

THE CATHOLIC PARISHES OF MILLBURY ST. BRIGID + OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION

PARISH OFFICES ARE LOCATED AT:

St. Brigid Parish
59 Main Street, Millbury, MA 01527
Mon. - Thurs. 8:30 AM to 3:00 PM
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Check our websites for individual email addresses.

MASS TIMES

Assumption Church
12 Waters Street

Mon. & Thurs.: 9:00 AM Tues. & Wed.: 7:00 AM Sun.: 9:00 AM

St. Brigid Church
59 Main Street

Sat.: 4:00 PM Sun.: 7:00 AM & 11:00 AM

PASTORAL & ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

Fr. Dan Mulcahy, Pastor

Deacon Ron Buron, K.H.S., Permanent Deacon Facilities Manager

Sister Jeanne Richard, S.A.S.V.,

Pastoral Care Ministry

Claudette Belair, Music Director

Greg Bernard, Faith Formation (Gr. K-12) Family Ministry

Kathy Buron, *Safe Environment Coordinator*

Donna Gazaille, Administrative Assistant

Ronald Marlborough, Maintenance Director

Carol Trainque, RCIA Director Liturgical Coordinator

Members of the staff may be contacted by calling the Parish Offices at (508) 865-6624. The offices are open Monday through Thursday from 8:30 AM until 3:00 PM. If the offices are closed, feel free to leave a voicemail and we will get back to you as soon as we are able.

SACRAMENTS OF THE CHURCH

Reconciliation/Confession

Saturdays 3:00 PM to 3:45 PM or anytime upon request.

Baptism

Baptism Gatherings, to prepare families for the sacrament of Baptism, are held 4 times a year.

Baptisms are held each month.

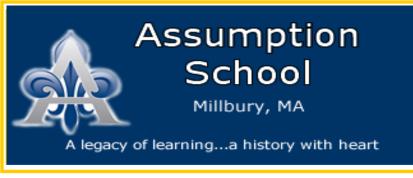
For more information, or to make arrangements, please call the parish offices at (508) 865-6624.

Marriage

Please call the rectory at least one year in advance.

Anointing of the Sick and Communion Calls

Please call the rectory when a parishioner is confined at home, is in the hospital, or placed in a nursing home or hospice. Holy Communion is brought weekly to all shut-ins.



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Sat., May 13

4:00 PM Pauline Smith

By: Her husband, Charles

Sun., May 14

7:00 AM Konstantin and Ludvika Puchly

By: Theresa P. Baker

9:00 AM Lucille "Bernard" Vecchione

(41st Anniversary)

By: Her Sister, Pauline and Family

11:00 AM Ann Fedyk

By: Mike and Lucille Maguire

<u>Mon., May 15</u>

9:00 AM Kenneth A. Breton

By: Cathy Piorkowski

The People of the Catholic Parishes

Of Millbury

Tues., May 16

7:00 AM Communion Service

Wed., May 17

7:00 AM Communion Service

Thurs., May 18

9:00 AM Marilyn McLeod

(70th Birthday Remembrance)

By: Ed and Peg Schultz

Sat., May 20

4:00 PM Attilio and Rena Ferretti

By: Terri Yaz

Sun., May 21

7:00 AM Tracy Mellen

By: Her Parents

9:00 AM **Daniel R. Mulcahy, Sr.**

(Birthday Remembrance)

By: The Flagg Family

11:00 AM Mary B. Mrozinski

(3rd Anniversary)

By: Her Husband, Victor

(Our apologies for any errors or misspelled names.)

Dear Parishioners: Cross Catholic Outreach wishes to thank you for the welcome you extended to Father Sherry on our recent visit to our parish. On behalf of the poorest of the poor, we thank you for having shared in their lives. May our Lord continue to bless all of you for your love and support.



Saturday, May 20, 4:00 PM at St. Brigid

L: J. Palmisano AS: G. & B. Travers

EM: R. Eckland, A. Nocchi, P. Michalak, L. Magnuson

Sunday, May 21, 7:00 AM at St. Brigid

L: T. Mattus AS: J. Mazeika

EM: T. Mattus, J. Mazeika

Sunday, May 21, 9:00 AM at Assumption

L: C. Piorkowski AS: C. Belsito, J. & S. Ikeda

EM: K. Barrett, T. & F. Jakubiak, R. Bazin

Sunday, May 21, 11:00 AM at St. Brigid

L: R. & Z. Curnen

AS: C. & D. Piselli

EM: J. & M. Piselli



Visitation House Baby Bottle Fundraiser Begins This Weekend Mother's Day

The Catholic Parishes of Millbury are participating in a Baby Bottle Fundraiser to benefit Visitation House, a Catholic home for homeless women facing crisis pregnancies. Since opening in 2005 on the feast of the Visitation, they have cared for over 200 mothers and their babies. While women await the birth of their babies at the home on Vernon Hill in Worcester, MA, Visitation House feeds, clothes, educates and nurtures them. After the birth of their baby, mothers can stay up to six months and during that time the staff at Visitation House assists them with housing, higher education, job opportunities and furnishes them with the basic necessities to start their new lives. Please support Visitation House by taking a baby bottle this weekend, May 13th and 14th, and fill it with your spare money. We ask that you return your bottle on Father's Day weekend, June 17th and 18th.

Give that a child may live. Your gift of whatever size will be greatly appreciated. The smallest gift from God is our greatest treasure.

Scripture for the week of May 14, 2017

14 SUN Acts 6:1-7/1 Pt 2:4-9/Jn 14:1-12

15 Mon Acts 14:5-18/Jn 14:21-26

16 Tue Acts 14:19-28/Jn 14:27-31a

17 Wed Acts 1:15-17, 20-26/Jn 15:9-17

18 Thu Acts 15:7-21/Jn 15:9-11

19 Fri Acts 15:22-31/Jn 15:12-17

20 Sat Acts 16:1-10/Jn 15:18-21

21 SUN Acts 8:5-8, 14-17/1 Pt 3:15-18/Jn 14:15-21

SANCTUARY CANDLES BURN THIS WEEK:

Our Lady of the Assumption Candle

In loving memory of Lucille "Bernard" Vecchione On the 41st anniversary of her birth to new life Requested by her sister Pauline and family

St Brigid Candles

In loving memory of Flora Mosher Requested by her family

In loving memory of Grace Gagliardi On the 12th anniversary of her birth to new life Requested by Janis Corey

> In loving memory of Jeannette Gagliardi A Mother's Day Remembrance Requested by Janis Corey

Remember in Prayer this Week:

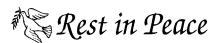
Those who serve in our Military:

Patrick Hafferty Nicole Leonard Marc Winchester Brandon Perkins

Reminder: Forms are available at each parish to add names to the Prayer List or call the rectory at 508-865-6624 with your request. Names will be removed on a monthly basis.

MINISTRY OF PRAYER Prayer Line 508-865-5373

If you, or someone you know, is in need of prayer, call the confidential prayer line listed above.



In the charity of your prayers, please remember the soul of **Dolores** C. Lavoie who has gone home to God. May she rest in Christ's eternal light and peace.

REMEMBRANCE SECTION

Would you like to remember a loved one in our Remembrance section? The cost of enrollment will be a \$50 donation for the year. Please contact Donna at (508) 865-6624 to enroll your loved one.

In Remembrance:

John & Julia Anger Lee Aubin Jeanne Augustine Larry F. Army Arthur G. Boucher Natalie Bourdeau Patricia Bourdeau Sylvio E. Bourdeau

Frank Cammuso, Jr. Gladys Carroll

Joseph & Rose Cataldo Philip Chabot, Sr.

Donna "Gain" Cournoyer Roland O. Couture

Gerald & Peggy Croteau George A. D'Auteuil, Jr.

George A. D'Auteuil, Sr. Raymond DeRouin

Armand Desorcy

Joseph Dunn

Timothy P. Eckland

Lois M. Fisher

William Gain, Jr.

Bernice Gaudere

Ruth Gonsorcik

Daniel Guadagnoli

Derek Hamilton

Matthew Hartline

Paul J. Jandron

Joanne Juskavitch

Claire Kobel

Richard Kroll

Lillian Langevin

Tan Le

Edward L. Lemoine

Kevin Lemoine

Rita Lemoine

June Ann Leonard

Lorraine Letendre

Mark Lizotte

William and Irene Louis

Ralph & Helen Ludvigson

Marilyn McLeod

Leo & Jane Metivier

Kenneth Michalak

Mary B. Mrozinski

Daniel R. Mulcahy, Sr.

Joseph Noonan

Albert Nikosey

John P. & Bridget O'Malley

Janet Parsekian

Anne Rita Pierce

Stephen Rodwill

Elaine Roy

Darlene Russell

Dorothy Russell

Marshall Russell

Michael W. Russell

William Russell

Albert & June Russo

C. Richard Stockhaus

Frederick Stockwell

Sandra Lee Stockwell

Margaret E. Stockwell

Joseph F. Stockwell

Neal R. Thomas

Edward Tokus

Robert E. Vaillancourt

Lucille Vecchione

Margaret Wendt

Ronald Woodward

Frank J. Yaz



SUNDAY ~ MAY 14TH

Children's Liturgy of the Word @ OLAC/OLAH - 9:00 AM SLA @ SBH - 7:30 PM

$\underline{MONDAY} \sim MAY 15^{TH}$

AA @ SBH - 7:00 PM GA @ OLAH - 7:30 PM

TUESDAY \sim MAY 16^{TH}

CaFÉ @ SBH - 11:00 AM Holy Hour @ OLAC - 5:20 - 6:20 PM

$\underline{WEDNESDAY} \sim \underline{MAY} \ 17^{TH}$

Facilities Meeting @ CPO - 6:00 PM K of C Rosary @ SBH - 7:00 PM K of C Social @ SBH - 7:30 PM

$\underline{\text{THURSDAY}} \sim \underline{\text{MA}} \text{Y} 18^{\text{TH}}$

Scouts @ SBH - 6:00 PM

$FRIDAY \sim MAY 19^{TH}$

Wedding Rehearsal @ SBC - 5:00 PM

$\underline{SATURD}AY \sim MAY \ 20^{TH}$

Wedding @ SBC - 2:00 PM

SUNDAY ~ MAY 21ST Donut Sunday

Children's Liturgy of the Word @ OLAC/OLAH - 9:00 AM SVDP Meeting @ CPO - 10:00 AM Faith Formation (Gr. 3,4,5,6) @ OLAH - 10:15 AM - 11:30 AM Faith Formation (Gr. 7-8-9) @ OLAH - 6:00 - 7:30 PM SLA @ SBH - 7:30 PM

KEY TO LOCATIONS

SBC=St. Brigid Church SBH=St. Brigid Hall CPO=Catholic Parish Offices OLAC=Assumption Church OLAH=Assumption Hall OLAS= Assumption School



The Angelus

V: The angel of the Lord declared unto Mary.

R: And she conceived of the Holy Spirit.

Hail Mary ...

V: Behold the handmaid of the Lord.

R: Be it done unto me according to thy word.

Hail Mary ...

V: And the Word was made flesh.

R: And dwelt among us.

Hail Mary ...

V: Pray for us, O holy Mother of God.

R: That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray: Pour forth, we beseech thee, O Lord, thy grace into our hearts, that we to whom the incarnation of Christ thy Son was made known by the message of an angel, may by his passion and cross be brought to the glory of his resurrection, through the same Christ our Lord.





Amen.



WELCOME NEW CHRISTIANS

We welcome to God's world and to our parish family **Hailey Luise Gentile**, **William Thomas**

Hopkins, and Scarlett Taylor Peters who were recently baptized here at St. Brigid. We pray God's blessings upon you and your families as you walk on your journey back to Him.

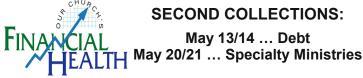
STEWARDSHIP

<u>St. Brigid Parish</u> <u>Income</u> Weekend of April 29/30, 2017

Weekend of April 29/30, 2017	
Regular Weekly Collection	\$5,267.00
Electronic Giving (4/24 - 4/30, 2017)	\$425.00
Total Regular Weekly Collection	\$5,692.00
Other Parish Income:	
Mass Intentions	\$395.00
Candles	\$80.00
Utilities (includes online when applicable)	\$125.00
Charter Refund (closeout of the account)	\$134.18
Easter Offering	\$12.00
Donation	\$10.00
In Remembrance (Bulletin)	\$50.00
Ascension Thursday	\$10.00
Faith Formation	\$10.00
Catholic Free Press	\$30.00
CSAW	\$2,000.00
Total Other Income	\$2,856.18
Total Income for Operating Expenses	\$8,548.18
Other Non-Parish Income:	
Debt	\$129.00
Debt (Electronic Giving)	\$10.00
Specialty Ministries	\$785.00
SVDP	\$457.00

St. Brigid Cash Flow	
<u> April 27, 2017 - May 3, 2017</u>	
Payroll (Week end 4/29)	\$2,429.22
Payroll Taxes (Includes Employee's Share)	\$995.02
PayChex, Inc. (Payroll Processing Fee)	\$41.06
RC Bishop of Worcester (403 B Plan)	\$157.48
Millbury Credit Union (CSAW))	\$2,000.00
Cardmember Services (Rugs, Luminaries, Phone)	\$410.84
Cantor Substitute	\$50.00
Fr. Dan Mulcahy (April Stipends)	\$155.00
Fr. Robert Sherry (Mass Stipends)	\$30.00
Goretti Supermarket (Youth Ministry)	\$24.50
Health Care Reimbursement	\$330.00
Specialty Ministries (Handmaids, of Mary, Rosary, TV)	\$175.00
Jerry's Lawn Service	\$179.50
National Grid (Church)	\$598.68
Ray's True Value (Materials to refinish a floor)	\$40.72
RC Bishop of Worcester (Legal Fees)	\$66.00
Republic Business (Candles, Hosts)	\$168.32
Reimbursement for Refinishing a Floor	\$47.74
Tally's (2017 Paschal Candle)	\$214.05
Total Monies Paid	\$8,113.13

SPECIALTY MINISTRY COLLECTION ...



Assumption Cash Flow April 27, 2017 - May 3, 2017 Eversource (Grove St.) \$340.62 Fr. Dan Mulcahy (April Stipends) \$450.00 Fr. Robert Sherry (Mass Stipend) \$10.00 Jerry's Lawn Service \$257.58 National Grid (Church) \$290.04 National Grid (Rectory) \$100.00 National Grid (Grove St.) \$193.00 Ray's True Value (Plumbing Supplies and Thinner) \$19.33 Republic Business (Candles, Hosts) \$261.05 Cantor Substitute \$50.00 **Total Monies Paid** \$1,971.62

Our Specialty Ministry Collection this month will be taken up on May 20 and 21. Please note that beginning this month our Specialty Collection has moved to the third weekend of the month.

The following at home ministries are supported by this collection: TV Ministry, Prayer Shawl Ministry, Rosary Makers, and the Mustard Seed.

The remainder of our donations from this collection are sent to the diocese for the diocesan monthly collection.

As there is no special diocesan collection in May, the remainder of our donations this month will help defray our debt.



Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Diocese of Worcester Catholic Parishes of Millbury Phone: 774-262-5506

MONTHLY MEETINGS

3rd Sunday - 10:00 AM
The Offices of the
Catholic Parishes of Millbury *New Members Welcome!*

PARISH FOOD COLLECTION

Monthly: 1st Weekend Food Bins are located in the Main Entrance of the Church

All food donations must be dropped off on food drive dates and placed in the large blue bins only, no exceptions.

NO Perishables, NO Cleanouts

FOOD DISTRIBUTION

Monthly: 1st Weekend - 12:15 PM St. Brigid Church Hall

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS LIST

The pantry is in desperate need of the following:

Personal Care Items ... Baked Beans ... Cereal ... Tuna Fish ... Condiments ... Pasta ... Spaghetti ... Coffee ... Tea ... Jelly ... Canned Pasta ... Carrots ... Peas ... Canned Chicken

Please No Perishable, Expired Dates, or Pet Food.

Join Us For Coffee, Donuts and Conversation

Please join us for Donut Sunday in St. Brigid Church hall, **next Sunday**, after the 7:00 AM, 9:00 AM, and 11:00 AM Masses. Coffee, orange juice and donuts will be served.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL THRIFT SHOP

Monday thru Saturday: 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM 507 Park Ave., Worcester (508)752-4232



Fr. Mulcahy,

We haven't formally met, but I am the School Resource Officer for the police department. I just wanted to thank you and everyone at the church for being so accommodating during the Jr./Sr. High School evacuation Thursday. To have a safe place for the students and staff is paramount to me and the fact you are willing to help us with words can't express how grateful I am.

Thank you again for your help.

Respectfully submitted,
Nicole Oliveri
Millbury Police Department—SRO

SUMMER BUS TRIP

Bus Trip on Thursday, July 20, to New Hampshire's Hart's Turkey Farm and to the Lakes Region Summer Music Theatre's "South Pacific," the musical by Rodgers & Hammerstein set on a South Pacific island during WWII. 8:45 a.m., gather at Worcester's Immaculate Conception Church parking lot, 353 Grove St.. 9:00 Fox Bus leaves the parking lot. 6:30 approximate return. Lunch at Hart's Turkey Farm. Food choices must be made prior to the trip: Roast Turkey, Sirloin of Beef, or Baked Haddock. Also included: juice, salad, rolls & butter, fresh whipped potatoes & butternut squash, & beverage. Next stop: The Lakes Region Theatre. Lastly, a visit to the Kellerhaus Ice Cream Shop (cost of ice cream NOT included in fee). Deadline to register is JUNE 30. Cost is \$84 per person. Questions? Call Michelle at 508-853-0820. This trip is open to everyone!

Catholic Charities Blackstone Valley/Greater Milford

Our homecare program is looking for aides to care for elders and the disabled in surrounding towns. Aides provide light housekeeping, laundry and shopping. Paid training, mileage reimbursement and a schedule is provided to meet your needs. Please call 1-800-649-4364.

YOUTH & FAMILY FORMATION





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Sunday, May 14th Closed - Happy Mother's Day! Thursday, May 18th 7:30-9:30PM College/Young Adult Night Sunday May 21st Closed for Faith Formation

HOLY WEEK & EASTER

Living Stations



Easter Egg Hunt





May

Grades 3,4,5,6	May 21 10:15-11:30
Grades 7, 8 & 9	May 21 6:00 - 7:30PM

Last weekend 31 of our children received the Body of Christ for the first time in the Sacrament of Holy Communion. Please keep these children in your prayers as they continue to grow in faith. Those receiving the Sacrament were:

April 29th at St. Brigid

Isabella Aloise Graf Reilly Caron Robert Charpentier Jacob Day **Grace Kelly** Julea Konisky Ava Lucke Alana Pagliarulo **Xavier Salois** Anna Weeks Stephen Wiltshire

Chase Conlon Nathaniel Kaplan Jacob Knott Julia Leary Elizabeth Moroz Benjamin Raffa Adalyn Valliere Caylee Wilbur

April 30th at Assumption

Colin Decaire Kalie Fournier Anabelle Jendrysik Alexandra Narrow Clare Shaw Lily Tarka

Declan Dorsey Lorianna Guyan **Harrison Lorion** Jaxon Ruth **Emily Stringer** Ryan Wiehn





Assumption School 3rd Grade News

The 3rd Graders of Assumption School made a LENTEN Rainbow during the six weeks of LENT as they participated in the ARK Program (Acts of Random Kindness) Project. Each day they added to their colorful rainbow another act of kindness that they did for someone else. Well Done!

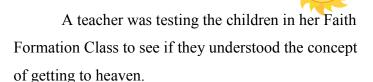


If you or someone you know has been sexually abused by a priest, religious or lay person working for the Church, and you need a place to talk about your feelings of betrayal or hurt by the Church, call Judith Audette

Office for Healing and Prevention, (508) 929-4363.

A 24-hour-a-day confidential voicemail is available.

YOUR SMILE FOR TODAY



She asked them, "If I sold my house and my car, had a big garage sale and gave all my money to the church, would that get me into Heaven?"

"NO!" the children answered.

"If I cleaned the church every day, mowed the yard, and kept everything neat and tidy, would that get me into Heaven?"

Again, the answer was, "NO!"

Now she was smiling. Hey, they're getting it, she thought! "Well, then, if I was kind to animals and gave candy to all the children, and loved my husband, would that get me into Heaven?" she asked.

Again, they all answered, "NO!"

She was just bursting with pride for them.
"Well," she continued, "then how can I get into
Heaven?"

A five-year-old boy shouted out, "YOU GOTTA BE DEAD."



Parish and local area news

MILLBURY SENIOR CENTER

TRIPS

Essex Steam Train & River Boat Trip with Lunch on the Train!

Tuesday, June 20th
Cost \$75.00
Choice of Chicken or Beef
Call us for Reservations 508-865-9154

ACTIVITIES

CRIBBAGE CLUB -

Join us every Monday at 1:00 PM for our new Cribbage Club! Have Lunch ahead of time at 12 noon to make it a fun filled day! Noon lunch every Monday through Friday.

Suggested donation \$2.50.

Remember every Friday is special treat day.

A 48 hour reservation is required.

SINGERS WANTED SING - A - LONG SINGING

We are going back to the Basics
Our singing group meets at the Millbury Senior Center
Tuesday mornings at 11:00 AM all year long
Come and join in the fun!
All ages welcome and if you play a musical instrument
Bring it in and share your talent!!

CRAFT CLASSES

Wednesday's from 9:30 AM to 11:00 AM
Plan what you would like to make &
pay for the materials you use!
For more information call us at 508-865-9154.

PASTEL DREAMERS ADULT COLORING CLASSES

Every Thursday 10 - 11:30 AM NO SUPPLIES NEEDED!

Come give it a try. It's a very relaxing activity.

BRIDGE CLUB

Every Friday at 12:30 PM

Please give us a call and let us know if you are interested, 508-865-9154.



UPCOMING SUMMER CONCERT

Sponsored by the generosity of
Mike & Lucille Maguire
June 15, 6 – 8 PM
Featuring the 4 Ever Fab
"A Beatles Tribute Band"
HOT DOGS, DRINKS AND
PASTRIES FOR SALE!
RAIN OR SHINE
BRING A CHAIR

RMV TRANSACTIONS AT THE SENIOR CENTER

Every Wednesday 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

We focus on Duplicates/Renewals for Licenses, Registrations, Mass ID, and Placard Cards along with Change of Address! Call us for an appointment!

WORLD WIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER



"Amen, amen, I say to you, whoever believes in me will do the works that I do" Let the Lord into your marriage to do His works by attending a

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next WWME Weekends are Jun 10-11, 2017 in Medway, MA and Sept. 16-17, 2017 in Medway, MA. For more information, call Stephen & Michelle O'Leary at 800-710-9963 or visit us at www.WWMEMA.org.

ELDERLY AND HOMEBOUND

Transportation available - 4:00 PM Saturday Vigil Mass at St. Brigid Church. This ministry is sponsored by both parishes utilizing a handi-capable van. For information call Deacon Ron (508) 865-6624.

SHUTTLE INFORMATION

Saturday, May 13 Chris Brady Saturday, May 20 Ted Jakubiak Saturday, May 27 Jan Hanratty

If you know of a parishioner - who is homebound or shut-in, please contact Deacon Ron at (508) 865-6624 to set up a time to receive Communion.