

# ST. MARY'S PARISH

Corner of Main & Summer Streets, Shrewsbury, Mass. 01545 • Website: [www.stmarysparish.org](http://www.stmarysparish.org)

## LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

### Mass

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 pm.

Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:00 am, 11:00 am  
& 5:30 pm.

Weekdays & Saturday: 8:30 am.

Holy Days: 8:30 am., 12:00 pm. & 7:00 pm

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:30–4:00 pm.; anytime by  
appointment

### Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesday: 6:00–9:00 pm, Church

Friday: 9:00–1:00 pm, Pastoral Ctr. Chapel

## PARISH STAFF

Rev. Msgr. Michael F. Rose, *Pastor*

Rev. Javier Julio, *Parochial Vicar*

Philip E. Devine, *Deacon*

Jeannie MacDonough, *Principal*

Gina Kuruvilla, *Director of*

*Religious Education & Youth Ministry*

Kathy Canfield, *Gr. K–8 Rel. Ed. Coord.*

Richard Vacca, *Director of Liturgical Music*

Viola Jefferson, *Parish Nurse*

Juan David Parra, *Seminarian Intern*

## CONTACT US

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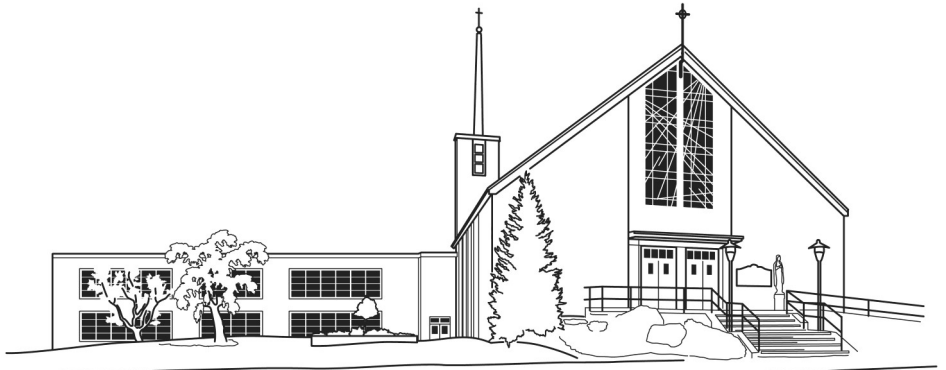
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Parish Health Ministry .....508-925-7647

### Our Parish Mission

*We, the people of St. Mary's, strive to be a community united with God, dedicated to continuing growth in knowledge and faith, giving witness to Christ through love, worship, education, and service. So that we may fulfill this mission and integrate spirituality with life, we shall reach out to all peoples within and beyond our faith community.*



**NEW PARISHIONERS:** We are always happy to welcome new people into our parish family. Please contact the Pastoral Center to register or for more information.

**BAPTISMS:** Baptisms at St. Mary are held on the first and third Sundays of the month at 12:30 PM. Parents may also schedule to have their child baptized during one of the Sunday Masses. A preparation session for parents preparing for the baptism of their first child is held on the second Monday of the month in the Pastoral Center. Call the Pastoral Center for more information.

**MARRIAGES:** The policy for the Diocese of Worcester requires a period of one year preparation for the Sacrament of Marriage, which includes sessions with the parish priest and participation at either the pre-cana conferences or the Engaged Encounter weekend. Contact one of the priests for arrangements.

**PASTORAL CARE:** Arrangements for the reception of the Sacraments for homebound parishioners can be made by contacting the Pastoral Center. Please also notify the Pastoral Center when a parishioner is in the hospital or otherwise confined. Emergency sick calls at anytime.

## PASTORAL COUNCIL

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Sheila Seed ..... 508-842-6326  
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Susan Zybert ..... 508-842-7554

## COUNCIL OF MINISTRIES

**Finance:** Maria Lemieux ..... 508-845-8732  
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**Seniors Jet Set:** Evelyn Baroni ..... 508-845-3511  
**Social Justice:** Gina Kuruvilla ..... 508-925-7801  
**Outreach:** Mary Daly ..... 508-845-6819  
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**MASS INTENTIONS**

Date	Time	Intention
<b>Saturday, July 28</b>	8:30 pm	† <b>Frances DeGabriele</b> By Helen
	4:30 pm	† <b>Edmund Reiley</b> By the family
<b>Sunday, July 29</b>	7:30 am	
	9:00 am	† <b>Jose &amp; Theresa Fernandez, Manny Chaves, Alipio Martins, Hilda Corriea, Armando Sousa, Filomena Sousa, Paul Dirth, Ruth Foley, Pam Cawley, Carol Singh</b> By Joe and Elisa Sousa
	11:00 am	† <b>Ana Rana</b> By Theresa Manna
	5:30	† <b>Chic Kerr</b> By the Lagomarsino family
<b>Monday, July 30</b>	8:30 am	† <b>Julia and Gilbert Burke</b> By the family
<b>Tuesday, July 31</b>	8:30 am	† <b>Marie Walsh</b> By the family
<b>Wed., Aug. 1</b>	8:30 pm	† <b>Walter Ford</b> 11th Anniversary by Elaine Ford
<b>Thursday, Aug. 2</b>	8:30 am	<b>Special Intention</b>
<b>Friday, Aug. 3</b>	8:30 am	† <b>Sylvianne Martel</b> By the Daly family
<b>Saturday, Aug. 4</b>	8:30 am	†
	4:30 pm	† <b>John and Kathryn Creed</b> † <b>Frances Scannell</b> By the Avis family
<b>Sunday, Aug. 5</b>	7:30 am	† <b>Emil and Dorothy Vaudreuil</b> † <b>Patricia Vaudreuil</b> By the family
	9:00 am	† <b>Gloria Lovely &amp; deceased members of the Lovely family</b> By the family
	11:00 am	† <b>Victor and Christopher Cote</b> By Sue and Ray Cote
	5:30 pm	† <b>Louis Genatossio</b> By the family



**PRAY FOR . . .**

healing of J's wound; safe travel for several; continued progress toward sobriety for Tim; Johanna; complete relief of pain for B.; strength for a woman; a successful eating and health regimen for M.; Joanne to comply with safe living practices; a quick diagnosis and speedy recovery for Sue; Cathy; and for our world and every act of forgiveness and kindness to build peace.

**Continued prayers for:** Frank; George; Sr. Mary Marion; Joan D; a family; a man; JD; BS; Kim R.; Christine; Joe; a woman; Tim M.; Robert; M.; Daniel; David; Sue; Margaret; Smitty; John; cancer sufferers; Lois; Chris; Joe; Hannah C.; Cindy John; Janice; Dina; Andrea; Ethan; Rebecca; Shayna; LS; E's and B's pregnancies; Paul; Matt; Jeff; Ian; Jamie; Jennifer; Karen; Lori; Ted; Susan; BM; Noah; Ron; Beverly; Jack; Donna; Allison; Dean; Susan; Nancy; AP; Chrissy; Julia; Maddie; Chico; Wayne; Neil and Francis.

**Thanksgiving for:** Grace's action; lovingkindness from several including Kerry, Viola, Fr. Mike, Tom, MA, Erin, Rick, Don, John, and Doug; Annette, Katie, Heather, Maureen, Buzz, Maureen S.; Sean, Brenna, Bridget, Chris, John, Kevin and Stephen; Danielle's help; Liz Caron's skill and aid; presence from several; Sandy's generosity and cooking; a good decision; and all answered prayers.

**Prayer Line:** Tracy at 508-450-0137 or Susan at 508-479-4667 or susanbk@townisp.com



*Rest in Peace*

John Mollo



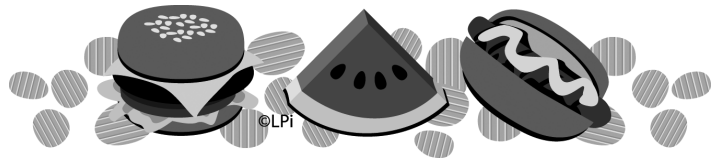
**MARY'S FLOWERS**

The flowers adorning the statue of our Blessed Mother are in Memory of

**Walter Ford**

In Honor of his 11th Anniversary

Donated lovingly by the family



**Liturgical Ministry Schedule August 4-5**

Date	Lector	Eucharistic Minister	Server	Sacristan
Saturday 4:30pm	E. VanAtten	M/M Nelligan, M/M Blanchard, M. Damico	Z. Sargent, N. Podlizec, J. Karam	L. Nelligan
Sunday 7:30am	W. Gooley	P. Caouette, W. Gooley, M. Blute, M. Gulino, R. Mungovan, G. McNamara, T. Keegan	P. Hastings, K. Vona, A. Johnson	M. Gulino
Sunday 9:00am	P. Larkin	M. Coghlin, J. Barry, B. Randazzo, P. Pennucci, F. St. Pierre	E. Chillo, A. Harasim, G. Morris, S. Boyle, L. Perkins, S. Salvan	J. Sliwoski
Sunday 11:00am	M. Connors	J.M. Carey, S. Howard, M/M Page, M. Minnucci, J. Sousa, K. Paulina, J. Ellis	J. Sweetwood, M. Johnson, B. Jorda, E. Jorda	J.M. Carey
Sunday 5:30pm	A. Eda	M/M Thompson, J. Davidson, S. Blanco, J. Garcia, R. Lopez	K. Campos, T. Buricatu, S. Damle	V. Moskowitz

**WELCOME FR. JAVIER JULIO**



This coming Wednesday, August 1st, we will welcome Fr. Javier Julio to St. Mary's Parish as he begins his first assignment as a priest. Fr. Julio was ordained at St. Paul's Cathedral on June 23, 2018 by Bishop McManus. After celebrating a Mass of Thanksgiving at St. John's in Clinton (his "home parish" in the Diocese) and St. Gabriel, the Archangel in Upton (his Deacon assignment for the past six months), Fr. Javier returned to his native Colombia to celebrate a Mass of Thanksgiving with family and parishioners at his home parish. While in Colombia Fr. Javier had to travel to the U.S. Embassy in Bogota to finalize his immigration status and change his student visa to a Religious Worker (R-1) visa.

Fr. Javier was one of three newly ordained priests for the Diocese of Worcester. As he begins his priestly ministry at St. Mary's let us welcome him warmly and pray that God will bless him with continued joy and enthusiasm. A newly ordained priest's first assignment is a very significant and memorable experience, and we are blessed at St. Mary's to be able to share in the first years of his priesthood.



- Monday, July 30**  
8:00 CMSC Drivers Ed-Gathering Space  
9:15 Weight Training-Large Meeting Room
- Tuesday, July 31**  
8:00 CMSC Drivers Ed-Gathering Space  
6:00 Eucharistic Adoration-Church
- Wednesday, August 1**  
8:00 CMSC Drivers Ed-Gathering Space
- Thursday, August 2**  
8:00 CMSC Drivers Ed-Gathering Space  
9:15 Weight Training-Large Meeting Room  
6:30 Gentle Yoga-Large Meeting Room  
7:00 Boy Scouts-Hall
- Friday, August 3**  
8:00 CMSC Drivers Ed-Gathering Space  
9:00 Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament-Chapel  
2:30 Mass at Shrewsbury Nursing Home
- Saturday, August 4**  
10:30 Prayer Shawl Ministry-Mary's Room  
4:30 Catholic Worker Bread Sale
- Sunday, August 5**  
8:00 Catholic Worker Bread Sale  
12:30 Baptisms-Church  
7:00 Family Festival Meeting-Large Meeting Room



**Saint Mary's Family Festival**  
**Save the Date: September 14, 15 & 16**

Sponsorship Opportunities & Silent Auction Donations Please consider supporting the Family Festival with a sponsorship or silent auction donation.

**Doctorate Sponsor**..... \$ 1,500+

Name mention in pre-event promotional efforts Named Sponsor for a major Festival area/ event Sponsor name and logo on large banner in prominent Festival area/ event Logo and link on Facebook and webpage

**Master Sponsor** ..... \$ 500 - \$1,499

Name mention in pre-event promotional efforts

Sponsor name and logo displayed at a Festival inflatable/ game/ area Logo and link on Facebook and webpage

**Graduate Sponsor** ..... \$250 - \$499

Name mention in pre-event promotional efforts

Sponsor name and logo on the Festival Sign Wall

Logo and link on Facebook and webpage

**Sign Wall Sponsor**..... \$50 - \$249

Show your support and promote your business on the Festival Sign Wall located in the Food Court

**Silent Auction Donation**

Donations to the Silent Auction are another great way to promote your business or support the Festival personally.

To personally support the 2018 Saint Mary's Family Festival or promote your business with a sponsorship or silent auction item donation email [smpfamilyfestival2018@gmail.com](mailto:smpfamilyfestival2018@gmail.com) or check the website at <https://www.stmarysparish.org/family-festival> for more information.

Join us at the next planning meeting on Sunday, August 5 at 7:00 pm in the Large Meeting Room



**WEDDING CONGRATULATIONS**

We extend our Congratulations, prayers and best wishes to **AMANDA COSENZA & DAVID RUKSTALIS** – who were married at St. Mary's last weekend.

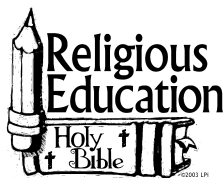
**THE CAMPAIGN FOR ST. MARY'S**

**OUR ENDURING COVENANT**

Thank-you to the many St. Mary's parishioners who have contributed to the Capital Campaign – Our Enduring Covenant – this past year. August marks the end of the fiscal year and we are pleased to report that we have paid \$87,000 on the construction loan principal over the past eleven months. The second collection next weekend – the first Sunday of August – will support this continued effort.

**RCIA – The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults**

If you or someone you know is interested in becoming Catholic or if you are a Catholic who would like to complete your initiation through the sacraments of Confirmation and/or Eucharist, the Rite of Christian Initiation (RCIA) can help. The RCIA forms adults in the Catholic faith and prepares them for the sacraments of initiation. For additional information please call Msgr. Mike at the Pastoral Center at 508-845-6341.



**CCD REGISTRATION FOR 2018-2019 SCHOOL YEAR**

If you have already registered your child for CCD for the upcoming school year, Thank you!

For those of you who have not, please register for classes online by logging on to our website [www.stmarysparish.org](http://www.stmarysparish.org) and selecting "Youth" in the drop down menu under "Religious Education."

The deadline for receiving registrations was **June 22, 2018**. As a reminder **all** students in public and private non-Catholic schools need to register **yearly**.

Catholic School students preparing for the sacraments of Eucharist/Reconciliation or Confirmation, in Grades 2, 9 and 10 starting in the fall of 2018 **also need to register** online. Thank you!



**SHREWSBURY CUB SCOUT ADVENTURE DAY SUNDAY, AUGUST 12!**

Boys and girls grades K-4 and their families are invited to Dean Park for a fun filled event.

Hours 10:30am-1pm at the first pavilion (by bandstand).

Meet all four Shrewsbury Cub Scout Packs at one event and find the Pack that is right for your family. Current Cub Scouts and Scout leaders will be on hand to answer your questions about Scouting.



We are hopeful for a wonderful growing season of summer vegetables... please consider donating your freshly grown produce to Share the Bounty... as in past years, a basket will be placed in the back of the church and the contributions delivered Monday mornings to the Worcester County Food Bank for distribution to local food pantries. Thank you in advance... one tomato or many, it is appreciated!



**BACK TO SCHOOL SUPPLIES**

St. Anne's Human Services/Food Pantry is asking parishioners of local churches to purchase a gift card to Wal-Mart, Staples, Target, CVS or Walgreens or one of your choosing. There are currently more than 200 families with school age children who need our support. Tags will be available at the entrances of the church. Please take one, purchase a gift card and drop it in the offertory basket by August 21/22.



**CARE FOR THE HOMEBOUND AND HOSPITALIZED**

**IN THE HOSPITAL** Each week Msgr. Mike and Fr. Javier go to the Worcester hospitals to visit St. Mary's parishioners. Depending on how patients are admitted into the hospital, we do not always have an accurate list. Please call the Pastoral Center (508-845-6341) if a family member or a neighbor who lives alone has been hospitalized so that we may visit them.



**Saint Mary School 2018 - 2019 School Year**

Saint Mary School is now accepting applications for our Pre-school, Kindergarten, and Grade 1 through 8 classrooms for the 2018 - 2019 school year.

Schedule a tour to see how Saint Mary School is making a difference for our students, our community and our world as you witness our commitment to faith, academic excellence and authentic examples of service.

Our After-School Program is available for Kindergarten through Grade 8 students from 2:30 - 5:30 pm.

Saint Mary School welcomes students and families from all faiths and ethnic backgrounds.

For more information, please contact our Admissions Director, Cheryl Dolan at [Cheryl.Dolan@stmarysparish.org](mailto:Cheryl.Dolan@stmarysparish.org) or 508 842-1601.

Visit our website to complete an application and learn more about Saint Mary School: <http://school.stmarysparish.org/>



Members of **Saints Francis & Therese Catholic Worker** will be here on the weekend of August 4 and 5, 2018 with our homemade baked goods. The sale of our wholesome bread and muffins, made with organic ingredients, is the main source of income which supports our ministries. We shelter homeless men and women, and we work for justice and peace. There is no set price for the bread as we prefer to depend on your generosity to carry on the works of mercy.



**LIGHT OF THE WORLD RETREAT WEEKEND At ST. MARY'S PARISH MARK YOUR CALENDARS AND SAVE THE DATES NOVEMBER 9 - 12, 2018**

Summer is a good time to step back and reflect on the past year. But it's not too early to look ahead to the Fall. Over 60 St. Mary's parishioners have participated in one of our Light of the World Retreats. We hope you will join us this coming year.

The Light of the World parish retreat gives parishioners the opportunity to grow in their faith together. The experience helps people to live the Catholic Christian life with more zeal and enthusiasm. The retreat weekend will take place from Friday evening through Sunday here at St. Mary's. Unlike most retreats, however, participants return to their homes each night. Men & women attend the same retreat.

**ST. MARY IHN WEEK**

St. Mary's IHN Group will be volunteering at the IHN house during the week of August 19th-26th. We will be covering the Evening Shift from 5:30-9:00pm and the Overnight Shift from 9:00pm -6:00am. If you are interested in taking a shift or learning more about IHN, please email Terry Waite at [twait@townisp.com](mailto:twait@townisp.com) or Bridgid Rubin at [rubin@townisp.com](mailto:rubin@townisp.com). Thank you.



# AUGUST 4<sup>th</sup> at 6:15 pm ST. MARY'S FUNDRAISER



**\$10 Tickets**

**General Admission**

• St Mary's will receive \$5 for each ticket purchased through the fundraiser

• Each ticket includes \$2 of FREE Ballpark Credit

**[Click here to secure your tickets!](#)**

Or go to **[Ticketreturn.com](http://Ticketreturn.com)** and logon using:

**UserID: StMarys2018**

**Password: pawsox**

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