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Sunday, March 12, 2023

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Mass Times

Immaculate Conception
Saturday 4:00pm, Sunday 9:00am
Tuesday, Thursday 9:00am
Confessions: Saturday 3-3:45pm

Saint Jerome
Sunday 7:30am and 10:30am
Monday, Wednesday, Friday 9:00am

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

Parish Lenten Mission Retreat **Friendship in Christ a Friendship Like No Other**

Please join our Retreat Presenter Fr, Bill Neubecker to explore this deep friendship!
March 20, 21, 22 at Saint Jerome Parish

Fr. William Neubecker OMV was ordained a priest for the Religious Congregation of the Oblates of the Virgin Mary in Rome in 1979. Since that time, he served for 29 years in Brazil as a Pastor and Seminary Rector. He has also served at a parish in California. At present, he is the Director of the St. Joseph Retreat House in Milton where he acts as a spiritual director and retreat master.

MASS Intentions

Saturday, March 11

Barbara Breen

Richard Godin

Sunday, March 12

Joseph Good

Tuesday, March 14Thomas Higgins, 1st Anniversary**Thursday, March 16**

Andrew Verity

Saturday, March 18

Claire Cunningham

John and Marilyn Cunningham

Sunday, March 19

George Daly

Ann Naples, 2nd Anniversary**Sunday, March 12**

Catherine and John Gilboy, Memorial

Christopher and Teresa Byrne

George 'Mickey' Lyons

Paddy Shanahan

John O'Sullivan, 3rd Anniversary**Monday, March 13**

Souls in Purgatory

Wednesday, March 15

Mary P. Kelly, Birthday Memorial

Friday, March 17

Angelina Johnson

Sunday, March 19

Richard Norton

Katherine Knott, Memorial

Memorial Gifts for the Week***March 12, 2023****The Hosts, Altar Wine and Sanctuary Light
have been donated in loving remembrance of****Barbara Murphy******Memorial Gifts for the Week******March 12, 2023****The Sanctuary Light has been donated
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Christopher and Teresa Byrne***


Pray For... William and Bessie Perrault
Martin Joyce



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PHILIPPINES - OPERATION RICE BOWL 2023

With its location near the equator and on the Pacific Ring of Fire, The Philippines is one of the world's most disaster-prone countries, with an average of 20 typhoons per year as well as earthquakes, landslides and volcanic eruptions. Since 1945 Catholic Relief Services has been supporting the Philippines and Filipino communities with emergency aid and long-term development. Super Typhoon Rai slammed into the Philippines on December 16, 2021 with wind speeds up to 120 miles per hour. Millions have been affected by the typhoon with crops and livelihoods devastated.

Catholic Relief Services humanitarian work in the Philippines answers the call for immediate assistance after such disasters. Along with local Caritas partners, CRS provides emergency shelter, supplies and agro-enterprise development to help communities recover. Your contribution to the CRS Rice Bowl program helps teach resilience and gives much needed assistance to those affected directly by such natural disasters.

During this season of Lent, won't you help make a difference for our brothers and sisters in need? Pick up a Rice-Bowl today. They are located at the entrances to our church. To learn more, visit www.crsricebowl.org

PARISH LENTEN MISSION RETREAT—MARCH 20 - 22

THEME: FRIENDSHIP IN CHRIST A FRIENDSHIP LIKE NO OTHER



Monday, March 20: Friendship means Relationship - 7pm at Saint Jerome

Tuesday, March 21: Friendship means Forgiveness - 7pm at Saint Jerome

Wednesday, March 22: Friendship means Self giving - 7pm at Saint Jerome

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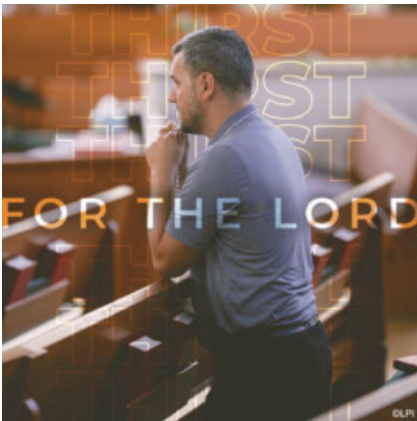
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Each morning following the 9am Mass, Father Bill will give a short presentation and then he will offer Spiritual Direction and/or Confession by appointment from 10-11:30am. Please sign up for Spiritual Direction/Confession by calling the parish office (781-337-0380) or email office@catholicweymouth.org. All appointments will take place at Immaculate Conception's Hackett Ctr.

On March 20-21 from 7-8pm Fr. Bill Neubecker will present during a Holy Hour with Confession and

On Wednesday, March 22 Father's presentation will be within the Mass beginning at 7pm.

ASK GOD TO PROVIDE HIS WATER TO QUENCH YOUR SPIRITUAL THIRST



When I became the pastor of a large parish, I soon found myself, for the first time in my life, riddled with anxiety, headaches, difficulty making decisions, and fatigue. I called a therapist friend and told her my symptoms and asked if she thought I needed a serious medical exam. She said, "How much water do you drink?" I told her, "I haven't had time to drink water lately." She responded, "You're chronically dehydrated. Drink eighty-five ounces a day and call me in a week." I started guzzling water and in a week all my symptoms went away. I felt great.

Like me, the people in the Exodus wanderings were dehydrated. But unlike me, they knew it. Their symptoms were bad. They fight with each other. They accuse God of being a monster who wants them and their children to die of thirst. Their thirst drives them to plot the bloody assassination of the man who rescued them. God responds by using Moses to strike a rock from which rivers of living waters flow to quench their thirst for years to come.

The Holy Spirit is the living water of love which flows from the pierced side of Jesus, the new Moses. What symptoms in your life suggest you're spiritually dehydrated? Anger at God? Cynicism at your leaders? Bitter rivalry and bickering with others? Don't panic. *Of course* we have those symptoms. Ask God to provide his water to quench your spiritual thirst, and he will. And all those symptoms will soon disappear.

— Father John Muir

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Forming in Faith... Lenten Opportunities

ADULT FORMATION - CELEBRATING OUR TENTH YEAR!!



Bishop Robert Barron's *THE CREED*

Adult Formation Study

In *THE CREED*, a new film series, Bishop Barron blends documentary conversations, dynamic talks uncovering philosophical and theological insights explaining what we proclaim to be TRUE about the TRINITY and the CHURCH.

Come with us and explore the meaning of belief, how it elevates reason. Marvel again on the wonder of the creative love of the Father, the astounding mystery of the Incarnation, the drama of the Crucifixion and Resurrection and the life giving breath and fire and power of the Holy Spirit! Express gratitude and awe at the mystical reality of the Church which calls humanity out of the world of sin to receive forgiveness and joy through participation in the divinity of Christ, here and in the world to come.

Come for SIX magnificent weeks of LENT to pray and learn with your fellow believers!

Tuesdays at the Msgr Hackett Center, Immaculate Conception. 9:45 - 11am OR 7-8:15pm

March 14 (March 21 no class - Lenten Mission at Saint Jerome) March 28, April 4, 11

ABSTINENCE AND FASTING

Catholics over 14 years of age are bound to the obligation of abstinence. Abstinence is to be observed on Ash Wednesday and all Fridays in Lent. On days of abstinence, meat may not be used.

Catholics over 18 years of age and up to 59 years are bound to the obligation of fasting. Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are the days of fasting. On these days, only one full meal is allowed. Two other meatless meals, sufficient to maintain strength, may be taken according to one's needs, but together they should not equal another full meal. Eating between meals is not permitted, but liquids including milk and fruit juices are allowed.

EASTER BASKETS FOR SENIORS

Religious Formation Students will be putting together Easter Baskets for Senior Housing homes in Weymouth, delivered just prior to Easter.

Donations of candy for these baskets will be gratefully accepted.

LENTEN PARISH MISSION

Led by Father Bill Neubecker OMV.
Monday, March 20 - Wednesday, March 22
Following the 9am Mass and at 7pm
at Saint Jerome Parish
Details elsewhere in bulletin

THE LIGHT IS ON FOR YOU

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Confession will be offered on Wednesdays during Lent from 7-8pm at Saint Jerome Parish.

Confession is also offered every Saturday 3-3:45pm at Immaculate Conception Parish.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Stations will be prayed at Immaculate Conception Parish every Friday evening at 7pm during Lent.



Please take a Rice Bowl located at our Church entrances.

OVERCOMING DISASTER In Bangladesh, cyclones and other natural disasters are increasing—destroying farms, homes and more—making it difficult for people like Noornobi to earn a living and support their families. But Noornobi has learned new techniques to protect his land and income, enabling his niece and nephew to go to school. How can you care for creation to help the planet and our global family? Visit crsricebowl.org to learn more.



NATIONAL CATHOLIC COLUMBIETTES WOMEN'S GROUP

Catholic Weymouth is looking for women 18+ to start up and lead a chapter of a national Catholic women's group affiliated with the Knights of Columbus. This group will share common interests of charitable, spiritual, civil and social activities, which will aid our church, those in need and the local Weymouth community. This will be the first chapter of this national organization in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Stay tuned for further details and membership information. Anyone interested in helping start this chapter please call or text Susan Rosso at 857-269-6949 or email cweymouthc@yahoo.com.

IRISH PASTORAL CENTRE YOUNG AT HEART COFFEE GROUP

Upcoming Meetings - Tuesdays 1-3pm

March 14 - No Meeting at STJ

March 21 - Trivia

March 28 - BINGO

Blood Pressure Check by Celtic Angels



Offertory - March 5, 2023

Immaculate Conception: \$6,112 Online \$969

Saint Jerome: \$6,368 Online \$2,059

Second Collection this week Capital Improvements

Thank you for your Generous Support

CATHOLIC WEYMOUTH LENTEN GIVING PROGRAM

Help Father Bill's and MainSpring Support our friends and neighbors who need us most



In 2022 FBMS served over 4,000 people across Southern Massachusetts, provided emergency shelter to over 1,177 individuals and 223 families. They moved 223 individuals to housing or other systems of care and 67 families ended their homelessness and moved into housing. Father's Bills is grateful for Catholic Weymouth's support of their mission and those they serve!

As in past years, here is the Wish List for the Father Bill's/MainSpring program if you would like to donate:

Towels/Wash Cloths
Hand Soap (Bars)
Hand Soap (Liquid)
Feminine Care Products
Laundry Detergent

Razors/Shaving Cream
Deodorant
Toilet Paper
Nail Clippers
Cleaning Supplies

Hair Brushes
Shampoo
Diapers
Baby Wipes
Baby Formula

Paper Towels
Dish Detergent
Q-Tips
Disinfecting Wipes

Gift Cards: Grocery, Gas, Target, Walmart, Commuter Rail, Charlie Cards (MBTA travel), etc.

Bins will be available for your donations during the Lenten season (Ash Wednesday until Holy Thursday) in the vestibule of Saint Jerome Church and the main entrance of Immaculate Conception Church. You may drop off items before and after Masses. Items may also be dropped at the Parish Office, in the Msgr Hackett Center at Immaculate Conception, weekdays 9am - 3pm. Thank you very much for your generous donations!

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