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February 26th, A.D. 2023

First Sunday in Lent

Mary Immaculate of Lourdes, Newton/Needham, Massachusetts



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, 8:30 AM - 3:30 PM

Telephone: 781-235-1841

saintmaryscemetery.org

Mass Schedule

Sunday:

Novus Ordo

4:00 P. M. (*Saturday Vigil*), 7:30 & 9:00 A. M.

Traditional Latin

11:00 A.M. & 5:30 P.M.

Weekdays:

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.

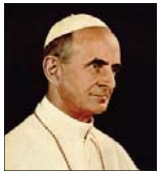
(Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, and
January 1st, as announced)

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.

PLEASE TAKE THE TIME TO FILL OUT A PARISH REGISTRATION FORM, EITHER ON-LINE OR BY USING THE PAPER REGISTRATION FORM IN THE PAMPHLET RACK IN THE FRONT VESTIBULE OF THE MAIN CHURCH.



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

Immaculate Conception
Chaldean-Rite Mission
at Mary Immaculate of Lourdes Church:
Mass offered according to the
Chaldean-Rite on designated Sundays at
1:30 P.M.
Deacon Sermed Ashkouri

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.

PENANCE: Confessions regularly heard —
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)

Pastor's Note



Fr. Higgins

PARISH LENTEN MISSION, 2023: FRERE ANDRE, THE "MIRACLE-MAN" OF MONTREAL CONFERENCE I "WHO WAS FRERE ANDRE?"

*"Confess therefore your sins one to another:
and pray one for another, that you may be
saved. For the continual prayer of a just man
availeth much."*

—St. James 5:16

*"For the continual prayer of a just man
availeth much..."* This Scripture verse is going
to be the underlying theme for our Parish
Lenten Mission series this year. Our Mission is
entitled *"Frere André (Brother André): The
Miracle Man of Montreal."* Who was Frere
André?

Frere André Bessette was a religious Brother of
the Congregation of Holy Cross, C.S.C.
(Perhaps we know this Congregation best for its
University of Notre Dame in
Indiana.) He lived from August 9th, 1845, to
January 6th, the Feast of the Epiphany, 1937.
He was 91 years-old. He entered the religious
life with Holy Cross in November, 1870, at the
College Notre-Dame in Montreal, Quebec,
Canada. As a novice he was put to work as a
porter—that is, the brother who answers the
door, greets all visitors, and conveys the



**"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)**

messages. The simplest work. No special skill
needed. A role that can be filled by a brother
who is not considered fit for any other task. The
novice brother Bessette was to retain this lowly
office for the rest of his life.

It was with misgiving that Holy Cross accepted
him into their community at all. His health was
too poor. Moreover he had no education, no
intellectual aptitude, no cultivation. In short,
nothing to recommend him as an asset to a
congregation dedicated to education as part of
its fundamental mission.

What he had though was a simple, strong
Catholic faith which he had received from the
milieu of the farm people of Quebec. It was a
Catholic faith tested by poverty, by ill-health, by
hunger, by being orphaned as a young boy, by
the toil of migrant work in the United States. At
the age of 25 Alfred Bessette came to the
Congregation of Holy Cross with a faith-life
already deeply marked by the Cross. And within
that Catholic faith-life so marked by the Cross
he nurtured a special devotion and friendship
with St. Joseph, the foster-father of Jesus Our
Lord.

The love and friendship with St. Joseph was
what he shared with the many visitors with
whom he talked in his office as porter. People
would tell him their problems, unburdening
themselves to a sympathetic ear. They would
ask for prayers. He would always tell them:
Pray to St. Joseph ("Priez St. Joseph").

Frere André also had the inspired dream that
the College should build a chapel in honor of St.
Joseph. At first, he was unable to convince his
Superior. Finally, after six years, the Superior
gave his permission and the Brother began
trying to raise money for it. Two years later a
modest chapel of St. Joseph was opened. This
was the inauspicious beginning for the now
magnificent Shrine in Montreal of St. Joseph's
Oratory (*L'Oratoire St. Joseph*). The Oratory is
still a popular place of pilgrimage today: a stark
contrast to the mass unbelief and repudiation of
Catholicism which has taken hold in once-
fervently Catholic French Quebec.

By the time of his taking perpetual vows in 1874, Frere André had begun to acquire an unsought reputation as a miracle-man for the power of his prayers of intercession for the sick. He always credited the power of St. Joseph's prayers for any favors received or miraculous cures. But people trusted the prayers of St. Joseph *and* Frere André. They sought him out, in greater and greater numbers. Upon his death in January, 1937, over one million people turned out to pay their respects. It was a mass-mourning such as Canada had never seen. And it extended into the United States where Frere André's was well-known. Special trains were put at the disposal of visitors from the states of Maine, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Rhode Island, New Hampshire and Vermont to bring them to Montreal for the funeral.

During the conferences of this Lenten Mission we shall focus on the person of Frere André, who is now a canonized Saint of the Church. But we shall also consider the background of the times in which he lived and look for insights into the unbelief of our own day with the aim of avoiding its traps. Let us ask Frere André to intercede with his friend St. Joseph that we may gain good spiritual fruit from our Mission.

+Saint André Bessette,
C.S.C.
"Brother André"
1845-1931



"IF YOU ARE WILLING TO SERENELY BEAR THE TRIAL OF BEING DISPLEASING TO YOURSELF, THEN YOU WILL BE FOR JESUS A PLEASANT PLACE OF SHELTER."—ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX (+1897)

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?"*

**SUNDAY OFFERTORY for FEBRUARY 12th,
2023, \$7,038.00 + OTHER OFFERINGS,
\$1,200.00:
= \$8,238.00**



**SECOND COLLECTION FOR TODAY:
"SUPPORT FOR THE CHURCH AROUND THE
WORLD"**

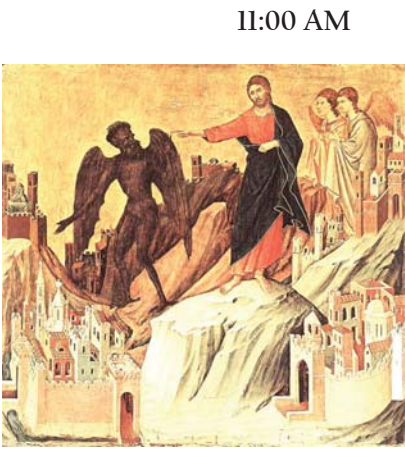
"Glorify the Lord generously, and do not stint the first fruits of your hands. With every gift show a cheerful face, and dedicate your tithe with gladness. Give to the Most High as He has given, and as generously as your hand has found. For the LORD is the One who repays, and He will repay you sevenfold."—Sirach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

Calendar of Masses

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

SUNDAY 4:00 PM Richard Barrett Maureen McMahon
February 26th (Vigil)

FIRST SUNDAY in 7:30 AM Pro Populo
LENT 9:00 AM Brian Slifka



FRONT COVER:
St. Joseph's Oratory,
Montreal, Quebec, Canada



11:00 AM For the Preservation of
the Free Exercise of
the Latin Mass in the Life
of the Church
William J. Copson, Jr.
Walter & Audrey Kasper
All Souls
Bishop Alvarez
Intention of the Donor
In Thanksgiving
Walter Krawczyk
Joe Neville
Janet Harrington
Justice Antonin Scalia
Special Intention
Gabriel Morse
Dr./Mrs. Joseph Arcidi
Frank A. Smith
Henry J. Smith
Ed Feeney
Theresa Martin
Angela Sullivan
Pino Family (Extended)
Bishops & Priests

Memorial

Month's Mind
Memorial
Memorial
Special Intention
Special Intention
Memorial
Birthday Memorial
Memorial
Special Intention
Healing
Wed. Anniv. Mem.

Health of the Sick

Living/Deceased

Slifka Family



Geraldine Jean Pierre
Kasper Family
Family Duong
Kathy Blake
Kathy Blake
Donor
Donor
Donor
Kasper Family
Anthony & Victoria Angelucci
Anthony & Victoria Angelucci
J. Morse
Camille Arcidi
Donor
Donor
Maggie
Truda Sullivan
Truda Sullivan
Nick Pino
Donor

Mass Intentions

Each week the 11:00 AM Sunday Latin Mass and the Saturday 9:00 AM daily Latin Mass are collective intention Masses. This is done in accordance with the permissions laid out by Cardinal Sean. All other Masses are reserved for one petitioner at a time, although that petitioner can ask for 1 Mass to be said for multiple persons. The requested offering for an intention Mass, announced or unannounced, is \$10.00.

5:30 PM Marie Nallin Memorial Camille Arcidi

MONDAY February 27th <i>Lenten Feria</i>	7:30 AM	Purgatorial Society of Mary Immaculate of Lourdes	Memorial	
	12:30 PM	Elizabeth Marcham	Memorial	Hobbib Family
TUESDAY February 28th <i>Lenten Feria</i>	7:30 AM	Janet Corcoran	Memorial	Susan & Mark Almeda
WEDNES- DAY March 1st <i>EMBER WEDNESDAY</i>	12:30 PM	Mary J. Clancy	Memorial	
THURSDAY March 2nd <i>Lenten Feria</i>	7:30 AM	Deceased Priests of the Archdiocese of Boston	Memorial	
	5:30 PM	Marilyn Shaughnessy		Lisa Von Wendt
FRIDAY March 3rd <i>EMBER FRIDAY</i> First Friday	7:30 AM <i>Health of the Sick</i>	Michael Kolb	Memorial	Michael J. Wiseman
	12:30 PM	Stephen Miller	B/day Intention	Donor
SATURDAY March 4th <i>EMBER SATURDAY</i> First Saturday	9:00 AM	Rev. Christopher Roberts Eric Procopio & Sarah Carden Julie, Eliza & Stella Miller Corcoran/Mazzarella Fam. Michael Intention of the Donor St. Margaret of Costello Phillip Monica Bishops & Priests	Memorial Special Intention Special Intention Living/Deceased Health of the Sick Fidelity/ Protection/ Courage	Juhasz Family Michael & Annie Procopio Stephen Miller Colbe Mazzarella Maria Tran Lisa Von Wendt Terina Davulis Laura Harvey Donor
	4:00 PM:	Mary J. Kerr Penzo William J. Kerr	Memorial Memorial	Tony Penzo

ADDENDA/ERRATA
SATURDAY,
FEBRUARY 25th, 9:00 AM
MASS: +Joyce Higgins,
Birthday Memorial, Requested
by the St. Margaret of Costello
Prayer Group

Postlude: Ad Preces Nostras Deitatis Aures (9:00AM)

(Tomás Luis de Victoria, first published in 1581)

1. *God, of thy pity, unto us thy children*

Bend down thine ear in thine own loving kindness,

And all thy people's prayers and vows ascending

Hear, we beseech thee.

2. *Look down in mercy from thy seat of glory.*

Pour on our souls the radiance of thy presence,

Drive from our weary hearts the shades of darkness,

Lightening our footsteps.

Communion Meditation: Ave Regina Coelorum

(11:00AM) - Loyset Compère, 1445~1518

(5:30PM) - Gregorian Chant

Recessional:

Lord, Who throughout The Forty Days

(Worship II, No.171)

Angelus(Chant)

Postlude: (11AM) Ad Preces Nostras Deitatis Aures



**STATIONS OF THE CROSS
VIA CRUCIS
FRIDAY EVENINGS
DURING LENT, 7:30 PM**

Please join us for the Stations of the Cross,
followed by a Sermon and Benediction of
the Most Blessed Sacrament:
February 24th-March 31st, 2023, A.D.

PARISH LENTEN THEME:

**“FRERE ANDRE, THE MIRACLE-
MAN OF MONTREAL”**

MARY IMMACULATE OF LOURDES

LENTEN CONFESSION TIMES

**SUNDAY: 10:00 - 11:00 AM
5:00 - 5:30 PM**

MONDAY: 12 NOON - 12:25 PM

WEDNESDAY: 12 NOON - 12:25 PM

**THURSDAY: 5:00 - 5:30 PM
(6:30 - 7:00 PM)**

FRIDAY: 12 NOON - 12:25 PM

**SATURDAY: 8:00 - 9:00 AM
3:30 - 4:00 PM**



**SECOND COLLECTION for THIS
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2023:**

**“SUPPORT OF THE CHURCH
AROUND THE WORLD”**

Church in Africa
Church in Central & Eastern Europe
U.S. Military Archdiocese, Home Missions,
Black & Native American Missions, Catholic
Relief Services.



Mary Immaculate of Lourdes

PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Registration forms are available in the pamphlet-
rack in the front vestibule of the church or may be
down-loaded from our parish web-site:

www.maryimmaculateoflourdesnewtonma.org

**CLASSES ARE IN SESSION FOR THIS
SCHOOL YEAR**

All classes are held in the Lower Church Hall.

Children from Grades K-10.

**TIME: 8:30 - 10:15 AM
(9 AM Mass included)**

Latin Mass Children’s Catechism Class

TIME: 9:30—10:30 AM

New students are always welcome

Jean Johnson, Director

Patti Strom, Latin Mass Children’s Catechism



**“I REJOICE TO BE LITTLE,
BECAUSE ONLY CHILDREN
AND THOSE WHO ARE
LIKE THEM WILL BE
ADMITTED TO THE
HEAVENLY
BANQUET”—ST. THERESE
OF LISIEUX (+1897)**

Music Programs for this Sunday's Mass

Mass of Pope Paul VI (1970 Missal)

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

First Sunday in Lent

Prelude: Audi Benigne Conditor

(4 PM & 7:30 AM) - Gregorian Chant

(9:00 AM) - Johann Stadlmayr, first published in 1628

Introit: Psalm 90(91):15~16

Invocabit me

When he calls on me, I will answer him; I will deliver him and give him glory, I will grant him length of days.

(TODAY'S MISSAL, pg. 6)

(7:30 AM & 9:00 AM)

Ordinary Prayers: Mass XVII

Kyrie, Sanctus-Benedictus, Agnus Dei:

Parish Book of Chant, no. 107ff./pp. 107-108.

Credo I (English)

Offertory: Matthew 4:4

Non in solo pane

One does not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes forth from the mouth of God.

Mysterium Fidei (The Mystery of Faith): Mortem tuam annuntiamus, Domine, et tuam Resurrectionem confitemur, donec venias.

("We proclaim Your death, O Lord, and profess Your Resurrection until You come again.")

Communion: Psalm 90:4~5

Scapulis suis

The Lord will conceal you with his pinions, and under his wings you will trust.

(TODAY'S MISSAL, pg. 100)

Communion Meditation:

Ave Regina Coelorum

(4PM & 7:30AM) - Gregorian Chant

(9:00AM) - Loyset Compère, 1445~1518

Recessional Hymn:

Lord, Who Thought These Forty Days,
Worship II, No. 171

Postlude

Attende Domine (4PM & 7:30AM)

(Gregorian Chant)

Mass of St. Gregory the Great (1962 Missal)

First Sunday in Lent

11:00 AM (5:30 P.M.)

Prelude: Audi Benigne Conditor

(11:00AM: Johann Stadlmayr, first published in 1628)

(5:30PM: Gregorian Chant)

Choir Hymn (11:00 Mass): Attende, Domine
(Chant)

Asperges Me, Parish Book of Chant, no. 22/pg. 34

Introit: Psalm 90. 15-16, 1 Invocabit me, et ego exaudiam eum: eripiam eum et glorificabo eum: longitudinem dierum adimplebo eum. V. Qui habitat in adjutorio Altissimi, in protectione Dei caeli commorabitur. Gloria Patri.

(11AM)

Ordinary Prayers: Mass XVII Sundays of Lent

Kyrie, Sanctus-Benedictus, Agnus Dei:

Parish Book of Chant, no. 107ff./pp. 107-108

Credo I, *Parish Book of Chant, no. 117/pg. 110.*

Gradual: Psalm 90:11,12 Angelis suis Deus mandavit de te, ut custodiant te in omnibus viis tuis. In manibus portabunt te, ne unquam offendas ad lapidem pedem tuum. Tract: Psalm 90:1-7,11-16 QUI habitat in adjutorio Altissimi, in protectione Dei coeli commorabitur. V. Dicet Domino: Susceptor meus es tu et refugium meum: Deus meus, sperabo in eum. V. Quoniam ipse liberavit me de laqueo venantium, et a verbo aspero. Scapulis suis obumbrabit tibi, et sub pennis ejus sperabis. Scuto circumdabit te veritas ejus: non timebis a timore nocturno. V. A sagitta volante per diem, a negotio perambulante in tenebris, a ruina et daemónio meridiano. V. Cadent a latere tuo mille, et decem millia a dextris tuis: tibi autem non appropinquabit. V. Quoniam Angelis suis mandavit de te, ut custodiant te in omnibus viis tuis. V. In manibus portabunt te, ne unquam offendas ad lapidem pedem tuum. V. Super aspidem et basiliscum ambulabis, et conculcabis leonem et draconem. V. Quoniam in me speravit, liberabo eum: protegam eum, quoniam cognovisti nomen meum. V. Invocabit me, et ego exaudiam eum: cum ipso sum in tribulatione. V. Eripiam eum et glorificabo eum: longitudine dierum adimplebo eum, et ostendam illi salutare meum.

Offertory: (11AM) Psalm. 90:4, 5 Scapulis suis obumbrabit tibi Dominus, et sub pennis eius serabis: scuto circumdabit te veritas eius

Communion: Psalm 2:11,12 "Scapulis suis obumbrabit tibi Dominus, et sub pennis eius serabis: scuto circumdabit te veritas

LATIN MASS PROPERS: FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

INTROIT: Psalm 90: 15-16 He shall cry to me, and I will hear him: I will deliver him, and I will glorify him: I will fill him with length of days. *Psalm 90:1* He that dwelleth in the aid of the Most High shall abide under the protection of the God of Heaven. *V.* Glory be to the Father.

COLLECT O God, who dost purify Thy Church by the yearly observance of forty days; grant to Thy household that what we strive to obtain from Thee by self denial, we may secure by good works. Through our Lord.

EPISTLE: 2 Corinthians 6: 1-10 Brethren: We exhort you that you receive not the grace of God in vain. For He saith: In an accepted time have I heard thee, and in the day of salvation have I helped thee. Behold, now is the acceptable time, behold now is the day of salvation. Giving no offence to any man that our ministry be not blamed: but in all things let us exhibit ourselves as the ministers of God, in much patience, in tribulation, in necessities, in distresses, in stripes, in prisons, in seditions, in labours, in watchings, in fastings, in chastity, in knowledge, in longsuffering, in sweetness, in the Holy Ghost, in charity unfeigned, in the word of truth, in the power of God: by the armour of justice on the right hand and on the left: by honour and dishonour, by evil report and good report: as deceivers and yet true, as unknown and yet known: as dying, and behold we live: as chastised and not killed: as sorrowful, yet always rejoicing: as needy, yet enriching many: as having nothing and possessing all things.

GRADUAL: Psalm 90: 11-12 God hath given His angels charge over thee, to keep thee in all thy ways. In their hands they shall bear thee up, lest thou dash thy foot against a stone. **TRACT: Psalm 90: 1-7, 11-16** He that dwelleth in the aid of the Most High, shall abide under the protection of the God of heaven. *V.* He shall say to the Lord: Thou art my protector and my refuge: my God, in Him will I trust. *V.* For He hath delivered me from the scare of the hunters, and from the sharp word. *V.* He will overshadow thee with His shoulders, and under His wings thou shalt trust. *V.* His truth shall compass thee with a shield: thou shalt not be afraid of the terror of the night. *V.* Of the arrow that flieth in the day, of the business that walketh about in the dark, of invasion or of the noonday devil. *V.* A thousand shall fall at thy side and ten thousand at thy right hand: but it shall not come nigh thee. *V.* For He hath given His angels charge over thee, to keep thee in all thy ways. *V.* In their hands they shall bear thee up, lest thou dash thy foot against a stone. *V.* Thou shalt walk upon the asp and the basilisk, and thou shalt trample under foot the lion and the dragon. *V.* Because he hoped in Me I will deliver him: I will protect him, because he hath known My name. *V.* He shall cry to Me, and I will hear him: I am with him in tribulation. *V.* I will deliver him, and I will glorify him: I will fill him with length of days, and I will show him My salvation.

GOSPEL: Matthew 4: 1-11 **At** that time Jesus was led by the Spirit into the desert, to be tempted by the devil. And when He had fasted forty days and forty nights, afterwards He was hungry. And the tempter coming said to Him: If Thou be the Son of God, command that these stones be made bread. Who answered and said: It is written: Not in bread alone doth man live, but in every word that proceedeth from the mouth of God. Then the devil took Him up into the holy city and set Him upon the pinnacle of the temple, and said to Him: If Thou be the Son of God, cast Thyself down. For it is written: That He hath given His angels charge over Thee, and in their hands shall they bear Thee up, lest perhaps Thou dash Thy foot against a stone. Jesus said to him: It is written again: Thou shalt not tempt the Lord Thy God. Again the devil took Him up into a very high mountain and showed Him all the kingdoms of the world and the glory of them, and said to Him: All these will I give Thee, if falling down Thou wilt adore me. Then Jesus saith to him: Be gone, Satan! For it is written: The Lord thy God shalt thou adore, and Him only shalt thou serve. Then the devil left Him: and behold angels came, and ministered to Him.

OFFERTORY: Psalm 90: 4-5 The Lord will overshadow thee with His shoulders, and under His wings thou shalt trust: His truth shall compass thee with a shield.

PREFACE OF LENT

SECRET We solemnly offer Thee, O Lord, the sacrifice of the beginning of Lent, beseeching Thee, that by refraining from flesh at our meals, we may learn also to avoid sinful pleasures. Through our Lord.

COMMUNION: Psalm 90: 4-5 The Lord will overshadow thee with His shoulders, and under His wings thou shalt trust: His truth shall compass thee with a shield.

POSTCOMMUNION May the holy partaking of Thy sacrament, restore us, O Lord, and cleansing us from our old life, make us to pass into the fellowship of the mystery of salvation. Through our Lord.

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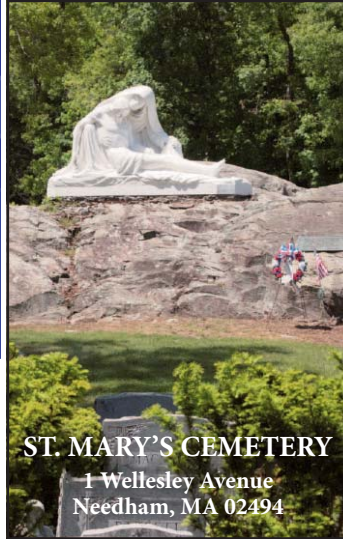
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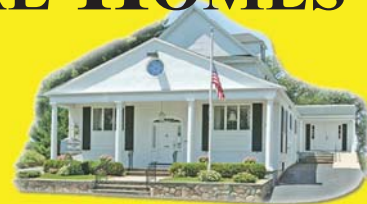
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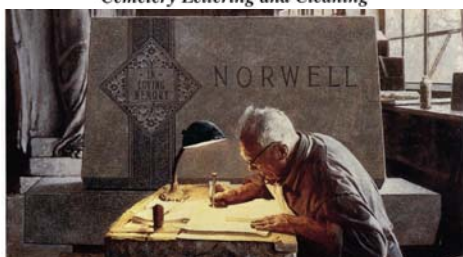
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