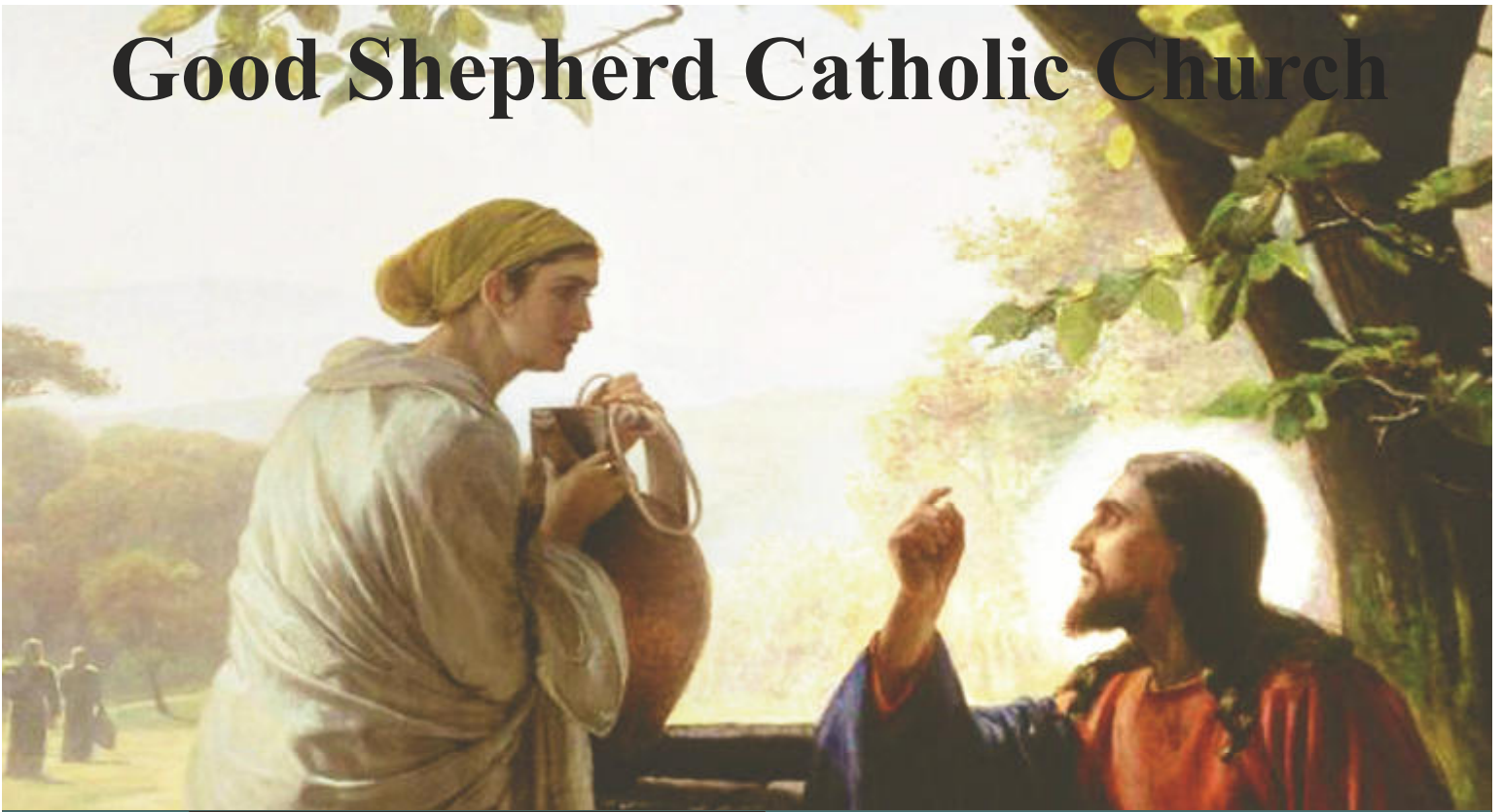


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LITURGY SCHEDULE

Weekends

Saturday: 6:00 PM
Sunday: 9:00 AM

Daily

Mass (Tuesday & Friday): 8:45 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday 10:00-11:00 AM
(At St. Augustine 3:00-3:45 PM)

Holy Day Masses:

As announced

SACRAMENTS

Baptisms: Please contact the parish office to schedule date of preparation and date of baptism.

Marriage: Please contact the pastor at least one year before planned date of marriage.

Visitation or Anointing of the Sick: Anytime. Please contact the pastor.

If you are a visitor or if you are new to our parish, we welcome you. If you would like to become a member of our parish, you may call the parish office, contact us by e-mail or return this form by mail or by placing it in the offertory collection.

This form may also be used for change of address or to request a call from a member of our staff.

Name _____

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Linwood/Uxbridge, Massachusetts



- Saturday, March 14**
6:00 PM Peggy Gendron by her mother
- Sunday, March 15**
9:00 AM Ben Hamelin (3rd Anniv.) by his family & Margaret Barron by her family
- Tuesday, March 17**
8:45 AM Holy Souls in Purgatory by the Helpers of the Holy Souls
- Friday, March 20**
8:45 AM NO MASS
- Saturday, March 21**
6:00 PM Beatrice Redding by her granddaughters
- Sunday, March 22**
9:00 AM Lena Gouin by her family

Liturgical Roles March 21 & 22

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

- 6:00 PM** J. Paquette, A. Thomson
9:00 AM C. Guertin, R. Poulin

Lectors

- 6:00 PM** S. Desjourdy
9:00 AM J. Hauge, A. Darling

Altar Servers

- 6:00 PM** A. Thompson
9:00 AM J. & M. Lowrey

Ushers

- 6:00 PM** K. & J. Nutter
9:00 AM D. & MB Guertin

Readings for the week of March 15, 2020

- Sunday:** Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42
- Monday:** 2 Kgs 5:1-15b/Ps 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4 [cf. Ps 42:3]/Lk 4:24-30
- Tuesday:** Dn 3:25, 34-43/Ps 25:4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9 [6a]/Mt 18:21-35
- Wednesday:** Dt 4:1, 5-9/Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20 [12a]/Mt 5:17-19
- Thursday:** 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a
- Friday:** Hos 14:2-10/Ps 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14 and 17 [cf. 11 and 9a]/Mk 12:28-34
- Saturday:** Hos 6:1-6/Ps 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab [cf. Hos 6:6]/Lk 18:9-14
- Next Sunday:** 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [1]/Eph 5:8-14/Jn 9:1-41 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38



Sunday, March 15	9:00 AM	Little Lambs (Parish hall)
	10:00 AM	Gr. K-8 (Parish hall)
Tuesday, March 17	6:00 PM	TOPS (Parish hall)
Wednesday, March 18	6:00 PM	Rosary Makers (Parish hall)
	6:30 PM	Scouts (Parish hall)
Thursday, March 19	7:00 PM	Bible Study (Rectory)
Friday, March 20	9:15 AM	NO Stations of the Cross (Church)
Saturday, March 21	10:00 AM	Confessions
	4:00 PM	Bible Study (Rectory)
Sunday, March 22	9:00 AM	NO RELIGIOUS ED.
	6:45 PM	Conf. I Rehearsal (St. Gabriel's)

3rd Sunday of Lent

We give the definition of ourselves over to so many things. We allow our society, friends, family, work, social groups, ethnicity, and even institutions define, classify, and color how we perceive ourselves. When we listen predominantly to the voices of others, we lose touch with what is happening within our own inner voice. If we listen carefully within, we can easily discover that we are in want and need. We know our incompleteness and also know that loneliness, sadness, and self-images can propel us outward in attempts to fill those gaps. We can become not only victims of our own prejudices but can find ourselves overly self-indulgent in things that can only satisfy for a short time, if at all.

It is no wonder that money and power are things that are so fervently sought after. As long as we can keep a steady supply going, the illusion of fulfillment and satisfaction can falsely persuade us as craftily as a master magician's act. We live with illusions not truth. It is no wonder, then, that some of the wealthiest folks are also really the unhappiest. Whether we admit it, the lies we live and pursue will ultimately expose our superficiality. We all have to wrestle with who we are and what gives our lives purpose and meaning. Learn to listen more deeply, not to what others are saying about you, but to what God is echoing in your heart.

We can easily get confused and misunderstand, not only about who we are but who God is. Even the disciples and the Samaritan woman at the well missed the point Jesus was trying to make. There is only one Person who can satisfy the deepest yearnings and longings of our hearts — Jesus the Messiah. It is not the work of corporate America that will lead us to happiness or greatness but the work of the soul. We continue to resist acknowledging this and are happier in our world of misunderstanding and illusion. The life-giving water we truly need doesn't come from the source of a well but from the Source of Life. Only God can reveal the truth of our sinfulness, the superficiality of our pursuits, and the illusions we hold so dear. Only Jesus can save us from ourselves and give us what we really need. If only our heads can catch up with where our hearts know they need to be, then will we find real contentment and life!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

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Sunday, March 15

9:00 am Little Lambs
10:00 am K-8

Please keep the following Confirmation Candidates in your prayers as they prepare for Confirmation on Monday, March 23 at 7:00pm at St. Gabriel's the Archangel, Upton.

Good Shepherd

Katelyn Barrows, Amanda Brochu, Adin Darling, Colleen Kenny, Lindsey Labossiere, Maegan Morrissey

St. Augustine

Alexis Alvarado, Leah Cook, Alexis Harrison, Benjamin Kearnan, Camden Laforest, Raymond Novio, Haley Vadenais, Hayley Vecchioni

CHOIR ANNOUNCEMENT

If you are interested in joining the choir and becoming part of the music ministry, then there is always room for volunteers. Right now, our music ministers, Marylin and Bailee are asking for volunteers to join the choir for Easter Sunday mass. There will be rehearsal for that mass on Friday, April 3 at 7:30pm. Further details can be discussed with Marylin and Bailee.

During the weeks of March 9 and 16, daily mass will be on Tuesday ONLY, there will be NO Stations of the Cross on Friday, March 13 and 20. Weekend Masses will be the regular schedule. Our normal schedule of daily mass will resume March 23. St. Augustine will have daily mass on Thursday ONLY during this time and will have Stations of the Cross on Friday evening at 7 pm lead by Deacon Mike.



The Rosary Makers Group will meet on Wednesday, March 18 at 6:00 pm in the Parish Hall.

SHARING OUR BLESSINGS

Weekend of March 7 & 8

Sunday Regular \$2584; Electronic \$1083;
St. A Reimbursement \$225; Candles \$60; Easter Flowers \$175
Other Income \$100
Parish Savings \$100;

Number of Envelopes: 88 Thank you

*(The participation of all is very important
and is appreciated by the whole community)*

Liturgical Ministers

There is a sign up sheet in the sacristy for Holy Week, the Easter Vigil and Easter Sunday. Please stop in to volunteer in your ministry.

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Want to stay up to date on everything going on in the Good Shepherd Parish community? Sign up for our Monthly Newsletter, provided through Flocknotes. It's easy. Simply text the word *gslinwood* to 84576 and you'll be sent a link. Either click the link to complete your profile or simply reply with your email address.

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Newsletters will be sent out once a month, with additional timely announcements sent as needed.

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ALL Good Shepherd/St. Augustine Women

are invited to a

Women's Tea

Sunday, May 17, 2020

1-3pm

Good Shepherd Parish Hall

More information will follow in the upcoming weeks. Hosted by Ann Wagstaff.

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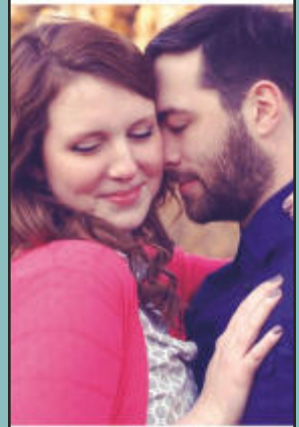
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