

SAINT ANN'S CHURCH

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Fr. Michael Lavallee, Pastor Marc Gervais, Deacon

Mary Lajoie, Parish Secretary Peggy Moynahan, Religious Ed Secretary

Masses: Saturday 4:00 pm Sunday 9:00 am, 11:00 am

Monday through Thursday 8:30 am; Friday, No Mass

Confessions: Saturday 3:00-3:45 pm



- Saturday, July 11** 4:00pm **Richard Braney**
requested by the family
- Sunday, July 12** 9:00 am **Mary Belsido**
requested by Barbara Dupsha
- 11:00am **Elizabeth Butrym**
requested by St. Ann's Parish
- Monday, July 13** 8:30am **Brenda Borneau**
requested by Fr. Michael
- Tuesday, July 14** 8:30am **Lorraine Casavant 2ndAnniv.**
requested by the family
- Wednesday, July 15** 8:30am **Mass**
- Thursday, July 16** 8:30am **Mass**
- Saturday, July 18** 4:00pm **Pauline Venancio**
requested by David Gautreau
- Sunday, July 19** 9:00am **Mary Belsido**
requested by Barbara Dupsha
- 11:00am **Elizabeth Butrym**
requested by St. Ann's Parish

Dear Friends in Christ,

This weekend we formally welcome Deacon Marc Gervais to our parish. Deacon Marc will be serving all three Masses. After the Masses in the hall we will be having refreshments. Please stop in and introduce yourself to him.

On Wednesday we had the first meeting of St. Ann's Shrine Association. The purpose of the Association is to care for Our Lady's Shrine and promote devotion to Mary in the parish. We hope to incorporate prayer in the group's activities in the future which would involve asking Our Lady to help those who are ill or are in special need. If anyone is interested in joining us, please contact me.

Family Fun Day is Sunday, August 16 from 12-4 PM. The parish council has been working on planning the event and is seeking volunteers to help with set-up, to working the afternoon and to taking down after the Day. There have been general sign-ups so far, but this week we have posted sign-up sheets for specific tasks. For those who have already signed up to help, please take a look at these new sheets and sign-up for doing the things that you would most like to do. For those who have not yet signed up, please consider helping us make the Day a success through volunteering some time on Family Fun Day.

Our parish volleyball team is doing well! Coach Tisdell recently informed me that our team won two games! We congratulate our team on its efforts. Please stop by and watch the games and encourage our team throughout the summer volleyball season.

In Christ, Fr. Michael



**Beginning in August
Deacon Marc will lead
Eucharistic Adoration, Benediction
and the Rosary
on the
1st Tuesday of the month at 6:00pm**

Stewardship

Sunday Collection 7/4 - 7/5	\$2,831.00
Children's Envelopes 9	\$ 12.00
SVDP	\$ 486.00
Maintenance Fund	\$ 86.00
Peter's Pence Collection	\$ 25.26

Thank you for your generous support



*Pray for us
O holy Mother
of God that we
may be made
worthy of the
promises of
Christ. Amen*

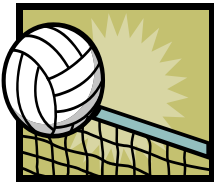
Meetings

- AA Wednesdays 7:30 pm in the hall.
Fridays 7:00 pm in the hall
- NA Sundays 7:30 pm in the hall
- Kof C 1st Tuesday of the month 6:45pm in the hall
- ProLife 3rd Wednesday, 6:00pm in Rectory
- SVDP Summer meetings when needed on Tuesday evening at 6:30pm in the church hall.



Bible Study

Wednesdays at 7:00pm in the Religious Education Office
Please have read MARK 6:30-34



St. Ann' Youth Volleyball team has 13 players with a record of 2-2
Games are Monday evenings at 6:30pm on the front lawn
Please come and cheer for our team!!

Celebrate Priesthood!

**Wednesday, October 28, 2015
Mechanics Hall, Worcester**

A benefit event to recognize our diocesan priests and support the Priests' Retirement Fund.
More information to come later this summer- or visit worcesterdiocese.org



"In a special way, believers in Christ must defend and promote this right, aware as they are of the wonderful truth recalled by the Second Vatican Council: By his incarnation the Son of God has united himself in some fashion with every human being.

Pope St. John Paul II

We have reached 87% of our goal

Current total : \$27,975

Goal: \$32,000

Thank you for your generous gifts

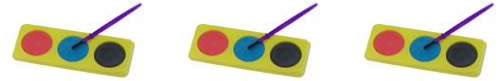


Family Fun Day at St. Ann's Sunday, August 16 12 -4pm



**We will be having a 50/50/ Raffle
(tickets are on sale now \$2 for 1 or \$5 for 3)**

**Theme baskets and gift certificates
Delicious homemade baked goods sale**



**Face painting, lawn games and crafts
for the young and the young of heart**

**Hamburgers and hot dogs
expertly prepared by our
parish K of C chefs**



Signup sheets are on the bulletin board for set up, clean up, raffle and baked goods donations.

Please join us!!!!



Please join us in the church hall this weekend after all the Masses, for an opportunity to welcome our new Deacon Marc Gervais and his wife Roberta. Light refreshments will be served.



SCHOOL

SUPPLIES

The Annual 2015 St. Ann's Church Backpack Challenge to support Oxford's children through the Oxford Community Food Bank.

Requested supply sheets are posted on the bulletin tables.

Collection bin is at the Main Street Church entrance
Deadline to bring in your items is Sunday, August 2nd
Cash donation may be made to St. Ann's SVDP with a note that it is for the Backpack challenge.



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