

Please Pray for... All who have died these past weeks. We pray that they will rest in the Lord's peace.
Those who are sick in the hospital or recovering
 Bill McComas, William Pina, Robin Pina, Gina Harris, Ann Gablaski, Jacqui Gablaski, Joseph Ledoux, Whitney Fritze, Noreen Mina, Diane Cyr, Kathleen Bowen, Amanda Brigham Parker, Janice Beauchamp, Laura Wyne, Leandre Shenette, Donna Parent, Elizabeth McNicol, Sr. Helena Burns, David Cameron

Weekly Collection	
October 10 & 11	\$ 4,243.00
Income YTD	\$ 35,968.00
Budget YTD	\$ 34,800.00
Over/(Under)	\$ 1,168.00

*Thank you for your continued generosity.
 If you are mailing your offering, our mailing address is
 46 Maple Street*

First Saturday Mass Eucharistic Exposition
Suspended until further notice due to social distancing restrictions currently in place.

Candle Intentions
Sacred Heart of Jesus candles are burning for the conversion of many souls. That they may know the great Mercy and Love that Jesus offers to us all.

Mary's Candles are burning for all the souls in Purgatory. We ask our Blessed Mother to intercede for these souls.

Please pray for these special intentions Contact the parish office if you would like to sponsor candles in memory of a loved one or for a special intention.

Pro-Life Corner - Word of Life
USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities
"Serving Moms in need: Living the Gospel of Life" (EV 43)
"We are called to reverence and love every human person as ourselves. It is our responsibility to care for and protect human life, especially the lives of the most venerable among us. The Gospel of Life teaches us that the task of accepting and serving life involves everyone; and this task must be fulfilled above all towards life when it is at its weakest."

Parish Office Hours: Office closed to public
 The Parish and Faith Formation Offices are located at 46 Maple Street. Office hours are Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday 9am-4pm.
Contact information:
 Parish Office: Michele Bouvier 508-885-3111 Ext.113
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 Faith Formation Email ksullivan@mqrparish.org
Please be advised the Parish Office is closed to the public until further notice. **All phone messages and emails left for the office will be returned.**
 For the bulletin go to our parish website at www.maryqueenoftherosary.org

Faith Formation News

Registration is closing soon for 2020-2021 Faith Formation !
\$45 for 1 student, \$75 for 2 students and \$100 for 3 students.

***Confirmation Meeting** -for Parents & Confirmation students in church hall on **Sunday, October 18th @ 11:30am**

Praying the Rosary is a wonderful October family activity !

Prayer Line- If you would like to add a name to the prayer line, please call 774-745-0334.

Prayer Shawl- Do you know someone who is sick or recovering from an illness or surgery that could use the comfort of a Prayer Shawl ? Call 774-272-1634

Please wear a mask that covers your nose and mouth while attending Mass.

Enter the church through the front entrance on Church St. or use the elevator if needed. **Follow instructions from the ushers for seating, when receiving communion and for exiting the church.** Baskets are located at the exits of the church for offering envelopes & donations. The church and the bathrooms are cleaned after each Mass.

NO SOCIAL GATHERINGS are allowed before or after Masses. We are safer together if everyone follows the rules.

Help is needed- We need people to help as ushers during Masses and to help clean pews after Masses. Please consider lending a hand to help keep everyone safe. If you would like to help, please contact the Parish Office 508-885-3111 or let Ken know.



Thanksgiving Community Takeout Dinner

Calling all parishioners ! This year the Thanksgiving Community Dinner will be a Takeout Dinner with deliveries only to the homebound in Spencer. People will have the opportunity to make a reservation for a meal that they will come and pick up in the church parking lot. All food for this dinner must be prepared in the church hall. Therefore, we are looking for help to make the Takeout Dinner successful !

Help is needed with...

1. Preparing vegetables on Wednesday, Nov.25th in the church hall.
2. Cooking food on Thanksgiving Day
3. Packaging food for takeout.
4. Bringing dinners out to the parking lot.
5. Deliveries to home bound in Spencer.
6. Clean up in hall after dinner.

Can you lend your time to help in any of these areas? Please call the office and let us know. We will need many hands to make this takeout dinner happen. All safety measures will be taken during food preparation and in packaging meals and deliveries.

Information about how to make a **Takeout Meal Reservations** coming soon!

MQR Food Pantry - Our Food Pantry is open on Thursday each week from 10:30am -12:30 pm and is serving anyone who needs help with food. Please follow the instructions when you enter the church parking lot. Many people are being served. Please remain in your vehicle and be patient as the food will be brought to your vehicle.

How can I receive communications from MQR ? There are several ways to stay updated...



How do I sign up?
Text to Join: Text 84576, type MQR in the message line.
OR

Join from Mary Queen of the Rosary website:
 Click on the little sheep icon at the top left of the home page.
Click on this link:
<https://maryqueenoftherosary.flocknote.com/>

Join our **Facebook:** Mary Queen of the Rosary Parish
Instagram: maryqueenoftherosary

Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 17 4:30 pm David, Grace & David Jr. Drake by Tina, Tracey, & Toni
Sunday, October 18 8:00 am Elizabeth Monfette (5th Anniv.) by Her Family 10:15 am Gerard Hicks (18th Anniv.) by Mom & Dad
Monday, October 19 8:00 am A Special Intention by a Parishioner
Tuesday, October 20 8:00 am For the People of the Parish
Wednesday, October 21 8:00 am Loretta Dudley Hoffman by her Brother Dr. Timothy Hoffman
Thursday, October 22 8:00 am For all who have no one to Pray for them
Friday, October 23 8:30 am Mass, St. John the Baptist, East Brookfield
Saturday, October 24 4:30 pm Donat & Yvonne Lamoureux by the Family
Sunday, October 25 8:00 am Luke Lacaire (8th Anniv.) by the Family 10:15 am Kevin M. Rice by Jesse & Elizabeth Knott

October Calendar Raffle

The Calendar Raffle drawing has begun but we are accepting late entries ! Here are the winners so far !

October 12	Robert Hanson	\$ 75.00
October 13	Yolanda Moore	\$ 50.00
October 14	Teresa Doray	\$ 100.00
October 15	Marjorie Devereux	\$ 50.00
October 16	Maryann Donnell	\$ 50.00
October 17	Paula Letourneux	\$ 50.00
October 18	Skyy Austin	\$ 100.00

Congratulations ! Checks will be mailed to raffle winners.



Help is needed at the Cemetery on November 7th. Due to the pandemic we are unable to get the Worcester County Sheriff Community Service Program to help cleanup our cemetery.

Many hands are needed to help get ready for the winter. Can you help for an hour or two or the whole day? Lunch & beverages will be provided. All *Covid 19 Safety Measures* will be in place. Call the office and let us know if you will help that day so that we may plan accordingly.
Fall cleanup will begin soon. Patrons are asked to remove any of the following items before Nov. 1st:
 spring/summer flowers, faded or broken plastic flowers and mementos as well as tattered patriot flags. Real pumpkins also need to be removed because they will freeze and cause unwanted critters.

We will not remove any Fall decorations unless stated above.