

SATURDAY JUNE 9
3:15 - 3:45 CONFESSION
4:00 PM For: **Barbara Yacino** By: The Family

SUNDAY JUNE 10
7:00 AM For: **The People of St. Denis**
10:15 AM For: **Peter Paquette** By: The Teachers & Students in the Faith Formation Program

MONDAY JUNE 11
8:00 AM For: **Msgr. Louis R. Piermarini**

TUESDAY JUNE 12
8:00 AM For: **Fr. John D. Thomas**

WEDNESDAY JUNE 13 **NO MASS**


THURSDAY JUNE 14 **NO MASS**

FRIDAY JUNE 15 **NO MASS**

SATURDAY JUNE 16
3:15 - 3:45 CONFESSION
4:00 PM For: **Betty Stand** By: The Family

SUNDAY JUNE 17
7:00 AM For: **John & Mary Koslak** By: John Koslak
10:15 AM For: **Thomas “Buddy” McCoy** By: The Catholic Women’s Council

“May the souls of all the faithful departed, Rest in Peace.”



A Message from Fr. Ernie

It is with much peace and a bit of sadness that I write to inform you of Bishop McManus’ acceptance of my request to enter into retirement from active priestly ministry in the Diocese of Worcester, effective on July 1, 2018.

This request is usually made upon approaching age 70, particularly when compelling health reasons exist. You have been well aware of these reasons over the last several years. When the time and attention of a priest shifts from the pastoral care of his people to the ongoing management of his own health concerns, then it is time for him to pray and discern what is best for his people as well as for himself. My decision has come only after such prayer and discernment.

I want to thank Bishop McManus for the kindness and compassion with which he has responded to my request. I want to thank you for all the love and acceptance you have shown me throughout my time with you here at St. Denis, particularly through my most recent challenges. I shall never forget your constancy, support and devotion.

Let us continue to pray for one another!

Sincerely,
Fr. Ernie Allega

10th Sunday in Ordinary Time

“And if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand.” (MARK 3:25) Do your parish ministries complement each other or do they compete against each other? Is your parish “one Body of Christ” or a bunch of little, separate ministries controlled by human ego? The goal of all parish ministries is to bring people to Christ. All of our parish work should be for the glory of God’s name, not our own name.

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Worldwide Marriage Encounter

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CATHOLIC WOMEN’S COUNCIL
Celebrating 100 years

The St. Denis Catholic Women’s Council’s presidents have led the women of the council since 1918 when a group of ladies got together to roll bandages for the war effort during World War I. Each president has given of her time and talents with her own individual leadership and personality while adhering to the CWC bylaws.



1918-1931	Julia Wixtead	1967	Veronica Tetreault
1931	Delphine Lemoine	1969	Elaine Kelly
1932	Julia Wixtead	1970	Mary A. Lamontagne
1933	Anna Connors	1972	Judith Manyak
1934	Mrs. Joseph Petrie	1974	Janet Jackman
1934	Anna Bombara	1975	Susan Wallis
1940	Margaret Brown	1976	Rita Coporale
1942	Vincentia Limanek	1978	Kathy Vassar
1944	Hazel Willard	1980	MaryLou Sughrue
1949	Anna Budzyna	1982	Jo-Ann Yacino
1950	Celina Stefanak	1984	Mary Wnukowski
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1952	Anne Roche	1986	Anne Burgess
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1955	Mary Kelly	1990	Eileen Cardogno
1957	Caroline Salatiello	1992	Grace Doran Kathy Schimmelpennigh
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1961	Margaret Bombara	1996	Veronica Tetreault
1963	Mary Kelly	1997	Jeanne Bombara
1964	Sylvia Farmer	1999	Deb Foley
1965	Hazel Willard	2001	Jeanne Bombara
1966	Arline Campo	2003	Kathryn Quinn
		2005–present	Jeanne Bombara

THANK YOU LADIES!!

PARISH FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

Parish budget needs per week to meet our financial obligations (Yearly budget divided by 52 weeks) = **\$5,427.32**

Ordinary Collection	\$3,503.00
Electronic Giving	<u>1,046.00</u>
Total Parish Ordinary Income	\$ 4,549.00
Surplus/Deficit	-\$ 878.32

Other Parish Income

Maintenance/Utility	457.00
Faith Formation	325.00

Transferable Receipts /

Communications Campaign Appeal	568.00
Food Pantry	166.50

Please consider electronic giving.
Forms available on the website.

LECTORS (L)
EUCH. MINISTERS (M) & ALTAR SERVERS (A)

JUNE 9 & 10

4:00 PM
Frank Yacino (L,M)
Beth Parkinson (M)
Alex & Ben Cortese (A)

7:00 AM
Bob Lafond (L,M)
Jonathan & Nathaniel Paine (A)

10:15 AM
Earl Mathews (L)
Kevin Sughrue & Priscilla Descoteaux (M)

Anna & Sara Coppellotti (A)

Spiritual Adoption

As we approach the possible "birthdays" of our babies that we have spiritually adopted, we would ask that if there are any parishioners who have collected monies in their baby bottles, they can directly contact one of us to safely drop off their bottles.


Gail Hickey can be reached at (508) 476-7649, Nancy Norberg or Kathy Archambault at (508) 476-2002.

When we have all the monies totaled, we will be able to determine the size of the donation and its possible recipients.

Thank you for your involvement over the past 9 months. Keep those prayers coming!

**Mass State Council Knights of Columbus
Charity Fund Applications**

Grant applications for aid to qualified individuals with disabilities through the Massachusetts State Council Charity Fund are now located in the vestibule of the Church. Please read the Basic Guidelines. These funds are generated through the Annual Tootsie Roll Drive on Columbus Day weekend throughout Massachusetts for this specific purpose only. **For further assistance please contact: Grand Knight, Mumford Council #365, 77 Prescott Rd, Whitinsville, MA 01588. Thank you.**



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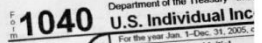
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Liturgy of the Eucharist
Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM
Sunday: 7:00 & 10:15 AM
Weekdays: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 8:00 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday 3:15 – 3:45 PM or by appointment

Sacrament of Baptism
Arrangements for Baptism are by appointment

Sacrament of Marriage
Couples to be married are asked to call the Rectory at
Least one year prior to the wedding to make arrangements.

Sacrament of the Sick
Anyone who would like to receive the Sacrament of the Sick
Please see Fr. Ernie after Mass or by calling the Rectory.

Visitation to the Homebound
Anyone who is unable to celebrate the Eucharist with us in
the church because of age or illness, and would like to receive
communion, please contact Nancy or Fr. Ernie.

Faith Formation
Parents and Parish together educate our children in the Faith.
Classes are offered for children in Preschool through Grade 12

Call the Rectory to Register

St. Denis Parish

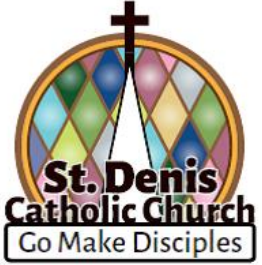
If you would like to register or you have changed your address, please fill out the correct information.

Name _____

Address _____ E-mail _____

Home Phone Number _____ Cell Phone _____

_____ I am interested in receiving information on electronic giving.



St. Denis Catholic Church

Go Make Disciples

Mission Statement

As a faith-filled community of believers, we the people of St. Denis Parish, are centered on being active witnesses to God’s presence among us.
We extend an invitation and welcome to all, by encouraging weekly participation at Mass and by offering many opportunities for everyone to share their God-given talents.
It is through loving and serving one another, that we are transformed on our way to becoming a disciple of Christ, who left us our mission “*to go forth and make disciples of all nations.*” (Mt 28:19)