

Journey OF Faith

**Blessed Sacrament Parish
Saugus, MA**

**Saint Margaret Parish
Saugus & No. Revere, MA**

January 31, 2010

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

In Word & Deed

A parent sits up with a sick child all night; a woman makes an eight hour drive to be with her grieving friend; the whole family comes to the first grade play to see one of their children in a small part. All of these scenarios have one thing in common. Each person who acts does so out of love. Love motivates, inspires and demands the very best in each of us.

The second reading today is probably one of St. Paul's best-known passages. It succinctly describes the nature and meaning of love, attributing to it the rank of the greatest virtue, one that will last forever. Love is expressed not only in words, but also in action that avoids the pettiness of life and reaches towards the perfection of heaven. It is a small taste of

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Ritual is not to be seen as a content to which people must comply, but as a structure within which they can pulsate and pirouette in unprescribed ways. Ritual should lure people into festive fantasy, put them in touch with the deepest longings of the race, help them to step into the parade of history, and ignite their capacity for creation.

~ Harvey Cox

Scripture Readings

Sunday **January 31**

Jer 1:4-5, 17-19/1 Cor 12:31—13:13 or 13:4-13
Lk 4:21-30

Monday **February 1**

2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13/Mk 5:1-20

Tuesday **February 2**

Mal 3:1-4/Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32

Wednesday **February 3**

2 Sm 24:2, 9-17/Mk 6:1-6

Thursday **February 4**

1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12/Mk 6:7-13

Friday **February 5**

Sir 47:2-11/Mk 6:14-29

Saturday **February 6**

1 Kgs 3:4-13/Mk 6:30-34

Sunday **February 7**

Is 6:1-2a, 3-8/1 Cor 15:1-11 or 15:3-8, 11/Lk 5:1-11

FAMILY LIFE:

TO WALK AS ONE

After reading short stories about love, the class was challenged to define what love is. It proved to be more difficult than they imagined. Students claimed that they knew what it was, but were hard pressed to put it into words. It was easier to describe loving actions than it was to define love itself. So, when we say “I love you,” what does it mean?

Many times we are the beneficiaries of the love of others. It comes to us in selfless acts of love and kindness that make our lives better, easier or more enjoyable. People have done for us—and continue to do for us—even when we are unaware. They’ve kept us safe, taught us, coached us, directed us, prayed for us and healed us. Behind

the scenes, people have sacrificed a lot to give us a better life. And it is done out of love.

This week, surprise some people and practice random acts of kindness. Do something for others, the little things that make people smile. Hold a door, pick up groceries, call or visit a shut-in. Let someone go first in line. Find some kind words for someone who is struggling. Be generous and considerate of others. Create your own definition of love and let it be best described by what you do.

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Sharing in the Eucharist is the heart of Sunday, but the duty to keep Sunday holy cannot be reduced to this. In fact, the Lord’s Day is lived well if it is marked from beginning to end by grateful and active remembrance of God’s saving work.

On Keeping the Lord’s Day Holy (paragraph 52)

LOVE

If I have the gift of prophecy, and comprehend all mysteries and all knowledge; if I have all faith so as to move mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing.

1 Corinthians 13:2

In Word & Deed

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paradise. No wonder Scripture says that God is love.

Loving others can be difficult and demanding. It may mean sacrifice, patience and forbearance. It’s tough to love the unlovable and the unloving, to love our enemies and those who do

harm to others. But we need to see past the sin to love the sinner. The love we share is the love of God that heals, forgives, binds up and saves. Be as generous with it as you can.

~James Gaffney



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Mass Times

Weekend Masses:

Saturday @ 4:00 pm

Sunday @ 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 10:30 am

Weekday Mass at Blessed Sacrament:

9:00 a.m. Thursday, Friday & Saturday

Weekend Masses:

Saturday @ 4:00 pm & 5:30 pm

Sunday @ 8:30 am & 10:00 am

Weekday Mass at Saint Margaret:

9:00 a.m. Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 3:00 pm to 3:45pm and by request

Rev. Felix Prior, O' Carm – Sunday Assistance

Deacon Francis M. Gaffney – Permanent Deacon

Martha G. Lecaroz – Parish Secretary

Donna Zinna – Religious Education -781 231 3699

Phyllis Bunnell - Music Director

Debora Pillsbury - Parish Housekeeper

Nicholas Raftelis – Buildings and Grounds

Rev. Lawrence Wetherholm – Weekend Assistance

Rev. Vincent Cornejo – Weekend Assistance

Rev. Donald Skerry, SVD – Mid week Assistance

Ben DiScipio - Music Director

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Usually held on the second Sunday of the month.

Please call the Rectory to schedule

Usually held on the third Sunday of the month.

Please call the Rectory to schedule

THE SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Couples planning to marry are encouraged to schedule more than one year in advance.

The Archdiocese requires at least six months notice.

Sick and Homebound

If you know someone in the parish who is sick or homebound and who would like to receive the Eucharist, please notify the rectory.

WELCOME! New Parishioners

Please introduce yourself to one another, as well as to the priest following Mass.



The Women's Conference will be Saturday, February 27, at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross in Boston (snow date is March 6, 2010). The conference will be from 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. The featured speakers will be Patti Mansfield, Donna-Marie Cooper O'Boyle, Leah Darrow, and Sr. Olga of the Eucharist. The conference will also include confession, adoration, Mass with Cardinal Sean, and a great opportunity to gather with other Catholic women of faith. Tickets are \$20 (\$30 including lunch). Please sign-up at either Rectory with payment included to participate now! The Cathedral has limited seating so act soon. If there are 30 or more early registrants (by February 7) transportation (at an additional cost) will be arranged.

The Men's Conference will be Saturday, April 17, at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross in Boston. It will be from 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. The conference will feature the team from EWTN's Crossing the Goals as speakers (Danny Abramowicz, Curtis Martin, Peter Herbeck and Brian Patrick.) The conference will also include confession, adoration, Mass with Cardinal Sean, and fun fellowship. Tickets are \$20 (\$30 including lunch). Please sign-up at either Rectory with payment included. The Cathedral has limited seating so act soon. Wouldn't it be great to have a sizeable number of men from the Saugus community participate in this annual event!



Ash Wednesday, which marks the beginning of Lent, is Wednesday, February 17. Ash Wednesday Masses and Services are as follows:

9:00 a.m. Mass at Saint Margaret
12 Noon Service at Blessed Sacrament
4:00 p.m. Service at Saint Margaret
7:00 p.m. Mass at Blessed Sacrament



Lenten Preaching Series: The Saugus Clergy Association will once again sponsor the Sunday evening preaching series during the Lenten Season. Each Sunday evening of

Lent a service is held in a different house of worship throughout the community and the sermon is preached by a different member of our clergy. It is a wonderful Saugus tradition and speaks well of the ecumenical spirit we have in our community. Keep your Sunday evenings free and plan to join us this year. Specific details will follow soon.



ARISE Together In Christ: Season Four of ARISE is starting the week of February 14. What a terrific gift to

give yourself this Lent. Join an Arise Group! The theme for this Season is "*New Heart, New Spirit.*" Whether you have participated in the past or not, plan to do so now! We want you and we need you. Please return your sign-up sheet as soon as possible. Sign-up sheets are still available this weekend but act soon. Sign-up sheets are available at the entrances of the Churches - both at Saint Margaret's and at Blessed Sacrament. Return your completed sign-up sheet in the boxes marked "ARISE" or return them through the mail slots at the rectories or send them in by mail. Small groups will be formed soon and the plan is to get underway the week of February 14. Arise consists of 6 weekly small group meetings. Meet new people, share and deepen your faith, treat yourself to something very good this Lenten season. You'll be glad you did!

Mass Intentions at Blessed Sacrament

Josephine Lloyd	14th Anniversary Mass	4:00 p.m. Saturday	(1/30/10)
Vertullo Family	Memorial Mass	7:30 a.m. Sunday	(1/31/10)
Mary & Ed Meuse	Memorial Mass	9:00 a.m. Sunday	(1/31/10)
Phyllis Cook	8th Anniversary Mass	10:30 a.m. Sunday	(1/31/10)
James Doherty Sr.	Memorial Mass	9:00 a.m. Friday	(2/5/10)
Christina Barry	Memorial Mass	9:00 a.m. Saturday	(2/6/10)
Margaret Agostini	Memorial Mass	4:00 p.m. Saturday	(2/6/10)
Stefano Sanseverino	Memorial Mass	7:30 a.m. Sunday	(2/7/10)
Souls in Purgatory		9:00 a.m. Sunday	(2/7/10)
Ralph J. Catalano Sr.	Memorial Mass	10:30 a.m. Sunday	(2/7/10)



Mass Intentions at Saint Margaret

Paul Galvin	1st Anniversary Mass	8:30 a.m. Sunday	(1/31/10)
Bryant Kimball	10th Anniversary Mass	10:00 a.m. Sunday	(1/31/10)
Castro & Gomes Families	Memorial Mass	9:00 a.m. Tuesday	(2/2/10)
Helen Dillon	3rd Anniversary Mass	4:00 p.m. Saturday	(2/6/10)
Pasquale & Fred DiFiore	5th Anniversary Mass	5:30 p.m. Saturday	(2/6/10)
Michael Cronin	12th Anniversary Mass	8:30 a.m. Sunday	(2/7/10)
Blanche Lavoie	Birthday Remembrance	10:00 a.m. Sunday	(2/7/10)



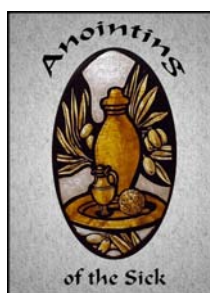
We pray for Peace in the World, an end to war and terrorism, an end to world hunger, our men & women in the Armed Services: **John Scott, Brian & Stephanie Howard, Kevin Howard, Lt. Maxwell**

Palumbo, Sgt. Paul J. Eaves, Pvt. Richard Boudreau, Cpl. Timothy Perkins, Cpl. Alison Perkins, Pvt. William Fitzgerald

Year of the Priest: Pray for Priests and vocations to the Priesthood, the Diaconate, the Religious Life

The Sick: Fr. James Field, Alexander Mossuto, Marie Guerrini, Thomas Kehoe, Kevin Riordan, Nancy Patti, Virginia Cieri, Lucille Voutour, Richard Bourque, Ronald Bourque, Rosemarie Goins, Joe Alden, Charles Regan, Georgina Reagan, Barbara Lewis, June Anderson, Rita Anzuoni, Denise Voutour, James Voutour, Jean Roli, Frank Palmer, Harry Pappas, Paul Egan

The Faithful Departed: Raymond Mahar, Irene Babine, Margaret Malone, Bresci DiBiccari



The Sacrament of the Anointing

of the Sick: In the Letter of Saint James we find an important question: "Are there any among you who are sick?" Saint James also advises what should be done, namely, that "they should call for the priests of the Church and have them pray over the sick anointing

them with oil in the name of the Lord." This Anointing formerly called "Extreme Unction" or "The Last Rites," is not only intended for those near death but is for all the sick. We encourage you to request this sacrament when facing illness, prior to surgery or medical tests. Allow the Lord to come and comfort you and the prayer of the Church to strengthen you. This sacrament is a wonderful sign of the love of God and the healing grace of Jesus.

Daily Mass Schedule: The 9:00 a.m. morning Mass is at Saint Margaret Church on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays and at Blessed Sacrament Church on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays. The number of people attending daily Mass has been very uplifting. On January 14 there were 85 people at morning Mass. Thank you for your participation.

Blessed Sacrament Church Parking Lot: Last September, the principal part of the Parish Parking Lot (all the way to the helipad at the rear of the property) as well as the entrance and exit lanes were repaved at a cost of \$104,000.00. This was an expensive project, but it needed to be done for the safety of those who use our property. Also this cost, although expensive, was about half the price quoted just the year before. This lower cost was due to the drop in petroleum products and the general downturn in the economy. In late August we sent a letter to all registered Parishioners of Blessed Sacrament asking their help with this undertaking. To date \$47,523 has been donated. This is good, but as you can see, we have a long way to go.; therefore, in the near future, a reminder letter will be sent to all registered Parishioners from whom we have not heard. Also, this is the end of the year and for tax purposes some may consider a year-end gift to the Parish. All that is collected will be used solely and entirely for Blessed Sacrament Parish. We pray for your generosity so that we can move on to other areas that need attention.

Second Collections

Blessed Sacrament Parish

Haiti Earthquake Relief - January 30 & 31

Peter's Pence—February 6 & 7

Renovation Fund—February 20 & 21

Saint Margaret Parish

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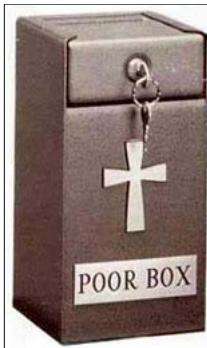
Peter's Pence - February 6 & 7

BLESSED SACRAMENT FINANCIAL BLESSINGS

The Offertory Collection last week was **\$5,298.15** with **216** envelopes. **\$1,844.41** was collected for Latin America. Attendance was **932**. Thank you for your generosity.

SAINT MARGARET FINANCIAL BLESSINGS

The Offertory Collection last week was **\$2,922.00**. The Latin America Collection was **\$1,107.00**. Attendance at the weekend Masses was **485**. Thank you for your generosity.



Poor Boxes: As you enter or as you leave Church, please remember the Poor. Your donation placed in the Poor Boxes is the principal source of income for the Saint Vincent de Paul Society. Both Saint Margaret and Blessed Sacrament Parishes are blessed to each have a dedicated group of people who make up the membership of the S V de P Society. They are often called upon to help people of our community with food, clothing, utilities and shelter in emergency situations. Please help them in their works of charity.

*“Whatsoever you do to these least ones of mine,
you do for me.”
Matthew 25*

Unemployed? Under-employed? Do you find yourself one of the many who are without sufficient work these days? Does it cause you to be anxious, to be fearful for your family and their future? Do you wonder where to turn? Some members of an ARISE group wondered if offering the possibility of a support group would be helpful to you. If it interests you to join such a group, to turn together in prayer to God, to enter into conversation, sharing ideas and mutual assistance, please contact Sr. Mary for further details. The group will meet some time Thursday or Friday depending on the best available time/space for the participants. Leave your name and telephone number for Sister Mary at Blessed Sacrament Rectory (781-233-2497) and leave a message for her. People of both Parishes and friends are welcome.

Vigil of Remembrance: The annual Saugus Vigil of Remembrance for the victims of domestic violence will be held on Sunday, January 31, at 6:00 p.m. at Grace Ministries (formerly known as Greater Grace) at the intersection of Vine Street and Main Street in Saugus. This event is jointly sponsored by the Saugus Coalition Against Domestic Violence and the Clergy Association. The goal of the vigil is to raise awareness of domestic violence and to honor those victims who tragically died as a result of domestic violence during the past year. All are welcome to this event.

“Lord, make me an instrument of peace”

Saint Margaret Parish Religious Education:

Grades 1 through 6: Classes are held from 8:30 a.m. until 9:45 a.m. at the Belmonte Middle School.

Combined Religious Education Classes
Blessed Sacrament & Saint Margaret Parishes

Grades 7: Held monthly on Friday evenings from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at Saint Margaret Parish Hall - the next class is Friday, February 12 7-9 p.m.

Grade 8: Held monthly on Friday evenings from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at Saint Margaret Parish Hall. The next class is Friday, February 26 7-9 p.m.

Confirmation Year I: (usually Grade 9) meets at 4:15 until 5:30 p.m. at Blessed Sacrament Parish Hall. The remaining classes are scheduled for January 31, February 28, March 14, 21 and 28.

The March 19 CCD class for **both** 7th and 8th graders will be held at St. Margaret's church. **This will be the only class for March for these two grades. Both 7th and 8th grade must attend.** 7th graders to host refreshment gathering: please bring one dozen of a baked good. 8th grade Presentation of the Stations of the Cross.

Confirmation Year II:

Saint Margaret: Confirmation Rehearsal and Confessions will be Tuesday, February 23 at 7:00 p.m. Confirmation will be administered on Sunday, February 28 at 12 Noon.

Blessed Sacrament: Confirmation Rehearsal and Confessions will be Tuesday, March 2 at 7:00 p.m. Confirmation will be administered on Sunday, March 7 at 1:00 p.m. and 3:30 p.m.

7th & 8th Grade Friday Night CCD: For safety reasons, all parents are asked to pick up their children from **Friday Night 7th & 8th grade CCD** at the **Jackson Street Parking Lot** where adults are on duty to chaperone all children until picked up. Please **pull in** to the lot to avoid a traffic jam and wait for your child to arrive. Thank you for your cooperation. When dropping children off, do so **only on the Church side of Lincoln Avenue**. For their safety, do not allow the children to cross Lincoln Avenue.

Blessed Sacrament Religious Education:

Religious Education Grade 1-6: Classes are held from 10:15 a.m. until 11:15 a.m. at Saugus High School.

Afternoon of Prayer for Parish Pastoral Visitors & Ministers of Communion to the Sick:

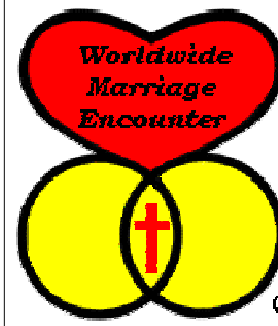
will be this Sunday, January 31, from 1:30 p.m. until 3:30 p.m. at Our Lady's, Lynnfield. There is no cost; you are welcome to attend. Register at the door.



Baptism Preparation: In order to prepare for the Baptism of a child, parents and god-parents are to attend a Baptism Preparation Class.

At Blessed Sacrament, the next Preparation Class is on Tuesday, February 9 at 7:00 p.m. Call the Rectory (781-233-2497) to register.

At Saint Margaret, the next Preparation Class is on Thursday, February 11 at 7:00 p.m. Call the Rectory (781-233-1040) to register.

**Worldwide Marriage Encounter:**

Valentine's Day is coming soon! **Need a special gift for your spouse?** Why not take him/her away for a special weekend of communication, reflection and time away from your hectic schedule? The next

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends in New England are February 12-14 and March 5-7. For more information, call Ralph & Jane Becker at 1-800-710-WWME or visit www.wwmeMA.org.

Human Trafficking - Modern Day Slavery:

Slavery, prostitution, selling of women and children and disgraceful working conditions, where people are treated as mere instruments of gain...poison human society...and debase their perpetrators. If you think or suspect that someone is a victim of human trafficking, call 888-3737-888. In the USA, there are an estimated 20,000 people who are trafficked yearly.

Bringing the Word to Life: A Workshop for Lectors & Proclaimers: is being offered by the Boston College School of Theology & Ministry on Saturday, February 6, 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at 9 Lake Street, STM Chapel, Brighton campus (snow date: Saturday, March 13). The presenter will be Douglas Leal, former parish Director of Ministries in Los Angeles, CA, and author of *Stop Reading and Start Proclaiming!* Reading Scripture aloud is more than reading the words well; it calls us to proclaim fully the life within those words. Learn and practice the techniques that turn reading into proclamation—but not performance—as well as how to make supportive critiques to hone other's skills. For experienced proclaimers as well as those new to the ministry. Take advantage of this opportunity: FREE of charge, but registration is required. Information/registration at www.bc.edu/stmce or call 617-552-6501.



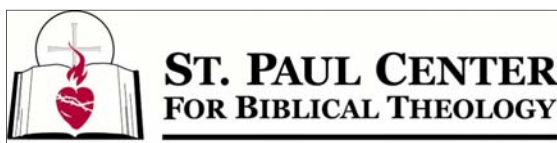
Volunteers Needed: The Companions to the Aging Program of Catholic

Charities is seeking male volunteers to assist in a home visitation program. We currently have a large number of unmatched male clients and thus especially are interested in recruiting male volunteers. If you have two hours a week to spare these elders would greatly benefit from a friendly visitor. Training and supervision is provided. Call Jean at 781-593-2312 for information.



Project Rachel: Healing the wound of abortion:

Do you know someone who is carrying grief and sorrow over a past abortion? Project Rachel is the post-abortion ministry of the Catholic Church to help those dealing with the pain of abortion. Project Rachel is offering three retreat this springtime: Sunday, February 28, Saturday, March 13 and Saturday, June 5. For information/registration for the date of your choice, contact Project Rachel at 508-651-3100 or help@projectrachelboston.com



Prophet to the Nations

By Dr. Scott Hahn

God's words in today's First Reading point us beyond Jeremiah to Jesus. Like Jeremiah, Jesus was consecrated in the womb and sent as a "prophet to the nations" (see Luke 1:31-33). Like the prophets before Him, Jesus too faces hostility. In today's Gospel, the crowd in His hometown synagogue quickly turns on Him, apparently demanding a sign, some proof of divine origins - that He's more than just "the son of Joseph." The sign He gives them is that of the prophets Elijah and Elisha. From their colorful careers Jesus draws two stories. In each, the prophets bypass "many...in Israel" to bestow God's blessings on non-Israelites who had faith that the prophets were men of God (see 1 Kings 17:1-16; 2 Kings 5:1-14). "None...not one" in Israel was found deserving, Jesus emphasizes. His point isn't lost on His audience. They know He's likening them to the "many...in Israel" in the days of the prophets. That's why they try to shove Him off the cliff. As He promised to protect Jeremiah, the Lord delivers Jesus from those who would crush Him. And as were Elijah and Elisha, Jesus is sent to proclaim God's gift of salvation - not exclusively to one nation or people, but to all who realize in faith that from the womb God alone is their hope, their rescuer, their "rock of refuge," as we sing in today's Psalm. Prophecies, Paul tells us in today's Epistle, are partial and pass away "when the perfect comes." In Jesus, the word of the prophets has been brought to perfection, fulfilled in those who have ears to hear, as He declares in today's Gospel. Greater than the gifts of faith and hope, Jesus shows us how to love as He loved, to love God as our Father, as One Who formed us in the womb and destined us to hear His saving Word. This is the salvation, the "mighty works of the Lord," that we, as the Psalmist, are thankful to proclaim daily in the Eucharist.

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Catholic Schools

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Catholic Schools
Week: In the near future all Catholic

Schools will host an "Open House" inviting prospective students to come and see their school. For your information we have listed the names and phone numbers of the Catholic High Schools and Elementary Schools to which youths of our community attend. If you are interested, call soon and find out when they are having an Open House.

Catholic High Schools

Boston College High School	617-436-3900
Arlington Catholic High School	781-646-7770
Saint John's Prep, Danvers	978-774-1050
Pope John XXIII, Everett	617-389-0240
Saint Mary Sr & Jr High, Lynn	781-595-7885
Malden Catholic High School	781-322-3098
Bishop Fenwick High School, Peabody	978-587-8300
Austin Prep - Grades 6—12, Reading	781-944-4900

Catholic Elementary High Schools

Saint Mary's Danvers	978-774-0307
Sacred Heart, Lynn	781-592-7581
Saint Pius, Lynn	781-593-8292
Our Lady's Lynnfield	781-599-4422
Cheverus, Malden	781-324-6584
Saint Mary's, Melrose	781-665-5037
Saint John's Peabody	978-532-0444
Immaculate Conception, Revere	781-284-0519
Saint Patrick's, Stoneham	781-438-2593
Saint Joseph's, Wakefield	781-245-2081



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: On Wednesday evenings at Saint Margaret's from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. join us for all or part of this time of prayer and adoration before the Blessed Sacrament. At 7:00 p.m. those present participate in the recitation of the **Rosary.**

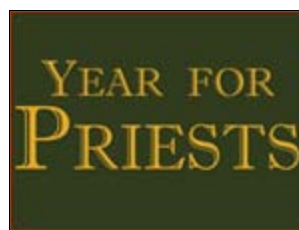
You deserve the peace and quiet that come from being in the presence of the Lord. What better way to prepare for Christmas than by giving yourself the gift of time.

"I will come to you in the silence..."



The United Parish Food Pantry is at the Cliftondale Congregational Church, 50 Essex Street. **On the last Sunday of each month Blessed Sacrament collects food for the food pantry. On the second Sunday of each month Saint**

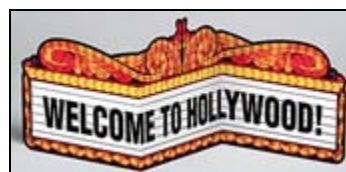
Margaret collects food for the food pantry. Volunteers are also needed. If you are free on Friday mornings, you are needed. Drop by the Pantry at 9:00 a.m. or call Carol Cashman (781-233-9460) to volunteer. The Pantry is open Fridays from 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. **The next Food Collection Weekend for Blessed Sacrament is January 30 & 31. The next Food Collection Weekend for Saint Margaret is February 13 & 14.** Your donation of food is always needed. Kindly look at the expiration date on your food donation. Food items that have gone beyond the expiration date may not be given out. They can only be thrown out! Thank you for your cooperation, understanding and your generosity.



The Year of the Priest **A Prayer for Priests**

Dear Lord, We pray that the Blessed Mother wrap her mantle around your priests and through her intercession strengthen them for their ministry. We pray that Mary will guide your priests to follow her own words, "Do whatever He tells you" (Jn 2:5). May your priests have the heart of St. Joseph, Mary's most chaste spouse. May the Blessed Mother's own pierced heart inspire them to embrace all who suffer at the foot of the cross. May your priests be holy, filled with the fire of your love seeking nothing but your greater glory and the salvation of souls. Amen.

Saint John Vianney, pray for us.



St. Margaret Annual Gourmet Dinner is coming soon on February 20! Plan to attend and invite friends & relatives.

The Menu & tickets (\$30.00 pp) are available. Call Saint Margaret's now - 781-233-1040.

FEBRUARY 2010

Blessed Sacrament Parish, Saugus

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	2 nd Collection <u>Peter's Pence</u> Confessions 3:00pm
7. 2 nd Collection Peter's Pence Rel. Ed. Classes <u>Gr. 3</u> after 9:00am Mass	K of C Mtg. 8:00pm	Baptism Class 7:00pm Ministry of St. Stephen Mtg. 7:00-9:00pm ARISE Leaders Mtg. 7:00pm K of C Mtg. 8:00pm	10.	11.	12. Youth Choir Rehearsal 4:30-5:15 pm Rel. Ed. Classes at St. Margaret <u>Gr. 7</u> 7:00-9:00pm A.A. 8 to 9:30pm	13. Confessions 3:00pm
8. St. Vincent de Paul Mtg. 7:00-9:00pm	9.	10.	11.	12.	13.	
14. No Rel. Ed. Classes BAPTISMS 2:00pm	15.	16.	17.	18.	19.	20. 2 nd Collection <u>Renovation Fund</u> Confessions 3:00pm
21. 2 nd Collection <u>Renovation Fund</u> No Rel. Ed. Classes	22.	23.	24.	25.	26.	27.
28. Rel. Ed. Classes <u>Gr. 1-6</u> (10:15-11:15am) CPPI 4:15-5:30pm FOOD DRIVE	29.	30.	31.			FOOD DRIVE

MASS SCHEDULE: 9:00am on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, (Coffee after 9:00am Mass each Thursday)
Saturday 4:00pm; Sunday 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am (Coffee after Mass)