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Mary Immaculate of Lourdes Parish

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Mass Schedule

<u>Sunday:</u> Novus Ordo 4:00 P. M. (Saturday Vigil), 7:30 & 9:00 A. M. Traditional Latin 11:00 A.M. & 5:30 P.M.

<u>Weekdays:</u> Novus Ordo Mon-Tue-Thu-Fri 7:30 A. M. *Traditional Latin* Mon-Wed-Fri 12:30 PM; Thu 5:30 P. M. Sat 9:00 A. M.

Holy Days Ascension Thursday (40 days after Easter); Assumption of Our Lady (August 15th); All Saints Day (November 1st); December 8th (Immaculate Conception of Our Lady) If falling on Mon-Fri— Novus Ordo, 7:30 A. M. & 5:30 P. M. Traditional Latin, 12:30 & 7:30 P. M. If falling on Saturday— Novus Ordo, 7:30 A.M. Traditional Latin, 9:00 & 11:00 A. M.

(Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, and January 1st, as announced)

May 8th, A.D. 2022

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 within its parish mission. The *Missale Romanum* of 1962 is 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.

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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 Saint Paul VI, reigned 1964-1978) Raised to the Altars October 14th, 2018

Mary Immaculate of Lourdes (Formerly St. Mary's Parish, 1870-1910) Newton/Needham, Massachusetts Newton & Needham's Oldest Roman **Catholic** Parish

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM: The Sacrament of Baptism for infants and children under 7 years of age is scheduled upon request. Please contact the Parish Office (617-244-0558) to request a date.

<u>**PENANCE</u>: Confessions regularly heard –**</u> SUNDAY, 10:00-11:00 A.M., 5:00-5:30 P.M. MONDAY-WEDNESDAY-FRIDAY, before and after the 12:30 P. M. Mass. THURSDAY, before and after the 5:30 P.M. Mass.

SATURDAY, 8:00-9:00 A. M./ 3:30-4:00 P. M.

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 SACRAMENT OF THE SICK, also known as **EXTREME UNCTION**

Communion of the Sick for the Homebound

Please contact Father Higgins at the Parish Office (617-244-0558)



"GRATITUDE IS THE THING THAT BRINGS US THE MOST **GRACE...I HAVE LEARNT THIS** FROM EXPERIENCE; TRY IT AND YOU WILL SEE. I AM **CONTENT WITH WHATEVER** GOD GIVES ME. AND I SHOW HIM THIS

IN A THOUSAND LITTLE WAYS."-ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX (+1897)

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+ MAY IS THE MONTH OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY+

Pastor's Note



Fr. Híggíns

MOTHER'S DAY GREETINGS

A very Happy Mother's Day to all of our mothers here in church today—including all aunts, godmothers, and all

women who have mentored the young in a motherly way. St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross (Edith Stein, +1942), wrote that *"God redeems the world through the maternal love of women."* This is a great mystery, which we discern especially by consideration of the rôle of Mary as Mother of the Redeemer and Mother of the Church.

In the PHOTO below you see a picture of Bishop Robert Reed with the sixteen young Confirmandi presented to him for the Conferral of Confirmation at the 4:00 PM anticipated Mass for Divine Mercy Sunday on April 23rd, 2022. Many thanks to Patti Strom for providing this picture, together with others of the Confirmation Mass and last Sunday's 9:00 AM First Communion and May Procession. Today, at our 11:00 AM Mass, we will have another Children's First Holy Communion and May Procession.



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The following children of the parish are making their First Holy Communion today at the 11:00 AM Mass:

> Gabriella Marie Belmonte Gabriela Marie Diaz Isabella Marie DiDuca Bernadette Marie Kasper Claire Frances Maynard Lucy Clizabeth Monahan

Justin Nikolaus Haggarty Edward Owen Hannigan Joseph Michael Hobbib Francis Nicoloro Connor James Yong



Please join us for the May Procession to the Parish Gardens at the end of Mass and the Crowning of Mary.



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Third Sunday after Easter / 4th Sunday of Easter Mary Immaculate of Lourdes, Newton/Needham, Massachusetts





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?"

PARISH OFFERTORY FOR SUNDAY, APRIL 24th, \$7,277.00 + OTHER OFFERINGS, \$1,311.00: = \$8,588.00



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"Glorify the Lord generously, and do not stint the first fruits of your hands. With every gift show a cheerful face, and dedicate your tithe with gladness. Give to the Most High as He has given, and as generously as your hand has found. For the LORD is the One who repays, and He will repay you sevenfold."—Sirach 35

Calendar of Masses (Intention of the Mass—Special Remarks—Requested by)						
SUNDAY May 8th	4:00 PM (Vigil)	Neal Adkins	Memorial	Brearley Family		
	7:30 AM	Pro Populo				
THIRD SUNDAY after EASTER & the FOURTH SUNDAY	9:00 AM	Lucille Roklan Burokas	Memorial	Donna Burokas & Family		
of EASTER	11:00 AM	For the Preservation of the Free Exercise of the Latin Mass in the Life of the Church				
A NUM THE		All Our Mothers	Living & Deceased			
		Intention of the Donor		Rusnack Family		
	2TIN-H	John & Kathryn Drohan	Memorial	Rusnack Family		
		Jerry & Helen Rusnack Henry & Marcella	Memorial	Rusnack Family		
		Bambrick	Memorial	Rusnack Family		
		John & Genevieve Drohan		Rusnack Family		
r - + + = 1	Child P ISTIE	Immaculate Heart	Wiemona	Doug & Maggie		
		Ginny Mullen	Memorial	Christine Malley		
		Marcia Szulborski	Birthday Intention			
		Suze Jean Pierre	Year's Mind	Geraldine Jean Pierre		
C. A.F.		Janet Leavey	Birthday Intention			
		Michael Harding	Memorial	Laura Harvey		
Side Ball		Pat Madden		Proia Family		
1997 3 7		Chris Waldrop	Health of the Sick	Lita O;Laoghaire		
19 2		Intention of the Donor		John & Clara Kimani		
		All Souls	Memorial	MTT		
		Bishops & Priests		Donor		
	5:30 PM	Michael John Harding	Memorial	Kathleen Dirinian		
MONDAY May 9th Easter Feria/ St.	7:30 AM	Purgatorial Society of Mary Immaculate of Lourdes	Memorial			
Gregory Nazianzen	12:30 PM	In Thanksgiving	Memorial	Stephen Choi		
TUESDAY May 10th	7:30 AM	Intention of the Donor		Karen Casey		

Damien the Leper







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

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WEDNESDAY May llth SS. PHILIP & JAMES, Apostles		Walter & Nellie Higgins	Memorial	David DeVito
THURSDAY May 12th Nereus, Achilleus,	7:30 AM 5:30 PM	Deceased Priests of the Archdiocese of Boston Our Lady Help of	Memorial Special Intention	Mary McCarthy
Domitilla & Pancras		Christians	L	, ,
FRIDAY May 13th Our Lady of Fatima/	7:30 AM Health of the Sick	David & Gail Battaglia	Special Intention	Provencher Family
St. Robert Bellarmine	12:30 PM	Our Lady of Fatima	Thanksgiving	Nic & Danby
SATURDAY May 14th Mass of Our Lady	9:00 AM	All Souls Corcoran/Mazzarella Fam. Our Lady of Fatima/ Imm.	Memorial Living/Deceased	Donor Colbe Mazzarella
nuos of Cur Luuy		Heart of Mary All Souls All Souls "Baby Pina"	In Thanksgiving Memorial Memorial Mass of the Angels	Lita O'Laoghaire MTT Laura Harvey Belmonte Family

4:00 PM

Helen Noviello

"Baby Pina" Bishops & Priests

<image>

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FRONT COVER: Stained glass window of "Mary, Mother of the Good Shepherd".

Kurt & Anne Pollander

Donor

Special Intention

Anniv. Memorial



Music for the May Procession

'Tis the Month of our Mother

'Tis the Month of our Mother, The blessed and beautiful days, When our lips and our spirits, Are glowing with love and with praise.

Refrain: All hail! To dear Mary! The guardian of our ways. To the fairest of Queens, Be the fairest of seasons, sweet May.

Oh! What peace to her children, 'Mid sorrow and trials to know, That the love of their Mother Hath ever a solace for woe. (Refrain)

And what joy to the erring, The sinful and sorrowful soul; That a trust in her guidance Will lead to a glorious goal. (Refrain)

Let us sing then, rejoicing, That God hath so honor'd our race, As to clothe with our nature Sweet Mary the Mother of Grace. (Refrain)

On This Day, O Beautiful Mother

Refrain: On this day, O beautiful Mother, On this day we give thee our love. Near thee, Madonna, fondly we hover, Trusting thy gentle care to prove.

On this day we ask to share, Dearest Mother, thy sweet care; Aid us ere our feet astray Wander from thy guiding way. (Refrain)

Rose of Sharon, lovely flow'r, Beauteous bud of Eden's bow'r; Cherished lily of the vale, Virgin Mother, Queen we hail. (Refrain)

In vain the flow'rs of love we bring, In vain sweet music's note we sing, If contrite heart and lowly prayer, Guide not our gifts to thy bright sphere. (Refrain)

Fast our days of life we run, Soon the night of death will come; Tower of strength in that dread hour, Come with all thy gentle power. (Refrain)

VIDI AQUAM (Rite of Sprinkling): [I saw water flowing from the right side of the Temple; and all they to whom that water came were saved, and they shall say: alleluia. Psalm: Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good, for His mercy endureth forever.]

Crowning Hymn: Bring Flower of the Rarest

Bring flow'rs of the rarest, bring blossom the fairest, From garden and woodland and hillside and vale; Our full hearts are swelling, our glad voices telling, The praise of the loveliest Rose of the vale.

Refrain: O Mary, we crown thee with blossoms today, Queen of the Angels, Queen of the May. O Mary, we crown thee with blossoms today, Queen of the Angels, Queen of the Mary.

Our voices ascending, in harmony blending, Oh! Thus may our hearts turn, dear Mother, to thee; Oh! Thus shall we prove thee how truly we love thee. How dark without Mary life's journey would be. (Refrain)

O Virgin most tender, our homage we render, Thy love and protection, sweet Mother, to win; In danger defend us in sorrow befriend us, And shield our hearts from contagion and sin. (Refrain)

Be Joyful, Mary (Regina Caeli)



Be joyful, Mary, heav'nly Queen, Gaude, Maria: Your Son who died was living seen, Alleluia, Laetare, O Maria.

The Son you bore by heaven's grace, Gaude, Maria: Did all our guilt and sin efface, Alleluia, Laetare, O Maria.

The Lord has risen from the dead, Gaude, Maria: He rose with might as He had said, Alleluia, Laetare, O Maria.



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Music Programs for this Sunday's Mass

Mass of Pope Paul VI (1970 Missal)

4:00 PM (Vigil), 7:30 & 9:00 AM

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Prelude: Concerto for Viola, RV 540 II. Largo

(Antonio Vivaldi, composed in 1701) Introit: Psalm 32(33):5-6

Misericordia Domini

The merciful love of the Lord fills the earth; by the word of the Lord the heavens were made, alleluia.

(7:30 AM & 9:00 AM)

Ordinary Prayers: Mass I, Lux et Origo

[Kyrie], Gloria, Sanctus-Benedictus, Agnus Dei: Parish Book of Chant, no. 28ff./pp. 60-62 Credo III (English)

> <u>Offertory</u>: I Corinthians 5:7-8 Pascha nostrum

Christ our Passover has been sacrificed; therefore let us keep the feast with the unleavened bread of purity and truth, alleluia. Viola Sonata, **RV 47**

III. Largo (Antonio Vivaldi, composed in 1701)

<u>Communion</u>: Surrexit Pastor bonus

The Good Shepherd has risen, who laid down His life for His sheep and willingly died for His flock, alleluia.

Communion Meditation:

Ave Maria **(9:00 AM)** (Johannes Brassart, composed in 1420)

(7:30 AM & 9:00 AM) Viola Sonata, RV 47 III. Largo (Antonio Vivaldi, composed in 1701)

Recessional Hymn: At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing

(Worship II Hymnal, No. 29)

<u>Postlude</u>: Viola Sonata, **RV 47** II. Allegro (Antonio Vivaldi, composed in 1701) Mass of St. Gregory the Great (1962 Missal) 11:00 AM (5:30 P.M.)

> Third Sunday after Easter <u>Prelude</u>: Concerto for Viola, **RV 540**

II. Largo (Antonio Vivaldi, composed in 1701) Choir Hymn (11:00 Mass): Ad Regias Agni Dapes Vidi Aquam, Parish Book of Chant, no. 24/pg. 35

Introit: Psalm 65:1-3 Jubilate Deo, omnis terra, alleluia: psalmum dicite nomini ejus, alleluia: date gloriam laudi ejus, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia. Ps. ibid. 3. Dicite Deo, quam terribilia sunt opera tua, Domine. In multitudine virtutis tua mentientur tibi inimici tui. V. Gloria Patri, et Filio, et Spiritui Sancto. Sicut erat in principio, et nunc, et semper, et in saecula saeculorum. Amen. — Jubilate Deo

(11AM)

Ordinary Prayers: Mass I, Lux et Origo

Kyrie, Gloria, Sanctus-Benedictus, Agnus Dei: Parish Book of Chant, no. 28ff./pp. 60-62

Credo III: Parish Book of Chant, no. 119/pg. 114 <u>Alleluia</u>: Psalm 110:9, Luke 24:46 Alleluia, alleluia. \tilde{V} . Redemptionem misit Dominus populo suo. Alleluia. \tilde{V} . Oportebat pati Christum, et resurgere a mortuis: et ita intrare in gloriam suam. Alleluia.

Offertory: (11AM) Psalm 145:2 Lauda anima mea Dominum: laudabo Dominum in vita mea: psallum Deo meo, quamdiu ero, alleluia.

<u>Communion</u>: John 16:16 *Modicum, et jam non videbitis me, alleluia; et iterum modicum, et videbitis me: quia vado ad Patrem, alleluia, alleluia.*

Communion Meditation:

Pange Lingua (Parish Book of Chant pg. 194, No. 195) Ave Maria (Johannes Brassart, composed in 1420) Viola Sonata, **RV 47** III. Largo

(Antonio Vivaldi, composed in 1701)

Recessional: May Hymns (See page 8)

Regina Caeli (Chant)

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LATIN MASS PROPERS: THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EASTER

INTROIT: Psalm 65. 1-3 Shout with joy to God, all the earth, alleluia: sing ye a psalm to His Name, alleluia: give glory to His praise, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia. *Psalm*. Say unto God: How terrible are Thy works, O Lord! In the multitude of Thy strength Thine enemies shall lie to Thee. V. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. — Shout with joy ...

COLLECT: O God, who to those that go astray dost show the light of Thy truth, that they may return to the path of justice: grant that all who are enrolled in the Christian faith, may both spurn all that is hostile to that name, and follow after what is fitting to it. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son...

EPISTLE: From First Epistle of Blessed Peter the Apostle (I Peter 2. 11-19) Dearly beloved: I beseech you, as strangers and pilgrims, to refrain yourselves from carnal desires, which war against the soul, having your conversation good among the Gentiles; that whereas they speak against you as evildoers, they may, by the good works which they shall behold in you, glorify God in the day of visitation. Be ye subject therefore to every human creature for God's sake: whether it be to the king as excelling, or to governors as sent by him for the punishment of evildoers and for the praise of the good: for so is the will of God, that by doing well you may put to silence the ignorance of foolish men: as free, and not as making liberty a cloak for malice, but as the servants of God. Honor all men: love the brotherhood: fear God: honor the king. Servants, be subject to your masters with all fear, not only to the good and gentle, but also to the froward. For this is thankworthy before God: in Christ Jesus our Lord.

PASCHAL ALLELUIA: Psalm 110. 9; Luke 24. 46 Alleluia, alleluia. (Ps. 110. 9.) The Lord hath sent redemption to His people. Alleluia. (Luke 24. 46.) It behooved Christ to suffer and to rise again from the dead, and so to enter into His glory. Alleluia.

GOSPEL: Continuation of the holy Gospel according to St. John 16. 16-22 **A**t that time Jesus said to His disciples: A little while, and now you shall not see Me: and again a little while, and you shall see Me: because I go to the Father. Then some of His disciples said to one another: What is this that He saith to us: A little while, and you shall not see me: and again a little while, and you shall see Me, and, Because I go to the Father. They said therefore: What is this that He saith, A little while? We know not what He speaketh. And Jesus knew that they had a mind to ask Him. And He said to them: Of this do you inquire among yourselves, because I said: A little while, and you shall not see Me: and again a little while, and you shall see Me. Amen, amen, I say to you, that you shall lament and weep, but the world shall rejoice: and you shall be made sorrowful, but your sorrow shall be turned into joy. A woman, when she is in labor, hath sorrow, because her hour is come: but when she hath brought forth the child, she remembereth no more the anguish, for joy that a man is born into the world. So also you now indeed have sorrow: but I will see you again and your heart shall rejoice: and your joy no man shall take from you. —

OFFERTORY: Psalm 145. 2 Praise the Lord, O my soul: in my life I will praise the Lord: I will sing to my God as long as I shall be, alleluia.

SECRET: Grant, O Lord, by these Mysteries, that checking our earthly longings, we may learn to love heavenly things. Through our Lord...

COMMUNION: John 16. 16 A little while, and you shall not see Me, alleluia; and again a little while, and you shall see Me, because I go to the Father, alleluia, alleluia.

POSTCOMMUNION: May the Sacraments which we have received, we beseech Thee, O Lord, renew us with spiritual refreshment and defend us with bodily help. Through our Lord ...

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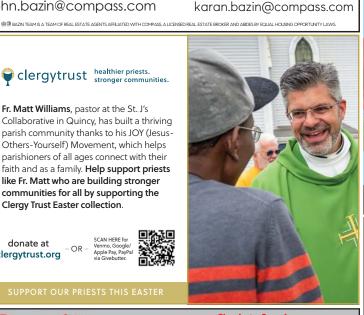
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