

Please Pray for...

All who have died this week. We offer our sympathy and our prayers to their families and pray that they will rest in peace.

Those who are sick in the hospital or recovering:

Cheryl Boucher, Fr. Martin Donahue, Peter Lacroix, Shirley Martin, John Cote, Simon Kibe, Al Shedyak, Joyce Sweet, Sheila Carroll Cunnion, Yvette Bouvier, Donald Williams, Gloria Butler, Joyce Frigon, Paula King, Laura Wyne, Theresa Cassavant, Judy Wilson, Paula & Juan Miranda, Raymond Brodeur, Howard Cooper, Joseph Siauxes, Bill Keyes, Bonnie Sheldon, Pauline Casavant, Baby Aiden, Frank Harvey, Diane Gosselin, Paul Provencher, Michael Jette, David Auger, Pat Benoit, Tom Pawlowski, Joseph Nisel, Rochelle Warren, Baby Ryan, Jean Wheeler, Donald Ritchie, Fr. Chet Devlin, Lea Derosier, Alice Sullivan, Jeanne Provencher, Darlene Kennedy, Ruth Flynn, John Ahearn, Patricia Johnson, Betty Cabana, Laurie Gablaski, Carey Dubois, Diane Cyr, Baby Jana, Theresa Thibault, John Paul Sribiag, Ernest Tremblay, Elizabeth Lemerise, Heather Lech, Frances Barrett, Baby Oliver, Theresa Suchocki, Baby Parker, Patricia Burdette, Ann Gablaski, Eddie LaFlamme, Addison Lacaire, Pat Benoit, Jeanne Lacroix, Amy Richard, and Thao Li

OUR SACRIFICIAL OFFERINGS JUNE 25 & 26

Envelopes	\$5,264.50
Loose	\$ 693.15
Total collection	\$5,957.65
Number of envelopes	201
Attendance	609

Thank you for your support this past weekend. As we enter the summer months your committed support of the parish is even more essential. Making up for the weeks that you are away really helps us to meet our obligations OR CONSIDER ONLINE GIVING, WEEKLY OR MONTHLY. Check out our website to get the link for Online Giving.....

FOOD PANTRY REQUEST FOR THIS WEEK Roast Beef or Corned Beef Hash

PARTNERS IN CHARITY

The Partners in Charity appeal continues as we seek to get closer to our goal of \$47,500.00. So far we have received \$36,825.00 in gifts and pledges from 208 givers. That means we still have \$10,675.00 to go. The needs of the diocese to support the 28 agencies and ministries served by Partners in Charity are great. If any of you have not made a gift to Partners, please consider doing so. Every gift great and small enables the church to continue her works of charity, education and pastoral ministry.



FAITH FORMATION NEWS

The Faith Formation office will be open this week on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday from 10:00–5:00 pm. If you wish to leave Judi a message, she can be reached at **508-885-3111 Ext.105**.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL will take place during the week of July 18 to July 22 from 9:00 am until 12:30 pm. The theme is Cave Quest, where kids will learn to follow Jesus, the Light of the world. Registration forms are at the doors of the church and are available on line at maryqueenoftherosary.org. Fee is \$ 35.00 per child with a cap of \$ 85.00 per family. If you wish to sponsor a child for VBS, mail a check to MQR and mark it VBS attention Judi

FOR THOSE SEEKING A SUMMER SPIRITUAL EXPERIENCE

Mercy, Mary and Me is a 10 week group mini retreat for adults which will be held on ten consecutive Thursday evenings from 6:30 to 8:30 pm at the St. John Paul Ministry Center 279 Hamilton St. Southbridge. This series will be conducted by Kim Harmon a Marian missionary of Divine Mercy from Stockbridge Ma. This program is free and open to all. For registration and information contact Sylvia Gaumond at 508-764-6170.

BAZAAR REPORT

Thank you to all who worked to make last weekend's International Bazaar to be a success. As best we can figure at this point, the gross income was **\$ 44,375.14**. The bills haven't been paid as of yet, but by next weekend we hope to give you at least a rough estimate of what the profit will be. We wish to thank all of our sponsors who donated prizes and financial gifts to the raffles, those who labored all week to set up, run and take down the various booths and to all of you who supported this important parish event.

SUMMER SCHEDULE FOR THE FOOD PANTRY

During the summer months of June, July and August, the Food Pantry will be open on Thursdays each week except July 21 (Bible School week). We will not be open on Mondays during the summer. Check the schedule posted on the Pantry door for details.

MINISTRY SCHEDULES for Eucharistic Ministers, Readers and Altar Servers are available in the sacristy today. If you are not able to make an assignment, please try to get your own sub and if you are not successful, please call the office and let us know.

FIT FOR HEAVEN We still have copies of the book titled "Fit for Heaven" at the doors of the church. This book was written by athletes who have successfully combined their faith with their career and are offered as an aid for your spiritual journey. The books are free.

Judi and our Mission trip participants would like to extend a special Thank You for the sponsorships and prayers given for them as they worked diligently this past week with children, kid's clubs, elderly and tended gardens. The kids came away with lots of new friends and God's spirit was flowing thru everyone. **THANK YOU!!!**



Pastor's Notes:

In today's Gospel Jesus sends the disciples into the world to preach the Good News and minister to all people. The disciples are instructed to travel light taking no food, no extra clothes, no money, and rely totally on the goodwill of the people with whom they minister. The disciples on their part, bring only two things, first, a friendly and loving greeting "Peace to this household," and second, the "Good News" of Christ.

As I start my work among you it is my heartfelt desire and hope that the Peace of Christ will be with all of you, and that together we will grow in that peace. In the coming days and months I hope to have the opportunity to meet many of you as I go about my daily work. I will also be looking for a few times when we can come together as a parish so that I can introduce myself and fill you in on what I have been doing the past years.

For now I will simply say how happy I am to be among you and how much I look forward to serving you. So many people have told my how lucky I am to be assigned to Mary, Queen of the Rosary Parish, and I feel truly blessed.

Also, as we celebrate Independence Day, let us be thankful for our many blessings as a nation.

PAX,
Fr. Bill

YOUTH VOLLEYBALL started on June 20 and will continue every Monday evening through the month of July. Games are played at St. Christopher's parish located at 950 W. Boylston St in Worcester. Practices will be held on Tuesday and Friday evenings from 6:00 to 8:00 pm at Luther Hill Park.

FORTNIGHT FOR FREEDOM

The 5th annual Fortnight for Freedom is being observed beginning on June 21 until July 4. These days are days of prayer and reflection in behalf of our religious freedom which is being compromised in many ways in our country and in our world. This fourth of July weekend, we pray in a special way that the freedom which was won in blood back 1776 will be won in peace in our day.

Anyone who brought food to the Reception last week and did not get their dish back, please check the kitchen. We have many dishes that we don't know who they belong to.

A NOTE OF THANKS FROM FR. JIM...

I want to thank all of you for the wonderful Mass and reception which you gave me last Sunday. The Mass was perfect and I couldn't have been happier than to see a full church. That is the best gift you could ever give me. The reception was wonderful and the food was terrific. I want to thank all of you who cooked, baked, helped set up, clean up or who in any way helped the wonderful committee who put on this gala event. I am truly humbled by the many messages of thanks that you have written to me. I have moved into my new apartment and on Saturday will begin my new work of helping out at St. John's in Worcester. Again I thank you, wish you every blessing, and pray that God will keep us all in His love

Fr. Jim

Mass Schedule

Saturday, July 02 4:30 pm Nicholas Nussey(13 th Anniv)by Mom, Dad, Lauren & Jonathan
Sunday, July 03 8:00 am Richard Chabior by Ted & Dana Chabior 10:15 am Thomas & Evelyn Harrington by Mimi & Al Shedyak
Monday, July 04 8:00 am
Tuesday, July 05 8:00 am
Wednesday, July 06 8:00 am
Thursday, July 07 8:00 am Ray (5 th Anniv) & Elda Dupras by Kim
Friday, July 08 8:00 am No Mass Today
Saturday, July 09 4:30 pm Lucien Cote (4 th Anniv) by The Family
Sunday, July 10 8:00 am Ed, Aldonna & Patty Simakauskas by The Family 10:15 am Tom, Regina & Jim Brennan by the Family

Calendar of Events

Sunday, July 03 10:15 am	Coffee Shop OPEN Children's Liturgy of the Word
Monday, July 04 10:00 am	HOLIDAY – HAPPY 4TH OF JULY Food Pantry CLOSED
Tuesday, July 05 6:00 – 8:00 pm	Volleyball Practice
Wednesday, July 06	
Thursday, July 07 10:00 am	Food Pantry OPEN
Friday, July 08	
Saturday, July 09 3:30 pm	Confessions
Sunday, July 10 10:15 am	Children's Liturgy of the Word

GLOW NEWS

The parish youth group will be going to Sky Zone in Westborough on July 7. We will meet in the parking lot at 9:00 am and return at about 2:00 pm. Call or email Judi for more information.

We still have one unclaimed 50/50 prize:
Orange ticket # 968052 please call the office if you have this ticket.....

