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Mary Immaculate of Lourdes Parish

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Newton, MA 02464

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Parish Cemetery of Saint

Mary's, Needham

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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, 9:0AM - 3:00 PM

Telephone: 781-235-1841

saintmaryscemetery.org

Mass Schedule

Sunday:

Novus Ordo

4:00 PM (Anticipated Sunday Mass), 7:30 & 9:00 AM Traditional Latin 11:00 AM & 5:30 PM

Weekdays:

Novus Ordo

Mon-Tue-Thu-Fri 7:30 AM *Traditional Latin*Mon-Wed-Fri 12:30 PM; Thu 5:30 PM

Saturday 9:00 AM

Holy Days

(Mass Timetables, as announced close before the occurring Feast)

December 8th, The Immaculate Conception of
Our Lady (Patronal Feast of the USA)
December 24th/25th, Christmas
January 1st, Octave Day of Christmas-Mary
the Mother of God
Ascension Thursday (40 days after Easter)
August 15th, The Assumption of Our Lady
November 1st, All Saints

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 as a major part its parish mission, under the auspices of the 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 1963-1978)
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.

<u>MATRIMONY</u>: 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)

+ AUGUST IS THE MONTH OF THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY+

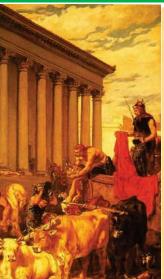


MISSION APPEAL ON BEHALF OF "FATHER SALAKO'S MISSIONS"

MANY THANKS TO ALL THOSE WHO HAVE CONTRIBUTED TO "FATHER SALAKO'S MISSIONS" THUS FAR.

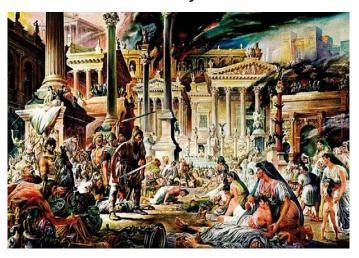
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Historical Note: August 24th, A.D. 410 The Sack of Rome by Alaric the Goth



On this day in history the Barbarian chieftain Alaric the Goth conquered the City of Rome and subjected it to three days of sack and pillage. It was the first time in 800 years that Rome had been overthrown by a foreign invader. Christians saw in the event both a divine chastisement and a divine protection: chastisement for the revival of the pagan worship in Rome, protection for those who found refuge inside the basilicas of Saint Peter and St. Paul. While the Barbarians fired the pagan temples they left the churches of the Apostles intact and allowed them as places of sanctuary for all those Roman people who had fled therein.

Writing from Bethlehem where destitute Romans were arriving, St. Jerome wrote: "The City which had taken the whole world was itself taken ... If Rome can perish, who can be safe?"

August 24th, 2025 A.D.

Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost/21st Sunday of the Year Mary Immaculate of Lourdes, Newton/Needham, Massachusetts

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St. Augustine's reproach of the Roman pagans whose lives were saved in the Sack of Rome by fleeing to the tombs of the Apostles, but who now (three years later) attack the

Christian Church.

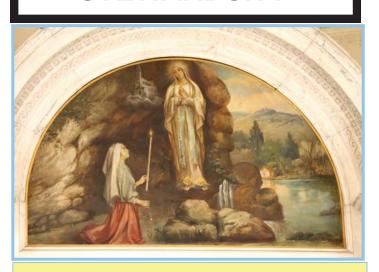
Many are so inflamed with hatred against [the City of God, the Church], and are so ungrateful to its Redeemer for His signal benefits, as to forget that they would now be unable to utter a single word to its prejudice, had they not found in its sacred places, as they fled from the enemy's steel, that life in which they now boast themselves. Are not those very Romans, who were spared by the barbarians through their respect for Christ, become enemies to the name of Christ? The reliquaries of the Martyrs and the churches of the Apostles bear witness to this; for in the sack of the City they were open sanctuary for all who fled to them, whether Christian or Pagan. To their very threshold the blood thirsty enemy raged; there his murderous fury owned a limit." The City of God, Book I



"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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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?"

OFFERTORY for the SEVENTH SUNDAY after PENTECOST/ 17th of the YEAR, July 27th, A.D. 2025, \$7,570.00 + OTHER OFFERINGS, \$1,418.00:

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= <u>\$8,669.00</u>

"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)

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SUNDAY August 24th	4:00 PM (Anticipated Sunday Mass)	+Sally MacDonald Kerr	12th Anniv. Mem.	Alicia Kerr			
SAINT BARTHOLOMEW, APOSTLE Commemorations:	7:30 AM	Pro Populo					
Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost,	9:00 AM	+Beatrice Ward	Anniv. Memorial	Susan Carroll			
TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY TEMPUS-PER-	11:00 AM	For the Preservation of the Free Exercise of the Latin Mass in the	Special Intention				
ANNUM		Life of the Church Pope/Priests/Bishops Divine Will/Peace on	Special Intention Special Intention	MPA			
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(P)		All Seminarians	Special Intention	Donor			
	3	+Alex. M. Barboza (10/12)	Memorial Memorial	Susanna Barboza			
000	N N	+Rob./Jan. Harvey (9/10) +All Souls (3/6)	Memorial	Laura Harvey Susanna Barboza			
SEBARRE	A CONTRACTOR	+Alex Barb. Vaz. (3/12)	Memorial	Susanna Barboza			
	TOTAL STREET	Ryan Lynn (6/9)	Special Intention	Donor			
		John R. Dunn, Jr.	Birthday Memorial	Dolloi			
		Dr. Claude Curran/Fam.	Special Intentions	Elissa Ferris			
		+Chris Hurley	Memorial	Laura Harvey			
	Car is	Meghan & Tom Goguen	Wedd. Anniv.	Proai Family			
		+Michael	Memorial	Maria Tran			
		+Albert Cauto	Memorial	Neal & Antoinette Steinkrauss			
		Timothy Benoit	Birthday Intention	Neal & Antoinette Steinkrauss			
	A	Carmel Farrell	Special Intention	McCarthy Family			
		Barbara Wakefield (1/3)	Memorial	Camille Arcidi			
	500	+John Locrasto, III	Memorial	Martin Angelucci			
		+Joanna Marie Angelucci	Memorial	Anthony & Victoria Angelucci			
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		Karin & Brian Booth	10th Anniversary	Her Nieces & Nephews			
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		Denise & Pat Gemma	Special Intention	Rusnack Family Rusnack Family			
	1, 11	David DeVito	Special Intention	Rusnack Family			
	1118	Jer. & Theresa Rusnack	Special Intention	Rusnack Family			
	War and the second	+Sonia Rezende	3rd Anniv. Mem.	Luciana Prunier			
		Kathy Brusstar/Family	Special Intention	McCarthy Family			
		Laura Gies/ Family	Special Intention	McCarthy Family			
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Memorial

Bernadette McKinley

+Fred M. Crapo

Geraldine Jean Pierre

Laura Harvey

SUNDAY August 24th SAINT BARTHOLOMEW, APOSTLE IIth SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST	11:00 AM 5:30 PM	Bishops & Priests George Saade Elaine Murray (1/3) Léopoldine Viollet +Bernice Goguen	Courage/Fidelity/ Perseverance Surgery Health of the Sick Special Intention 2nd Anniv. Mem.	Donor Izakovic Family Rachele/Jack Monbouquette Viollet Family Goguen Family
MONDAY August 25th	7:30 AM	Purgatorial Society of Mary Immaculate of	Memorial	
St. Louis IX, King of France & Confessor	12:30 PM	In Thanksgiving for Answered Prayers	Special Intention	Clara & John Kimani
TUESDAY August 26th Feria	7:30 AM	Joanna Swiderski (2/3)	Health of the Sick	Camille Arcidi
WEDNESDAY August 27th St. Joseph Calasanctius	12:30 PM	+John Finn	Memorial	Robert & Marie LeBlanc
THURSDAY	7:30 AM	+Deceased Priests of	Memorial	
August 28th St. Augustine of Hippo	5:30 PM	+John Boran	Anniv. Memorial	Mary McCarthy
FRIDAY August 29th	7:30 AM Health of the	+Mary & Ralph Johnson	Memorial	Jean Johnson
The Beheading of John the Baptist	12:30 PM	Gary Tetrault, Jr.	Health of the Sick	Reynolds Family
SATURDAY	9:00 AM	+All Souls	Memorial	Mary
St. Rose of Lima		Carden Driscoll Family (10/10) Pope/Priests/Bishops	Special Intention Special Intention Special Intention	Mike & Annie Procopio Richard Driscoll MPA
		On Earth Alex/ Arwen Dorna (10/10) Ryan Lynn (7/9)	Special Intention Special Intentions Special Intention	MPA Marcy Dorna Donor
		4:00 PM (Anticipated Sunday Mass) Christopher Bostolis	Birthday Intention	Denise Bostolis
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Music Programs for this Sunday's Mass

Mass of Pope Paul VI (Novus Ordo)

4:00 PM (Anticipated Sunday Mass), 7:30 & 9:00 AM

Twenty-first Sunday of the Year

Prelude (9:00AM)

Omnipotens Sempiterne Deus

(Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina, first published in 1575)

Almighty and everlasting God, Who didst bestow on us the venerable and holy joy of this day in the feast of Thine Apostle blessed Bartholomew, grant, we beseech Thee, unto Thy Church to love that which she believeth, and to preach that which he taught.

Introit: Psalm 85(86): 1-3 Inclina Domine

Turn Your ear, O Lord, and answer me; save the servant who trusts in You, my God. Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I cry to You all the day long.

(TODAY'S MISSAL, Page 5)

(7:30 AM & 9:00 AM)

Ordinary Prayers: Mass IX, Cum Jubilo

Kyrie, Gloria, Sanctus-Benedictus, Agnus Dei: Parish Book of Chant, no. 69ff./pp. 85-87

Credo III (English)

Offertory (9:00AM) Sanctus Bartholomaeus

(Jacob Handi, first published in 1590)

Saint Bartholomew, who emerged as a prince upon earth, being born of high rank, remains still a prince in heaven, covered in the lamb's fleece. For he converted the people of India with the saving word, and brought ruin to demons with very severe acts.

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.")

<u>Communion</u>: John 6:54 Qui manducat

Whoever eats My Flesh and drinks My Blood has eternal life, says the Lord, and I will raise him up on the Last Day.

(TODAY'S MISSAL, Page 101)



Mass of St. Gregory the Great (Usus Antiquior) 11:00 AM (5:30 P.M.)

Saint Bartholomew, Apostle (Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost)

<u>Prelude</u> (11:00 AM) Omnipotens Sempiterne Deus (Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina, first published in 1575)

Choir Hymn (11:00 Mass) O Jesu, Vivens

O Jesus, who dost live in Mary, come and live in Thy servants, in the spirit of Thine own holiness, in the fulness of Thy power, in the reality of Thy virtues, in the perfection of Thy ways, in the communion of Thy mysteries, - have Thou dominion over every adverse power, in Thine own Spirit, to the glory of Thy Father. Amen.

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

Introit: Psalm 138:17 Mihi autem nimis honorati sunt amici tui, Deus: nimis confortatus est principatus eorum. (Ps. 138:1-2) Domine, probasti me et cognovisti me: tu cognovisti sessionem meam et resurrectionem meam. Glória Patri et Fílio

(11:00 AM)

Ordinary Prayers: Mass IX, Cum Jubilo

Kyrie, Gloria, Sanctus-Benedictus, Agnus Dei: Parish Book of Chant, no. 69ff./pp. 85-87 Credo IV: Parish Book of Chant, no. 120/pg. 117

Gradual: Psalm 44:17-18 Constitues eos principes super omen terram: memores erunt nominis tui, Domine. V. Pro patribs tuis nati sunt tibi filii: propterea populi confitebuntur tibi.
Alleluia: Allelúja, Allelúja. Te gloriosus Apostolorum chorus

<u>Alleluia</u>: Allelúja, Allelúja. Te gloriosus Apostolorum chorus laudat, Domine. Allelúja.

Offertory: (11AM) Psalm 138:17 Mihi autem nimis honorati sunt amici tui, Deus: nimis confortatus est principatus eorum.

<u>Communion</u>: Matthew 19:28 Vos, qui secui estis me, sedebitis super sedes, judicantes duodecim tribus Israel, dicit Dominus.

Communion Meditation (11:00 AM)

Ecce Quam Bonum

(Alexander Utendal, first published in 1577)

Behold how good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity.

(Ps. 132:1) They shall be inebriated with the plenty of Thy house, and Thou shalt make them drink of the torrent of Thy pleasure.

For with Thee is the fountain of life, and in Thy light we shall see light.

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Recessional Hymn

From All Thy Saints in Warfare (Worship II Hymnal, No. 87)

Postlude (9:00 AM)

I Will Give Thanks Unto Thee, O Lord (Henry Purcell, composed in 1684) I will give thanks unto Thee, O Lord, with my whole heart: even before the gods will I sing praise unto Thee.

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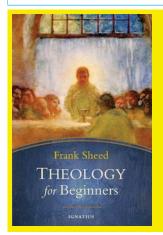
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<u>Postlude</u> (11:00AM))

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BOOK STUDY with FR. LeBLANC

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SCRIPTURE READINGS for the TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY OF THE YEAR (YEAR C)

Today's Missal, pp. 48-49

Lesson (First Reading):

Isaiah 66:18-21

Thus says the LORD: I know their works and their thoughts, and I come to gather nations of every language: they shall come and see My glory.

Epistle (Second Reading):

Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13

So strengthen your drooping hands and your weak knees. Make straight paths for your feet, that what is lame may not be disjointed but healed.

Gospel Lesson: Who Will Be Saved? Luke 13:22-30

Someone asked [Jesus]: "Lord, will those who are saved be few?" He answered: "Strive to enter through the narrow gate, for many I tell you, will attempt to enter but will not be strong enough."



"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)

LATIN MASS PROPERS: SAINT BARTHOLOMEW, APOSTLE

INTROIT (Psalm 138: 17. 1-2) To me, Thy friends, O God, are made exceedingly honorable: their principality is exceedingly strengthened. *Ps. ibid.* 1-2. Lord, Thou hast proved me and known me: Thou hast known my sitting down and my rising up. \tilde{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. — To me, Thy friends, O God, ...

COLLECT ALMIGHTY and Everlasting God, Who has given us this day a reverent and holy joy in the feast of Thy blessed Apostle Bartholomew; grant, we beseech Thee, unto Thy Church ever to love that which he believed and to preach that which he taught. Through Our Lord.

EPISTLE From the First Letter of Blessed Paul the Apostle to the Corinthians, 12. 27-31 BRETHREN, you are the Body of Christ, and members of member. And God indeed hath set some in the Church, first apostles, secondly prophets, thirdly doctors, after that miracles, then the graces of healings, helps, governments, kinds of tongues, interpretation of speeches. Are all apostles? Are all prophets? Are all doctors? Are all workers of miracles? Have all the grace of healing? Do all speak with tongues? Do all interpret? But be ye zealous for the better gifts.

GRADUAL (Ps. 44:17-18) THOU shalt make them princes over all the earth: they shall be mindful of Thy Name, O Lord. V. Instead of thy fathers sons are born to thee: therefore shall people praise thee. ALLELUIA: Alleluia, alleluia. V. O Lord, the glorious choir of the apostles praises Thee. Alleluia.

GOSPEL Continuation of the holy Gospel according to St. Luke, 6:12-19 AT THAT TIME, Jesus went out into a mountain to pray, and He passed the whole night in the prayer of God: and when day was come, He called unto Him His disciples; and He chose twelve of them (whom He also named Apostles), Simon, whom He surnamed Peter, and Andrew his brother, James and John, Philip and Bartholomew, Matthew and Thomas, James the son of Alphaeus, and Simon who is called Zelotes, and Jude the brother of James and Judas Iscariot, who was the traitor. He stood in a plain place, and the company of His disciples, and a very great multitude of people from all Judaea and Jerusalem, and the sea-coast, both of Tyre and Sidon, who were come to hear Him, and to be healed of their diseases. And they that were troubled with unclean spirits were cured. And all the multitude sought to touch Him, for virtue went out from Him, and healed all.

OFFERTORY (Ps. 138:17) TO me Thy friends, O God, are made exceedingly honorable: their principality is exceedingly strengthened.

SECRET Celebrating the festival of blessed Bartholomew, Thine Apostle, we beseech Thee, O Lord, that we who offer this sacrifice of praise in his memory, may by his help receive Thy benefits. Through our Lord ...

COMMUNION (Matthew 19:28) YOU who have followed Me, shall sit on seats, judging the Twelve Tribes of Israel, saith the Lord.

POSTCOMMUNION MAY the pledge of eternal salvation which we have received, O Lord, we beseech Thee, through the intercession of blessed Bartholomew Thine Apostle, bring us help for this present life, and for that which is to come. Through...





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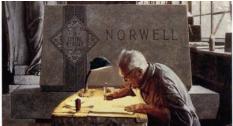
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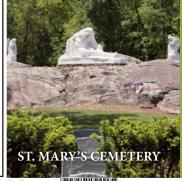
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