

# Saint Denis



Go Make Disciples



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## WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 4 pm

Sunday 7 & 10:15 am

## WEEKDAY MASSES

Mon-Tues-Wed 8:30 am

## RECONCILIATION

Sat 3:15-3:45 pm or by appointment

## PARISH COUNCIL

Mr. Bob Lafond (Chairman)

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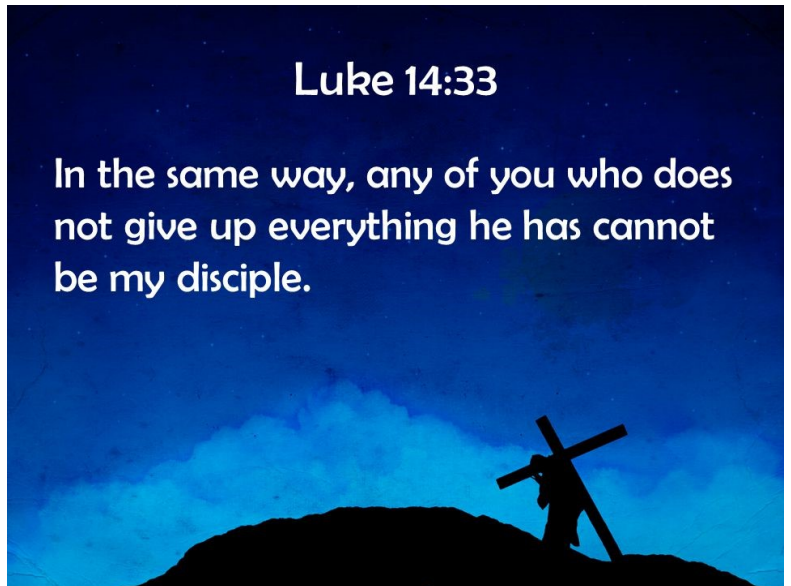
## Food Pantry Hrs.

Mon. 4-6pm Wed. 1-3pm

## TWENTY THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME September 8, 2019

### Luke 14:33

In the same way, any of you who does not give up everything he has cannot be my disciple.



*"Everyone of you who does not renounce all his possessions cannot be my disciple." (Luke 14:33)* When we first hear this statement, it seems that Jesus is making an unrealistic demand upon us. How can we renounce all of our possessions? We need them to live. However, what we must renounce is the belief that they belong to us. Everything that we have belongs to God alone. All of our resources are entrusted to us not only for our own use, but also so that we can help others. Once we renounce the idea that we possess or are entitled to anything, it is much easier to share the many gifts that God has given us. Then we truly are His Disciples.

## Welcome to our Parish Community

Office Hours: Mon-Tues-Wed-Fri  
9 am- 1pm & 2pm-5pm

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Date	Time	Intention
Saturday September 7	3:15 pm 4 pm	Confession † John R. Brown (2nd Ann.) By: The Family
Sunday September 8	7 am 10:15 am	† George Paine Jr. By: The Family The People of St. Denis
Monday September 9	8:30 am	† The Souls of Purgatory
Tuesday September 10	8:30 am	† Bill Norberg
Wednesday September 11	8:30 am	† Darragh Callahan
Thursday September 12		No Mass
Friday September 13		No Mass
Saturday September 14	3:15 pm 4 pm	Confession Members & Families of the Knights of Columbus (Mumford Council)
Sunday September 15	7 am 10:15 am	† The People of St. Denis Felix & Josey Yacino By: The Family



This week's Tabernacle Candle is for:  
**Bill Norberg**

## Parish Support

**Thank you for your ongoing support**

Ordinary Collection	3,767.00
Maintenance	393.00
Debt Reduction	182.00
Fuel	25.00
Food Pantry	133.50

**THIS weekend there will be a second collection for the Faith Formation Program here at St. Denis.**

**All donations will be used in the parish for supplies used to support the children of St. Denis in their Faith Formation.**

## Happening This Week

### SATURDAY September 7

3:15 Confessions  
4 pm Mass—C

### SUNDAY September 8

7 am & 10:15 am - Mass—C  
8:30 am Faith Formation Classes Begin  
Grades 1-5—H

### MONDAY September 9

8:30 am Mass—C  
4-6 pm Douglas Food Pantry Open—R  
6:30 pm Leadership Mtg.—GR

### TUESDAY September 10

8:30 am Mass—C  
6:30 pm Stewardship Mtg.—NC

### WEDNESDAY September 11

8:30 am Mass—C  
1-3 pm Douglas Food Pantry Open—R  
5:30 pm AA Meeting—H  
6 pm Rosary Crafters—NC  
7 pm HOLY HOUR & ADORATION—C

### THURSDAY September 12

6:30 pm C.W.C. Mtg.—H  
7-8 pm Al-Anon Mtg.—GR

### SATURDAY September 14

3:15 Confessions  
4 pm Mass—C Installation of K of C  
Members of Mumford Council

### SUNDAY September 15

7 am & 10:15 am - Mass—C  
Pray for all our Faith Formation Teachers



**Morning Mass is now at 8:30 am.** What better way to start your day, than in prayer with fellow parishioners.



**September 11, 2001**

**Next Saturday at the 4 pm Mass we welcome members of the Mumford Council of the Knights of Columbus. The Installation of Officers and members will take place at this Mass.**

**Please join us in welcoming them and giving thanks for all their works of charity and good will.**

## STATIONS & STATUES RESTORATION

I hope that you are pleased with the beautiful job the Colombian artists have done to restore our statues and the Stations of the Cross.

**If you would like to contribute to this process, either individually or as a family, your donations will be greatly appreciated.**

**All the stations were restored, each statue, (Mary, Joseph, St. Anthony, St. Patrick, St. Anne & pieta), and crucifixes were done and in addition the bases for each statue for a total of \$4,700.**

**So far we have collected \$4,020 toward this effort. Thank you for your support.**



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*"The Church and the world have a great need of Eucharistic adoration.: (Saint Pope John Paul II)*

*Join us on Wednesday, September 11th at 7 pm for our weekly Holy Hour of Adoration of the*

## OLIVE WOOD Religious Articles for Sale



On the weekend of **September 21 & 22**, Samer Awwad representing the Christian Catholic Families of Bethlehem will be selling Crucifixes, religious art work, and rosaries- all made of olive wood which is native to Israel and Bethlehem. Since tourism has greatly depleted, Christian families in the Holy Land, who depend on tourist, have been greatly affected. Sale of these goods will help them very much and also give you the opportunity to have "something" authentic from the Holy Land. Please browse and buy some articles. It is for a good cause and also a help to your personal devotion.

## RCIA – The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

If you or someone you know is interested in becoming Catholic or if you are a Catholic who would like to complete your initiation through the sacraments of Confirmation and/ or Eucharist, the Rite of Christian Initiation (RCIA) can help. The RCIA forms adults in the Catholic faith and prepares them for the sacraments of initiation.

**For addition information please contact Deacon Patrick or visit <https://saintdenischurch.com/rcia>**

## Catholic Women's Council September Meeting

The Catholic Women's Council is starting off its 2019-2020 season with our **September meeting in Keresey Hall on Thursday, September 12, 2019. At 6:30 p.m.** we will enjoy a Meet & Greet followed by our regular meeting.

Our annual **membership dues of \$10.00** will be collected at this meeting. We are asking members for an additional **\$5.00 for the scratch ticket raffle**. Also, our raffle books are ready for our members to purchase/sell. If necessary, a check to cover dues, scratch tickets & raffle books can be mailed to C.W.C., P.O. Box 134, Douglas, MA 01516.

All women of St. Denis Parish are invited to join the Catholic Women's Council



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## PACK 316



## Ministry Schedule for September 14 & 15

Date	Lector	Eucharistic Minister	Altar Server
Saturday 4 pm	Frank Yacino	Deacon Pat, Cindy Curtis, Denise Kinsley, Bianca Torchia, Christina Bielunis, Tony Hayes, Jason Phelps	Gianna Needham
Sunday 7 am	Nancy Candito	Deacon Pat, Nancy & Ken Candito	Connor Stickney
Sunday 10:15	Earl Mathews	Deacon Pat, Rachel Zurowski, Dave Lamontagne, Pete Valanzola, Kris & Jack Blatchford, Dave Cortese	Gianna Dowen



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