

Mass Intentions

Frederick Kilroy	28th Anniversary Mass	4:00 p.m. Saturday	(7/3)
Mary Lou Corbett	1st Anniversary Mass	8:30 a.m. Sunday	(7/4)
Salvatore & Ronald Italiano	Memorial Mass	10:00 a.m. Sunday	(7/4)
Ruth Zinna	7th Anniversary Mass	9:00 a.m. Tuesday	(7/6)
Evelyn Currie & Antonetta Corrado	Memorial Mass	9:00 a.m. Wednesday	(7/7)
John Siafakas	Memorial Mass	9:00 a.m. Thursday	(7/8)
Phyllis Dello Russo	Birthday Remembrance	4:00 p.m. Saturday	(7/10)
Arthur Tasha	19th Anniversary Mass	5:30 p.m. Saturday	(7/10)
Melvin Melanson	23rd Anniversary Mass	8:30 a.m. Sunday	(7/11)
Christina & Giuseppe Testa	Memorial Mass	10:00 a.m. Sunday	(7/11)



The Church Renovation Fund: received gifts totaling \$150.00 this past week and is presently at \$650.00. St. Margaret's was built in 1924 and served as the Mission Church for Blessed Sacrament Parish until 1949 when it was made a separate Parish. The first Mass was celebrated in this Church in November of 1924. As St. Margaret's approaches it's 80th Birthday, we want to beautify our spiritual home. Thank you for your support.

The Church Windows: If you look at the Church windows, including those in the choir loft, those in the sacristy and those in the Penance room, you see that they are "memorialized," that is, given in memory of or in honor of a given person or persons. Do you know any of the present day relatives of these good people? If so would you please let us know. With eighty years of wear our Church windows need work. Perhaps some of these families would like to help the Parish repair and preserve these window treasures. We appreciate your help. Thank you.



Organist/Music Director: The Parish is in the process of looking for an organist/music director to continue and build upon our Parish liturgical music program. Please call Father George 781-233-1040 for an interview.

Religious Education Registration: All students previously registered have received registration renewal forms this past week. Please return as soon as possible because this helps us in planning. First Grade children, new children to the Parish and 10th Grade Catholic High School Students should call the rectory to register.



The Annual Novena in honor of Our Lady of Mount Carmel will be held in the chapel of the Carmelite Nuns, 15 Mt Carmel Road, Danvers, from Thursday, July 8 through Friday, July 16 at 7:30 p.m. each evening. All are warmly invited to attend.



GOOD NEWS

The Liturgy of the Word for Children: At the Sunday morning 10:00 a.m. Mass, we provide the Liturgy of the Word for children grades K through 5. All children are invited to participate. After arriving in the usual manner, the children are called together after the Opening Prayer of Mass and together are led to the Parish Hall where they hear the Scriptures for the day and are involved in a teaching and/or an activity. They return to Church as a group during the Preparation of the Gifts. If you would like to help in this wonderful ministry to our children, or as a parent want to know more about this program, see Gerri Milgroom after Mass on Sunday.

United Parish Food Pantry: Our thanks for your continuous support of the local food pantry. The second weekend each month (next weekend - July 10 & 11) we invite you to bring non-perishable food to Church. The food is then brought to our local food pantry (located at the Cliftondale Congregational Church) where it is distributed on Friday mornings from 10:00 a.m. to 12 Noon. Please know that your gift of food is always needed and very much appreciated.



"I was hungry and you gave me to eat."

The Feast of Saint Margaret is July 20. How would you like to celebrate our patron's feast this year? Ideas suggested so far include a cook-out, a special time to honor all parishioners with the name of Margaret, a celebration banquet, a spontaneous party with Chinese food delivered. What other ideas do you have? Let Father George know real soon.

Parents: To ensure the safety and well being of our children, parents should accompany them to the rest-rooms during the time of Mass. Thank you for your co-operation.

The next **Living Rosary Pilgrimage** will be on July 22 at 7:00 p.m. at Our Lady of the Assumption in Lynnfield. All are invited to attend.

The Catholic Appeal Update: Thanks to the generosity of 79 families of the Parish, \$8,355.00 has been given/pledged to this year's appeal. This represents 28% of our goal of \$29,335.00. All of us are called upon to be involved in the ministry and mission of the Church even in these most challenging times. Your gift/pledge to the appeal enables this work to go on. Please find at the Church doors a gift/pledge envelope and consider your offering at this time. You may mail your gift directly to the Appeal Office or place it in the collection basket and we will take care of it for you. Thank you.

The American Red Cross: Blood Donors are needed now! The blood supply in our area is at a critical level. If you are 17 years of age or older and in general good health, call to become a donor: 1-800-GIVE-LIFE.

Parish Pastoral Council: There is a vacancy on the PPC. Made up of 12 parishioners, council members serve a three year term. The role of a PPC member is advising and assisting the Pastor in his leadership role by envisioning, planning and making happen all that will make the Parish a more Christ-centered community of love and faith. Is there anyone you might nominate for this position? Write to Fr. George with the name(s) of your nominee(s). Thank you.

Kevin Baumann: We continue to keep the "bucket" with fliers about Kevin in the vestibule of the Church. Whatever you can do is greatly appreciated. You may deposit your offering directly into the Kevin Baumann Medical Fund, account # 25005, tax number 04-692-9285, at the Saugus Federal Credit Union. Please pray for Kevin and his family.

Two Brothers: A family friendly film that is visually masterful, poetically poignant and extraordinarily entertaining, combining stunning wildlife with tenderhearted storytelling from the animals point of view to craft a remarkable fable about family and the healing power of love. To quote another famous tiger, this movie is "grrreat!"



**God bless America,
Land that I love!**

Second Collections

July 10 & 11 Parish Monthly Collection
July 24 & 25 The Church in Central & Eastern Europe



Offertory Collection: Last Sunday's collection was \$2,765.00 and the Black & Native American Mission Collection was \$812.00. *Thank you for your kindness and generosity to the needs of your Parish.*

Is God calling you? "The harvest is rich but the workers are few. Ask the harvest-master to send workers into the harvest!" Pray for vocations. If you think God is calling you, call Father Pratt at the Vocation Office at 617-746-5436.



PROUD 2B CATHOLIC! Don't miss the 100% Catholic, youth and family music festival in the US . . . Right in your own back yard, in Methuen, MA. The 4th Annual Proud 2B Catholic Music Festival with Mass will be held at Greycourt park in Methuen on Saturday, August 14, 2004. The event features nationally recognized artists such as Sean Forrest, Bob Rice & Backyard Galaxy, Janelle, Scarecrow & Tinmen, Crispin, Brianna, Bernie Choiniere and any more. Check out the website at www.Proud2BCatholic.com for more information.

CAMPS: Join other teens from around the Archdiocese for an experience you won't want to miss! CAMPS is a week long retreat experience designed especially for High School Students and is filled with creative activities, music, games, talks, discussion, concerts, campfires, tournaments and much, much more. It could be the best week of your life! CAMPS will be August 9 - 14 and will be held at the Lake Ossipee Conference Center in Freedom, NH. Applications are available at the Rectory and there is a limited amount of scholarship money available.

The Parish Bulletin: Published weekly the bulletin is the main source of communication and information for the Parish. Local businesses have always found Parish bulletins a valuable way of reaching people about their products and services. Now that we know that Saint Margaret's is not closing, this would be a good time to ask stores, companies and businesses in our area to consider supporting our Parish at this time by taking an add in our weekly bulletin. Call the appropriate number listed on the back page of today's bulletin to get all the information you need. Thanks for your help.

*The cost of being a disciple is big;
the cost of not being one is bigger still.*

Parish Offertory Envelopes: We encourage the use of Parish Envelopes for your weekly donation to help support our Parish. If you wish to receive envelopes, please give us the following information:

Name:

Address: