Please pray for all who have died these past weeks especially Theresa Braney and Joseph DeCoff. We pray that they will rest in the Lord's peace.

Those who are sick in the hospital or recovering.. LuAnn Trigo, Sr. Helena Burns, Jane Shabo, Jackie Gablaski, Freya Holmes, Jane Kwiatkowski, Timothy Lacroix, Mike Luszey, Ann Austin, Sandy Masiello, Whitney Sticca, Laura Wyne, Suzanne Brown, Dave Hardies, Chelsea Sweet, Jeannette Gebo, James Gebo, Theresa Miller, Marcia Sites, Ann Smith, Ann Loftus, Kim Malpass, Lorraine Shepard, Cindy Marshall, Raphelle Mastersor Raymond Choquette, Eric Korzep, Irene Korzep, Gordon Prosser, John Brennan, Mariana Munzert, Bryan Benicaso

Weekly Collection

June 24 & 25 \$ 5,031.00 Income YTD \$ 241,593.00 **Budget YTD** \$ 238,134.00 Over/(Under) \$ 3,459.00

Thank you for your continued generosity.



First Saturday August 5, 2023 Mass & Adoration

8 am Mass followed by Exposition, Confessions, and Adoration with Benediction at 12 noon.

Candle Intentions

Sacred Heart Candles- "For all Clergy and Religious" by Dr. Timothy Hoffman.

Mary's Candles are burning- "For the Pro-Life movement" by Dr. Timothy Hoffman

Please pray for this special intentions.

Pantry Needs: Snacks & Juice for Kids



The Food Pantry is open on Thursday each week and is serving clients living in Spencer & East Brookfield from 10am -12pm. Please remain in your vehicle as clients are served outside. To contact the food pantry please call 508-885-3111 X110 or by email at foodpantry@mqrparish.org

Parish and Faith Formation Offices

THE OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED JULY 3 & 4

Office hours: 9am-4pm Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday

Parish Secretary: Michele Bouvier

508-885-3111 Ext.103, mbouvier@mgrparish.org

Parish Email: maryqueen@mqrparish.org

Website www.maryqueenoftherosary.org

Faith Formation Office: Kelly Sullivan, Director of Religious Education 508-885-3111 Ext.105

Faith Formation News:

What a great week we had at our Totus Tuus Summer Bible Camp!



Thank you to Ricky Reyes, Liam Daigle, Courtney Romeo and Kathryn James, our Totus Tuus Missionaries! Good luck as you travel to other parishes for camp! You will all be in our prayers!

Thank you to Cheryl Benoit, Ken Choquette and Laurie Zukowski for all their help!

Thank you to our high school volunteers - what a blessing you are to our parish! Aniela, Ashley, Angelina, Dale, Noah, Sarah, Zoe, Zach, and Samantha.

Thank you to the Knights of Columbus for graciously donating money for our lunches all week and to all the parishioners who donated snacks for the week!



Have a safe and happy 4th of July! Come Support & Cheer on our MQR Youth Volleyball team! Monday, July 3rd @ 7pm at St. Christopher in Worcester.

YARD SALE UPDATE

THANK YOU once again to everyone who helped in any way to make our yard sale such a huge success! This event provided our parish with a net profit of \$6,675.00!

Report Abuse- If you have been abused or victimized by someone representing the Catholic Church, we encourage you to come forward and speak out. The Victim Assistance Coordinator for the Diocese of Worcester is Judith Audette. A report can be made by phone to a confidential line 508-726-2880 or by email

<u>jaudette@woresterdiocese.org</u> If the report is made by mail, please send it to: Judith Audette, Victim Assistance Coordinator. The Diocese of Worcester, 49 Elm Street. Worcester, MA 01609

"...whoever does not take up his cross and follow after me is not worthy of me." Matthew 10:38

A Prayer For Our Nation

"God our Father, giver of life,

We entrust the United States of America to Your loving care.

You are the Rock on which this great nation was founded.

You alone are the true source of our cherished rights to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. Reclaim this land for Your greater glory and dwell among Your people.

Send Your Spirit to touch the hearts of our nation's leaders.

Open their minds to the great worth of all citizens and children of God, and the responsibilities that accompany human freedom.

Remind Your people, Lord, that true happiness is rooted in seeking and doing Your will.

Through the intercession of Mary Immaculate, patroness of our Land, grant us the courage to reject the 'culture of death'.

Lead us into a new time of life – united and living in faithfulness to You.

We ask all of this through Jesus Christ, Your Son and our Lord. Amen."

Scratch Ticket Extravaganza Raffle

Chances are \$20 per ticket or six tickets for \$100. Return your entries to the Parish Office in the mail, the collection basket or the mail slot at the office door. Need more tickets, check the doors of the church or visit the parish office!



Margary The Grand Prize is an entire book of 50 \$30 Dollar "MILLIONS" Scratch Tickets. The Millions game still has one Fifteen Million Dollar prize and five One Million Dollar unclaimed prizes!

2nd Prize 50 \$10 Scratch Tickets

3rd Prize 50 \$5 Scratch Tickets

4th Prize 50 \$2 Scratch Tickets

5th Prize 50 \$1 Scratch Tickets

The drawing for this raffle is on August 20th!

SAVE THE DATE

Sept.10 - Parish Chicken BBQ @ Fish & Game Club

Aug. 20 - Drawing for Scratch Ticket Extravaganza

Oct.7 – Women's Catholic Conference, St. Joseph School, Webster

Mass Intentions

Saturday, July 1

4:30 pm Diane Gagan by The Dymek Family

Sunday, July 2

8:00 am Nicholas Nussey (Birthday Remembrance) by Dad, Mom, Lauren & Jonathan

10:15 am Richard "Dick" Cloutier by The Cloutier Family

Monday, July 3

8:00 am Eric Korzep by His Aunt Jane

Tuesday, July 4 Independence Day 8:00 am For the People of the Parish



Wednesday, July 5

8:00 am Marguerite Hayes (Birthday Remembrance) by Sandy, Debbie & Karen

Thursday, July 6

8:00 am Fran Milionis by Carole & Ed Caissie

Friday, July 7

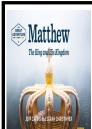
8:30 am Mass at St John The Baptist, East Brookfield

Saturday, July 8

4:30 pm Lucien Cote (11th Anniv.) by His Family

Sunday, July 9

8:00 am Doris Moon (20th Anniv.) by Her Family 10:15 am Glen L'Heureux by Al & Mimi Shedyak



Bible Study - Gospel of Matthew

The last meeting is on Wednesday, July 5th in the parish hall from 7-8: 15pm.

Thank you Judi Brennan for vour Time & Talent!

Free Concert at Mechanics Hall, Worcester. Monday, July 17 @ 2pm.

Come one, come all! Josef Konkol is taking a step out of performance retirement to be the guest artist at the Jim and Val concerts being held at Mechanics Hall, Worcester. "A Broadway State of Mind" will feature music sung by all three artists based on the Broadway theme.

The concert is one of three being offered to the public and is FREE! There is VIP table seating but tickets need to be reserved. Tables seat 8 people and concessions will be offered for those at the tables. There is also Balcony seating, but no food allowed there. To reserve tickets please contact Joe Konkol at Konkoljosef@gmail.com. or Valeriesneade@gmail.com. Please come and escape the summer heat and enjoy the music of Ole Broadway! Josef would love your support in the audience!