

FOR THIS WEEKEND'S LITURGIES

- Processional Hymn (4,8,10:30): #836 in *Worship*
- Order of the Mass: Front Page or #202 in *Worship*
- Liturgy of the Word: #1190 in *Worship*
- Responsorial Psalm (4,8,10:30): #100 in *Gather*
- Gospel Acclamation (4,8,10:30): #333 in *Worship*
- Preparation Hymn (4,8,10:30): #720 in *Worship*
- Acclamations (4,8,10:30): #368, 369, 370, 382 in *Worship*
- Communion Litany (4,8,10:30): #956 in *Worship*



"People will come from the east and the west and from the north and the south and will recline at table in the kingdom of God. For behold, some are last who will be first, and some are first who will be last." - Lk 13:29-30

MASS INTENTIONS & REMEMBRANCES

- Sat., 8/24 4:00 pm **Dennis Wixted**, 12th Anniv., by family
(Remembrance) **Deacon Al Desautels**, by family
(Remembrance) **Julianne Eileen O'Day**, 4th Anniv.,
by Maryanne, Patrick & Grace O'Day
- Sun., 8/25 8:00 am **Parishioners' Intentions**
10:30 am **Harry Adamiak**, Birthday, by family
6:00 pm **Parishioners' Intentions**
- Mon., 8/26 9:00 am **Parishioners' Intentions**
- Tue., 8/27 9:00 am **Parishioners' Intentions**
- Wed., 8/28 9:00 am **Parishioners' Intentions**
- Thu., 8/29 9:00 am **Parishioners' Intentions**
- Fri., 8/30 9:00 am **Mary McSherry**, 17th Anniv., by family
(Remembrance) **Ronald Joseph Chiapulis**, 30th Anniv.,
by his wife, Tuan
- Sat., 8/31 4:00 pm **Ronald Joseph Chiapulis**, 30th Anniv.,
by his wife, Tuan
- Sun., 9/1 8:00 am **Parishioners' Intentions**
10:30 am **Parishioners' Intentions**
6:00 pm **Peggy Desautels Dame**, Birthday,
by her mother

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Sunday: Is 66:18-21/Ps 117:1, 2/Heb 12:5-7, 11-13/Lk 13:22-30
- Monday: 1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b
Mt 23:13-22
- Tuesday: 1 Thes 2:1-8/Ps 139:1-3, 4-6/Mt 23:23-26
- Wednesday: 1 Thes 2:9-13/Ps 139:7-8, 9-10, 11-12ab/Mt 23:27-32
- Thursday: 1 Thes 3:7-13/Ps 90:3-5a, 12-13, 14 and 17/Mk 6:17-29
- Friday: 1 Thes 4:1-8/Ps 97:1 and 2b, 5-6, 10, 11-12/Mt 25:1-13
- Saturday: 1 Thes 4:9-11/Ps 98:1, 7-8, 9/Mt 25:14-30
- Next Sunday: Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29/Ps 68:4-5, 6-7, 10-11
Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a/Lk 14:1, 7-14

LITURGICAL MEMORIALS

The bread and wine being used at all Masses this week has been donated in memory of **Harry Adamiak** by his family. The candles being used at the altar and pulpit have been donated in memory of **Dennis Wixted** by his family.



STAY TUNED...

Our Lady of the Angels will be actively participating in the Legacy of Hope campaign beginning in August along with 40 other parishes throughout the Diocese of Worcester. Once we kick off, we'll be sending out invitations encouraging you to attend an informational gathering to learn more about this historic project and how our parish will benefit here locally. Please consider attending – food and beverages will be served, and it'll only last an hour. Fr. Monroe and our committee are working hard behind the scenes to make this reception enjoyable yet informative.

REST IN PEACE

Pray for the repose of the souls of **Dorothy Hess, Dorothy Turgeon, Matteo Pastore** and all our deceased relatives, friends and benefactors.

CONTRIBUTION REPORT

Last weekend, we deposited the following donations:

-- Weekly Adult Offerings:	\$4,428.00
(\$408.00 in loose offerings and \$4,020.00 in 173 envelopes)	
-- Unrestricted Donation:	\$1,000.00
-- Coffee Hour Donation:	\$ 5.00
-- Funeral Offering:	\$ 300.00
-- Maintenance Fund:	\$ 185.00
-- Debt Reductions Donations:	\$ 210.00
-- Central/Eastern Europe:	\$ 85.00
-- Mission Co-Op for Haiti:	\$2,209.00

We also received the following online donations:

-- Weekly Adult Offerings:	\$ 655.51
-- Children's Offering:	\$ 3.00
-- Maintenance Fund:	\$ 140.00
-- Debt Reduction Donations:	\$ 67.00
-- Unrestricted Gift:	\$ 50.00
-- St. Vincent de Paul:	\$ 15.00
-- Holy Day:	\$ 10.00
-- Central/Eastern Europe:	\$ 60.00

Thank you to all who contributed.

THANK YOU!

Sr. Judith Dupre, SSA has asked that we extend her gratitude for your gracious reception of her presentation last weekend about the programs in Haiti being supported by our diocesan Haitian Ministry.

She is particularly grateful for the willingness of many people to consider adopting a Haitian student and/or helping with other needs that are part of the annual educational experience.

By the end of the 6:00 pm Mass, she and the Haitian students handing out the informational fliers had run out of copies. There are copies of those fliers in trays at the church doors for anyone is interested in checking out this opportunity to help Haitian youth.

OUR LADY OF THE ANGELS SCHOOL

The first day of school for students already registered is this Wednesday, August 28th. There are openings in all grades. We offer a wonderful academic and healthy personal growth program for Pre-school through Grade 8. There is also some financial aid available through the Diocesan Grant and Aid program. If you would like to examine what we have to offer your children, or schedule a visit to the school, contact Doreen Albert, our principal, at doreen.albert@worcesterdiocesek12.org or call the school at 508-752-5609. You can also gather information at the school website: www.ourladyoftheangels.us.

Custodian Needed:

The school needs a fulltime custodian. If you are interested in discussing the position, contact Doreen Albert as indicated above.

Second Grade Teacher Needed:

Just days before school begins, we find ourselves in need of a teacher for second grade. If you know of anyone who might be interested in this fulltime position, have the person contact Doreen Albert.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Weekly classes for Grades K thru 8 will begin Sunday, September 8th at 9:00 am in the OLA School.

Classes for public school students in Grades 9 & 10 will begin on Sunday, September 15th at 9:00 am in the school.

Registration:

Material to register and the full schedule for the year can be found on our website: www.ourladyofangels.org by clicking on the Religious Education link at the top of the homepage.

Copies of registration letter with forms and schedule are now available in trays at the church doors as well.

Help Needed:

Karen Barrows is still looking for co-teachers for this year's program. If you would be willing to discuss this need, email her at kbarrowsola@aol.com or call the rectory and leave a message for her to call you.

INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is a program for adults who desire to become fully initiated members of the Catholic Church. RCIA helps adults grow in their relationship with God, become familiar with Catholic teachings and practices, get acquainted with the faith community and get involved in service within the community. Many people who want to join the Catholic Church have already been baptized in another Christian Church. They do not need to be rebaptized. They participate in the process with those never baptized to familiarize themselves with the Roman Catholic Tradition. Others may have been baptized in the Catholic Church and need to complete the sacraments of initiation by receiving first Eucharist and/or Confirmation.

If you know of someone who might be interested in learning more about RCIA, call the rectory to speak with Fr. Monroe or Karen Barrows or email cmunroe@ourladyofangels.org or Karen at kbarrowsola@aol.com.

PARTNERS IN CHARITY

This is the final week for this year's appeal. We raised \$57,860 – 101% of our goal. The diocesan wide effort is still several hundred thousand dollars short of its goal. Envelopes are still available in racks at the church doors for anyone who has not contributed.

MONTHLY RESPECT LIFE PROJECT

Next weekend, we invite you to bring with you to Mass items that would be useful in assisting Visitation House to help expectant and young mothers in need. Items can be placed at the Holy Family Shrine. Recommended items include diapers of all sizes, wet wipes, baby photo albums and toiletries of all kinds, powder, baby blankets or anything else you think would help expectant or new mothers care for themselves and their child.

HALO 19 SUPPORT GROUP

HALO 19 stands for **Healing After Loss (from) Overdose 2019**. This support group generally meets on the first Monday of each month to help family members cope with the loss of a loved one from drugs or alcohol. **Because of the Labor Day holiday, they will meet the second Monday of September, September 9th at 7:00 pm in the Rieger Hall of our church.** For more information or to ask questions, contact Aileen Lovejoy at 508-755-5041 or Deb Dowd-Foley at 508-248-5622.

THE WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sun., August 25 – 21st Ordinal Sunday

8:00 am Lord's Day Mass
10:30 am Lord's Day Mass
12 noon Baptisms
6:00 pm Lord's Day Mass

Mon., August 26 – Monday of 21st Ordinal Week

9:00 am Daily Mass

Tue., August 27 – St. Monica

9:00 am Daily Mass

Wed., August 28 – St. Augustine

7:50 am First Day of OLA School Year

9:00 am Daily Mass

7:00 pm Finance Committee Budgeting Meeting

Thu., August 29 – Passion of St. John the Baptist

9:00 am Daily Mass

Fri., August 30 – Friday of 21st Ordinal Week

9:00 am Daily Mass

Sat., August 31 – Saturday of 21st Ordinal Week

3:00 pm Confessions

4:00 pm Vigil Mass

120 CLUB

The winner of last week's drawing is **Clarinda Pouliot - #108**. The end of the current cycle dinner will be held on Saturday, October 19th after the 4 pm Mass.

PRESIDERS FOR NEXT WEEKEND

Saturday, August 31	4:00 pm	Fr. Monroe
Sunday, September 1	8:00 am	Fr. Dougherty
	10:30 am	Fr. Monroe
	6:00 pm	Fr. Monroe

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

“For behold, some are last who will be first and some are first who will be last.” (Luke 13:30)

Our standards in society are different from God's standards. We often rank people by what they have, how powerful they are, or how successful they are. Jesus reminds us that God will not judge us by the same earthly standards. When God asks you, “what have you done with the gifts I have given you?” How will you respond?