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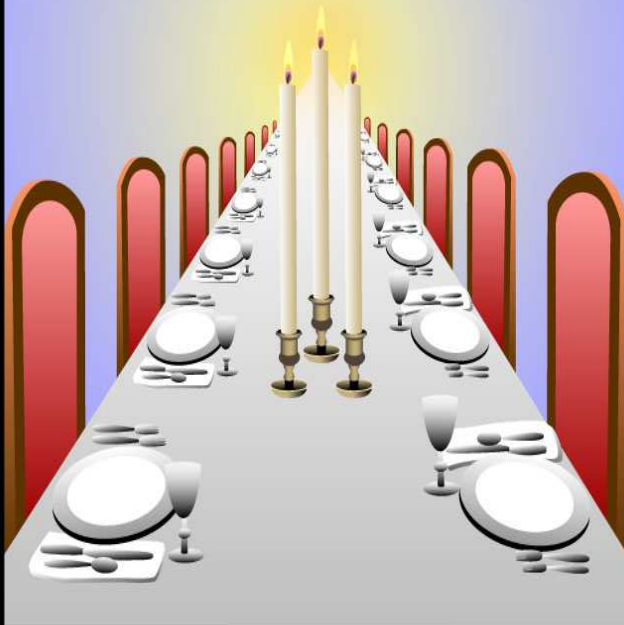
RECTORY HOURS

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

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**You are invited to
come dine with me,
From now through all eternity.
Believe in the Father, Son and
Holy Ghost,
And dine with Jesus as your host.
To live in Heaven eternally,
All you must do is RSVP.**



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Faith Formation & Confirmation 6-10

FAITH FORMATION (September—May)

GRADES 1-5

Sundays 10:15AM-11:30AM In Our School

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SPANISH FAITH FORMATION

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

FAITH FORMATION GRADES 6-10

Thursdays 6:00-7:15PM 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 (March-December)

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

An appointment with the Priest

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
4:00PM Haitian Community Mass
5:30PM Mass (Chapel)**

Mass Intentions for the Week

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11TH (St. Damien of Molokai)

7:00AM.....Gertrude Fishtine.....Memorial
4:00PM.....Ronald Katz.....14th Anniversary
.....Deceased Members of the Amigo Family.....Mem

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 12TH (St. Wilfrid)

7:00AM.....Jack Bruno.....Memorial
9:00AM.....Primo Delmonte.....1st Anniversary
.....Helen Delmonte.....Memorial
11:00AM.....Charles LaBella.....Remembrance
5:30PM.....Ernest McCabe.....10th Anniv & Birthday Mem

MONDAY, OCTOBER 13TH (St. Edward the Confessor)

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14TH (St. Callistus I)

7:00AM.....Vanessa White.....Healing (Living)

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 15TH (St. Teresa of Avila)

7:00AM.....Victoria Tamboli.....Healing (Living)

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16TH (St. Gerard Majella)

7:00AM.....Joy McCarthy.....Healing (Living)

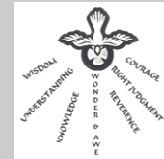
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17TH (St. Ignatius of Antioch)

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18TH (St. Luke)

7:00AM.....Our Parish Family.....
4:00PM.....Edward G. Russ III.....5th Anniversary

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 19TH (St. Isaac and St. Jogues)

7:00AM.....Our Parish Family.....
9:00AM.....Leonard Piazza.....6th Anniversary
11:00AM.....Sacrament of Confirmation Mass.....
5:30PM.....Anthony DeRosa.....Months Mind



SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION MASS

Date: Sunday, October 19th
Time: 11:00AM Mass

Please pray for all who will be receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation on the above date. God bless them all and may they be enlightened by the Holy Spirit.



"90 PLUS OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS"

God Bless the following who are celebrating a special birthdays this month:

Anna Barry
Barbara DiCecca
Concetta King
Emily Kittredge
Concetta Merenda
Virginia Russo



Please join us as we welcome the following newly baptized into our Catholic Community:

Leilani Rose Colon, Leinylee Starr Colon
William Junior Flores Valle
Arianna Rose Jean-Pierre, Theresa Ruth Kroehl
Jocelyn Amelia Mdjia Lemus
Daniel Jacob LeRay, Jr.
Maximus Reginald Manning
Melany Jimena Perez, Sophia Isabella Vargas

Congratulations and God's Blessings to them and their families.



(Twitter@Pontifex)

"Come, Holy Spirit. Bestow upon us your gifts during the Synod."

Pope Francis

MIDWEEK REFRESHER

Let Us Pray for the Sick in our Parish and those we have been asked to remember:

Epecially, Mary Agnes, Mark Amaral, Ricardo Belizaire, Mary Ann Burley, Janet Burr ridge, Vincent C., Rita Cahalane, Lorraine Callinan, J. Case, Mattherw Chaves, Phil Clark, Charles Comeau, Bob DiLoreto, Robert DelRossi, Donna Del Vecchio, Dorothy Doran, Robin Doucette, Katherine Draper, Biriella Eisnor, Michelle Fraser, Robert Freedman, Robert Frost, Rosemarie G., Nina Hanlon, Mary Harkins, Jill, William Kemp, Eddie King, Stella Laferty, Kelley Ann McCleveland, Barbara McQueen, Ruth Kenny, Shirley Melanson, Marcie Meserve, Diane O'Brien, Mary O'Brien, Nicole Olson, Barbara O'Neil, Nicole Olson, Trixie Ricci, Peggy Riley, Robert Scannelli, Drew Simmons, Steve Simonelli, Rita Smith, Brad Steed, Jackie Tieri, & L J Vickers.

Let Us Pray for the Deceased of our Parish:

Virginia A. Russo
Dennis Williams



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, Melissa Lynn Beaton, Christopher Brienza, Kevin Caulfield Jr., Anthony Cruciotti, Joseph Dang, Jason Doucette, Matthew Evans, John Fitzgerald, John Fitzpatrick, III, Christopher Grace, James Lally, Andrew McGlinchey, John O'Rourke, Matthew Pothier, Christina Racca, Brian Ramunno, Stephen Ramunno, Alex Recupero, Fr. Matthew Wescott 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.

Scripture for the Week of October 12th

- 12 SUN Is 25:6-10a/Phil 4:12-14, 19-20/Mt 22:1-14 or 22:1-10
- 13 Mon Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31-5:1/Lk 11:29-32
- 14 Tue Gal 5:1-6/Lk 11:37-41
- 15 Wed Gal 5:18-25/Lk 11:42-46
- 16 Thu Eph 1:1-10/Lk 11:47-54
- 17 Fri Eph 1:11-14/Lk 12:1-7
- 18 Sat 2 Tm 4:10-17b/Lk 10:1-9
- 19 SUN Is 45:1, 4-6/1 Thes 1:1-5b/Mt 22:15-21

READ: Matthew 22: 1-10

REFLECT: "Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hebert request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Marie to Daniel Berne. A reception will follow." This contemporary invitation is nothing like the one reported by Matthew. The king must send out twice for the guests to come to his son's wedding. The people respond to the royal invitation with indifference or overt hostility. Festivity suddenly gives way to punishment. New guests are gathered at random from the byroads to fill the banquet hall. This strange narrative discloses deeper meaning. The parable sketches in bold strokes the feast of joy and communion to which Israel was first invited. Israel refused to accept the invitation of the prophets and the just ones, even this fast invitation offered by Jesus and his apostles. Their city of Jerusalem was destroyed in 70 A.D. by the Romans. The first Christian community took this as the definitive sign that the invitation should be extended to all humanity. But if "the invited are many, the elect are few." We can be Christian in name, and yet avoid conversion. We can believe that we are invited to the feast of the kingdom, and yet remain indifferent to the empty plates set before so many of the world's children. It is the baptismal life which counts, not the baptismal certificate. That life is the clothing of which Paul speaks. "You must put on that new man created in God's image whose justice and holiness are born of truth" (Ep. 4:24). Without that wedding garment, the wedding invitation counts for nothing in the eyes of the king.

PRAY: Do some re-thinking in your prayer and allow this parable to give you guidance.

ACT: If you know something is the right thing to do, then do it, even if you do not want to do it.



The Altar Bread, Wine and Sanctuary Candle for this weekend are in remembrance of:

Dennis Williams

Thank you and blessings!



OFFERTORY: \$ 4,181 (10/5)
 CATHOLIC APPEAL: \$23,626 (8/27)
 Given By 105 Families

Our Catholic Appeal Goal is \$38,973. We are at 61% of our goal.

Many thanks for your generosity!



BEREAVEMENT MASS

Our next Mass will be SUNDAY, OCTOBER 26TH 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 SEPTEMBER:

- Frederick L. Agneta, Andrew R. D'Amico, Jr.
- Ann DeLaurentis, Mary B. Delvecchio
- Anthony J. DeRosa, Ann M. DeSantis
- Luther Dean Gurley, Lucia Pasqualone
- William M. Rafferty, Jr., Richard M. Silva

MONTHLY INFORMATION

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

SPARE CHANGE
 OCTOBER 19TH (All Masses)

SOCIAL JUSTICE MEETING
 OCTOBER 21ST (7:00PM-RECTORY)

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK
 NOVEMBER 2ND

SODALITY (MASS/PENNY SALE/LUNCHEON)
 NOVEMBER 7TH (12:15 MASS)

VIETNAMESE DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP
 NOVEMBER 8TH (7:00AM)



COURT EVERETT MEETING

Date: Wednesday, November 5th Time: 12:00M

We are a group of ladies who meet on the first Wednesday of the month in the Lower Church Hall at 12:00PM. We promote our Motto of UNITY & CHARITY. We try to live our lives as Mary, Our Mother would if she were with us today.

All Catholic women are invited to attend and join our organization.

For more information, please contact the following:

Regent, Teresa Giampaolo 617-389-2578
 Lorraine DiMilla 781-233-7541



1000 CLUB:
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11TH AT 4:45

Numbers are always available for purchase. We want to welcome our new members. If you don't have a number, please consider purchasing one for yourself or as a gift for a friend or loved one.

Thank you in advance.



ONLY \$4
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 12TH

7:30-10:30AM In Our Church Hall

Come and join your fellow parishioners for a nice warm breakfast on the above date. (Pancakes, eggs, toast, coffee, tea, juice). Sounds delicious. How can you resist?



FOXWOODS TRIP:
OCTOBER 21ST \$27PP

Bus leaves Rectory by 7AM Sharp!
 Return to Rectory by 7:30PM

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

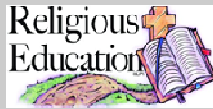
Call Rectory to Reserve a Seat!

NO PAYMENTS ON BUS...
 Please Pay at Rectory



GRADES 6-10

Classes are Every Other Thursday from 6:00PM-7:30PM
 Our next class will be: Thursday, October 2nd
 If you need to register, please call the Rectory.



GRADES 1-5

GRADES 1-2

Classes are Sundays from 10:15AM-11:30AM
 Drop off and dismissal will be in the rear parking lot at the Summer Street School.
 If you haven't registered, please register when you bring your child to class.

GRADES 3,4,5:

Classes are Sunday from 10:15AM-11:30AM
 Drop off will be at front door on Summer Street and dismissal will be in the rear parking lot.
 Please call the Rectory to register.



**BELOW ARE SOME WAYS
 IN WHICH YOU CAN HELP OUR CHURCH
 ESPECIALLY THE 9TH AND 10TH GRADES
 LOOKING FOR SERVICE HOURS**

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
Barbara Rousseau (10/5)

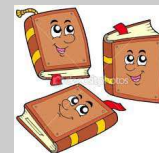


**Eucharistic Adoration Of The
 Blessed Sacrament**

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



BRING A BOOK—BUY A BOOK

This Fundraising Program, in the hallway out back, is called "Bring A Book-Buy A Book". All books are \$1.00 and any money collected will go towards our Stain Glass Fund. So bring a Book and Buy a Book and put your donation in an envelope marked "Bring a Book" and place it in the Collection Box or hand to Rick. Thank you and Blessings.

NEWS FROM OTHER PARISHES

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH, MEDFORD ANNUAL CONCERT

Date: Sunday, October 19th Time: 2:00PM Place: Upper Church

St. Joseph Parish Music Ministry invites you to join us for our Annual Concert. Both our Adult and Youth Choirs and the Messengers (our young adult music group) will perform, accompanied by organ and instrumentalists, with vocal and instrumental solos, as well as an opportunity for the audience to join with us in singing!

This year's program is being presented in loving memory of Fr. Lawrence J. ("Fr. Larry") Drennan and Fr. John ("Fr. Jack") Toomey.

There will be a luncheon in the Social Center following the concert, catered by Carroll's Restaurant in Medford (once again through the kindness of parishioner, Attorney Victor Garo).

For more information, please email Betsy Pesce, Music Director, at stjosephmusic@msn.com or call 781-391-1457 (office) or 617-335-8155 (cell).

ST. JOSEPH PREPARATORY HIGH SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

Date: Sunday, October 26th Time: 1:00PM-4:00PM Place: 617 Cambridge Street, Boston

This is a co-ed Catholic, independent school for 250 young people in grades 9-12. This open house will be sponsored by the Sisters of Saint Joseph of Boston and collaborating with Boston College and Regis College. The school provides young men and women with a holistic, student-centered and outcome-oriented educational experience that is both exceptional and affordable. Technology is integrated into all aspects of the curriculum via a 1:1 iPad program with emphasis on the development of critical thinking and problem solving skills. The school offers small class sizes, an Academic Support Center, Chapel Speaking and Advisor programs, extensive athletic and extra-curricular opportunities, and individualized college counseling. Transportation, scholarships and financial aid are available. For more information, visit www.saintjosephprep.org or call Catherine Spencer at 617-254-8383 x1308.

BOSTON COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

Date: Sunday, October 26th Time: 12:00PM-3:00PM Place: 150 William T. Morrissey Blvd, Boston

BC High's open house provides prospective families the opportunity to meet faculty, administrators and coaches, to tour the school, and to learn more about all aspects of school life. All interested families are invited to attend and may register online by visiting: www.bchigh.edu/admissions

BC High also offers a number of community receptions at the homes of current parents and their students. These evenings provide excellent opportunities for parents of students who are considering BC High to hear more about the school in a relaxed, intimate setting, as well as to ask any questions that they may have. They are held during the week from 7:00PM-8:30Pm, and a complete list is shown on our website. You may also register online.

BC High is a 151-year-old Jesuit, Catholic school that educates young men in Grades 7-12. The school draws from 140 communities throughout Greater Boston.

I look forward to meeting you. Thank you for your interest in BC High and send along best wishes for a happy, successful school year. Jim Nicoletti, Director of Admissions.

ARCHDIOCESE OF BOSTON—UPCOMING EVENTS

OUR LADY OF HELP CHRISTIANS PARISH SAMUEL CIRCLES FOR MEN DISCERNING RELIGIOUS LIFE

Date: Tuesday, October 28th Time: 7:00PM-9:00PM Place: 573 Washington Street, Newton

A coalition of Men's Religious Communities serving in the Archdiocese of Boston will host The Samuel Circles evening gatherings each month for young single men who are looking into the possibility of joining a Religious Community. The name for these gatherings is taken from the story of the call of the prophet Samuel who heard his name called from God as a young man and was aided by the prophet Eli.

For more information go to www.facebook.com/Samuelcircles4mendiscerningreligiouslife or call Fr. Rocco at 508-429-2144. Don't come alone. Bring a friend. This initiative is one way to celebrate the upcoming year of Consecrated Life which begins this coming November.

