

FAITH FORMATION NEWS

Office hours: 10:00 – 5:00

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, only, from 10:00-5:00

Contact Judi at 508-885-3111 x 105 or jbrennan@parishmail.com

Faith Formation classes will resume in the fall.

PLEASE REGISTER FOR NEXT YEAR NOW!!!!

Schedule for the 2017 – 2018 year will be:

Sunday	9:00 – 10:00	Grades K – 5
Sunday	5:30 – 7:00	Grades 9 – 11
Monday	4:45 – 6:00	Grades 2 – 5
Tuesday	7:00 – 8:15	Grades 6 – 8

Grades 2 – 5 will only have 1 class on Sunday morning and one class on Monday afternoon. First Come, First Serve

Vacation Bible School Scholarship Donations:

If you would like to help a child attend VBS please consider donating a scholarship, \$40.00 per child or \$100.00 for a family of 3 or more 9:00 – 12:30 or for the extended day \$100.00 per child or \$275.00 for a family of 3 or more.

Family Night at the Bravehearts! Come join in the fun for a "Family Night" this August! We will all be seated together to watch the Bravehearts. A half hour before the game starts families are invited to take part in an Autograph Session with select members of the Worcester Bravehearts...Where: Hanover Insurance Park at Fitton Field, Worcester. When: August 5th 2017. Time: Gates open at 6:05pm, Game starts at 7:05pm. Cost: \$8.00 per person *deadline to purchase tickets is July 7th, if we get 20 people to go everyone gets a Bravehearts hat. Call the office to sign up.....

We are looking for a dynamic person who would be willing to sell advertising to area businesses space on our Sunday Bulletin. We have many spaces available for area business to advertise in. Please call the office if you are interested...

**WE HAVE AN UNCLAIMED 50/50 WINNER:
RED TICKET #8811986 PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE TO CHECK**

Adorers Wanted

In an effort to see if we are able to keep the Adoration Chapel open, even on a part-time basis, we need a schedule of committed adorers during the day. If you are interested in spending some time with the exposed Blessed Sacrament, please contact David Padavano at 508-5313.

Please Pray for...

All who have died these past weeks, especially all victims of senseless violence. 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:

Fr. Martin Donahue, Mary Madden, Elaine Lamoureux, George Gouin, Jeannette Gebo, Peter Lacroix, Simon Kibe, Jean Wheeler, Melanie Paquette, Al Shedyak, Stevie Day, Kathleen Bowen, Paul Masiello, Paul Provencher, Bernadette Pervier, Bob Peluso, Bill Keyes, Diane Cyr, Theresa Cassavant, Laurie Gablaski, Ann Gablaski, Addison Lacaire, Elizabeth Lemerise, Pat Benoit, Gloria Butler, Joyce Frigon, Laura Wynn, Carey Dubois, Raymond Brodeur, Dawn McDonald, Michael Kady, Bonnie Sheldon, Fr. Chet Devlin, Heather Lech, Joseph Nisel, Joseph Siauris, Cheryl Branham, Judy Wilson, Pauline Casavant, Jon Widdison, Lynn Desforges

OUR SACRIFICIAL OFFERINGS JULY 1 & 2

Envelopes	\$ 3611.00
Loose	\$ 575.00
Total collection	\$ 4186.00
Number of envelopes	154
Mass Attendance	385

Thank you for your generous gifts this past weekend which enable us to continue to do God's work. May God bless you all. Please consider weekly or monthly online giving.

PARTNERS IN CHARITY

We have received \$43,000 in gifts and pledges from 198 givers and we are at 94.7% toward our goal of.

FOOD PANTRY REQUEST FOR THIS WEEK Snacks for Children

EWTN Family Celebration in New England on September 9 & 10 at the DCU Center in WORCESTER! Be renewed in your faith with inspirational talks, Holy Mass, Confession & Adoration. For more information go to www.ewtn.com/familycelebration.

Prayer Line News:

Yolanda Moore has graciously agreed to be the Chairperson of our Prayer Line, she is succeeding Pauline Penhallow. Please call her at 1-508-886-8848 if you would like to add a name to the prayer line. Cathy Schutzer will remain as Co-Chairman 1-774-272-0800

Vacation Bible School: July 10 – 14, 2017, 8:00 to 12:30 daily

NEEDS:

More Staff – College age or adults to run the Game Area
And to Co-ordinate the extended day program.

Call Ken @ 774-745-0335 or email choquette9ken@hotmail.com for more information. Registration forms are on the website.

A message from Fr. Bill

Over the past year several parishioners have asked me about the success of the calendar raffles in November and March. I am happy to share this information and apologize for not having done so sooner. The raffle in November had a net income of about \$4,300.00 and was put toward repairs of the organ. The March raffle had a net income of about \$3,700.00 and was put toward repairing the Mary window. Several folks have suggested we add more raffles, and I tend to agree. After all, when one considers the possibility of winning \$50.00, \$75.00, \$100, or even \$500.00, with 31 chances for only \$10.00, it's not a bad deal. As you probably know by now, there is an August raffle. (depending on how it goes, we might add January and May for a total of five per year). The August raffle proceeds will go toward adding snow rails and heat tapes to hold and melt the snow and ice that accumulate above the southeast entrance to the hall and sacristy. The last two years cars have been damaged by falling snow and ice from that area. As always, I am delighted to receive any thoughts or feedback about calendar raffles and projects.

Fr. Bill

FIRST SATURDAY EUCHARISTIC EXPOSITION AUGUST 1, 2017 8:30AM - 4:00 PM

Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary: 8:00am. Confessions following Mass, Exposition starting at the end of Mass and continuing throughout the day until 4:00 pm. Confessions 3:00 – 3:50 pm. Benediction 4:00 pm. If you wish to participate there is a signup sheet in the sacristy.

Outreach Ministry: Carol St. John visits and brings communion to the homebound and those in nursing homes. If you know of someone who needs a visit please call her at 508-885-3017 or 508-864-6323

Prayer Shawl Ministry news: There will not be a meeting in July, next meeting will be Wed. August 2, 7:00 pm

LOOKING FOR CANTORS

--Men and women of all ages

We are looking for qualified cantors for Mass and Funerals. If you are musical and have a voice that will benefit its hearers, I invite you to consider serving as a cantor. Qualified cantors are paid \$50.00 for each weekend Mass and \$100.00 for funerals. Please contact Fr. Bill directly @ 508-885-3111 if you are interested.

Note from Fr. Bill

I will be away from July 1 through July 9. I will be visiting my father in Cincinnati and friends. Msgr Doran will say Mass this weekend and Msgr Beaulieu will say the weekday Masses.

July 8&9 a missionary from Propagation of the Faith will celebrate weekend Masses

...“whoever does not take up his cross and follow after me is not worthy of me.” Matthew 10:38

Mass Schedule

Saturday, July 1 4:30 pm John Dymek by The Family
Sunday, July 2 8:00 am Robert L'Heureux (6 th Anniv) by The Family 10:15 am Cheryl Boucher (1 st Anniv) by Elizabeth Grayson
Monday, July 3 8:00 am Pierre Berthiaume by The Family
Tuesday, July 4 8:00 am For all travelers
Wednesday, July 5 8:00 am For the youth of our parish
Thursday, July 6 8:00 am Ray Dupras (6 th Anniv) by The Family
Friday, July 7 8:00 am No Mass Today
Saturday, July 8 4:30 pm Lucien Cote (4 th Anniv) by The Family
Sunday, July 9 8:00 am People of the Parish 10:15 am Prosser & Ledoux Families by Their Family

Calendar of Events

Sunday, July 2	Coffee Shop OPEN
10:15 am	Family Mass
Monday, July 3	Holiday- Parish Office is CLOSED
10:00 am	Food Pantry CLOSED
Tuesday, July 4	Holiday -Parish Office is CLOSED
6:00 – 8:00 pm	
Wednesday, July 5	
9:00 am	
Thursday, July 6	
10:00 am	Food Pantry OPEN
Friday, July 7	
6:00 – 8:00 pm	Volleyball Practice
Saturday, July 8	Propagation of the Faith
3:30 pm	Confessions
Sunday, July 9	Propagation of the Faith Coffee Shop OPEN
10:15 am	Children's Liturgy of the Word

Extra August Calendar Raffles along with return envelopes are available at the doors of the church.

Propagation of the Faith – Catholic Missions

July 8 and 9th we will have a Carmelite missionary from Africa with us who will say the weekend Masses and preach about his experience in the Missions. There will be an extra collection to help support the work of missionaries around the world.