

# Good Shepherd Catholic Church

# MEMORIAL DAY

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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, May 23**  
**4:00 PM**      **Mass online**  
 The People of St. Augustine & Good Shepherd  
**(Intentions may be rescheduled)**

**Sunday, May 24**  
**11:00 AM**      **Mass online**  
 Rose, Arthur & Lucien Letendre  
 by Jeannette Daigle Massey  
**(Intentions may be rescheduled)**

**Monday, May 25**    **Memorial Day**  
**11:00 AM**      **Mass online**

**Tuesday, May 26**  
**11:00 AM**      **Mass online**  
 The People of Good Shepherd & St. Augustine

**Thursday, May 28**  
**11:00 AM**      **Mass online**

**Friday, May 29**  
**11:00AM**      **Mass online**  
 Marie Desruisseaux by White family  
**(Intentions may be rescheduled)**

**Saturday, May 30**  
**4:00 PM**      **Mass online**  
 The People of St. Augustine & Good Shepherd

**Sunday, May 31**  
**11:00 AM**      **Mass online**  
 Regina Manna by the family  
**(Intentions may be rescheduled)**

**Liturgical Roles May 30 & 31**  
**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion**

**6:00 PM**  
**9:00 AM**

**Lectors**

**6:00 PM**  
**9:00 AM**

**Altar Servers**

**6:00 PM**  
**9:00 AM**

**Ushers**

**6:00 PM**  
**9:00 AM**



<b>Tuesday, May 26</b>	6:00 PM	NO TOPS (Parish hall)
<b>Thursday, May 28</b>	7:00 PM	NO Bible Study (Rector)
<b>Saturday, May 30</b>	10:00 AM	Drive Thru Confessions (behind church)
	4:00 PM	NO Bible Study (Rector)

**UPDATE**

Weekday masses online will be on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday at 11:00 am.

Holy Hour with Rosary online will be on Monday & Thursday at 7:00 pm.

**Readings for the week of May 24, 2020**

Sunday: *Ascension:* Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 [6]/  
 Eph 1:17-23/Mt 28:16-20

7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter: Acts 1:12-14/Ps 27:1, 4, 7-8 [13]/  
 1 Pt 4:13-16/Jn 17:1-11a

Monday: Acts 19:1-8/Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab  
 [33a]/Jn 16:29-33

Tuesday: Acts 20:17-27/Ps 68:10-11, 20-21 [33a]/  
 Jn 17:1-11a

Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38/Ps 68:29-30, 33-35a,  
 35bc-36ab [33a]/Jn 17:11b-19

Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8,  
 9-10, 11 [1]/Jn 17:20-26

Friday: Acts 25:13b-21/Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab  
 [19a]/Jn 21:15-19

Saturday: *Morning:* Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/Ps 11:4, 5 and 7  
 [cf. 7b]/Jn 21:20-25

Next Sunday: *Vigil:* Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-  
 14 or Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29,  
 30 [cf. 30]/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39.

*Extended Vigil:* Gn 11:1-9/Ps 33:10-11, 12-13, 14-15/  
 Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b/Dn 3:52, 53, 55, 56 [52b]  
 or Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Ez 37:1-14/Ps 107:2-3,  
 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [1]/Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35,  
 27-28, 29, 30 [cf. 30]/Rom 8:22-27/  
 Jn 7:37-39. *Day:* Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24,  
 29-30, 31, 34 [cf. 30]/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13/  
 Jn 20:19-23



**Seventh Sunday of Easter**

What does faith and religion do for us? Ultimately, they remind us of some truths we conveniently forget: we are created by a loving God, we have imperfections, we sin, we need to be forgiven, we have a mission and a purpose, it's not just about us, and we hunger for the joy of salvation. These are human truths that are not dependent upon whether we like them. Ignoring them places us on the paths of comfort and satisfaction as we blindly pursue the busyness and superficiality of our empty lives. Instead of pursuing supernatural and lasting pleasure, we choose things that are easier and quicker to obtain: sex, drugs, travel, houses, cars, fame, popularity, self-achievement and satisfaction, physical enjoyment, and the like.

We may also find ourselves falling victim to more negative responses to what life brings us: anger, envy, lust, pride, gluttony, greed, and apathy. Human hearts can become so hardened to the truth that violence becomes the response of first choice. Being a Christian is hard! Yet, as Pope Francis reminds us, the Church needs to be a field hospital that has to be prepared to provide people with the remedy they need. What we need is Jesus Christ. The Church, with all of the glory of the sacraments, exists to help make Christ present and real for us. Once we find Christ, we find joy. Joy is a matter of the heart that is beyond pleasure and happiness. It is not found in some earthly satisfaction, only in Christ.

Once we accept that we are destined to be in Christ, then we will discover eternal life. Namely, "that they should know you, the only true God, and the one whom you sent, Jesus Christ." It is easy to conveniently forget truth and pursue illusions immediately within our grasp, but at what price? A man celebrating 60 years of marriage remarked that it took so much effort and so many attempts to convince his wife that they were meant to be together. Even his friends told him he was foolish. He easily could have given up and pursued other interests. He chose to persevere and is so grateful that he made that choice because he now has a pearl of great price. Do we see a value in persevering in our faith regardless of the cost? If we don't take the risk, we could lose more than we know.

**SHARING OUR BLESSINGS****Weekend of May 16 & 17**

Sunday Regular \$1875; Electronic \$433;  
Fuel & Maintenance \$50

**Other Income \$65**  
Parish Savings \$65;

Number of Envelopes: 43 Thank you

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



*Religious Education is finished  
for this school year!*

**NAC Food Pantry**

The Northbridge Association of Churches Food Pantry NEEDS YOUR HELP! The NAC Food Pantry is in danger of closing, unless we get some volunteers right away! Here is what they need: Tuesdays 10am-12pm and Thursdays 1pm-3pm, when clients arrive, check list and box up food while clients stay outside or in their vehicle, then bring the food out to a cart for client to take. Please leave a message at 508-234-4599 if you can help.

**JOIN OUR NEWSLETTER COMMUNITY**

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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Memorial Day.

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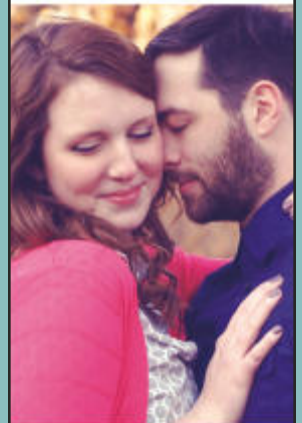
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