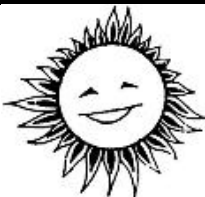


Mass Intentions

Geraldine Favuzza	9th Anniversary Mass	4:00 p.m. Saturday	(7/24)
Concettina & Joseph Borghetti, Sr.	Memorial Mass	5:30 p.m. Saturday	(7/24)
The Garbino & Maruzzi Families	Memorial Mass	8:30 a.m. Sunday	(7/25)
Lillian Callahan (10th Anniv) & Evelyn Kleinhart (1st Anniv)		10:00 a.m. Sunday	(7/25)
Sylvia DiChiara	6th Anniversary Mass	9:00 a.m. Monday	(7/26)
Michael Cronin	Birthday Remembrance	9:00 a.m. Wednesday	(7/28)
Pasquale & Carmella DiPietro	Memorial Mass	9:00 a.m. Thursday	(7/29)
Anna & Albert Guarino	Anniversary Mass	4:00 p.m. Saturday	(7/31)
Rev. Edward Frizzell	1st Anniversary Mass	5:30 p.m. Saturday	(7/31)
Gerald DiChiara	Birthday Remembrance	8:30 a.m. Sunday	(8/1)
Richard E. Russo	19th Anniversary Mass	10:00 a.m. Sunday	(8/1)



The feast of Saint Margaret: Come celebrate the feast of our Patroness on Tuesday, August 3 & Wednesday, August 4. On Tuesday, August 3 we will have Mass in honor of St. Margaret at 6:30 p.m. followed by a “Chinese food” dinner. Tickets for this dinner are \$10.00 each and are on sale now. On Wednesday, August 4, John Polce, a composer, vocalist and guitarist, will be with us at 7:00 p.m. John music and ministry will provide us with an atmosphere where healing, reconciliation, inspiration and renewed faith are received. Ice cream social will follow. All are most welcome.



The Church Renovation Fund: received gifts in memory of Domenic Stagno totaling \$200.00 this past week and is presently at \$950.00. Recent projects around the Church have been: new steps and landing for the side entrance to the church, pointing of the St. Margaret pedestal on the front lawn as well as pointing bricks over the front entrance of the church, repairing of steps and holes in the Parish Hall - holes left by the removal of pipes and asbestos removal, Church attic insulation has been added as well as an enlarged walkway for the safety of those who change the light bulbs. Thank you for your support.

Religious Education Registration:

All students previously registered have received registration renewal forms in the mail. Please return registration as soon as possible. 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 Little Sisters of Saint Francis: are offering a spiritual day for women on Saturday, August 14 the topic from reflection being “Suffering and Healing.” The Sisters are located in Danville, NH. For information call the Sisters at 603-382-7490.

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.

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick: In the Letter of St. James we find the question, “Is there anyone sick among you?” The response is that the sick are to call the priests of the Church who are to pray over them and anoint them with oil in the name of the Lord. This Sacrament is not to be looked upon as the “Last Rites” but as a powerful instrument of God’s healing and strength. Therefore prior to surgery or when diagnosed with or living with a serious illness avail yourself of this gift. On the First Friday of each month, (August 6) this Sacrament is offered following the 9:00 a.m. Mass or call the Rectory for a more convenient time.

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.

A coincidence is a small miracle where God chose to remain anonymous.

Good Stewards: Jesus is describing God’s immeasurable generosity when He says in today’s Gospel. “Whoever asks, receives; whoever seeks, finds; whoever knocks, is admitted.” But it should also be the description of us as Christian stewards - those seeking to follow Christ by using our gifts in service to others.

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.

Saint Pius V - Quality Catholic Education: Saint Pius, Maple Street, Lynn has openings in the afternoon kindergarten session. Special Tuition incentive for new families. Limited seats available in other grades. Call Mr. Paul Maestranzi at 781-593-8292 for information.

Saint Joseph School in Wakefield, Pre-Kindergarten through Grade 8 is having open registration during the summer months. Parents are welcome to contact Sr. Mary Lou Graziano, Principal at 781-245-2081 for information.

Pope John XXIII High School, 888 Broadway, Everett is participating in a tuition incentive program instituted by the Catholic Schools Foundation. Any student not previously enrolled in a Catholic High School is eligible to receive up to 33% discount in tuition and additional financial aid if needed. Call the school at 617-389-0240 extension 12.

Parents helping each other: Parents of clergy abuse survivors, are offering support and outreach to other parents. This group is sponsored by the Office of Pastoral support and Outreach seeks to be a source of comfort and understanding through listening, sharing and support in an atmosphere of confidentiality. If you are a parent or know someone who is and are looking for support, please come to one our summer meetings: Tuesday August 10 and Tuesday September 14. For information call Ginney Lucey at 617-967-5717.

Is God calling you? "Ask and you shall receive. Seek and you will find. Knock and it will be opened to you." Try it! Then listen, look, and enter. Perhaps priesthood or consecrated life awaits you. If you think God is calling you, call Father Oscar Pratt at the Vocation Office at 617-746-5436.

Second Collections

July 24 & 25 The Church in Central & Eastern Europe
August 14 & 15 A Missionary Father from the Society of Saint James the Apostle will visit us for the weekend.



Offertory Collection: Last Sunday's collection was \$2,731.00. *Thank you for your kindness and generosity to the needs of your Parish.*

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 Sacrament of Baptism: is usually celebrated on the third Sunday of each month at 12 Noon. The Preparation Meeting prior to the Baptism of a child is every other month. Future Baptism Preparation meetings for parents & godparents are: August 5, October 7, December 2, 2004. These are held in the Parish Hall and begin at 7:00 p.m. Please call the Rectory (781-233-1040) to register.

The Living Rosary: will be at St. Adelaide Church, 708 Lowell Street, Peabody, on Monday, August 2 at 7:00 p.m. beginning the procession and rosary followed by Mass. All are welcome to attend.

Marriage Encounter: a weekend experience for married couples seeking better communication, intimacy and self esteem while enriching the values of marriage, family and faith. Next dates—the weekends of August 13, September 24 and November 12. For information/registration call 1-866-367-6193.

For the Children's Sake: a workshop designed to enable parents to help their child develop powers of attention and self expression, identify ways to improve their child's written communication, learn what children want to know and how the matter must be presented and understand how knowledge is acquired and made one's own. Workshop is at the Church of Nazarene, 181 Dayton St. Danvers, 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Saturday, July 31. Information call Nina Pension at 781-598-3385.

*I have complete confidence in the Gospel:
it is God's power to save all who believe.*

Romans 1:16

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: