



If anyone wishes to come after me, he must deny himself and take up his

CROSS

daily and follow me. For whoever wishes to save his life will lose it, but whoever

loses

his life for my sake will **save** it.

Luke
9:23-24

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Notary Public

Faith Formation & Confirmation 6-10

FAITH FORMATION (September—May)

GRADES 1-5

Sundays 10:15AM-11:30AM In Our School
617-387-7009

Fran Foley, Co-Director Grades 1 and 2

Janine Keller, Co-Director Grades 3, 4, 5

SPANISH FAITH FORMATION

Sunday: 10:15AM-12 NOON In Our School

FAITH FORMATION GRADES 6-10

Thursdays 6:00-PM7:15PM In Our School

ADORATION OF THE

BLESSED SACRAMENT

Thursday after 7:00AM Mass (Chapel)

Benediction 6:30PM

CHARISMATIC PRAYER MEETING

Friday: 7:30PM In The Chapel

SODALITY

First Friday of the Month at 12:15PM

RECONCILIATION (Confession)

Saturday: 3:00PM-3:45PM

BAPTISM

1st and 3rd Sundays at 2:00PM (Chapel)

Call Rectory to make arrangements

WEDDINGS

Call Rectory at least 6 Months prior for appointment

RECTORY HOURS

8:30AM-12PM and 12:30PM-3PM

PARISH MASS SCHEDULE

DAILY

Monday-Saturday 7:00AM (Chapel)

SATURDAY

(Sunday Vigil) 4:00PM

SUNDAY

7:00AM; 9:00AM(Family); 11:00AM

12:15PM Spanish Community

Haitian Community Mass Returns July 9TH

5:30PM Mass Returns September 8th

Mass Intentions  *for the Week*

SATURDAY, JUNE 22 (St. Thomas More)

4:00PM.....Karen O'Brien Morse.....6th Anniversary
Veronica Morse.....2nd Anniversary

SUNDAY, JUNE 23 (St. Joseph Cafasso)

7:00AM.....Eleanor Daly.....2nd Anniversary
 9:00AM.....John M. Kelly, Jr.....Months Mind
 11:00AM.....Adeline and John Caprio.....Memorial

MONDAY, JUNE 24 (St. John the Baptist)

TUESDAY, JUNE 25 (St. William of Vercelli)

7:00AM.....Dean Clark.....1st Anniversary

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26 (St. Anselm)

7:00AM.....Catherine Masel.....Memorial

THURSDAY, JUNE 27 (St. Cyril of Alexandria)

7:00AM.....Marie France Jaboin.....Memorial

FRIDAY, JUNE 28 (St. Irenaeus)

SATURDAY, JUNE 29 (St. Peter, First Pope)

7:00AM.....Philip Thomas DiCecca, Sr.....Memorial
Madeline O'Connell.....Memorial
Ruth Roebber.....Memorial
 4:00PM.....Janet O'Neil.....Memorial

SUNDAY, JUNE 30 (First Martyrs of the See of Rome)

9:00AM.....Peter & Mary Contardo.....Anniversary
 1100AM.....Pratto Family in Thanksgiving of Prayers Answered



*Congratulations and God's Blessings To
 Wilber and Edith Rodriguez
 Who Received the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony*

Scripture for the Week of June 23rd

- 23 SUN Zec 12:10-11; 13:1/Gal 3:26-29/Lk 9:18-24
- 24 Mon Vigil: Jer 1:4-10/1 Pt 1:8-12/Lk 1:5-17, Day: Is 49:1-6/Acts 13:22-26/Lk 1:57-66, 80
- 25 Tue Gn 13:2, 5-18/Mt 7:6, 12-14
- 26 Wed Gn 15:1-12, 17-18/Mt 7:15-20
- 27 Thu Gn 16:1-12, 15-16 or 16:6b-12, 15-16/Mt 7:21-29
- 28 Fri Gn 17:1, 9-10, 15-22/Mt 8:1-4
- 29 Sat Vigil: Acts 3:1-10/Gal 1:11-20/Jn 21:15-19
 Day: Acts 12:1-11/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/Mt 16:13-19 27
- 30 SUN 1 Kgs 19:16b, 19-21/Gal 5:1, 13-18/Lk 9:51-62



"90 PLUS" God Bless those who are celebrating a birthday this month:

**Daniel Cocuzzo, William Desmond, Sr.
Mary Kirwin, Armand J. LeFave
Annie Maciejowski, Amelia Mastocola
Marie Tarantino, Angie Toto, Mary I. Walsh**



(Twitter@Pontifex)

Pope Francis' Tweet

"If we act like children of God, knowing that He loves us, our lives will be made new, filled with serenity and joy."

BEQUESTS

Bequests to our parish are strongly encouraged and gratefully accepted. When a loved one dies, please advise relatives and friends to make a donation to "Immaculate Conception" in memory of the deceased, and include this wish in the obituary notice. Thank you and blessings!

SOUP KITCHEN "FEED HIS PEOPLE"

Our Soup Kitchen has been delayed until **SEPTEMBER**. Watch here for more information.

Let Us Pray for our sick and those we have been asked to remember:

Epecially, Mary Agnes, Mark Amaral, Sal Barresi Sr. Mary Ann Burley, Janet Burridge, Gloria Calderone, Lorraine Callinan, J. Case, Mattherw Chaves, Phil Clark, Charles Comeau, Robert DelRossi, Robin Doucette, Rose and Tom Douglas, Katherine Draper, Michelle Fraser, Robert Freedman, Rosemarie G., Nina Hanlon, Mary Harkins, William Kemp, Eddie King, Christopher Lever, Kelley Ann McClelland, Shirley Melanson, Louise Mercurio, Marcie Meserve, Phillip Morris, Christine Muise, Ann O'Brien, Diane O'Brien, Mary O'Brien, Terry O'Brien, Trixie Ricci, Peggy Riley, Marcie Serve, Drew Simmons, Rita Smith, Brad Steed, Laura W.

Let Us Pray for the deceased of our Parish:

Dora Teneriello
Susan Zwirble



Let Us Pray that our men and women in the service might be safe in the days and weeks ahead. Especially those connected to our Parish as well as those unknown to us:

Mark Baldacchino, Kevin Caulfield Jr., Anthony Cruciotti, Joseph Dang, Jason Doucette, Matthew Evans, John Fitzgerald, John Fitzpatrick, III, Joe Forte, Christopher Grace, David Grace, James Lally, Andrew McGlinchey, John O'Rourke, Christina Racca, Stephen Ramunno, Alex Recupero, Alex Sclafani, Melissa Lynn Vizona, as well as those unknown to us.

We ask that you remember all those that have given so much for us: The Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines and Coast Guard. Please bless them and their families.

PRAYERS OF FAITHFL; SOLDIERS AND SICK

As has been our practice for the Sick of leaving the names in for 4 Weeks, unless you call, we will begin the following at all Masses.

All names for Soldiers serving overseas and our family members that are sick will be printed in our bulletins each week.

At Mass we will rotate the names of these read. We will read 10 Soldiers and 10 names of the Sick. We will try to rotate all names to ensure that all names are read at least once during the month at all Masses!

Prayer does work and we should all take time to pray for these names listed in our bulletins.

Thank you for your understand and YOUR PRAYERS!

MIDWEEK REFRESHER

Read: Luke 9: 18-24

Reflect: Throughout Jesus' ministry the crowd asked themselves, "Who is he? A hero from the past?" Questioned by Jesus, Peter opens himself to faith, "You are the Messiah of God". Jesus immediately warns them that his future is also theirs. In following him to Jerusalem, every believer takes the risk of suffering day after day. "But you, who do you say that I am?" "You are the Lord whom we confess in the poverty of our faith." Our answer is shaped by the lives of believers who have gone before us. Among the revealing encounters through which we approach Jesus, there is the irreplaceable encounter with the gospels. They present him to us as a man of the first century, as one destined to be crucified and raised up. These images are mediated to us through the first generations of Christians. Prayerful listening allows us to catch something of his mystery. That is what invites us to live Jesus Christ in the present, to run our race "to grasp the prize if possible, since I have been grasped by Christ Jesus" (Ph 3: 12)

Pray: Dear Jesus, though not favored with the enlightenment granted to Peter, James and John, I believe and trust in you as the Son of the Almighty.

Act: Help someone to understand and trust that Jesus Christ is Lord.



The Altar Bread, Wine and Sanctuary Candle for the Weekend of June 23rd are in remembrance of:

OUR PARISH FAMILY

Thank you and blessings!

Bereavement Mass

Our next Mass will be **SUNDAY JULY 21ST AT 11:00AM.** As an expression of sympathy for our families that have lost a loved one, every month we will celebrate a Mass for those that have passed away. This Mass will be for those who passed away In June.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR



JUNE 16TH

\$3,444 (OFFERTORY)
\$622 (SPARE CHANGE)

\$4,638 (STAIN GLASS FUND (TO DATE))
 We have spent **\$19,545** on the first window
 Windows are not part of the
 Capital Campaign Items

Catholic Appeal/Living Our Faith Together

\$16,663 by 65 families (To Date)

Our Parish Goal is \$30,000

Thank you for your prayers and support of this important effort.

PRAYER MINISTRY

EVERY SUNDAY 10:00-10:45AM
 Meets at the St. Joseph's Altar

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK
SUNDAY, JULY 7TH

SPARE CHANGE
SUNDAY, JULY 21ST
 All Masses

BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC
OCTOBER 5TH

SODALITY (FINAL MASS/LUNCHEON)
OCTOBER 4TH



1000 CLUB:
SATURDAY, JULY 13TH AT 4:45

Our club has been part of our Parish for over 30 years. It has helped in paying many bills and it continues to do that. We would like to increase membership so that it may pay a few more bills. If you are a member—thank you! Maybe you could give one as a gift or buy another. If you don't have one, please consider purchasing one. Thank you in advance.



SEPTEMBER 8TH



FOXWOODS TRIP:

TUESDAY, AUGUST 20TH-\$25PP
 Bus leaves Rectory by 7AM Sharp!
 Return to Rectory by 7:30PM

Free Buffet or \$10 Food Credit and
 \$10 Keno Play
 Coffee AND.....on Bus Down

Call Rectory to Reserve a Seat!

NO PAYMENTS ON BUS...
 Please Pay at Rectory

SPAULDING NURSING AND THERAPY CENTER
NORTH END
70 FULTON STREET, BOSTON

Spaulding Nursing and Therapy Center is in urgent need of **EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS VOLUNTEERS** TO BRING Holy Communion or Spiritual Care Volunteers to visit our Catholic patients. Spaulding is a 140 bed rehabilitation and a long term nursing care facility. Over 70% of Spaulding's patients are Catholic. The schedule for Eucharistic Ministers or Spiritual Care Volunteers is very flexible. Any hours contributed will be a great gift to our patients. Training and on-going support will be provided. However, Eucharistic Ministers must be commissioned as Eucharistic Ministers at your own parish. For more info, please call or email Chaplain Philomene Pean at:

617-726-9707
 mpean@partners.org

Eucharistic Adoration Of The Blessed Sacrament:

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be held **EVERY THURSDAY** from 7:45AM to 6:30PM in our Chapel. Each Thursday's adoration will conclude with **Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament at 6:30PM**. All are welcome to come and spend some time in the Lord's presence. Please invite other to join you.

- The Rosary at 6:30AM (Before Mass)
- The Angelus at 12:00PM
- The Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3:00PM
- The Rosary at 5:30PM for Peace and the Holy Father's intentions
- The Divine Mercy Chaplet (Sung) at 6:00PM

If you would like more information, call Madeline McComish at 617.387.7820.



2013 INFO

REMINDER TO GRADES 9 AND 10
SERVICE HOURS MUST BE COMPLETED
SEE FRAN MURPHY AT THE RECTORY

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
AUGUST 12-16 "MIGHTY KINGDOM"

PARISHIONERS IN HOSPITAL

We need your help in letting us know when one of our parishioners is in the hospital, rehab or nursing home, so that we may send a card. Please call the Rectory and give us their name and what hospital they are in. Thank you and blessings!



BELOW ARE SOME WAYS **IN WHICH YOU CAN HELP OUR CHURCH**

LECTOR:

Proclaim God's Word to those who come to worship with us.

SPECIAL MINISTER OF THE EUCHARIST:

Distribute the Eucharist at Mass, the Hospital, Nursing Homes and the Homebound.

USHERS AND GREETERS:

Ensure a Welcome to all, assist at offertory time, pass out bulletins when leaving.

CLEANERS:

This Ministry cleans on Friday afternoons.

WEEKEND RECTORY HELP:

We need volunteers to answer the phones and doors on Saturdays and Sundays. You may pick the time your available and training will be provided.

If you are interested in any of these or other Ministries in our Parish, please call the Rectory and let us know your interest and we will get you started!

50/50 WINNER

JAMES J. LaVECCHIO

SOCIAL JUSTICE

On May 1st of this year, Pope Francis made a profound speech in favor of workers and the poor, showing his commitment to, and awareness of the rich tradition known as Catholic Social Teaching, which has been called the Catholic Church's best kept secret. Are you interested in learning about the "secret" of the Social Justice Tradition of our Church in an inclusive and open way? Have you ever wondered how to develop the skills and knowledge of our Church in an inclusive and open way? Have you ever wondered how to develop the skills and knowledge necessary to lead a more effective and authentic Christian life? If so, then let's get together in an open and informal way to begin the journey of learning about *Social Justice*, on **MONDAY, JUNE 24 AT 6:30 IN THE CHURCH HALL.** The meeting will include an introduction to the Social Justice Tradition of the Church, and will finish with a plan for more meetings in the future. It should last about an hour and a half. Looking forward to seeing you there!

UPCOMING EVENTS/NEWS **AT OUR NEIGHBORING PARISHES ETC.**

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION SCHOOL **REVERE, MASSACHUSETTS**

IC School in Revere will celebrate its 100th Year Anniversary beginning in September of 2013. The school will host an alumni Mass, open house, and family breakfast for former students and community members in October of 2013. The year's celebrations will culminate with a gala dinner at Anthony's of Malden on April 12, 2014.

www.tinyurl.com/icreverealumni
lcschool@icrevere.org



PROJECT RACHEL

The pain of abortion haunts many women. Retreats offered by the Project Rachel ministry of the Archdiocese of Boston can help women find hope, healing and reconciliation after abortion. If you or a loved one is suffering from post-abortion pain, contact Project Rachel about upcoming "Come to the Waters of Healing" retreats to be held in 2013. For more info and to register for the date of your choice, call Project Rachel at 508-651-3100 or email at help@projectrachelboston.com

THE BELLS ARE ALIVE

They are back ringing to call us Home and to Prayer. While we have not heard them for a while, they add beauty to the day. They ring at 12:00 and 6:00PM to call us to pray.

This picture was in all class rooms as we prayed it just before lunch. The good Sister said it was a call for all the working in the field to stop and pray! The field today could be our house, office or walking thru Everett Square.



The bells at 3:00PM remind us to pray the Divine Mercy Prayer!

THE ANGELUS

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| V. The angel of the Lord declared unto Mary. | R. And the conceived of the Holy Spirit. HAIL MARY... |
| V. Behold the handmaid of the Lord. | R. Be it done unto me according to Thy word. HAIL MARY... |
| V. And the Word was made flesh. | R. And dwelt among us. HAIL MARY... |
| V. Pray for us, O holy Mother of God. | R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ. |

LET US PRAY

Pour forth, we beseech Thee, O Lord, Thy grace into our hearts, that we, to whom the incarnation of Christ Thy Son was made known by the message of an Angel, may by His Passion and Cross be brought to the glory of His Resurrection; through the same Christ our Lord. Amen

FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITIES

As we look at the opportunity of fundraising, we have several that go on at our parish on a regular basis:

50/50: which is drawn every Monday and only costs \$1 per week

MONTHLY BREAKFAST: which is held the Second Sunday of the month (WILL RETURN 9/8/13)

\$1000 CLUB which is drawn the Second Saturday of the month

SODALITY: this activity takes place the First Friday of most months (includes Mass, Luncheon, Raffles)
(WILL RETURN 10/04/13)

THOUGHTFUL QUOTE

“Let us be grateful to people who make us happy, they are the charming gardeners who make our souls blossom...”



Our parish would sincerely like to thank PERONI'S JEWELRY (MALDEN, MA) for sponsoring our bulletin. Without them this publication would not be possible.

