

Please Pray for... All who have died these past weeks especially Catherine Kiritsy and Edna "Kate" Masterson. We pray that they will rest in the Lord's peace.

Those who are sick in the hospital or recovering Margaret Konkol, David Cameron, LuAnn Trigo, Mary Sadusky, Sr. Helena Burns, Matt Thorng, John Brennan, Kathleen Bowen, Bill McComas, Laura Wyne, Donna Parent, Mike Luszey, Brenda Dragon, Jackie Gablaski, Diane Cyr, Donna Harvey, Whitney Fritze

Weekly Collection

January 30 & 31	\$ 5,628.00
Income YTD	\$ 122,952.00
Budget YTD	\$ 127,600.00
Over/(Under)	\$ (4,648.00)

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 are burning "In Loving Memory of Jason Bercume as we remember his Birthday" by Mom & Dad.

Mary's Candles are burning "In Loving Memory of Paul Burke" by His Wife Sue & Family

Please pray for these special intention
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

Pope Francis, Message for the 29th World Day of the Sick 2021
"A society is all the more human to the degree that it cares effectively for its most frail and suffering members, in a spirit of fraternal love. Let us strive to achieve this goal, so that no one will feel alone, excluded or abandoned."

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Parish and Faith Formation Offices

Located at 46 Maple Street. Office hours are Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday 9am-4pm.

Contact Information:

Parish Office: Michele Bouvier 508-885-3111 Ext.103

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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 visit our parish website at www.maryqueenoftherosary.org

Faith Formation News: We have dates !



May 10th, 2021 for our Confirmation Candidates



June 6, 2021 for our students making their First Holy Communion.

Please keep our children and youth in your prayers as they continue to prepare for their sacraments.

Reminder: Zoom Dates

First Communion Class- Sunday, February 7th @ 9am
Confirmation Class- Sunday, February 7th @ 12pm

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 posted for seating, receiving communion and exiting the church.

Please maintain a 6 foot distance from others.

Baskets are located at the exits of the church for offering envelopes & donations. The church and the bathrooms are cleaned after each Mass.

With Safety precautions in place during Mass, we are in need of help!

Ushers- greet people at door, help with seating and hand sanitize at Communion.

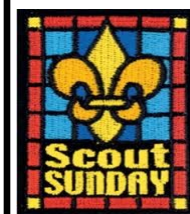
Cleaners- no more than 15 minutes after Mass to help sanitize surfaces.

HELP STOP THE SPREAD !

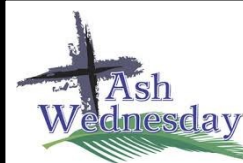
Volunteer to help! Please see Ken.

Please, NO social gatherings in the church after Masses.

February 6, 2021



On Sunday, Feb. 7th we will celebrate Scout Sunday at the 10:15 Mass. Scouts will be attending Mass in uniform and will receive a special blessing. For over 110 years now, the Boy Scouts of America have taught young men and women to be model citizens in their communities. Duty to God is a big part of the Scouting Program. Scouts also learn to respect the beliefs of others that might be different than their own. A BIG THANK to Mary, Queen of the Rosary Parish for supporting the scouting program in our own community of Spencer.



February 17th

Masses: 8am, 4pm & 7pm

Confessions: Tuesday evenings during Lent, February 16th - March 30th in the Sacristy, 7:00-7:30 pm.

The Collection taken at all Ash Wednesday Masses is for the Priest Retirement Fund.

The 2021 March Calendar Raffle is underway !

\$10 per entry with a chance to win everyday in the month of March. A total of \$2,500 in prize money is awarded !

The proceeds from this raffle will go toward starting a fund to replace the chairs in the Church Hall. We would also like to eventually replace the floor in the Hall as well, so it may take several calendar raffles to make this happen.

Send all raffle entries back to the Parish Office by the end of February. If you would like additional Calendar Raffles to sell, call the office or pick some up as you exit the church after Mass. Lets make this a really successful raffle so that we can begin to make some much needed improvements to our Church Hall.

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 from our pantry volunteers. Please be patient as many people are being served.



5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions

Saturday, February 6	4:30 pm Paul Burke (2nd Anniv.) by His Wife & Family
Sunday, February 7	8:00 am Henry & Pauline Guibord (Anniv. Remembrance) by Jean Wheeler
	10:15 am Robert Lamoureux by His Family
Monday, February 8	8:00 am Jean Flannery by Barbara Braney
Tuesday, February 9	8:00 am For the People of the Parish
Wednesday, February 10	8:00 am Loretta Dudley Hoffman by Her Brother, Dr. Timothy Hoffman
Thursday, February 11	8:00 am For All Who Are Suffering from Addiction
Friday, February 12	8:30am Mass, St. John the Baptist, East Brookfield
Saturday, February 13	4:30 pm Helen Frelick by Jim & Family
Sunday, February 14	8:00 am Paul Masiello Sr. (2nd Anniv.) by His Wife & Family
	10:15 am Helen Frelick (17th Anniv.) by Jim & Family

Collection for Priest Retirement

Please help us support retired priest this Ash Wednesday as part of our new Collection for Priest Retirement. A recent review of benefits and expenses of priest retirement for our diocesan priests recommended a number of changes in benefits for those priest who have not yet retired. Bishop McManus accepted those recommendations after receiving the input and agreement of the priests in our diocese. These changes projected to save up to \$12 million through the year 2050. Even with the change in benefits, however, annual deficits in funding for priest retirement as high as \$374,000 are projected for another eleven years. Please consider a donation to this Ash Wednesday Collection as a way to express your appreciation of the dedicated service of our retired priests to the people of our diocese. Review the Retirement Report Summary found at worcesterdioocese.org to learn more.

MASS Intentions

The 2022 Mass book is here. Call the Parish Office (508-885-3111 x102) if you would like to schedule a Mass or Candle Intention for 2022. The suggested stipend for a Mass or Candle intention is \$10 each.

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