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**ST. THOMAS MORE CHURCH**  
Boynton Beach, FL

## Location

Saint Thomas More Catholic Church is a beloved and deeply rooted parish community located in Boynton Beach, Florida. Founded in 1972, St. Thomas More grew from a small gathering of pioneers into one of South Florida's most cherished Catholic communities. Over more than five decades, the parish has expanded to encompass a church, an academy, a parish building, and extensive grounds that serve thousands of parishioners, students, and community members throughout the year.

The campus is a busy and active environment, with daily Masses, school programs, community gatherings, and events drawing people of all ages across multiple buildings and outdoor spaces. With classrooms, offices, shared gathering spaces, administrative areas, parking lots, and outdoor recreation areas all part of the campus footprint, maintaining safe and reliable security across every corner of the property is essential to protecting the parish community and the sacred spaces they share.

## Challenge

As Saint Thomas More's campus continued to grow and serve an increasingly active community, its existing camera and access control infrastructure had fallen behind. Aging cameras across the church, academy, and parish buildings left critical areas — including classrooms, corridors, parking lots, entries, and interior administrative spaces — without adequate coverage or image quality. The existing system lacked the intelligence, reliability, and centralized management needed to properly oversee a campus of this size and complexity.

Access control across the campus also needed modernization, with outdated control panels and card readers that were difficult to manage and no longer meeting the security expectations of a facility responsible for the safety of children, staff, and parishioners. Without a unified, cloud-based platform tying cameras and access control together across all three buildings, maintaining consistent and proactive security across the full parish campus was an ongoing challenge.





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### Solution

AT&I Systems designed and implemented a comprehensive Avigilon ALTA cloud-based security upgrade across all three buildings at Saint Thomas More — the church, the academy, and the parish building — deploying a fully integrated camera and access control system that brings the entire campus under one unified, centrally managed platform.

A carefully selected mix of camera types was deployed throughout the campus, providing coverage across entry points, parking areas, outdoor grounds, and shared and administrative interior spaces in both the church and parish buildings. Existing underground conduit, wiring, and wireless antennas were utilized wherever functional to minimize costs and disruption, and new networking infrastructure was installed in each building to support the expanded camera system. Access control was also upgraded across the campus, with new cloud-based panels and card readers replacing the existing hardware at all controlled entry points, with existing electrification hardware and wiring preserved throughout.

### Results

The upgrades gave Saint Thomas More Catholic Church a modern, intelligent, and fully unified security infrastructure across its entire campus for the first time — bringing the church, academy, and parish building together under one easy-to-manage cloud platform. Every critical area of the campus is now covered with high-resolution, AI-capable cameras that give administrators real-time visibility and the tools to monitor activity, review incidents, and respond proactively across all three buildings and their surrounding grounds.

Modernized access control ensures that sensitive areas are accessible only to those who are authorized, giving staff, parents, and parishioners greater confidence in the safety of the environment. For a community that has spent more than fifty years building a place of faith, learning, and belonging in the heart of Boynton Beach, having a security infrastructure that protects those spaces with the care and diligence they deserve is a meaningful and lasting investment in the parish's future.

