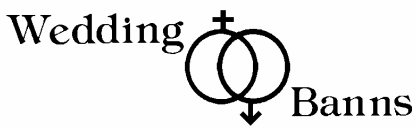


Sat. Aug 22 4:00 PM Edward Niland  
 Sun. Aug 23 7:30 AM James DePrizito  
 9:00 AM Henry & Francis Gaudet  
 Mon. Aug 24 7:00 AM John Krzywicki, Jr.  
 Tues. Aug 25 7:00 AM Genevieve Donohoe  
 Wed. Aug 26 7:00 AM Edward Ronald Devine  
 Thurs. Aug 27 7:00 AM M. Madeleine Donovan  
 Fri. Aug 28 7:00 AM Stephen P. O'Malley Sr.  
 Sat. Aug 29 4:00 PM Charles Mills  
 Sun. Aug 30 7:30 AM Mary A., William A. Delaney  
 & William A. Delaney, Jr.  
 9:00 AM Helen V. Grazewski  
 11:30 AM Patrick McGrath

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**Readings for the Week of August 23, 2009**  
 Sunday: Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b/Eph 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25-32/Jn 6:60-69  
 Monday: Rv 21:9b-14/Jn 1:45-51  
 Tuesday: 1 Thes 2:1-8/Mt 23:23-26  
 Wednesday: 1 Thes 2:9-13/Mt 23:27-32  
 Thursday: 1 Thes 3:7-13/Mt 24:42-51  
 Friday: 1 Thes 4:1-8/Mt 25:1-13  
 Saturday: 1 Thes 4:9-11/Mk 6:17-29  
 Next Sunday: Dt 4:1-2, 6-8/Jas 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27/  
 Mk 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

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**II - MARTIN HARRINGTON & MELISSA KAUSEL**  
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**WELCOME! WELCOME! WELCOME!** to all who are visiting us while on vacation during these summer days. May you experience genuine hospitality wherever you go and may your travels be safe and refreshing.  
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**THE WALL THAT HEALS**  
 The traveling Vietnam Veterans Memorial will be on display August 27<sup>th</sup> - 30<sup>th</sup> 2009 at Fraser Field in Lynn, MA. Admission is free and everyone is welcome. The entrance at 120 Locust Street will be open 24 hours with parking lots available on Ford and Locust Streets. The program schedule is as follows:

Thursday, August 27<sup>th</sup>: 6:00PM - Opening Ceremony  
 Friday, August 28<sup>th</sup>: 6:00PM - Honoring Gold Star Families  
 Saturday, August 29<sup>th</sup>: 6:00PM - POW/MIA Remembrance  
 Sunday, August 30<sup>th</sup>: 4:00PM - Closing Ceremony

For additional information please visit:  
[www.lynnwallvisit.com](http://www.lynnwallvisit.com)

**CYO BASEKETBALL**  
 The CYO Basketball season will be here before you know it. Warren Hall has retired as the CYO Athletic Director after many years of service. We thank Warren for all his service and wish him well as he enters this new stage of his life. Taking over as Athletic Director is Mark Donnelly. Mark is committed to maintaining a strong program that focuses on player development, teamwork and sportsmanship. The program is looking for volunteers to assist both on and off the court in areas such as: registration, coaching, concessions, equipment, scheduling, web master, etc. If you are able to help out in anyway, please contact Mark Donnelly @ 781-599-6768 or via email: [tmtdonnelly@verizon.net](mailto:tmtdonnelly@verizon.net)

**CYO REGISTRATION**  
 CYO Basketball Registration will take place on the following dates in the Lower Church Hall:

Saturday, September 19<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 - 11:00AM  
 Sunday, September 20<sup>th</sup> from 8:00 - 11:00AM  
 Saturday, September 26<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 - 11:00AM  
 Sunday, September 27<sup>th</sup> from 8:00 - 11:00 AM

The intramural league is for players in grades 1 - 6. The travel league is a competitive league for grades 5 and above. Players should have basic skills and a fundamental knowledge of the game. No registration for Travel Basketball will be accepted after tryouts have taken place.  
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**TRIBUTE TO FR. TOM BUCKLEY**  
 Saturday, October 17, 2009 beginning with the 4:00 PM Eucharist followed by an informal social in the hall.  
**Save the date! More details will follow.**  
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**JUNIOR YOUTH MINISTRY 2009 - 2010**  
**ATTENTION** all students in grades 5 - 8! The Junior Youth Ministry is set to begin another year of fun activities. The first event is...

“Back-to-School-Bingo”  
 Saturday, September 19, 2009  
 7:00 PM - Church Hall

However, we are in great need of new adult leaders for this coming year. If interested, please contact Mary Ellen Lepley at 781-599-3302. We are looking for adults to do activity planning, record-keeping and to prepare flyers. This appeal is of the utmost importance if the Junior Youth Ministry is to happen this year. Registration material and the back to school Bingo Flyers will be mailed to religious education students the week of September 7<sup>th</sup>. St. Pius V School students will receive them during the first week of school. Thank you for your serious consideration and support.

## TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### “PASTORAL PONDERINGS...”

The author of the second reading from Ephesians would not be too popular in today’s climate when he exhorts wives to be subject to their husbands. It is a phrase that has caused controversy among many believers when, in the twenty-first century, we value women for who they are and hold them in equal esteem to men.

Just as controversial for the people who lived at the time of St. Paul’s writing was the phrase in a following verse: “Husbands love your wives just as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her.” Here, and in the rest of this passage, Paul is talking about a new relationship that ought to exist between husband and wife – a relationship that is mutual, a relationship of love that is shown in tender care and service to each other. Paul is urging married couples to value one another and love one another so that they will become one in every way. This is a message that needs to be heard over and over again! Relationships are to be based on the way Christ loves. No one was ever dismissed or put down by him. That is the ideal of any relationship, especially the marital relationships. The gospel reminds us of the wonderful gift we have as we are attempting to live this life of commitment, service, and love. We are promised that when we approach the Eucharist, we are receiving Jesus who promises to abide in us, who promises that we will share his life. It is this life through the gift of the Eucharist that moves us to live in love and to value everyone we encounter in the same way that we are valued and loved in Christ Jesus. When we truly recognize the tremendous gift we have as we approach the table of the Lord, we can say with Peter: “Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of external life.”

Next Sunday, August 30<sup>th</sup>, is the 22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time. The scriptures are as follows:

<u>Old Testament</u>	Deuteronomy Chapter 4 Verses 1-2, 6-8
<u>New Testament</u>	James Chapter 1 Verses 17-18, 21-22, 27
<u>Gospel</u>	Mark Chapter 7 Verses 1-8, 14-15, 21-23

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### PRAY FOR . . .

Please pray for those who have died, especially for:

**WILLIAM F. HOOPER**  
**NOREEN R. MAGEARY**

Pray also for the sick, for unemployed, for those who serve in the military, for victims of violence, and for peace and justice in the world.

### ST. PIUS V BOOK CLUB

Members will be meeting on Monday, September 21 to discuss the summer reading book, *Joshua in a Troubled World, A Story for Our Time*, by Joseph Girzone. The best-selling Joshua series takes a timely new turn as Girzone’s beloved hero spreads his message of love and compassion from the streets of our nation’s capital to the blood-soaked lands of the Middle East. Come join us as we discuss *Joshua in a Troubled World* as an enlightening perspective on the political paranoia and destructive acts of vengeance that fill the front pages of our daily newspapers and its realistic, compassionate assessment of the things that divide us and the beliefs that can serve as a foundation for a new, more peaceful world. If you can’t join us, but would like to contribute to the discussion, send your comments to [donna-hartshorn@comcast.net](mailto:donna-hartshorn@comcast.net).

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### V CLUB WINNERS – AUGUST 2009

The drawing was held on August 12, 2009. Our lucky dozen for August 2009 are:

\$1000	944	Theresa C. Coppola	Lynn
\$300	027	Elaine LaFratta	Peabody
\$200	293	Daniel J. Hanrahan	Beauford, SC
\$100	652	Mrs. Annette J. LeBlanc	Lynn
\$50	507	Alice King	Lynn
\$50	052	Ricci A. LaCentra	Revere
\$50	758	Marion J. Guiffre	Lynn
\$50	442	Anthony E. Hyde	Lynn
\$50	824	Glenn Diamond	Lynn
\$50	015	Barbara C. Barrington	Lynn
\$50	627	Frances G. Delaney	Lynn
\$50	856	John J. Imperial	Lynn

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ST. PIUS V SCHOOL will OPEN for its 64<sup>th</sup> academic year beginning on Wednesday, September 9, 2009. We pray gratefully for our parish and the many parishioners who support our efforts to continue the tradition of Catholic education here at St. Pius V, Sacred Heart, and St. Mary’s in Lynn!

### The opening schedule follows:

**Wednesday, 9/9** - Families Meet the Teachers (Please see the time assigned in your August mailing.)

**Thursday, 9/10** - Classes Begin Grades 1-8:00AM-2:30PM

**Monday, 9/14** - Classes Begin Grades Pre-K and Kindergarten

Our theme this year is “*Catholic Schools: Dividends for Life.*” As God calls us to serve one another in Love, we will focus gratefully on those who invest their time, talent, and treasure in our school community. As always, we look for ways to practice loving service each day in the new school year.

Remember... Our school community prays every Tuesday and at all school liturgies for all those remembered or honored in St. Pius V Memorial/Honor Cards. If you wish to honor or memorialize a friend or loved one, pick up cards at the Advancement Office in the Pastoral Center or at doorways to the church.

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## **OFFICE OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HEARD THE CALL LAST WEEKEND !!!

However...**YOU ARE NEEDED** – Is academic 2009/2010 the year you will give the gift of your witness to our children as they journey with Jesus? The “present of your presence is needed. Won’t you *please* consider spending *one hour with Jesus* and our children?

**Sunday Mornings** at 10:00 AM:

Grade 4, Grade 6 and Grade 7

**Wednesday Afternoons** at 3:00 PM:

Grade 1, Grade 3, Grade 5, Grade 6

Training and Catechist assistance is available. The *entire Grade* cannot start until all Catechists for that Grade are in place.

**HALL MONITORS NEEDED** – What can you do for one hour in service to our children? Simply be present during class time. When completing your registration form, please consider the “*present of your presence*” for our children. The Archdiocese of Boston requires all Hall Monitors (and all volunteers who have access to our children) to participate in the *Protecting God’s Children* seminar (September date will be published in the bulletin).

**RE-REGISTRATION FORMS** have been mailed, but are returning slowly. **PLEASE** help us and return the form today. Perhaps you know a family member, friend or neighbor who might not have returned the form yet. Your help will assist our planning for Catechists, classrooms, textbooks and supplies. **PLEASE RETURN THE FORM TODAY!** If you are planning to move or are entering a Catholic School, please let us know, so that we may mark our records accordingly.

## **NEW FAMILY/FIRST TIME RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION**

If your child is entering the Religious Education Program, a form needs to be completed. You are most welcome to drop by the office during normal business hours (or by scheduling a mutually-convenient appointment.) Please bring a copy of the child’s Baptismal Certificate (if not celebrated at Saint Pius V). We have found that on-site “first-time” registration is a great service to our parish family.

The First Reconciliation/First Eucharist Program is a two-year program (inclusive of Grade One). If your child has not completed Grade One Program, we offer the “Rite of Christian Initiation Program (adapted for children). Please call the office if you have a question regarding this or any other program.

**PRE-KINDERGARTEN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION** is available only on Sunday mornings from 10:00-11:10 AM. Children who are four may attend, even though they may not be attending Pre-Kindergarten in a public school. There is no tuition for “Pre-K”. If you have *any questions* regarding your child’s “eligibility”, please contact the Office of Religious Education.

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The **Altar Bread** for the Month of August has been given in memory of Joseph (Don) Thibodeau by his wife, Virginia Thibodeau. The **Altar Wine** for the Month of August has been donated in memory of Donald Bastarache by his wife, Rena & family.

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#### **ALTAR CANDLES**

The Altar Candles for the month of August have been donated in memory of **Vito Adamo Jr.** by his wife, Colleen Adamo.

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#### **OFFICE OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CONTINUED...**

#### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION FORM VIA THE PARISH WEB SITE**

**OOOOPPPPPSSSSSS!!!** Don't know where you put your re-registration form??? Not a problem!!! We are *thrilled* to announce that the form is available through the parish website: "download" via [stpiusvlynn.org](http://stpiusvlynn.org) (and then "click" on Religious Education") or by calling the Office of Religious Education. *Our sincere gratitude to Danny Connolly for sharing his time and talent in making this happen!*

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#### **IMPORTANT DATES FOR YOUR 2009/2010 ACADEMIC CALENDAR**

Sunday, **September 13<sup>th</sup>** at 10:00 AM & Wednesday, **September 16<sup>th</sup>** at 3:00PM classes for all registered children in **Grades K-8.**

Sunday, **October 18<sup>th</sup>** at 10:00 AM classes for all registered children in **Pre-Kindergarten.**

The first meeting for Parents (only) whose children are planning to celebrate First Reconciliation and First Communion will be held on Sunday, **September 27<sup>th</sup>** at 10:00AM OR Wednesday, **September 30<sup>th</sup>** at 3:00 PM.

The meetings will be held in the church.

**Confirmation Preparation I – Parents only- Monday, September 28<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM** in the upper church.

**Confirmation Preparation II – Candidates, Parents and Sponsors – Monday, September 21<sup>st</sup> at 7:00 PM** in the upper church.

**His Eminence Sean Patrick Cardinal O'Malley, OFM, Cap. will preside at the Sacrament of Confirmation on Friday, April 9<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 PM**

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#### **LEAVING FOR COLLEGE**

We wish those who are leaving for college soon all the best as they begin a new academic year. We wish those who are freshman this year a special congratulations. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your families! Please stay in touch! You remain a very important part of our lives. You really do!