

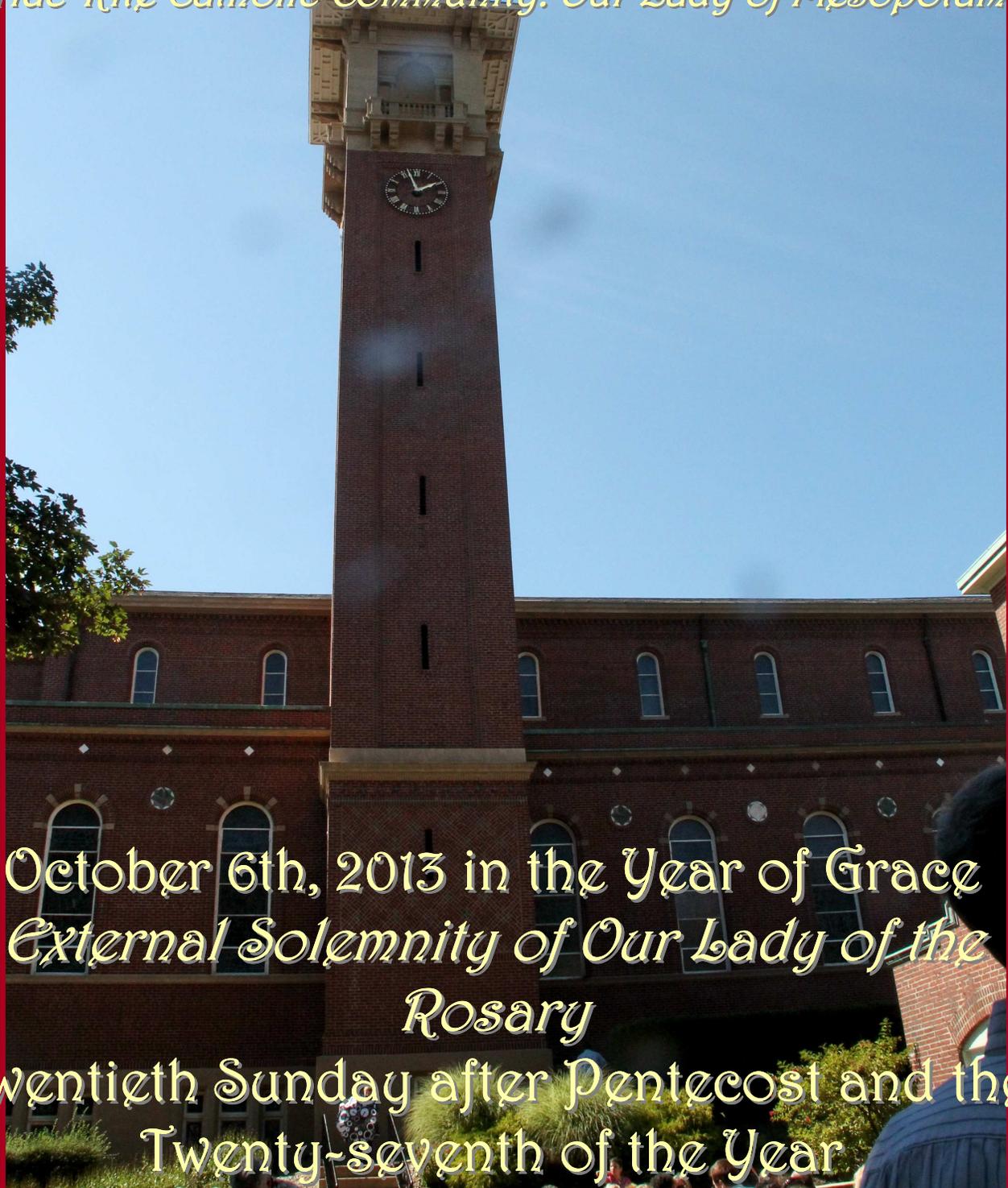
Mary Immaculate of Lourdes

(Formerly St. Mary's Parish, 1870-1910)

Newton/Needham, Massachusetts

Newton & Needham's Oldest Roman Catholic Parish

Syriac-Rite Catholic Community: Our Lady of Mesopotamia



October 6th, 2013 in the Year of Grace
*External Solemnity of Our Lady of the
Rosary*

Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost and the
Twenty-seventh of the Year

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Mary Immaculate of Lourdes Parish

270 Elliot Street Newton, MA 02464

Parish Staff

PASTOR: FATHER CHARLES JEREMIAH HIGGINS

PASTORAL ASSOCIATE: MR. DAVID ALLEN

VISITING ASSISTANT PRIEST: FATHER ALVARO SILVA

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: JEAN JOHNSON (DIRECTOR)
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Parish Cemetery of Saint Mary's, Needham GUARDIAN ESTATE MANAGEMENT INC.

Mr. Ron Goguen, Superintendent .

Guardian Staff on-site for service hours Mon.-Fri.,
9 AM—3 PM, April through November.

The Cemetery Office is located at the parish
rectory on 270 Elliot St, Newton Upper Falls and is
open Monday-Friday, 8 AM—5 PM.

Telephone: 781-235-1841

Mass Schedule

Sunday: 4:00 PM (Saturday Vigil), 7:30 AM
9:00 AM, 10:30 AM (Traditional Latin), 5:30 PM

Weekdays: Monday—Friday 7:30 AM

Traditional Latin Low Mass:

Mon., Wed. & Fri., 12:30 PM; Tues. & Thurs.,
5:30 PM, Sat. 9:00 AM.

Holy Days: if Mon-Fri., 7:30 AM., 12:30, 5:30 &
7:30 PM.; if on Saturday, 7:30, 9:00 & 10:30 AM

Christmas Eve: 4:00 PM & 12 Midnight

Christmas Day: 7:30, 9:00 & 10:30 AM

January 1st: 7:30, 9:00 & 10:30 AM

SACRAMENTS

Baptism: Upon request. Please contact Father Higgins.

Penance (Confession):

Saturday 8:30-9:00 A.M. and 3:30-4:00 PM

Sunday, before and after the 10:30 a.m. AM Mass,
Weekdays, before and after the Latin daily Masses

Matrimony:

Engaged couples should make arrangements with the
parish church so as to allow for adequate sacramental
preparation (six months), including a Pre-Cana program.

Pastoral Care of the Sick

Anointing of the Sick (for those who are gravely ill or
facing serious surgery); **Communion of the Sick for
the Homebound:** Please contact Father Higgins.

OCTOBER IS THE MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY



FRONT COVER:
*A view of our parish
church from the
parish gardens,
September 8th, 2013.
Photo taken by Paul
Eldridge.*

Pastor's Note

PARISH STEWARDSHIP: PRUDENCE & GENEROSITY

*By David Allen, Pastoral Associate and Parishioner
of Mary Immaculate of Lourdes*

We who are parishioners of Mary Immaculate of Lourdes Parish have been entrusted with a thrilling task: we have the serious, but exciting responsibility to maintain and grow this parish community, so that it can thrive as a center where we, our children, and many others can have communion with Jesus Christ. This is the mission of our parish. Working together under the leadership of our pastor, Fr. Higgins, we continue to maintain this beautiful space as a Temple for sacred worship, and consequently, as a haven for genuine and refreshing fellowship among family and friends. On this basis, we as parishioners are able to keep the doors open for others who are seeking these things, as well. We should hope that the treasure we have found here will be found by others, too!

We know how precious these graces are to us. Indeed, we orient our life around our

worship of God, and our fellowship with one another. Where would we be without the sanctifying grace given to us in Baptism and Confirmation, the Real Presence of Jesus Christ in the Eucharist, His healing forgiveness and mercy in confession, etc.? Where would we be without the many prayers and sacrifices we offer one another, and that our pastor offers for us? Each of us can recollect the many ways in which this parish has meant and continues to mean so much to us.

In consideration of these many graces, it is fortuitous for us *always* to be open to evaluating our stewardship. There are always new ways we can improve upon the support we give our parish, monetarily and otherwise. Have you ever had an experience where you were so touched or moved by the generosity or selflessness of another, and felt indebted to them? In such times, we feel like we could never pay them back, *but we often try to anyway*. This, indeed, is how we should feel every week for the many blessings God gives us, either directly through our parish, or otherwise. Monetary support for the parish is a *natural* expression of thanks to God for the priceless gifts we have received, principally the Real Presence of Christ in the Mass, as well as all the other manifold blessings (family, friends, work, leisure, food, answers to specific prayers, etc.).

It does not hurt to be reminded that our parish is still an expensive operation that depends on us on a *weekly* basis. The bills are paid by our generosity. Can we give more? Could we lovingly and cheerfully consider making greater sacrifices that demonstrate even further how thankful we are for what we have? These are questions we can only answer in the depths of our consciences before God, knowing that we will render an account for our stewardship of his gifts.

A good rule of thumb for tithing (donating money and time/service to the Church) is to be prudent, while generous. It goes without saying that we must be realistic

about our financial responsibilities. In other words, we oughtn't to increase our tithe to the detriment of our legitimate needs.

On the other hand, we should always approach our finances with an attitude of stewardship: everything we have ultimately does not belong to us, but to God. Therefore, it only makes sense to be as generous as possible, in recognition of the true Master of our money, lest our money master us. Think about the words of our Lord to the good stewards in the parable of the talents: "Well done, my good and faithful servant" (cf. Mt. 25:21). Ponder these words in your daily time of prayer, and see if there is something further that the Lord might be asking you to do on behalf of Mary Immaculate of Lourdes Parish.

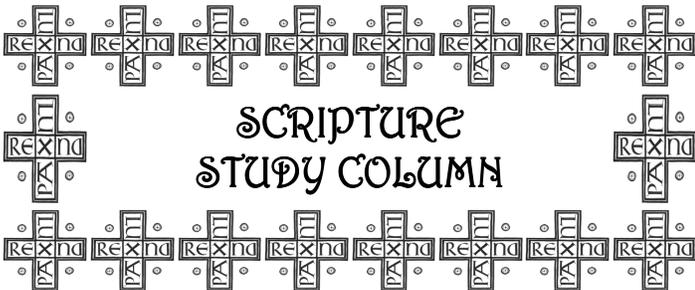
(David Allen)

a new segment of the Gospel. In order to appreciate the significance of these two verses which introduce the public ministry of St. John the Baptist, we must try to hear and understand them in the way a first-century Jew would have.

Several of the Old Testament prophets are introduced to us in Scripture in the same way that St. Luke begins this chapter. For peoples in ancient times, the naming of the rulers, and the dates and places of their reigns usually served to help the reader locate the prophet in time, and to attach a context to the prophet's life and ministry. St. Luke associates St. John with the Old Testament prophets by introducing him with the same kind of formula (rulers' names, dates, and kingdoms, etc.). Most importantly, as the commentary from the New American Bible notes, St. Luke explicitly states that "the word of God came to" him, thereby implying the authenticity of his prophetic office (we already know that John is a prophet from the narrative of chapter 1). For St. Luke's original audience, these names, dates, and places would have rung a bell immediately, and therefore, would have had more practical relevance. Unfortunately for us, we often do not know the historical/political context of these events as well as they did.

Here are some things we can note about some of these figures. Firstly, Pontius Pilate was the Roman authority occupying Jerusalem. His presence was a shame and frustration to the Jews who desired to regain national independence from pagan Roman dominion. Most importantly, he was truly a pathetic man, because he delivered Jesus to death. Herod Antipas was the son of Herod the Great (the king who sought Jesus' life and killed all the children in Bethlehem in Mt. 2). He was a spineless puppet king of the Romans, and was only half Jewish. For these reasons, he fell short of ideal David-like figure the people desired as a king. He was also gravely immoral, as St. Luke tells us in v.19. Like Pilate, Herod participated in Jesus' being put to death. The high priests Annas and Caiaphas were the primary instigators in Jesus' being handed over to Pilate for crucifixion. They typify the religious elite at the time, many of whom opposed Jesus at every turn. In all four men, we see a common thread: rejection of Jesus, the one for whom St. John was preparing the way. In contrast to this grim historical context, St.

KNOW YOUR CATHOLIC FAITH



GOSPEL OF SAINT LUKE BIBLE STUDY *Luke 3:1-20 (Part 1)*



As you begin to read the first two verses of Luke chapter 3, you might easily find yourself losing interest (if you're like me, anyway). You might be thinking to yourself, "What's with all these unfamiliar names (except that of Pontius Pilate, at least) and unfamiliar places?" This is not a gripping way to begin

Luke presents the alternative: the message of St. John the Baptist, drawn from Isaiah, which centers on *accepting* the Messiah.

St. John identifies himself as the "voice crying out." In other words, he sees himself as the personification and fulfillment of this prophecy (here again, the Lucan theme of promise and fulfillment resurfaces). We hear this passage every year during Advent. In context, this passage from Isaiah begins a new section of material in the book describing the redemption and salvation of the Babylonian captives, linking their deliverance to the *Messianic age*. "Preparing the way of the Lord" was an idiom in the ancient world that indicated the forthcoming triumphal entry of a conquering lord with his whole retinue in procession to the city, as some commentators note. A herald would announce to the people that a new kingdom/regime was coming, and that the people needed to be ready (and this could either be good news or bad news, depending on the quality of the new ruler). By boldly proclaiming "Prepare the way of the Lord," John consciously identifies Jesus (his cousin) as God himself, as well as the Messiah prophesied in Isaiah, who brings salvation, healing, and forgiveness to the nations. How does this apply to us?

In order to receive the inestimable mercy and salvation of Jesus, we must remove the obstacles that hinder His approach to us in the "road" of our "souls," as Origen, one of the great Church Fathers, explains. We must fill up the "valleys" of our deficiency in virtue, crush the "hills" of our pride which refuses His love, and make straight the crooked ways and "winding roads" of our sinful rationalizations of His truth and plan for our lives. This is the essence of the message of repentance (literally, a change of mind/heart) that St. John the Baptist preached. This is how we can "prepare the way" to receive the King into our lives. More on this passage next week.

(David Allen)

Mr. David Allen is the lay Pastoral Associate for our parish of Mary Immaculate of Lourdes. He is currently working towards a Master's Degree in Theological Studies (MTS) at St. John's Seminary.



FAITH FORMATION

A survey course on the Catholic Faith led by David Allen on **Sundays from mid-September through mid-May**, from 12:15-1:15 PM. This

class is particularly appropriate for any inquirers who might be seeking to learn more about the Faith, or might desire to be baptized and/or confirmed, as well as for those who are already Catholic, and who wish to have a deeper knowledge of their Faith.

The two texts for the class are the *Catechism of the Catholic Church*, as well as Peter Kreeft's excellent book *Catholic Christianity*, both of which will be provided at the class for a suggested donation to the parish of \$25.00.

Where? Rectory sun porch (on first floor; please enter rectory at front door)

When? Sundays, 12:15-1:15 PM

This is an open class and new participants are invited to join at any time during the course-year.



WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY: "THE GOSPEL OF LUKE"

David Allen, our Pastoral Associate, hosts a weekly Bible Study on the Gospel of Luke every Friday morning at 8:20 AM (after the 7:30 Parish Mass). The Bible Study meets in the Lower Rectory Conference Room (in rectory basement). It is an open group and all are welcome to attend.

Refreshments provided. Please bring your Bible.

Religious Education



October 6th, 2013:
Kindergarten-Grade 5
8:30-10:00 AM
(includes Mass)
Grades 6-8
4:15-6:30 PM
(includes Mass)

Classes begin in the Lower Church Hall.

No classes next Sunday, October 13th
(Columbus Day Holiday)



FOOD DRIVE to help the Newton Food Pantry

The Religious Education Program is organizing a Food Drive from the parish to give to the Newton Food Pantry.

Non-perishable grocery items may be left in the front vestibule of the main church between October 13th-November 3rd. Items particularly needed are: flour, sugar, cooking oil, grocery store gift cards, and canned goods.

STEWARDSHIP



SACRIFICIAL OFFERINGS FOR THE SUPPORT OF OUR PARISH AND THE WIDER CHURCH MISSION

"What return can I make to the Lord for all His kindness to Me?"

WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 29th, A.D. 2013:
SUNDAY OFFERTORY \$4,594.00 + \$1,621.00
(other offerings) = **\$6,215.00**

CLERGY BENEFIT TRUST COLLECTION:

\$1,980.00



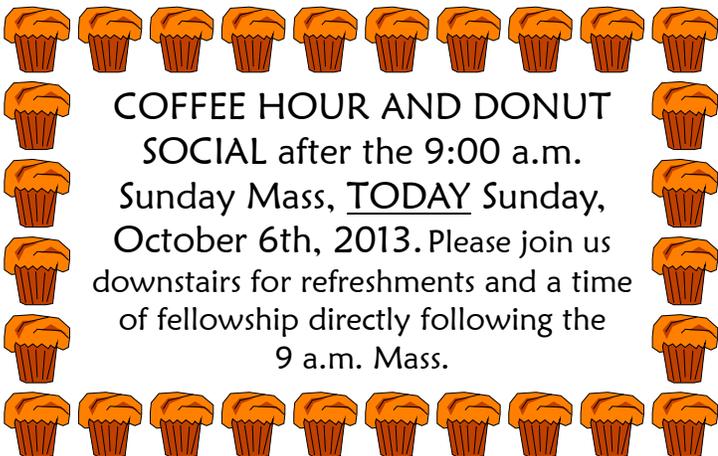
SPECIAL PARISH COLLECTION FOR AIR CONDITIONING TODAY, SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6th, 2013:

This Sunday we make an appeal for your added sacrifice in our post-summer Air Conditioning Collection which helps to defray the increased cost of climatizing the main church and the hall during the hot-weather months. Please consider making as generous a gift to the parish as your means will allow in the range of \$25-\$50-\$100.

PARISH FELLOWSHIP



WE INVITE EVERYONE TO JOIN US FOR COFFEE HOUR DOWNSTAIRS EACH SUNDAY AFTER THE 10:30 LATIN MASS.



COFFEE HOUR AND DONUT SOCIAL after the 9:00 a.m. Sunday Mass, TODAY Sunday, October 6th, 2013. Please join us downstairs for refreshments and a time of fellowship directly following the 9 a.m. Mass.

October 6th A.D. 2013

20th Sunday after Pentecost and the 27th of the Year

Mary Immaculate of Lourdes, Newton/Needham, Massachusetts



BLESSED EMPEROR KARL VON HABSBURG Thursday, October 17th, 2013:

On Thursday, October 17th, at 5:30 PM, we will welcome His Excellency, Don Teodoro de Faria, Bishop Emeritus of Funchal, Madeira, to our parish for the celebration of a Pontifical High Mass in Honor of Blessed Karl von Habsburg, Emperor of Austria and Apostolic King of Hungary, who died exiled on Madeira in 1922 and was beatified by Pope John Paul II in 2004. As bishop of the diocese in which Blessed Karl died, Bishop Faria has long been active in his cause for sainthood. It was Bishop Faria who formally presented the petition of beatification to Pope John Paul II.

Directly following the Mass, a reception will be held in the Lower Church Hall. Bishop de Faria will give a presentation about his book on Blessed Karl. Mr. Raymond de Souza, Knight of Malta and Catholic Apologist, will be accompanying Bishop de Faria and will also speak.

The Mass and the Reception are open to the public.



*"Pray, hope, and don't worry!
Worry is useless.
God is merciful and will hear your prayer.
Prayer is the best weapon we have;
it is the key to God's heart.
You must speak to Jesus not only with your lips
but with your heart.
In fact, on certain occasions,
you should speak to Him only with your heart."*

Famous Quote by Padre Pio

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

“MARY’S MANTLES” PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY:

A PRAYERFUL REQUEST

“Mary’s Mantles” is a prayer-shawl ministry which began January 27th, 2013. The knitters and crocheters have sent many blessed shawls throughout the parish and some states to ill people and children in need of comfort and prayers. At this time we are running low on shawls—we are asking our parishioners if any of you would consider knitting or crocheting a shawl or two to donate to our ministry by December 8th, as we are trying to compile enough to distribute to the residents of the Stone Institute for Christmas. You are welcome to come to our meetings on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month. If you are too busy, you can knit and crochet at your leisure.

Thank you in advance for answering this request for help. Any questions? Please talk to Janet Pino.

Next meeting on Sunday, October 13th.



LADIES’ SODALITY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION AND ST. ROSE OF LIMA: Founded 1872

Meeting TODAY, October 6th

**First Sundays of the Month, after the 10:30 AM
Mass in the lower rectory Conference Room.**

Visitors and Inquirers welcome to attend.



LADIES SODALITY RETREAT for SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12th, 2013

The Ladies Sodality is planning its annual retreat for Saturday, October 12th, 2013 A.D. at the convent of St. Anne’s House (Sisters of St. Benedict Center) in Still

River, MA. Canon Jean-Marie Moreau of the Institute of Christ the King will be the Retreat Master. The overall theme of the retreat will be Perfection and will touch on establishing a Rule of Life, spiritual progress, interior life, union with God, rising after falling, and avoiding discouragement.

The cost of the retreat-day is \$35. A light breakfast and a simple lunch will be included. As in past years, the Sodality invites other ladies of the parish to join them.

For more information or to register, please contact Jeanette Pappin:
jeanette.pappin@gmail.com
781-964-4448

Nursing Home Masses in the Parish for the Month of October:

**Thursday, October 3rd:
STONE INSTITUTE**

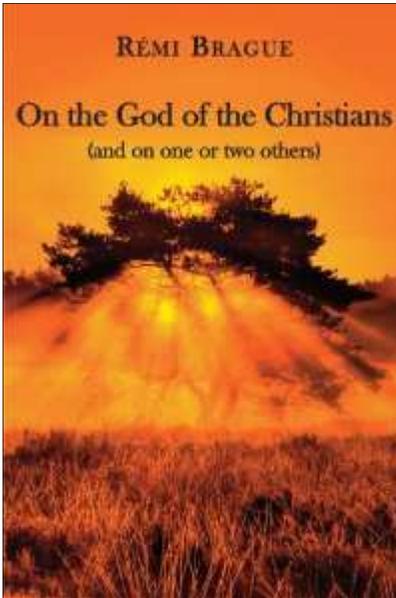
**Thursday, October 10th:
WINGATE MANOR**

(Masses are at 2:00 PM)

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be offered at the nursing home Masses this month.

The Sacrament of Baptism for infants and children under 7 years of age is scheduled upon request. Please speak with Fr. Higgins directly or call the Parish Office during the week:
617-244-0558

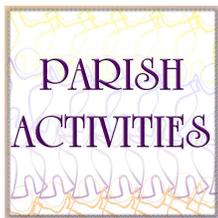
BENEDICTUM BOOK CLUB



The next meeting of the Benedictum Book Club will be Thursday, October 24th, at 10:30 AM in the Lower Rectory Conference Room. The book under discussion will be Remi Brague's *On the God of the Christians (and on one or two others)*.

For more information contact Tina McCormick:

TinaM@post.harvard.edu or 617-970-1448



BRING A SAINT AND LUNCH:

Thursday, October 31st, 2013
'All Hallows' E'en'
12 Noon

A general invitation is extended to join an informal gathering of parishioners who want to learn more about the Lives of the Saints. The idea is to research the life of a canonized saint, pack a lunch, and then join fellow parishioners and interested visitors for a get-together in the lower rectory conference room. A presentation should be no longer than 5-10 minutes. If you don't want to make a presentation, please just come and be inspired by the Lives of the Saints as well as to enjoy some fellowship. Our next meeting will be on Thursday, October 31st, at 12 Noon in the Lower Rectory Conference Room.

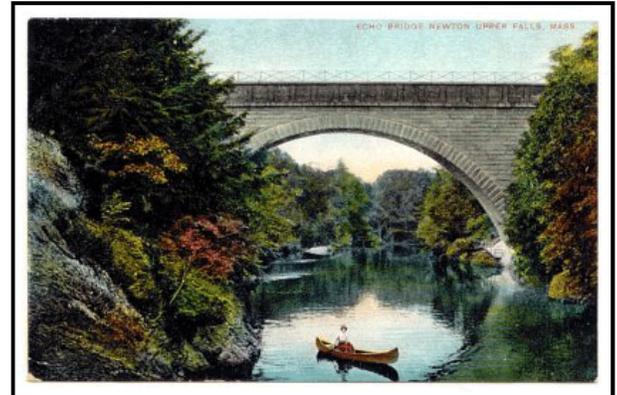
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CONFESSIONS ARE HEARD SUNDAYS

BEFORE AND AFTER THE
10:30 LATIN MASS,
WEEKDAYS

BEFORE AND AFTER THE DAILY
LATIN MASSES, and on
SATURDAYS: 8:30-9:00 AM &
3:30-4:00 PM



Post
card of
Echo
Bridge

BAPTISMS



*CONGRATULATIONS...
To Mr. and Mrs. Christophe
and Sharon (Lee) Juhasz on the
christening of their daughter
ELIZABETH MARIE-ANNE
JUHASZ at Mary Immaculate
of Lourdes Church on
Saturday, September 28th,
A.D. 2013. Her godfather is Paul Juhasz. Elizabeth
is their 5th CHILD and their first daughter.*



*SPECIAL INTENTION: For all
the expectant mothers of our parish
family.*

"St. Gerard Majella, pray for us"

Prayer for Motherhood:

*O good St. Gerard, powerful intercessor
before God and Wonderworker of our day,*

*I call upon thee and seek thy aid. Thou who on this earth
didst always fulfil God's designs, help me to do the Holy Will
of God. Beseech the Master of Life, from Whom all paternity
proceedeth, to render me fruitful in offspring, that I may raise
up children to God in this life and heirs to the Kingdom of His
Glory in the world to come. Amen.*

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

“PROJECT RACHEL” RETREAT FOR HOPE & HEALING after ABORTION

Saturday, October 26th or Saturday, November 23rd,
2013: 9 AM - 5 PM

This 1-day Retreat is designed to help women hurting from past abortions experience the personal love of Christ and find hope for healing.

Sponsored by the Project Rachel Ministry of the Archdiocese of Boston.

Location is confidential. \$10 requested donation.
Pre-registration is required. Information:
Project Rachel at (508) 651-3100
Email: help@projectrachelboston.com

PRAYER LINE OF THE POOR CLARE COLLETTINE SISTERS



Hawarden, Wales
www.poorclarestmd.org



On our Massachusetts Climate, from the Encyclopedia Britannica, 1939:

“The winters are long and extremely severe, passing through a very short spring abruptly into summer, a winter which Henry Adams said, ‘*Is always the effort to live*’, and a summer which is ‘*tropical license*’. The autumn is apt to be fine, and the air, especially in the Berkshire Hills, dry, cool, and bracing.”

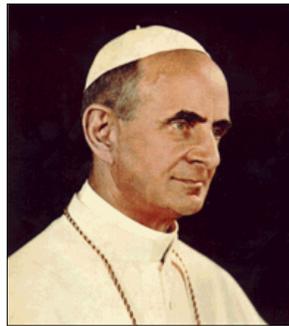
ABOUT OUR PARISH



Welcome,
New Parishioners
and Sunday Visitors:

Mary Immaculate of Lourdes Parish is a canonically open parish of the Archdiocese of Boston, which has a Traditional Latin Mass apostolate. Both the ordinary form of the Roman Rite (1970 Missal) and the extraordinary form (1962 Missal) are celebrated here with the blessing of His Eminence Sean Cardinal O’Malley, Archbishop of Boston. We encourage new parishioners to please register in the parish and to introduce yourselves to the Pastor. We are always glad to welcome Sunday visitors here to our beautiful, historic church. We look forward to your coming again.

PLEASE TAKE THE TIME TO FILL OUT A PARISH REGISTRATION FORM.



Parish Mission Statement

“What then is a parish? It is the smallest section of the one universal flock which has been entrusted to Peter by the Lord.

Under the authority of a responsible priest who has received the care of souls from his bishop, the parish is, within the Church of Jesus Christ, the first community of Christian life; it is a community cut to human dimensions, in which the shepherd can know his flock and the flock can know their shepherd ... At the heart of this area, we find the parish church with its bell-tower, its baptistery, its confessional, its altar and tabernacle, a symbol of unity and the centre of community life.”

(Pope Paul VI)

LATIN MASS TEXTS: Traditional Propers for the Most Holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary

INTROIT: Psalm 44, 2. Let us all rejoice in the Lord, celebrating a festival-day in honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary, for whose solemn festival the angels rejoice and give praise to the Son of God. *Psalm:* My heart hath uttered a good word: I speak my works to the King. *V.* Glory be to the Father...

COLLECT: O God, whose only-begotten Son by His Life and death and resurrection has won for us the rewards of eternal salvation, grant, we pray, that we who meditate on these mysteries of the most holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary, my imitate what they contain and obtain what they promise. Through our Lord.

EPISTLE: Proverbs 8. 22-24, 32-35. The Lord possessed me in the beginning of His ways, before He made anything, from the beginning. I was set up from eternity, and of old, before the earth was made. The depths were not, as yet, and I was already conceived. Now therefore, ye children, hear me: blessed are they that keep my ways. Hear instruction, and be wise, and refuse it not. Blessed is the man that heareth me, that watcheth daily at my gates; and waiteth at the posts of my doors. He that shall find me, shall find life, and shall have salvation from the Lord.

GRADUAL: Psalm 44. 5, 11. 12. Because of truth, and meekness, and justice: and thy right hand shall conduct thee wonderfully. *V.* Harken, O daughter, and see, and incline thine ear, for the King hath greatly desired thy beauty. **ALLELUIA:** Alleluia, alleluia. *V.* The solemn festival of the glorious Virgin Mary of the seed of Abraham, sprung from the tribe of Juda, of David's royal race. Alleluia.

GOSPEL: Luke 1. 26-38. At that time, the angel Gabriel was sent from God into a city of Galilee, called Nazareth, to a virgin espoused to a man whose name was Joseph, of the house of David: and the virgin's name was Mary. And the angel being come in, said unto her: "Hail, full of grace, the Lord is with thee. blessed art thou among women." Who having heard, was troubled at his saying and thought with herself what manner of salutation this should be. And the angel said to her: "Fear not, Mary, for thou hast found grace with God. Behold, thou shalt conceive in thy womb and shalt bring forth a Son: and thou shalt call His name Jesus. He shall be great and shall be called the Son of the Most High, and the Lord God shall give unto Him the throne of David His Father: and He shall reign in the house of Jacob forever, and of His kingdom there shall be no end." And Mary said to the angel: "How shall this be done, because I know not man?" And the angel answering, said to her: "The Holy Ghost shall come upon thee and the power of the Most High shall overshadow thee. And therefore also the Holy which shall be born of thee shall be called the Son of God. And behold, thy kinswoman Elizabeth, she also hath conceived a son in her old age: and this is the sixth month with her that is called barren; because no word shall be impossible with God." And Mary said: "Behold, the handmaid of the Lord, be it done unto me according to thy word."

OFFERTORY: Eccclus. 24. 25; 39. 17. In me is all grace of the way and of the truth; in me is all hope of life and virtue. Like a rose planted on the rivers I have budded forth.

SECRET: Grant us, Lord, we pray, to offer You these gifts as we ought, and to meditate upon the Life, and passion, and glory of Your only-begotten Son through the mysteries of the most holy Rosary, so that we may be made worthy of His promises. Who being God, lives and reigns.

COMMUNION: Eccclus. 39. 19. Send forth flowers as the lily, and yield a smell, and bring forth leaves in grace, and praise with canticles, and bless the Lord in His works.

POSTCOMMUNION: May we be helped, we pray, Lord, by the prayers of Thy most Holy Mother, whose Rosary we are celebrating, so that we may feel the power of the mysteries which we honor, and gain the effect of the sacraments which we have received. Thou who art God, living and reigning.

Music Programs for this Sunday's Masses

Mass of Pope Paul VI (1970 Missal)

Saturday Vigil 4 PM

Sunday 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM & 5:30 PM

Twenty Seventh Sunday of the Year

Introit: Esther 13:9, 10, 11 **In voluntate tua**

"All things are submitted to Your will, O Lord, and no one can resist Your decisions; You have made all things, heaven and earth, and all that is contained under the vault of the sky; You are the master of the universe."

Kyrie – Chant

Gloria – Missa De Angelis (English)

Responsorial Psalm

Gospel Acclamation

Credo I: (extra sheet)

Offertory: Job 1, 2:7 **Vir erat**

"There was a man in the land of Hus whose name was Job, a blameless, upright and God-fearing man; Satan asked to be allowed to tempt him, and the Lord gave him power over his possessions and his body; and so, he destroyed his possessions and his children, and he ravaged his flesh with horrible sores."

Mass Setting: Mass VIII Missa De Angelis

Sanctus(English)

"Mortem tuam annuntiamus, Domine, et tuam resurrectionem confitemur, donec venias."

Lord's Prayer

Agnus Dei

Communion: Ps 119:31,34,36 **In salutari tuo**

"My soul aspires after Your salvation; I hope in Your word; when will You judge those who persecute me? The wicked are persecuting me; come to my assistance, O Lord my God."

Post Communion Hymn

Mary the Dawn (Gregorian Chant)

Recessional Hymn:

Hail, Holy Queen Enthroned
(Parish Hymnal No.83)

Mass of St. Gregory the Great (1962 Missal)

Sunday, 10:30 AM

External Solemnity of Our Lady of the Rosary

Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

Processional Hymn: Caelestis aulae Nuntius
(Gregorian Chant)

Asperges: Chant

Introit:

"Gaudeamus omnes in Domino, diem festum celebrantes sub honore Mariae Virginis; de cujus solemnitate gaudent Angeli, et collaudant Filium Dei. (Psalm) Eructavit cor meum verbum bonum; dico ego opera mea regi."

Ordinary Prayers: Missa IX Cum Jubilo
(Kyrie, Gloria, *Creed, Sanctus, Benedictus
and Agnus Dei)

Gradual: *"Propter veritatem, et mansuetudinem, et justitiam; et deducet te mirabiliter dextera tua. V. Audi filia, et vide, et inclina aurem tuam; quia concupivit rex speciem tuam."* **Alleluia:**
Alleluia, V. Solemnitas gloriosae Virginis Mariae, ex semine Abrahae, ortae de tribu Juda, clara ex stirpe David.

Offertory Verse:

"In me gratia ominis viae et veritatis, in me ominis spes vitae et virtutis; ego quasi rosa plantata super rivos aquarum fructificavi."

Offertory Hymn: Ave Maria
(Franz Peter Schubert d. 1828)

Communion Hymn: Te Gestientem Gaudiis
(Gregorian Chant)

Communion Verse:

"Florete flores quasi liliam, et date odorem, et frondete in gratiam; collaudate canticum, et benedicite Dominum in operibus suis."

Recessional Hymn

Hail, Holy Queen Enthroned
(Parish Hymnal No.83)

Noon Angelus (Chant)

Calendar of Masses

(Intention of the Mass—Special Remarks—Requested by)

SATURDAY October 5th	4:00 PM	Carole DeMichele	Memorial	Janice Walsh
SUNDAY October 6th <i>Twenty-seventh Sunday of the Year & the Twentieth after Pentecost/ (External Solemnity of Our Lady of the Rosary)</i>	7:30 AM 9:00 AM 10:30 AM	Pro Populo Heather Adams Turgeon Thomas F. & Eleanor A. Pollard Teedy & Mary McFarlane James Provencher Neil Steinkrauss Gloria Brackett Kip Alvarado	Memorial Memorial Memorial Birthday Intention Birthday Intention Memorial Special Intention	Shawn Adams Stephen Pollard Margaret Evans Provencher Family Kwash Family Anthony & Victoria Angelucci Laura Harvey
				
MONDAY October 7th <i>Our Lady of the Rosary</i>	7:30 AM	Purgatorial Society of Mary Immaculate of Lourdes Parish	Memorial	
	12:30 PM	Commemoration of the Faithful Departed	Memorial	
TUESDAY October 8th <i>Feria/St. Bridget of Sweden</i>	7:30 AM 5:30 PM	Fr. Francis Scully Ruth E. Wilson	Memorial Memorial	Bob Quinan Catherine Dinon
WEDNESDAY October 9th <i>St. John Leonardi</i>	7:30 AM 12:30 PM	<i>Intention of the Celebrant</i> Ann Reardon	<i>Intention of the Celebrant</i> Birthday Intention	<i>Intention of the Celebrant</i> Mary McCarthy
THURSDAY October 10th <i>Feria/St. Francis Borgia</i>	7:30 AM 5:30 PM	<i>Intention of the Celebrant</i> Arline Covalli	<i>Intention of the Celebrant</i> Special Intention	<i>Intention of the Celebrant</i> Susan Goeller
FRIDAY October 11th <i>Bl. John XXIII/Divine Maternity of Our Lady</i>	7:30 AM 12:30 p.m.	<i>Intention of the Celebrant</i> <i>Health of the Sick</i> Deceased Members of the Kwash/Rulnick/ Steinkrauss & Rizzo Family	<i>Intention of the Celebrant</i> <i>Health of the Sick</i> Memorial	<i>Intention of the Celebrant</i> <i>Health of the Sick</i> Kwash Family
SATURDAY October 12th <i>Saturday of Our Lady</i>	9:00 a.m. 4:00 p.m.	Lois Ludwig In Honor of the Blessed Mother Sally Kerr	Health of the Sick Month's Mind	MacKenzie Family Susan Goeller Kerr Family

**“Each Mass has an infinite, immense value
that we can never fully understand.”
—St. John Marie Baptiste Vianney,
Curé d’Ars**

**“It would be easier for the earth to carry
on without the sun than without the Holy
Mass.”
—Padre Pio**

HEALTH OF THE SICK

“In every man there is Jesus, but in the sick we see Jesus twice.”—Padre Pio

For all those on our parish prayer list, especially for... Margaret Cutler, Andrew Mahowald, Emily Kwash, John DiMartinos, Lily Langway, Linden Yee, Gerry Mazarella, Rocco Sozio, Sr. Giuseppina Cecilia Sozio, Iolanda Imperiale, Pat Madden, Evelyn Rice, Jane Diplo, Tom Fell, Cynthia Adkins, Norman Sabbey, James McCloskey, Dotty Hayes, Wendy Watts, Joseph F. Fresolo Sr., George Jay, Barbara Nyhen, Rev. Walter Cuenin, Ronald Orlando, Dominic Gundrum, Louis Komuves, Sr. Catherine Granfield, Mary Adams, Hugh Doyle, Lorraine Orlando, Rob Quagan, Paul Wenger, Nathan Johnston, Janet Pino, Fr. Carney Gavin, Irene Campana, Maureen Nyhen, Francis McNary, Warren Yee, Betty Chrishi, Marie Rappazzini, Mary Trombetta, Helen Reid, Delma Winegarner, Lois Ludwig, Paula Apothacary, Sam Adams III, Altair da Silva, Christina Kwash, Kitty Ward, Spagnuolo Family, Katie O’Connell, Janet Bourgeois, Judy Sartell, Lana Tomchik, Matthew Banks, Patrick Rainey, Judy Pederson, Ed Donovan, Danny O’Brien, Helen Donnelly, Priscilla Brossard, Mary Sims, Billy Hickey, Lee-Anne Ketchum, Arthur Nauss, Rod MacLeod, Monica Wellenstein, Teresa Tambunan, Mary Platt, Sean Monaghan, Sheila Whittle, Michelle Fay, Bobbie Hoffmann, Beverly Balconi, Martial Rainey, Dennis McCarthy, Edward Crestitelli, Erin Marie Fell, Dominic Cantillo, Theresa Higgins, Lita Uilaoghaire, Norman Alibrandi, Karen Starbird, Jack Buckley, Edward Fahey, Nancy Daly, Marie Schroter, Dorothy Alibrandi, Annie Procopio, Marie Danca, David Kase, Thaddeus Davulis, Andrew McCloskey, Barbara Sullivan, Tony Palladino, Lucia LoPresti, Polly Sullivan.



“I do not promise to make you happy in this life, but in the next”—Our Lady of Lourdes to St. Bernadette, February 18th, 1858



MILITARY SERVICE PRAYER LIST:

We remember all of our military servicemen and women, especially ... Sgt. Troy Stemen, U.S. Army (Afghanistan), Mark Gaudet, Army Special Forces, Pierre K. Ripert, USN, Matthew Simard, 1st Lt., USMC (Afghanistan), Michael Simard, PFC, USMC, Lance Cpl. Alex Tomchik, USMC, Brian Rainey, US Army (Afghanistan), Joseph Rainey, US Army, Sgt. Kevin James Howard, USMC (Afghanistan), Sgt. Brian Joseph Howard, USMC Afghanistan), Sgt. William J. Duggan, U.S. Army, 342nd Military Police Detachment, deployed to Afghanistan March, 2010; ; Sgt. 1st Class David Garduque; ; Sgt. Jeffrey R. Quinn, USMC; (Please let us know if you would like someone on active duty prayed for by name.)

Pray for Tommy Holcum, severely wounded in a Taliban ambush in Afghanistan.

Pray for Pfc Bowe Bergdahl, captured by the Taliban in Afghanistan.

IN THANKSGIVING: Christopher Raymond, 82nd Airborne has safely returned from Afghanistan



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