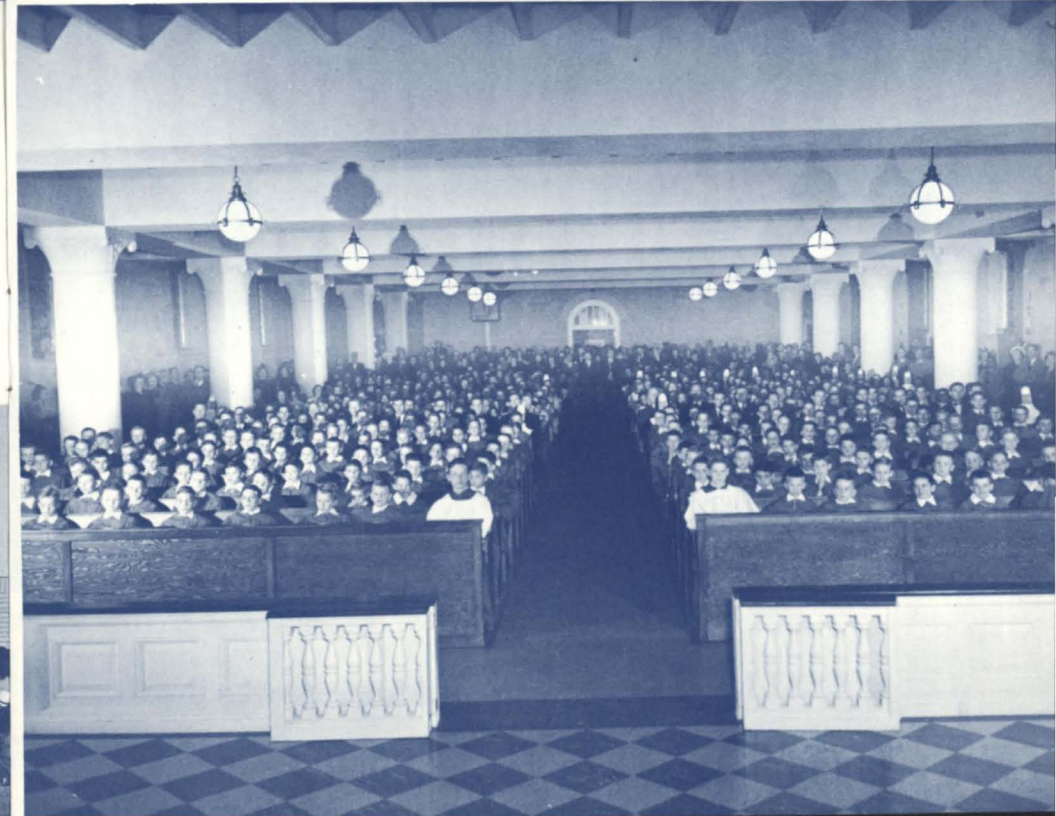
INTERIOR



BASEMENT CHURCH—EXTERIOR

1950-1961

BASEMENT CHURCH—INTERIOR



**HUMBLE
BEGINNINGS . . .**



**TEMPORARY CHURCH
1942-1950**

EXTERIOR

INTERIOR



**STRONG
FAITH . . .**



Aerial view of St. Thomas More Parish Buildings—1963

**A Monument to the Glory of God and to the Faith, Loyalty
and Devotion of a Generous Congregation — Past and Present**



ORIGINAL CONVENT
1944-1952



ORIGINAL RECTORY
1938



NEW CONVENT
1952

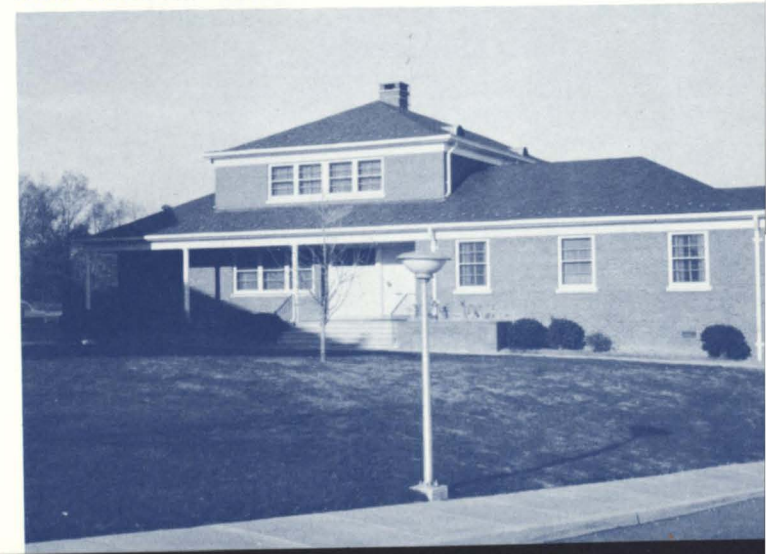


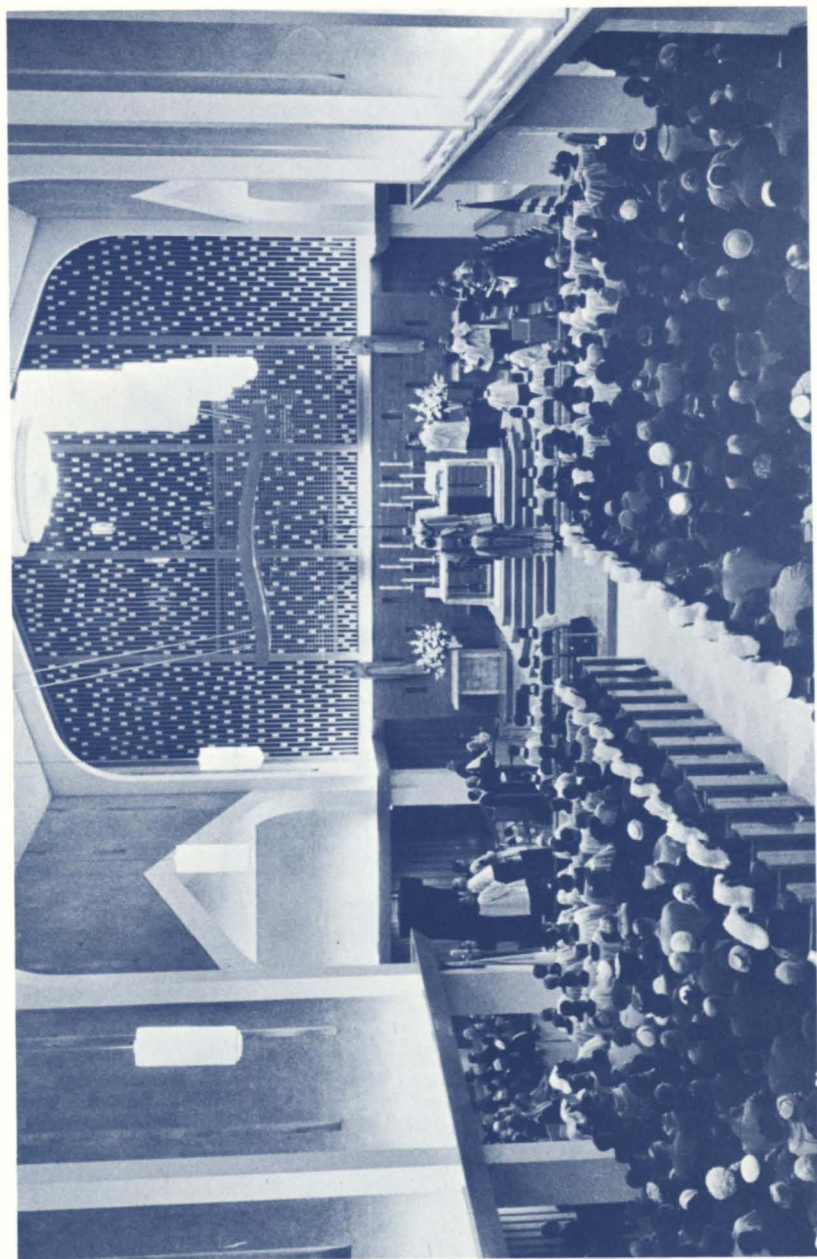
THE SAME ENLARGED 1945

PAROCHIAL SCHOOL—ON THE WAY IN 1945



NEW RECTORY 1955





ST. THOMAS MORE CHURCH—DEDICATED DECEMBER 9, 1961