

ST. MARY OF THE SACRED HEART

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, July 25th

4:00PM Kenneth, John and Kathleen Murphy

Sunday, July 26th

7:30AM Rose and Frank Garofalo and Joseph Vail

9:30AM For the parishioners here at St. Mary's

Monday, July 27th

7:30AM Theresa Buffum

Saturday, August 1st

4:00PM Daniel Casey and John Anderson

Sunday, August 2

7:30AM Marie Campbell

and Month's Mind for Rod Silva

9:30AM For the parishioners of St. Mary's

and for Enid Mueller

11:30AM William Skahan

Please pray for our parish sick and deceased especially for Donald Sweeney, Jack Masters and Wanda LaFauci whose funerals were celebrated during the week.

BANNS

II Joseph Antonowicz and Jennifer Huggon

II Brian Ahlstedt and Angela Healy

III Dennis Feury and Melissa Ward

III Richard Cormier and Colleen Foley

OFFERTORY

Many thanks for the **\$10,236.85** received in our last week's offertory

There will be a Second Collection this weekend, **July 26th for Church in Central and Eastern Europe.** Your support would be appreciated.

2009 CATHOLIC APPEAL

Thank you to all supporters of the 2009 Catholic Appeal. Our parish has raised **\$28,249.00 from 166 households.** If you have not yet pledged, please consider a gift today and help us meet our goal. Remember, our parish will receive 25 percent of all funds we raise above our goal. Please remember to make your pledge now even if you plan on fulfilling that pledge towards the end of the year. You can pick up information packets with pledge forms in the back of the Church to be mailed in, or for more information please visit www.BostonCatholicAppeal.com or call 617-779-3700. Every gift matters. Thank you!

HANOVER

SUMMERTIME

So let's enjoy summer but let's not forget:

+*Sunday Mass every week*

+*Daily prayer*

+*Consistently use our contribution envelopes to support our parish, even while we are on vacation.*

STEWARDSHIP

**Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time –
July 26, 2009**

“So they collected them, and filled twelve wicker baskets with fragments from the five barley loaves that had been more than they could eat.” (Jn 6:13) The hand of the Lord feeds us and answers all of our needs. We are called to follow Christ and answer the needs of others in our community. For more information about stewardship at St. Mary's, please call Margie Gallagher at 781-826-4303.

ST. MARY'S ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

St. Mary's St. Vincent de Paul receives calls weekly from parishioners needing help financially.

The only way that we can help those in need is by receiving donations from our parishioners of gifts of money and gift certificates to Shaw's and Stop.

When you visit our Shrine, your donation helps support our St. Vincent de Paul.

Also, there are boxes available in the hospitality area where you can put your donation, or you can mail in a donation or drop one off at the parish office. Your support would be appreciated.

RN HEALTH CARE COORDINATOR

The Archdiocese of Boston is seeking a full time, geriatric nurse practitioner or community nurse with broad clinical skills and 5+years of experience to oversee and manage the care for retired clergy. Clinical experience with sound understanding of the elder care system including services and payment mechanisms required. Prior experience in caring for elderly religious or clergy is desirable. Good communication skills required with ability to consult and advocate for the individual clergy. Familiarity in computer skills essential to assist in the implementation of a data system. Covenant Health System is assisting in recruitment of this position.

Please send resumes to david_fraser@covenanths.org.

17th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

RED SOX VS YANKEES TICKETS

LifeTeen will be selling raffle tickets for 2 Red Sox Vs Yankees tickets for **Friday, August 21 at 7:05PM.** Chances are 1 for \$5.00 or 3 for \$10.00. These are great seats—Field Box, value \$250.00. Raffles will be sold after all masses this weekend and next and drawing will be at after our LifeTeen Mass on **Sunday, August 9th.**

CHURCH DOORS

For security reasons, all the doors in our church will be locked except the doors at the hospitality area. The only time all the doors will be open is on the weekends for Masses and funerals.

THANK YOU

The family of Roderick Silva would like to thank the clergy, staff and parishioners of St. Mary's for their support during Rod's illness and assistance with the funeral reception.

The Comfort Food ministry especially lightened their burden during Rod's hospice care.

SHAW'S RECEIPTS

Shaw's has made a change to their **Receipt Rewards** program; it is now called the **Community Rewards** program. Now you can continue to help by registering your Shaw's rewards card and simply by shopping at Shaw's on **Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday** a percentage of your purchase will be donated to St. Mary's Lifeteen program. But first you must register your card. For questions, If you have any questions, contact Shaw's Community Partners Helpline at 800-696-6419.

WEEKDAY READINGS

Mon Ex 14:5-18	Mt 12:38-42
Tues Ex 14:21~15:1	Mt 12:46-50
Wed Ex 16:1-5 9-15	Jn 20:1-2,11-18
Thurs Ex 19:1-2,9-11	Mt 13:10-17
Fri Ex 20:1-17	Mt 13:18-23

MONTHLY HEALING MASS

The monthly healing mass is a source of strength, comfort and peace. Come on **Tuesday, July 28th at 7:15PM** and experience the healing of love of Jesus. Father Joe McDermott will preside over the Mass and service. All are welcome to attend. More information, call Barbara Tobin at 826-4955.

JULY 26, 2009

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

The Prayer Shawl Ministry prayerfully come together to create beautiful shawls/lap robes for people who need a "hug from God". For more information, please call 826-2351.

The next meeting is **Tuesday, July 28th at 10:00AM and 7:15PM in the Life House.** All are welcome, please join them.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

We will offer Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament this **Thursday, July 30th from 8AM until 6:45 PM followed by Mass at 7:15 PM.** The children attending

Vacation Bible School will attend between 10AM and Noon as part of their VBS experience. We need at least 2 adorers at all times. See bulletin insert. For more information, contact Ellen McDonough at 826-4303.

BAPTISMS

Upcoming Baptisms will take place on:

Saturday, August 1st at 11:00AM; Sunday, August 16th after our 11:30AM Mass; Saturday, September 5th at 11:00AM; and Sunday, September 20th after our 11:30AM Mass. Please call the parish office to schedule your child's baptism. Note: one godparent must be a confirmed Catholic.

FEAST OF THE PORTIUNCULA

The Annual St. Francis of Assisi devotions will be conducted by St. Mary of the Portiuncula Secular Franciscan Order on **Saturday, August 1st at Portiuncula Chapel.** Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will be observed inside the Chapel from 10AM–3PM. The Rosary will be said every half hour until 3PM, Chaplet of Divine Mercy & Reposition 3-3:30PM, Reconciliation 1–3PM and Mass at St. Mary's at 4:00PM. (829-1228)

SUMMERFEST-----CATHOLIC TV

Catholic TV will have their Summerfest on **Wednesday, August 12 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Lombardo's, Randolph.** Tickets are \$50.00 each. The Rosary, Crowning of Mary, Mass, roast chicken dinner, entertainment with comic/magician David Hall. This event sells out every year. To purchase tickets visit ShopCatholicTV.com or write 34 Chestnut St P O Box 9109, Watertown, MA 02471

LIFETEEN/ EDGE NEWS
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Week of July 26, 2009

Summer O' Fun Calendars are out!

PIZZA AND PRAYER

Monday, July 27, 2009: Come and join your friends at LTH for a night of prayer and worship. After praying – pizza and soda will be served.

4:30 - 6:00 PM → ALL 9th - 12th GRADERS ARE WELCOME! * PIZZA AND PRAYER IS EARLY DUE TO THE HARBOR CRUISE!**

HARBOR CRUISE: Monday, July 27, 2009:

6:30 – 11:30 PM: Come join teens from all over the Archdiocese to dance the night away on the *Providence II* in Boston Harbor – only \$20.00! Sign up with Pete or in the LifeHouse.

OPEN LIFEHOUSE:

The LifeHouse is now open from 3:00 PM on Mondays through Pizza and Prayer for all teens!

LIFETEEN CAMP: AUGUST 3 – 8, 2009:

Grab a registration form and information packet in the LifeHouse and consider spending a week in Charlton, MA with LifeTeeners from all over New England – a real encounter with Christ! Cost = \$200.

WHITE WATER RAFTING: Aug 13 – 15, 2009:

Three days in Maine camping at Adventure Bound with a high level ropes course, whitewater rafting on the Kennebec River, and rock climbing. The adventure of a lifetime! Total cost = \$280.00, a deposit of \$50.00 holds your spot. Information and registration forms in the LifeHouse.

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MIDDLE SCHOOL

Wednesday, July 29, 2009: 10AM–3PM;
Beach Trip to Duxbury Beach—FREE

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS K-5
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Things to do this week

If you have not already done so, please register your child for Religious Education. If you do not have the form, we can email it to you. Also, you do not have to bring the form in to the office, you can mail it in. Remember, we are more than happy to change which day or time your child attends when fall comes; we just need to know that they will be coming.

*** A late fee of 25.00 per child will now be applied.**

Our Summer Hours

The office is closed. We will still check the mail, email and phone messages each week.

Special Education

This year we will be incorporating a special education component to our Religious Education Program. The class will take place the first Sunday of the month immediately following the 9:30 a.m. Mass. If you are considering this program for your child, please contact the Religious Education Office. We need to know the age of your child as well as his/her learning need.

Thought for the week

An important lesson- always remember those who serve.
In the day when an ice cream sundae cost much less, a 10 year old boy entered a hotel coffee shop and sat at a table. A waitress put a glass of water in front of him. “How much is an ice cream sundae?” he asked. “Fifty cents”, replied the waitress. The little boy pulled his hand out of his pocket and studied the coins in it. “Well, how much is a plain dish of ice cream?” he inquired. By now more people were waiting for a table and the waitress was growing impatient. “Thirty-five cents, she brusquely replied.

The little boy again counted his coins. “I’ll have the plain ice cream he said. The waitress brought the ice cream, put the bill on the table and walked away. The boy finished the ice cream, paid the cashier and left. When the waitress came back, she began to cry as she wiped down the table...there placed neatly beside the empty dish were 2 nickels and five pennies...**you see he couldn’t have the Sundae, because he had to have enough to leave her a tip.**