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September 12, 2021

Twenty Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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#### **SAFE Environment**

As members of our Church we have a sacred responsibility to care for and protect each other, most especially the innocent and the most vulnerable.

Should you have any SAFE environment questions or concerns, please contact:

Nancy Filgate, SAFE Environment Coord.,
Phone: 508 869-2391
email: safeenvironment@saintmaryofthehills.com

#### MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Thursday: 8:30 a.m. Saturday: 4:30 p.m. Sunday: 9:00 & 11:15 a.m.

#### **OFFICE HOURS**

Monday - Thursday: 9:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. Bulletin items due by Tuesday

#### **SACRAMENTS**

#### **Baptism Preparation:**

1st Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m in Room B - Contact Parish Office to register.

#### **Reconciliation:**

Saturdays at 4:00 p.m. or by appointment.

#### Marriage:

Contact the Parish Office a year in advance.

#### Anointing of the Sick:

Anytime by request - Contact Parish Office.

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#### **Mass Intentions**

Saturday, September 11

10:30 a.m. First Reconciliation

12:00 Sophia Marie Guaragna Baptism

4:30 p.m. Dean Anderson by Wayne & Linda Houde

Sunday, September 12

9:00 a.m. Louis Voltolina (month mind) by Anne Dowen

11:15 a.m. Janet Cavanaugh by her family

Monday, September 13

8:30 a.m. A Special Intention by Bill & Sue Belfield

Tuesday, September 14

8:30 a.m. A Special Intention by Bill & Sue Belfield

Wednesday, September 15

8:30 a.m. A Special Intention by Bill & Sue Belfield

Thursday, September 16

8:30 a.m. Marcus Prendergast (1st Anniv.) from a family friend

Saturday, September 18

4:30 p.m. Angela & Frank Bonacci by Elaine & Charles Farber

Sunday, September 19

9:00 a.m. Michael DiCelie (BD Remembrance) by the Family

11:15 a.m. Arlene (5th Anniv.) & Robert (1st Anniv.) Mulrain

from the family

1:00 p.m. Oakey Thomas Oslowski Baptism



## Twenty Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time Liturgical Ministers assigned for this weekend are:

Saturday, September 11 - 4:30 p.m.

Lector: Kathleen Devericks

Ushers: Sheri Hebert, NOT FILLED

Sunday, September 12 - 9:00 a.m.

Lector: Rich Petrucci

Server: Patrick Flanagan, Francesco Villani Ushers: Joseph DiCelie, NOT FILLED

Sunday, September 12 - 11:15 a.m.

Lector: Tim Houlihan

Ushers: Paula Smith, NOT FILLED

Saturday, September 18 - 4:30 p.m.

Lector: Lorie Martiska

Server: NOT FILLED, NOT FILLED Ushers: Annette David, NOT FILLED

Sunday, September 19 - 9:00 a.m.

Lector: George Olson

Server: Myles Phillips, Marielle Phillips Ushers: Russell Taintor, Michelle Taintor

Sunday, September 19 - 11:15 a.m.

Lector: Noreen Christie

Server: NOT FILLED, NOT FILLED
Ushers: Ashley Csorba, Michael Csorba



## The Presence – The Mystery of the Eucharist

Do many Catholics approach the Eucharist with indifference?

Are the bread and wine in the Eucharist just symbols? Do you want to know about the powerful way God is present in the Eucharist?

Do you want to grow in love for Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament?

You are invited to participate in four sessions that will enlighten you about this central tenet of the Catholic faith.

Where: St. Mary's Parish, Main Street,

Shrewsbury

When: September 27, October 4,

October 11, October 18

Time: 7-8:30 PM –Large Meeting Room –

Take the elevator to the Second Floor



#### +++++ Important Parish Contacts +++++

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#### **Religious Education News**

We offer our prayers and best wishes to all our children who celebrated the Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturday, September 11, 2021.

Blair Busenburg

Connor Busenburg

Benjamin Clarke

Elizabeth Clarke

William Clifford

Jack Parr

Emma Rubinow

#### Grades 3 & 4 Sacramental Prep:

First Holy Communion:

❖ Sunday Sept 12<sup>th</sup>

10-11:00 a.m.

Class

Tuesday Sept. 14th

4:15-5:30 p.m. Class

First Holy Communion will be celebrated on Sunday September 26th @ 11:15 a.m.

#### Classes will begin on...

- Grades 1-3: Sunday October 17th after 9:00 Mass from 9:50-11:05 a.m.
- Grades 4&5: Tuesday October 19th from 4:15-5:30 p.m.
- ❖ Grades 6-8: Monday October 18th from 6:30-8 p.m.
- Grade 10: Sunday September 26th from 12:30-2 p.m. on Specified Sundays.
- Grade 9: Sunday October 17th from 12:30-2 p.m. on Specified Sundays.



#### Important Dates:

#### Parents:

Mon. Sept 13th @ 6:30 p.m.

Grades 1-5 Parent Meeting in the Church Hall

#### Catechists

Sat. Sept. 18th 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Catechist Training for Grade 1-5 @St. Rose of Lima in Northboro

#### Sun. Sept. 19th 9:00 a.m. Mass

Catechetical Sunday Commissioning

All Catechists invited to attend Mass and Coffee And... following in the Church Hall.

#### 2021-2022 Religious Education Registration

An On-line Registration Form and Payment Option for Religious Education are available on our website, https://saintmaryofthehills.com/re.

This year's registration fee will be \$75 for all students. If there is a financial situation or a scheduling conflict, please let us know so we can help! There is always space available!!

#### All are welcome!

I will continue to use an App called Flocknote for all parent communications. If you are new to our program or the parish, please sign up for Flocknote at the bottom of our Home Page. You can choose to receive information by email or text. You may also send me an email at adowen@saintmaryofthehills.com if you have any questions or concerns.



#### We need your help!!

The Religious Education program at St. Mary of the Hills is a volunteer program. It is dependent on people who are willing to share their faith, time and talent. We are still in need of a 5th Grade teacher/co-teacher(s) on Tuesday afternoons and hall monitors for elementary grades on Sunday mornings and Tuesday afternoons. Perhaps you would be willing to team teach? You do not need to have a child in the Religious Education program to be a teacher.

If you would like to help, please email Anne Dowen at adowen@saintmaryofthehills.com or call (508)869-6771 ext. 5.



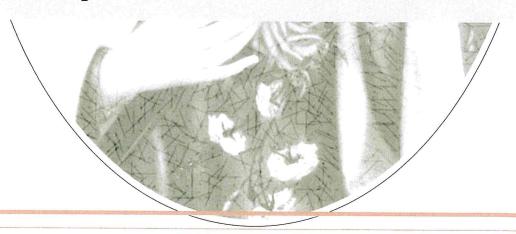


In honor of

# St. Therese of Lisueux

Thursday, September 30, 2021 7:00 p.m. Vigil Mass

Blessing of Roses and Veneration of the Relics



# THE BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS

Saturday, Oct. 2<sup>nd</sup> 6:00 p.m.

Please be sure your pets are leashed and be responsible for cleaning up (if necessary) after your pets!

Bring your creatures, great and small, to the

# Blessing of the





REGISTER TO ATTEND AT MASS OR
CALL THE OFFICE AT (508) 869-6771,
OR EMAIL AT Secretary@SaintMaryoftheHills.com

#### Saint Mary of the Hills Prayer Line

Jackie, Tanya L., Frank, Daniel, Raymonde Forjette, Skylar, Timmy, Harry Wilson, Bette Kirby, Barbara Whales, Mary, Brittany, Kim Hally, Cynthia Lazar, Joseph T., Phil Roger, Anthony, Alicia Suarez, Abel Clavijo, Melanie Robert, Steffani, Brian, Justin, Henrietta, Diane K., Lisa P., Alli B., Justin, Frances, Ken Reynolds, Kandyce, Pauline Westcott, Haley C., Joyce Whyte, Elizabeth Scano, Michelle, Ken T., Robert Kuchler, Karen Coveney, Marcy C., Eleanor B., Linda O'Malley, Jim C., Diane B., Mary Ann W., Max, Max M., Ali, Cathy, Melissa A., Bob R., Pat G., Jack C., Joy B., Mary Beth F., Raquel Padilla, For the addicted, Jenny Mangas, Kim Hardy, Joan B., Peg P., Maria Levine, Erik Olson, Tommy, Vinny & Marie Hagerty, and Kara, Jack & Pauline W., John, Ron & Deb, Pat Banfield, Karen D., Diane H., Tim Ferguson, Steven Parrella, Linda, John Lonati, E. O'Connor, Joe & Cindy Nader, Peter Proulx, Maddy Figueras, Emily Guerra, Mary K., Gary, Mike Murphy, Sherry, Marion C., Kaity, Robert, Bob & Joanie, Pat Pitzi, Dan, Lavin & Henley T., Judy Ellis, Micki, Fr. Jim, Jayne, Cathy Ols, Andrew Kardokas, Eileen Foss, Thomas Powroznik, The Tremper Family, Janet Carr, Lee L, Rick, Mark C., Dianne, Suzie L., Cheryl B., Roxanne Plante, Bob Fitzgerald, Elizabeth, Pam, John M., Regina Panasuk, Kathryn Brown, Laura, Ronnie, Olivia, Sean G., Tom Scano, Mary Jo Sanders, Judy C., Frank Pellegrino, T.J. Bautz, Sarah, Andrew, Phyllis, Sophia, Paula, for Fr. Mulumba's safety, Robin Pratt, Craig, Josephine, Kate Deliso, Ryan C., Claire, Amy & Maureen, David & Julia, Andrew Mannett, Sr. Joanne Eneguess, Ryan & Chad, Anna, Anthony, Denise, Marie Orlovsky, Paul, Lee L., Sr., Justin A., Jo Ann, Jason Bailey, Ray L., Yvette Armstrong, Eric Shea, Maureen, Rachel, Bill Flaherty, Dylan, Arakel Kandoyan, Becky English, Tom C., Tyler C., Peggy, Stephen A., Hannah, Josh, Sean S., Dina O'Leary, Lee L., The Rogers Family, Mike & Judy, for my nephew, Paul Rice, Silva Payne, Max Lariviere, Fr. Manny, Adam Lareau (in Afghanistan), Don, Joseph B., Deborah Brown, Marcia, Amy, Brian LeDuc, Joe Atkinson, Henry Pearce, Pam B., John Tyndall, Mary, Bob & Marsha G., Ellen, Joseph, Pat G., Joe, Jack, William, Ed S., Bob D., Tip, Alidia, Edward D., Antoinette M., Ollie McMullun, Carina, Carla, McKenzie, Addie, Pat R., Michael B, A.D., Beatrix, Sean D., Butch M., Jennie Schump, Michael S. Sullivan, Rev. Jim Chase, Rev. & Mrs. Bob Davidson, Marilyn, Paula G., Wes Stevens, Mike O'Neal, Rebecca Sherwood, Jennifer Smedley, Zachery, Jen Hollis, Stephanie Banks, Tyler C., Jasmine R., Trey, Joseph & Samantha, Steven Faucher, Joseph Padavano, David, Lucille, Erin, Julie, Tom H., Tiffany & Family, Buffy H., healing prayers for a family member, Paul, and Gary & Carol A., Roger Meeks, Ernie Quintiliani, For my sons, Larry Hardenbrook, Nancy K., Tyler L., Chris, Jenn Luke, Carol P., Margaret (Hazel) B., Alex, Anna B., Julie S., Brian Rittershaus, Josephine H., Lucas, Sandy L., Jenn Rajala, Pearl & Deacon Dick Martino, Ron Prishivalko, "For my children", Baby Gianna, Patrick Severin, Katie K., Dario, Sharon D., Ron G., Tom P., George, Donna, Les C., Lindsey Downing, Leann Kirwin, the Family of Greg Scott, Danny Wadhwani, Lorraine Sullivan, Frank & Ann Masiello, Rita Cormier, Jim, the Phillips Family, Jay Chelo, Carol McNaught, Sharon, Tom F., Kristin, Myra C., Duncan, Tom Breen, Susan Yeomans, Tom C., Kevin Prendergast, Doris Paolini, Lindsey, Jeannette Rogers, James Prendergast, Julie and her Family.

+++ It would be most appreciated if you could let the Office know when to take a name off The Prayer Line. Thank you! +++

#### Petition for God's Intercession

All-powerful and ever-living God, the lasting health of all who believe in you, hear us as we ask your loving help for our sisters and brothers who may be troubled by illness of body, mind or spirit; restore their health, that they may again offer joyful thanks in your Holy Church. Grant this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

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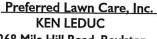
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