

Please Pray for...


All who have died these past weeks especially Paul Lane. We offer our prayers to their family and pray that they will rest in the Lord's peace.

Those who are sick in the hospital or recovering:
Nicole Morton, Pat Corson, Suzanne Lamoureux, Robert Boucher, LuAnn Trigo, Richard Roderick, Fr. Martin Donahue, Dorothy Choquette, Noreen Mina, Mary Madden, Robert Geoffrion, Bernadette Pervier, Elaine Lamoureux, Whitney Fritze, Diane Aoun, Peter Lacroix, Heather Josti - Harris, Simon Kibe, Lili MacDonald, Jean Wheeler, Al Shedyak, Kathleen Bowen, Paul Masiello, Paul Provencher, Diane Cyr, Theresa Cassavant, Laurie Gablaski, Ann Gablaski, Addison Lacaire, Pat Benoit, Gloria Butler, Joyce Frigon, Laura Wynn, Carey Dubois, Raymond Brodeur, Michael Kady, Bonnie Sheldon, Heather Lech, Joseph Nisel, Joseph Siauris, Cheryl Branham, Pauline Casavant, Jon Widdison

Our weekly offerings May 19 & 20

Envelopes	\$ 4,378.00
Loose	\$ 1,081.00
Total collection	\$ 5,459.00
Number of envelopes	146

Thank you for your generous gifts this past weekend.

 **FIRST SATURDAY EUCHARISTIC EXPOSITION**
JUNE 2, 2018 8:30AM - 4:00 PM

Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary: 8:00 am. Confessions following Mass. Exposition starting at the end of Mass and continuing throughout the day until 4:00pm. Confessions 3:00 – 3:50 pm. Benediction 4:00 pm.

If you wish to participate there is a signup sheet in the sacristy.

***Sacred Heart of Jesus candles** this week are sponsored by Dr. Timothy Hoffman in memory of his brothers, George, James & Dennis Hoffman. May they rest in the peace of the Lord. Please pray for George, James & Dennis Hoffman.*

***Mary's Candles** this week are sponsored by Al & Mimi Shedyak in memory of Paula Bernier. Please pray for Paula Bernier.*

Contact the parish office if you would like to sponsor candles in memory of a loved one or for a special intention.

Cemetery News... A Memorial Day outdoor Mass will be held at the Cemetery Chapel on May 28th at 10:30 am. (mass will be held in the church if it is raining that day) Following the mass, Coffee & Donuts will be served at the Nights of Columbus on Meadow Street in Spencer.

A **Baccalaureate Service** for all graduating senior students of David Prouty HS and their families will be held on May 29, 2018 at 7pm in Our Lady of the Rosary Church, 7 Church Street. Baccalaureate is a time to gather and thank God for your high school years, to receive a message of hope as you face the future, and to pray for one another.

New Parish Office Hours:
The Parish office and Faith Formation office will be open Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday from 9am-5pm.
Thursday and Friday the office will be closed.
Contact information:
Parish Office 508-885-3111 Ext.113
Faith Formation Office 508-885-3111 Ext.105
Parish Email maryqueen@mqrparish.org

Faith Formation News: Have you registered for 2018–2019 FF classes? We are taking registrations now. Call or stop by the Parish office to update your contact information and register for next year. If you currently have a past due amount owed for Faith Formation classes for 2017–2018, please send in your payment to the Faith Formation office. For questions please Contact Judi at 508–885–3111 x 105 or email her at jbrennan@mqrparish.org

FOOD PANTRY REQUEST FOR THIS WEEK
CRACKERS & COOKIES

PARISH INDOOR/OUTDOOR YARD SALE & VENDOR SALE... Memorial Day weekend
Saturday, May 26th 7:30am- 2pm
Sunday, May 27th 11am-3pm
Monday, May 28th 7:30am -12pm

Where: **Our Lady of the Rosary Church Hall**
7 Church Street, Spencer

Come join the fun... seek out your treasures at our giant indoor yard sale & outdoor vendor sale.

Enter to win \$\$\$ and prizes in our Raffles, The Big Money Raffle & The Lottery Tree Raffle! Raffles will be drawn on Sunday between 2:30-3pm

Enjoy some delicious food and baked goods while you stroll through the yard sale.

Come join the fun and fellowship of our Parish!

Help is needed on Monday & Tuesday, May 28th & 29th to pack up what ever is left over from the parish yard sale. This will be easy to do with many helpers. Help with this task is needed on Monday after the yard sale closes at 12pm and on Tuesday morning & afternoon.

This Summer's Vacation Bible School is fast approaching!

Please help spread the word to families with young children. This will be the highlight of their summer as they learn about God and have fun at the same time. If you know someone that might be interested in attending VBS, please take a registration form and help us advertise. We are also looking for volunteers to help staff this wonderful event. Registration forms can be found at the entrances of the church.

VBS dates areJuly 16-20, 2018

2018 Partners in Charity Appeal Update
Thanks to all our parishioners who have made their gift to the 2018 Partners in Charity Appeal. Mary, Queen of the Rosary has received \$36,290 in gifts and pledges from 165 donors. We are 84% toward our goal of \$43,000.

Frank & Kathryn Bartimo Memorial Scholarship applications are available to High School Seniors who have been **active in our Parish**. Applications can be found at the doors of the church or at the parish office. Applications should be returned to the parish office no later than May 31st.

Pancake Breakfast Sunday, June 3rd
8:30am-12pm to benefit the students going on the Mission Trip in July. Bring your family and enjoy a delicious pancake breakfast in our parish hall. Adults \$7, ages 2-10, \$3 and under 2 is free. Your donation will help ten students from our parish go on their mission trip to help others in need in July .

A Taste of the Diaconate Cookbook– a cookbook has been published as part of the celebration of 40 years of the Diaconate Program in the Worcester Diocese (1978-2018). It is a collection of 143 recipes by our local Deacons, Candidates and their Families. Proceeds support the Diaconate Program. To order a copy for \$10 , contact Kathy Barrett at , kbarrett@worcesterdiocese.org

Catholic Charities Home Care program is looking for aides to care for elders and handicapped individuals in their own homes. Aides provide light housekeeping, laundry, shopping and personal care. Candidates must be reliable, compassionate and have transportation. Please call 1-800-649-4364 for an appointment.

The June Issue of the "Word among Us" are available at the doors of the church.

Mass Schedule	
Saturday, May 26	4:30 pm The Casavant Family by Bernard
Sunday, May 27	8:00 am Rev. James F. Hoey by Rita Berthiaume 10:30 am Rita Lamoureux by Her Son Paul
Monday, May 28	10:30 am Outdoor Mass / Cemetery
Tuesday, May 29	8:00 am George Either (31st Anniv) by Theresa 7:00 pm Baccalaureate Service
Wednesday, May 30	8:00 am For All Immigrants
Thursday, May 31	8:00 am Pauline Guibord by Jean & Family (Birthday Remembrance)
Friday, June 1	8:00 am No Mass Today
Saturday, June 2	4:30 pm Therese Johnson (2nd Anniv) by Her Son
Sunday, June 3	8:00 am Daniel Lyons (9th Anniv) by The Family 10:15 am Richard Stoddard (Months Mind) by Pat Corson

Calendar of Events	
Sunday, May 27	Coffee Shop CLOSED
11:00 –3:00 pm	PARISH YARD & VENDOR SALE
Monday, May 28	
9:30 am 7:30-12:00 pm	Food Pantry - CLOSED PARISH YARD & VENDOR SALE
Tuesday, May 29	
8:00 pm	Reception for students & families attending Baccalaureate Service
Wednesday, May 30	
Thursday, May 31	
9:30 am	Food Pantry – OPEN
Friday, June 1	
Saturday, June 2	
3:30 pm- 4:00 pm	Confessions
Sunday, June 3	Coffee CLOSED
8:30-12:00 pm	Pancake Breakfast Fund Raiser For Mission Trip

Prayer Shawl Ministry– next meeting is Wednesday, **June 6th** at **7pm** in the Benton Room.

Men's Group: Next Meeting is Saturday, **June 2, 9:30-11:00 am** in the Rectory. If you have any questions or would like to join, contact Fr. Bill at wschipper@mqrparish.org