

Readings for this Sunday and Questions for Discussion

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gospel: Luke 9:51-62

Key Passage: Another said, "I will follow you, Lord; but let me first say farewell to those at my home." Jesus said to him, "No one who puts a hand to the plow and looks back is fit for the kingdom of God."

Adult: When have you faltered or looked back during your journey of faith?

Child: What can you do to be a stronger follower of Jesus this week?

LIVING STEWARDSHIP

Go forth proclaiming the Kingdom of God!



Saturday

4:00 pm 1st Anniv. For **Louis Kuchinsky** requested
By The Family

43rd Anniv for **George Moroney** requested by The Family

5th Anniv. For **Thomas Kneeland** requested by The Family

12th Anniv for **Joseph Kazlauskas** requested by The Family

Sunday Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. 17th Anniv for **Ann Flynn** requested by The Family

10:30 a.m. 50th Wedding Anniversary For **Peg & Don Houde**

Monday

8:00 a.m. Memorial for **Rosa Jackson** Requested by Janet LaMarche

Tuesday

8:00 a.m. 7th Anniv for **John Glispin Jr** requested by the Family

Wednesday

8:00 a.m **For the Holy Souls**

Thursday

8:00 a.m. 1st Anniversary Mass For Parishioners
Paul Burke husband of Heather burke
Richard Bovenzi husband of Grace Bovenzi
Irene Holt mother of Karen Goodspeed Ford

Next Saturday

4:00 pm **Mass**

Next Sunday Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. **Mass**

10:30 a.m. **Mass**

PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND

This weekend our parish will participate in the Peter's pence Collection for the Works of the Holy Father. This collection enables the Holy Father to respond to requests for emergency funds from the most disadvantaged throughout the world. This special appeal is an opportunity to demonstrate justice and kindness to our brothers and sisters in need.

MARKET SUNDAY NEXT WEEKEND

Update: PARTNERS IN CHARITY

Our Goal this year is the same as last year \$54,000.00. We actually raised over 56,000.00 last year. This year's patron is St. John Vianney, the patron of all parish priests. Our total so far is 162 gifts @ \$40,975.00. A reminder mailing was sent out last week.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Father, accept these, the gifts of your people. We return to You this portion of your many blessings to us so that the work of your Son, Jesus, might continue in our parish home.

The Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time 4,537.00
Monthly 346.00

4,883.00

(Parish tithe to charity 5% 226.85)

Adult Envelopes 4,286.00
Loose Cash 251.00

The Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time 5,982.00
Monthly 94400

5,754.00

(Parish tithe to charity 5% 299.10)

Adult Envelopes 5,759.00
Loose Cash 223.00

VOCATION OF MARRIAGE

"The purpose of marriage is to help married people sanctify themselves and others. For this reason they receive a special grace in the sacrament which Jesus Christ instituted. Those who are called to the married state will, with the grace of God, find within their state everything they need to be holy, to identify themselves each day more with Jesus Christ, and to lead those with whom they live to God."
Saint Josemaria Escriva
Conversations, 91

GRAFTON CLUSTER MASS SCHEDULE

St. Philip Church

Sunday 9:00AM

St. James Church

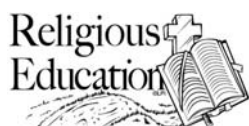
Saturday 4:30 PM

Sunday .7:30 & 10:30 AM

ARE YOU SEEKING SUMMER CHILDCARE?

Responsible, fun, 22 year old college student seeks full time nanny position for the Summer (would consider multiple part-time positions). 6+ Years Experience, AND Excellent References! Enjoys the outdoors, games, arts and crafts, and daytrips. Available now. Call Colleen at 508-887-0756.

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



IMPORTANT

Religious Education Needs and Updates:

We are very pleased that registrations for the Fall Session continue to arrive, and ask families who haven't responded, to contact our office at 508-839-3993 ext. 13 today! Classes for Grades 1-8 are scheduled to begin on September 12, 13. Preparing for the Fall is an ongoing process; organizing classes, teaching spaces, materials, and textbook needs, and timely registration helps us immensely. We are looking forward to welcoming our new and returning families to the program in September.

The student textbook order has been placed. St. Mary received a substantial discount by placing our order before June 15.

Our remaining needs in ministry for the Religious Education Program are listed below. Your stewardship of time, sharing the Good News with our younger members will be appreciated:

GRADES 6, 7, AND 8 MINISTRY NEEDS:

Catechists	Classroom Aides
Gr. 7 Monday 7pm	Gr. 6 – Monday 7pm
Gr. 8-Monday 7pm	Gr. 7 - Monday 7pm
	Gr. 8 - Monday 7pm

Also, we are in need of assistance with the

GRADES 9 & 10 FALL Program, Sundays, 6-8pm:

Gr. 9 Catechist	Gr. 9 Classroom Aide
Gr. 10 Catechist	

(Gr. 9 meets for 6 sessions, Gr. 10 meets for 5 Sessions, classes begin in October)

GRADES 9 & 10 SPRING 2011 Program, Sunday 6-8pm:

Gr. 10 Catechist	Gr. 10 Classroom Aide
(Gr. 10 meets for 5 Sessions, Gr. 9 meet for 4 Sessions, Classes begin in March)	

Remembering Seniors in Ministry



The little ones sharing the Lord's Peace with the seniors. Then they went throughout the church.

Happy 50th Anniversary, Deacon Nick and Sandy!



THANK YOU

Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLW) has completed another successful season in the parish. Through the Stewardship of a number of our parents who dedicate their time, talent and treasure they provided a gospel teaching in the parish Hall during the 10:30 am Sunday Mass for our youngest boys and girls. God Bless you for sharing your story of Jesus with these young people. The CLW program will resume in the fall.

THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK IN JULY

The Celebration of the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will take place the weekend of 3rd & 4th The Anointing will take place after each of the Masses on the weekend.



RCIA is the process of welcoming adults into full membership in the Church. It is for you, or someone you know:

- ❖ who has never been baptized
- ❖ who was baptized in another Christian tradition
- ❖ who was baptized Catholic, but has never celebrated the sacraments of Eucharist or Confirmation

Contact St. Yvonne at 508-839-3993 X 12 for more info. Share this notice with someone you know who may be interested.

Prayer Shawl Ministry Update

Approximately 40 shawls are needed to meet the immediate needs of our homebound and in-facility parishioners. The weavers are to be congratulated for weaving 18 shawls in two months! Our ministry has been blessed with fifteen faithful weavers. We will recess for July and August to reconvene in Sept.

Have a blessed Summer,
Pat Szczur

Vacation Time is here

We all need time to rest and to break away from the daily routine of life. May your vacation this summer, whether at home or away be refreshing and fun filled. Please remember that the parish still has budgeted expenses and will need your continued financial support during these months.

JUNE 27, 2010



FOR NEXT WEEKEND— July 3rd & 4th

Saturday 4:00 pm

Lector: Janet LaMarche

Ministers of Holy Communion: Julie Koss-Stephany, Linda Sheridan, Marilyn Chard

Altar Servers: Emily & Gina Koss-Stephany, Kate Coughlin

Sunday 7:30 a.m.

Lector: Marie Ouellette

Ministers of Holy Communion: Sue Robbins, Karen Catalanotti, Steve Roney

Altar Servers: Erin & Madeline Rose, Brian Tatro

Sunday 10:30 am

Lector: Donna Verdolino

Jr. Lector: Michael Sarkis

Ministers of Holy Communion: Paul Verdolino, Jim Pulaski, Marguerite Baril

Altar Servers: Danny Carlson, Shannon & Molly Dewar



July 1 Thurs 1 pm	Rosary Makers	Hall
July 13 Tues 7 pm	Veteran's Ministry	Rm 1

ATTENTION PARKING CONCERN

When parking for Mass on weekends please leave the upper parking lot for the elders of our parish and those who are handicapped. Thank you for your consideration.

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

"Serve one another through love" (Today's Second Reading). Renew the love and intimacy in your marriage by learning how to love each other more fully. Recharge your Holy vows. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends in New England are July 23-25, September 17-19 and September 24-26. For more information and to register, call 800-710-WWME or visit our webpage at www.wwmeMA.org.

Jesus answered him, "Foxes have dens and birds of the sky have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to rest his head." And to another he said, "Follow me." But he replied, "Lord, let me go first and bury my father." But he answered him, "Let the dead bury their dead. But you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God." - Lk 9:58-60

