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May 21st, A.D. 2023

Sunday after Ascension

<u>Parish Cemetery of Saint</u> <u>Mary's, Needham</u> 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: <u>781-235-1841</u>

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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)

Mary Immaculate of Lourdes, Newton/Needham, Massachusetts

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 <u>SACRAMENT OF THE SICK</u>, also known as <u>EXTREME UNCTION</u>

Communion of the Sick for the Homebound

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

+ MAY IS THE MONTH OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY+

Pastor's Note



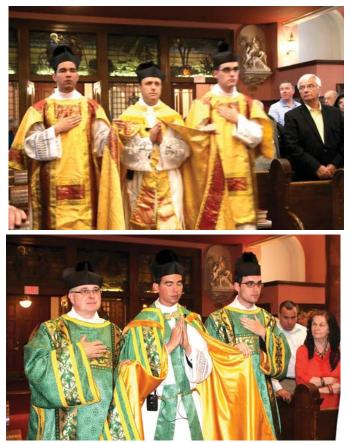
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AD MULTOS ANNOS

@D MULTOS ANNOS— "*May you have many years*." This is the greeting given to a priest on the Anniversary of his

Ordination. Today Fr. Stephen LeBlanc, our Parochial Vicar, celebrates the 7th Anniversary of his priestly ordination: May 21st, 2016. Our visiting assistant priest Fr. Juan Carlos Rivera, S.J., who is helping us in the parish this Sunday morning, is also celebrating the 7th Anniversary of his priestly ordination this year: June 11th, 2016.

Both Fr. LeBlanc and Fr. Rivera celebrated Masses of Thanksgiving here at Mary Immaculate of Lourdes in 2016, after their respective Ordinations (*PHOTOS below*). May they have many more years!



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We will hold our annual outdoor Memorial Day Mass at our parish cemetery of St. Mary's at 10 o'clock in the morning. All are welcome to attend.

Monday, May 29th, 2023, 10 AM: St. Mary's Cemetery Mass



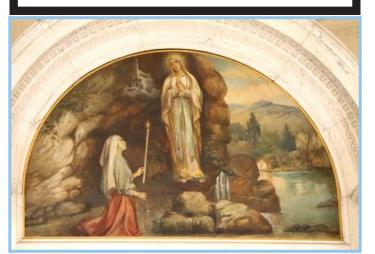
Military Remembrance Ceremony, 9 AM (Refreshments served following the Mass.)



"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)

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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 MAY 7th, 2023, \$7,851.00 + OTHER OFFERINGS, \$1,478.00: = <u>\$9,329.00</u>



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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 21st	4:00 PM (Vigil)	Victoria Samonte	Year's Mind	Samonte Family		
SUNDAY after ASCENSION	7:30 AM	Pro Populo				
	9:00 AM	Daryl Beurklian	Health of the Sick	Kathy Blake		
68 / - S	11:00 AM	For the Preservation of the Free Exercise of the Latin Mass in the Life of the Church				
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NO CE		Joseph Brann	Memorial	Julia Crozier		
	MIRED	Kerri Brann	Special Intention	Julia Crozier		
S- CONE	N/A SPA	Wendy Carter	Health of the Sick	Julia Crozier		
		Angelene Nicoloro	Birthday Intention	Nicoloro Family		
		Christine Nicoloro	Birthday Intention	Nicoloro Family		
		All Souls	Memorial	Nick Pino		
		Edward & Nancy Ip Choy Tang & Choy	Memorial	Choy Family		
BILLE		Hing	Memorial	Choy Family		
277	A Star	Stephanie Whiting	Special Intention	Farrell Family		
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Intention of the Donor



Belmonte Family

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MONDAY May 22nd St. Rita of Cascia	7:30 AM	Purgatorial Society of Mary Immaculate of Lourdes	Memorial	
or. Rad of Cuscia	12:30 PM	Joyce Marie Higgins	Memorial	Donor
TUESDAY May 23rd Ascension Feria	7:30 AM	Joseph Johnson	Memorial	Mary Mulhern
WEDNESDAY May 24th Our Lady, Help of Christians	12:30 PM	Robert W. Joyce	Special Intention	Donor
THURSDAY 25th Octave Day of Ascension	7:30 AM 5:30 PM	Deceased Priests of the Archdiocese of Boston Marie LeBlanc	Special Intention	Donor
FRIDAY May 26th St. Philip Neri	7:30 AM Health of the Sick	Nicole Lucia	Special Intention	Provencher Family
I	12:30 PM	Anne Marie Kumar	Birthday Intention	Maureen Nyhen
SATURDAY May 27th VIGIL of PENTECOST	9:00 AM	Eric Procopio & Sarah Carden Intention of the Donor Bishops & Priests	Special Intention Fidelity/ Protection/Courage	Belmonte Family Donor



4:00 PM: Lou Itrato

Memorial

Jane & Bob Brearley

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.

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

Photo Album for our Children's First Communion



Sunday after Ascension Mary Immaculate of Lourdes, Newton/Needham, Massachusetts

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Music Programs for this Sunday's Mass

Mass of Pope Paul VI (Novus Ordo) 4:00 PM (*Vigil*), 7:30 & 9:00 AM

Sunday after Ascension

Prelude: Ascendit Deus (4:00 PM & 7:30AM)

(Giovanni Francesco Anerio, first published in 1623) God is gone up with a merry noise, and the Lord with the sound of the trumpet. He gave gifts to men. Alleluiah. (Psalm 103:19a) The Lord hath prepared His seat in heaven.

Introit: Psalm 26:7-9 Exaudi Domine

O Lord, hear my voice, for I have called to You; of You my heart has spoken: Seek His face; hide not Your face from me, alleluia. (TODAY'S MISSAL, pg. 71)

(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> Hail Holy Queen Enthroned Above (Traditional)

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: John 17:17, 22 Rogo Pater Father, I pray that they may be one as we also are one, alleluia.

(TODAY'S MISSAL, p. 130)

Communion Meditation:

Ave Maria **(4:00 PM & 7:30AM)** "Méditation sur le Premier Prélude Piano de S. Bach" (Charles Gounod, Based on BWV 846 by J.S. Bach)

Si Ego Non Abiero **(9:00 AM)** (Tiburtio Massaino, composed in 1579) If I go not, the Paraclete will not come to you; but if I go, I will send Him to you. And when He is come, He will teach you all truth. Alleluia. — John 16:7, 13

Recessional Hymn:

We Thank Thee, Jesus, Dearest Friend (Worship II Hymnal, **No. 298**) Mass of St. Gregory the Great (Traditional Latin)

Sunday after Ascension 11:00 AM (5:30 P.M.)

<u>Prelude</u>: Alleluia. Ascendit Deus (9:00 & 11:00 AM) (Johann Knöfel, first published in 1575)

Choir Hymn (11:00 Mass): Optatus Votis The morn has dawned upon the sky, The sacred day of joy and light, When Christ, our hope arose on high Above the stars in glory bright.

Vidi Aquam, Parish Book of Chant, no. 24/pg. 35-36 Introit: Psalm 26. 7, 8, 9, 1 Exaudi, Domine, vocem meam, qua clamavi ad te, alleluia: tibi dixit cor meum, quaesivi vultum tuum, vultum tuum, Domine, requiram: ne avertas faciem tuam a me, alleluia, alleluia. Ps. ibid. 1. Dominus illuminatio mea, et salus mea: quem timebo? V. Gloria Patri, et Filio, et Spiritui Sancto. Sicut erat in principio, et nunc, et semper, et in saecula saeculorum. Amen. — Exaudi ...

(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

Paschal Alleluia: **Psalm 46. 9; John 14. 18** Alleluia, alleluia. \tilde{V} . Regnavit Dominus super omnes gentes: Deus sedet super sedem sanctam suam. Alleluia. \tilde{V} . Non vos relinquam orphanos: vado, et venio ad vos, et gaudebit cor vestrum. Alleluia.

Offertory: (11AM) Psalm 46.6 Ascendit Deus in jubilatione, et Dominus in voce tuba, alleluia.

<u>Communion</u>: John 17. 12–13, 15 Pater, cum essem cum eis, ego servabam eos, quos dedisti mihi, alleluia: nunc autem ad te venio: non rogo, ut tollas eos de mundo, sed ut serves eos a malo, alleluia, alleluia.

> Communion Meditation: (11:00 AM) Si Ego Non Abiero

(Tiburtio Massaino, composed in 1579)

<u>Recessional Hymn</u>: We Thank Thee, Jesus, Dearest Friend (Worship II Hymnal, **No. 298**)

Regina Caeli

Postlude: (9:00 & 11:00 AM) Alleluia: Amavit Eum (Heinrich Isaac, first published in 1555)

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LATIN MASS PROPERS: SUNDAY AFTER ASCENSION

INTROIT: Psalm 26. 7, 8, 9, 1 Hear, O Lord, my voice with which I have cried to Thee, alleluia; my heart hath said to Thee: I have sought Thy face, Thy face, O Lord, I will seek: turn not away Thy face from me, alleluia, alleluia. *Psalm.* The Lord is my light and my salvation: whom shall I fear? $\sqrt[7]{}$. 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. — Hear, O Lord ...

COLLECT: O Almighty and everlasting God, make us always bear towards Thee a devoted will, and serve Thy Majesty with a sincere heart. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, who liveth and reigneth with Thee...

EPISTLE: From the First Epistle of Blessed Peter the Apostle (I Peter 4. 7-11) Dearly beloved, be ye prudent and watch in prayers. But before all things have a constant mutual charity among yourselves: for charity covereth a multitude of sins. Using hospitality one towards another, without murmuring: as every man hath received grace, ministering the same, one to another, as good stewards of the manifold grace of God. If any man speak, let him speak, as the words of God: if any minister, let him do it, as of the power which God administereth: that in all things God may be honored through Jesus Christ our Lord.

PASCHAL ALLELUIA: Psalm 46. 9; John 14. 18 Alleluia, alleluia. (Ps. 46:9) The Lord hath reigned over all the nations; God sitteth on His holy throne. Alleluia. (Jn. 14:18) I will not leave you orphans: I go away, and I come unto you, and your heart shall rejoice. Alleluia.

GOSPEL: Continuation of the holy Gospel according to St. John 15. 26-27; 16. 1-4 **A**t that time Jesus said to His disciples: When the Paraclete cometh, whom I will send you from the Father, the Spirit of truth, who proceedeth from the Father, He shall give testimony to Me: and you shall give testimony because you are with Me from the beginning. These things I have spoken to you, that you may not be scandalized. They will put you out of the synagogues: yea, the hour cometh, that whosoever killeth you will think that he doth a service to God. And these things will they do to you, because they have not known the Father, nor Me. But these things I have told you, that, when the hour shall come, you may remember that I told you of them.

OFFERTORY: Psalm 46. 6 God is ascended with jubilee, and the Lord with the sound of a trumpet, alleluia.

SECRET: Grant, we beseech Thee, O Lord, that we may be ever grateful for having filled us with Thy sacred Gifts. Through our Lord, Jesus Christ ...

COMMUNION: John 17. 12-13, 15 Father, while I was with them, I kept them whom Thou gavest Me, alleluia; but now I come to Thee: I pray not that Thou shouldst take them out of the world, but that Thou shouldst keep them from evil, alleluia, alleluia.

POSTCOMMUNION: Grant, we beseech Thee, O Lord, that we may be ever grateful for having filled us with Thy sacred Gifts. Through our Lord, Jesus Christ ...



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