

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, APRIL 28

5:15 PM Teresa Wojcik (Rem.),
By Maureen DelFarno

SUNDAY, APRIL 29

8:00 AM OPEN INTENTION

10:00 AM Americo 'Mike' Labbadia (Birth.),
By wife Inez

Pete Magnani (10th Ann.),
By wife Claire and children

11:30 AM Joseph and Antonetta Aquilante
(Rem.),
By niece

MONDAY, APRIL 30

9:00 AM Paul Patenaude (Birth.),
By the Nadeau family

TUESDAY, MAY 1

9:00 AM Deseased Members of the Sabetta
Family (Rem.),
By Gloria

WEDNESDAY, MAY 2

12:10 PM Tim Ferretti (Rem.),
By family
Louise E. St. Angelo (35th Ann.)

THURSDAY, MAY 3

NO SCHEDULED MASS TODAY

FRIDAY, MAY 4

9:00 AM Peter Nardone (Rem.),
By family

SATURDAY, MAY 5

12:00 PM First Communion

5:15 PM Anna Corvese (Ann.),
By family
Crocifissa Ruscetta (Ann.),
By family

SUNDAY, MAY 6

8:00 AM Anna Fallone (Birth.),
By family
Martha Procaccini (Birth.),
By family

10:00 AM Lawrence Patenaude (Ann.),
By the Nadeau family
Annette Morin & Joan Cote (Rem.),
By the Renzi family

11:30 AM John Tatarka and John Stephen
Tatarka (Rem.),
By Janice and Mom

**Fifth Sunday
of Easter**

April 29, 2018

Sing a new song to the Lord!

PASTOR'S COMMENTS

Borrowed from Paul Turner

Converting the Community

If Easter has worked its wonder, you are different today than you were a year ago. Lent and Easter are seasons of renewal in the church. Each Lent we strive to face our sin, do penance, and rise with Jesus. We draw on the power of these seasons to celebrate the love of God in our lives, a love that accepts us in our sinfulness and calls us into grace.

Each year, if Easter works its wonder, we can grow in holiness.

There is one problem. Even though we may be different, other people may not realize it. They may treat us the same, making it hard for us to live fully the new life of grace.

Take Saul, for example. Before his conversion he persecuted Christians. After his conversion, he lived for Christ alone.

There was one problem. People didn't trust Saul. When he showed up in Jerusalem among the disciples, they were afraid of him because they didn't believe he had changed. Only when Barnabas defended him could Saul move about freely.

The mystery of renewal begins in the quiet of each person's heart, and gradually it converts the community.

Fr. John

MASS INTENTIONS

(Call for additional Weekday Mass availability)

The following dates and times are available

FRIDAY	MAY 18	9:00 AM
SUNDAY	MAY 20	8:00 AM
TUESDAY	MAY 29	9:00 AM
WEDNESDAY	MAY 30	12:10 PM
TUESDAY	JUNE 19	9:00 AM
FRIDAY	JUNE 22	9:00 AM



Sanctuary Lamp

Week of April 29 – May 5

“For the Intentions of”

Arthur Saran

By family



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
Office Hours: 9am to 4pm.
Monday – Thursday
Phone : 232-9321
E-mail – srbccd@aol.com

Religious Education Classes

Day	Date	Grade	Time
Sun	Apr 29	7 thru 10	No Class
Tue	May 1	1 thru 3	No Class
Wed	May 2	4 thru 6	No Class

Please keep our First Communion Candidates in your prayers as they make their First Communion on May 5th

Rehearsal for First Communion
 April 24, 30 and May 4th from 4:15 to 5:00



“ I worry some of you still have not really met Jesus—one to one—you and Jesus alone. We may spend time in the Chapel—but have you seen with the eyes of your soul how He looks at you with love? Do you really know the living Jesus---not from books but from being with Him in your heart? Have you heard the loving words He speaks to you? Ask for the grace He is longing to give it. Until you can hear Jesus in the silence of your own heart, you will not be able to hear Him saying “I Thirst” in the hearts of the poor. Never give up this daily intimate contact with Jesus as the real living person not just the idea.”

---Saint Mother Teresa, p.129-30

MR. ROB MANZO

THIS WEEK

SUNDAY, ROSARY FOLLOWING 8:00 **AM**
 MASS IN THE UPPER CHURCH

WEDNESDAY, AAGROUP MEETING AT 7:00 **AM** IN THE CHURCH HALL (EVERY WEDNESDAY)

THURSDAY, NA GROUP MEETING AT 7:00 **PM** IN THE SACRISTY

FRIDAY, AA AT 8:00 **PM** IN THE CHURCH HALL (EVERY FRIDAY)

FRIDAY, NA GROUP MEETING AT 10:00 **PM** IN THE CHURCH HALL

DAILY READINGS

Sunday Acts 9:26-31; 1 Jn 3:18-24; Jn 15:1-8

Monday Acts 14:5-18; Jn 14:21-26

Tuesday Acts 14:19-28; Jn 14:27-31a or, for the Memorial, Gn 1:26—2:3 or Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24; Mt 13:54-58

Wednesday Acts 15:1-6; Jn 15:1-8

Thursday 1 Cor 15:1-8; Jn 14:6-14

First Friday Acts 15:22-31; Jn 15:12-17

First Saturday Acts 16:1-10; Jn 15:18-21



Call: Jan Zarrella (274-6576) or Charon Souza (231-3962) or Eileen Morrison (349-3601)

PLEASE SUPPORT OUR FOOD SHELF!

The Food Shelf is in need of these items:

- CEREAL/OATMEAL**
- RAMEN NOODLES**
- BOX PASTA/JARRED PASTA SAUCE**
- CANNED VEGETABLES**
- CLEANING PRODUCTS**

\$10.00 STOP & SHOP OR PRICE RITE GIFT CARDS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME

Thank you for your generosity!



40-WEEK CLUB 2018

OUR MAJOR FUND RAISER

Week #17 Ticket # 0218

\$35 : Loreen Rossi

Captain: Judy D'Itri

Tickets are still available at the Rectory Office or call
Ann @ 944-6792, Pat @ 647-7461 or Judy @ 232-3603

All payments must be Up-To-Date to be eligible – Thank you for your support!

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

Our prayer shawl ministry is in full swing. Drop off knitted/ crocheted prayer shawls at church. For knitted shawls, we use 3 skeins of Lion Brand, Homespun yarn or any soft yarn, total yardage 555 yds. Cast on 60 stitches and work until the skeins are finished. For crocheted shawls, check out the web site "The Crochet Crowd" for easy patterns. For more information contact Carolyn 231-5864 or Margie 231-5276

Mother of Hope Camp (Mater Spei), a Catholic Charity Fund Agency located along Echo Lake in Chepachet, offers boys and girls ages 5-12 a traditional, outdoor, summer day camp experience under the guidance of caring and professional staff and is accredited by the American Camping Association. DAILY and WEEKLY options, Sibling & Multi-Week Specials, and FREE BUSING to and from many convenient RI locations are offered!.

Secure, online registration is available at WWW.MOTHEROFHOPECAMP.COM.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter **Worldwide Marriage Encounter**

Jesus is the good shepherd and laid down his life for us that we may have new life. Give your marriage new life by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Weekends are May 19-20, 2018 in Warner, NH and Jun 9-10, 2018 in Medway, MA. For more information, call Stephen & Michelle O'Leary at 800-710-9963 or visit them at <https://www.wmema.org/>.

Patience is needed with everyone, but first of all with ourselves. — St. Francis de Sales

How do you treat yourself? Do you talk to yourself with a kind and loving voice? We cannot be kind and loving to others until we learn to be kind and loving with ourselves. To live this way, we must give ourselves the gift of patience.

Let's practice patience with ourselves daily.

Practice talking to yourself in a kind, loving voice. Over time this will become our everyday voice. Our voice will be that of a loving parent who helps a child with a new task. If God is willing to be patient with us; then we can give ourselves the same gift.

Action for the Day

I will listen to how I talk to myself. I will practice talking to myself with God's kind, loving, and patient voice.

Pope Francis says that every day, for almost forty years he has recited the "Prayer for Good Humor" of St. Thomas More (1478-1535).

O Lord, grant me good digestion, and also something to digest.

Grant me a healthy body, and the necessary good humor to maintain it.

Grant me a simple soul that knows to treasure all that is good and that doesn't frighten easily at the sight of evil, but rather finds the means to put things back in their place.

Give me a soul that knows not boredom, grumblings, sighs and laments, nor excess of stress, because of that obstructing thing called "I."

Grant me, O Lord, a sense of good humor.

Allow me the grace to be able to take a joke to discover in life a bit of joy, and to be able to share it with others.

*The Office of Vocations is hosting a discernment retreat on **Saturday, May 12th** at the **Seminary of Our Lady of Providence from 9am-3pm**. This is a wonderful opportunity for boys to celebrate their faith and reflect on God's plan for their life. The day will include Mass, recreation, food, and an opportunity to meet our seminarians and learn more about the seminary. Registration is available online at CatholicPriest.com (Events > Middle School Retreat), or free to contact Fr. Christopher Murphy at (401) 331-1316*



**Open my mind and heart, Lord,
open my eyes and ears
and help me know, help me see
whose life you'd bless and heal
through mine
today...**

**Open my eyes to the needs
of those whose paths cross mine
and help me know, help me see
what I might do
to bear their heavy load
today...**

**Open my ears and help me hear,
help me answer the cry of those
who need a word that I might speak,
a word of comfort I might share
to heal a broken heart
today...**

**Open my mind and heart, Lord,
open my eyes and ears
and help me know, help me see
whose life you'd bless and heal
through mine
today... Amen**