## THE READING CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

SAINT AGNES CHURCH 186 WOBURN ST, READING MA

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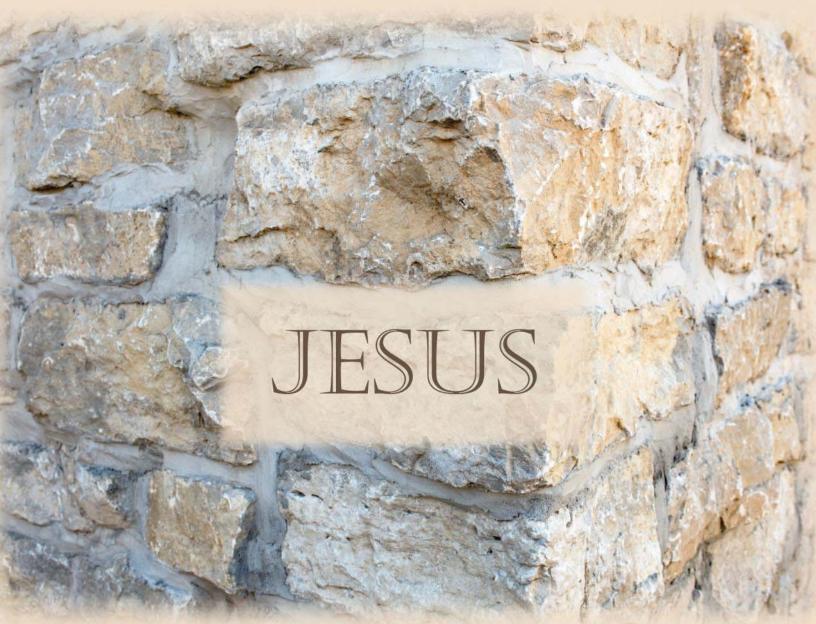
Daily Mass: 9AM - Mon, Wed & Fri

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SAINT ATHANASIUS CHURCH 300 HAVERHILL ST, READING MA

Saturday: 4PM Sunday: 10AM Daily Mass: 9AM, Tues & Thurs

OCTOBER 4, 2020



TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

THE STONE THAT THE BUILDERS REJECTED HAS BECOME THE CORNERSTONE.

PHILIPPIANS 4:7

# PLEASE PRAY FOR THE MEN AND WOMEN IN MILITARY SERVICE

God of compassion, we pray for our loved ones in the military, who offer themselves for the sake of others and who are separated from family and loved ones. Grant them courage, compassion, strength, and all they need for the living of these days.

Sustain them through their every trial.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord we pray.

Amen.

#### Please pray for all service members, especially for:

Capt. Jared Peledge (US Army), 2LT Jeff Peledge (US Army Rangers), Spc. William T. Fisher (US Army), LCPL Peter O'Connor (USMC), LCPL Dean Lepore Cpl. Daniel Gonzales (US Marine Corps), Capt. Nicholas Staffier (US Army), LCPL Robert Ciaccio (USMC), 1LT Luke Beaulieu (US Army), 26th "Yankee" Brigade Cpl. Brenden Amico, Justin Whitmarsh, PFC Michael Goddard, Chaplain Tom Whiteman, USMC Major Zachary Johnson, 1st Lts. Ryan & Nolan Johnson, (US Army) PFC Christopher Lewis, USMC Capt. Katie Sliwoski, 1LT Gregory Connery, 3rd Infantry Div (US Army), 2nd Lieutenant Luke Sullivan (USMC), Frank J. Pendergast (USMC) Major Stephen Tyminski (US Army Rangers), Patrick Cavanaugh, Cpl. David Goss (USMC), Sgt. Brian A. Hartman, USMC

Let us pray for the success of the St. Agnes and St. Athanasius
Collaborative. May we open our hearts to allow the Holy Spirit to work within and among us. May we intentionally seek to lead others to Jesus through our actions and build His Church in our community.

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

#### **Sunday Masses**

St. Athanasius - 4PM Vigil (Saturday) and 10AM St. Agnes - 9AM and 11AM

#### Daily Masses at 9AM

St. Agnes - Monday, Wednesday, Friday St. Athanasius - Tuesday, Thursday

#### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3

4:00 pm Robert Savio - Memorial

#### **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4 - 27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

9:00 am Frank Dee - Memorial

10:00 am Salvatore Follo - Birthday Memorial 11:00 am Nancy Maroney - Month's Mind

#### MONDAY, OCTOBER 5

9:00 am Tommasina and Francesca - Memorial

#### TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6

9:00 am Jack Hughes - Memorial

#### WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 7

9:00 am No Mass Intention Request

#### **THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8**

9:00 am No Mass Intention Request

#### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9

9:00 am No Mass Intention Request

#### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10

4:00 pm Michael Canty - Memorial

#### **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11 - 28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

9:00 am Maria & Onofrio Salerno; and

Salvatore Magro - Memorial

10:00 am No Mass Intention Request

10.00 am No Mass Intention Request

11:00 am No Mass Intention Request



### **LIVE-STREAMED MASS**

We are live-streaming our Sunday 11:00 am Mass and the Monday, Wednesday and Friday daily Masses. Watch at:

 ${\bf https://reading catholic.org/rcc\text{-}broad casts}$ 

Facebook.com/ReadingCatholic

YouTube.com/ReadingCatholic

If you are not feeling well, please stay home. If you fall into the CDC "higher risk" category, you might consider waiting before returning to Mass in person.

## THE RCC DYNAMIC PARISH TEAM INVITES YOU TO MAKE ORDINARY TIME EXTRAORDINARY THIS YEAR

Join us on November 5<sup>th</sup>, with Dynamic Catholic founder, Matthew Kelly, for his first virtual event:

#### **Amazing Possibilities**

The world sees who you are. God sees who you still can be.

"We are capable of so much more than we think. You have no idea what you are capable of. None of us do. God is constantly trying to open our eyes to the amazing possibilities that he has enfolded in our being."

Matthew will further explore these Amazing Possibilities during his live-streamed event, which will feature an interactive Dream Session, inspiring music, and a live Q&A.

~ Online ~ Thursday, November 5<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 p.m.

Learn more and Register for the event: https://bit.ly/35gU2UB



Stay up to date with Dynamic Parish resources and events at readingcatholic.org/dynamic-parish

#### FAITH FORMATION - GRADES 1 THROUGH 10

Classes begin the week of October 18th!!! Have you enrolled your children for the 2020/2021 year? Don't worry... you still have time. We are offering innovative NEW approaches to continuing Faith Formation during these times. BUT, families must first submit the online Enrollment.

ENROLLMENT LINK: https://readingcatholic.org/program

#### **News From the Sanctity of Life Ministry**

#### **Pregnancy Care Center Virtual Fundraising Banquet**

WHEN: Thursday, October 15, ONLINE at 7:00 PM!

Please join us from the comfort of your home to hear about all God is doing in this exciting, new chapter of the Pregnancy Care Center ministry! There is no limit of seating capacity this year, so please spread the word! Thank you for supporting the lives of moms and their families!

Register at: <a href="http://pccfriends.org/2020">http://pccfriends.org/2020</a>

#### **Initiative for Palliative Care and Advanced Care Planning**

(in collaboration with the Sanctity of Life Ministry)

View and discuss a video series from the Supportive Care Coalition, a national Catholic group that promotes palliative care. The series covers the Catholic Church's approach to and teaching about palliative care and the issues facing the seriously ill and dying and their families. The presentations and discussions will begin at 7:30 PM and last an hour to an hour and a half. You will need to register for each evening separately. Registration links are:

October 5 - Palliative Care: The Best Possible Care for the Seriously III and Advance Care Planning https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/3762181753962247950

October 19 - The Spiritual Journey of Caregiving

https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/873416162608814606

For more information contact Ken Charest at kscee@comcast.net or 781-572-5535.

We are . . .



### ... in the Sacraments

## ... in our Community

#### **OUR FAITH IS ALIVE IN THE SACRAMENTS**

### THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION - SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26TH 2020

This past Saturday approximately 130 high schoolers received the Sacrament of Confirmation in the first ever Car Mass celebrated at St. Athanasius church. So many in our community came together for a celebration that will remain in the memories of many for many years to come! In great thanks to: the catechists who have



accompanied the Confirmandi in their faith journey, the parents and sponsors who have supported an ever-growing relationship with Jesus, our clergy, the Music Ministers and Eucharistic Ministers, the Knights of Columbus for offering warm and welcoming guidance; and most especially to these students who have been confirmed for saying YES TO JESUS!















#### **OUR FAITH IS ALIVE IN OUR COMMUNITY**

#### **FARMERS TO FAMILIES PROGRAM**

The Society of St Vincent de Paul in partnership with the Knights of Columbus will be participating in the Farmers to Families program! The USDA is purchasing very fresh, high quality produce, dairy products and





cooked meat items from American farmers. They are then distributing these foods throughout the USA to anyone who has felt any negative financial impact of COVID-19 and could use help at this time. This program is free of any charges to anyone living in the town of Reading. The food boxes will be delivered to your home in Reading every Tuesday from October 6 to December 21, 2020.

If you would like to participate in this program, email the Society of St Vincent de Paul at The Reading Catholic Community at: st.agnes.reading.svdp@gmail.com

In the email please note: your last name only, the Reading address for your delivery, which outside door to leave the box.

We will confirm your email and answer any questions you may have at that time.

Please get in touch with us as soon as possible. The program is starting very soon and we may not be able to add any participants after that date.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul Knights of Columbus

#### **OUR FAITH IS ALIVE IN OUR COMMUNITY**

#### YOURS IS A SHARE - WEBINARS FOR THE READING CATHOLIC COMMUNITY'S MINISTRIES

Join with others for these zoom webinars presented by Fr. Ed Malone. Previously offered seminars have been on the Eucharistic Minister and Lector Ministries. We are now offering webinars on the Ministry of the Assembly and the Ministry of the Music. Both webinars are 2-part series on enrichment and renewal for all members of the Reading Catholic Community of St. Athanasius and St. Agnes Parishes!

#### YOURS IS A SHARE: THE MINISTRY OF THE ASSEMBLY



Part 1 of the Ministry of the Assembly webinar will air on Thursday, October 1 at 7:00PM. Part 2 of the webinar will air on Thursday, October 8 at 7:00PM. Feel free to join in on both parts, or even just one. Pass this great information on to other St. Agnes and St. Athanasius parishioners.... We are all part of the Assembly!

Sign Up link for Yours is a Share: The Ministry of the Assembly https://bit.ly/3cqfqsn

Zoom link: https://bit.ly/33S6MPj | Meeting ID: 897 0735 6868 | Passcode: Assembly

#### YOURS IS A SHARE: THE MINISTRY OF THE MUSIC

Part 1 of the Ministry of the Music webinar will air on Thursday, November 12 at 7:00PM. Part 2 of the webinar will air on Thursday, November 19 at 7:00PM. Feel free to join in on both parts, or even just one. Pass this great information on to other St. Agnes and St. Athanasius parishioners who may be feeling a call to this Ministry!



Sign Up link for Yours is a Share: The Ministry of the Music - https://bit.ly/3cqfqsn Zoom link: https://bit.ly/2Evsj7U | Meeting ID: 894 0578 3682 | Passcode: Music

#### FALL SESSION OF FAITH AND FELLOWSHIP TO BEGIN SOON

Have you felt distant from others or distant from God during these last 6 months as we manage the effects and limitations of this pandemic? Do you crave a little normalcy? Perhaps small groups can help. We will be starting our next season very soon and want to include newcomers, past and current participants.

We look forward to hearing from you and growing in faith through Faith and Fellowship. Give it a try!

#### What is Faith and Fellowship?

Fellow parishioners meeting in groups of 8-10 who participate in faith sharing, prompted by a book designed for small group discussions and facilitated by group leaders. This season we will be taking advantage of the wonderful material made available through Dynamic Catholic to explore and deepen our Catholic faith and our personal relationship with Jesus.

Over many years members of the Reading Catholic Community have been meeting regularly in small groups to share their faith journey. This has been a tremendous blessing to many as a vehicle of growth in faith, as a means of meeting new people and as an opportunity for fellowship.

Because of COVID, groups will be meeting via Zoom or in homes while maintaining social distance. We do our best to provide a variety of meeting days and times.

If you are interested in a group or have more questions about Faith and Fellowship, please email Marie Lucey at <a href="mailto:

### St. Athanasius Parish News

#### Bainbridge Road Property Update

In the August 30<sup>th</sup> bulletin Fr. Rock announced that we are taking steps to sell the Bainbridge Road house. As he noted, the decision to sell the property was undertaken only after a great deal of thought and deliberation. St. Athanasius Pastoral Council members were consulted and a financial update that solicited parishioner input was mailed in July. We are providing an additional update so that all parishioners will be informed on the process.

As is the case in many parishes, *COVID-19* has had a negative impact on our offertory and other revenues. While in the past, we have benefited from supplemental fund-raising efforts such as *Bingo* and the *Annual Christmas Faire*, these fund-raising options are not viable while the virus remains unchecked. We believe that if most parishioners increase their weekly giving by a modest sum, we can meet the Parish's operating budget through the current fiscal year ending in June 2021. However, even if we do meet our operating budget with increased offertory, there is no financial cushion for us to pay for any unplanned maintenance or capital needs related to our parish properties - and expenses such as these are inevitable. The Bainbridge property has been determined to be excess to our long-term needs. The sale of the home provides St. Athanasius Parish with a source of funds for long-term capital needs.

#### What Steps Have Been Taken So Far

We have received permission from the Archdiocese to sell the house.

The property has been appraised and a local realtor has toured the home and offered professional advice regarding current Reading market conditions.

Fr. Erikson has moved from Bainbridge Road to the office building (former rectory) on St. Athanasius Parish property. Some minor, cosmetic improvements have been made to prepare the house for sale.

#### **Next Steps**

The house will be put on the market in October. A purchase and sale agreement must be approved by several Archdiocese committees in order for the sale to close. Closing is expected in December.

Sales proceeds will be allocated as follows:

A real estate commission and closing costs of approximately 10% will be paid on the sale.

In addition, the 18% Archdiocese tithe assessed on Parish income will be assessed on the sale proceeds.

50% of the sales proceeds after the payment of the commission and tithe will be held in an Archdiocesan escrow account for St. Athanasius Parish for 5 years. At the end of that time St. Athanasius Parish will have full use of those funds plus interest.

The remaining 50% of the sales proceeds after the payment of the commission and tithe will be available to the Parish for our capital needs.

As a committee, we remain focused on the financial sustainability of our Parish. We believe that the sale of the property, which will provide a multi-year financial cushion in these uncertain times, is the prudent path for our Parish.

Respectfully submitted,

Fr. Steve Rock

St. Athanasius Finance Council - Cindy Canavan, Bob Ferrari, Joe McDonagh and Ellen Terry

## St. Agnes Parishioners and Collaborative Office Staff

Thank you all so much for the generous scholarship and allowing me to serve our parish community. It has been a pleasure altar serving on Sundays, helping around the parish office, teaching Religious Ed, and training young servers over the years. Although I may not know each of you individually, you have contributed to the great Catholic community that I've called home for the past 18 years. This community has provided me with so much guidance throughout my life, and I've enjoyed giving back by helping out around the parish and serving at Mass. With all your support I have grown stronger in my faith, and I look forward to continuing that growth at Clemson and beyond. Thanks again, and I look forward to attending mass at St. Agnes when I'm back for Thanksgiving!

Stephanie Goldner RMHS '20 - Clemson University '24

### FIRST TUESDAY OF THE MONTH ROSARY AT ST. AGNES CHURCH

The Knights of Columbus as part of our *Faith in Action*Rosary service program invite you to join the Reading
Catholic Community in weekly prayer. We will join in
reciting the Rosary on the first Tuesday of each month in
an effort to, "Build faithful families and communities
through rosary prayer." Won't you join all of us on
Tuesday, October 6<sup>th</sup> 7:00 PM at Saint Agnes.

## **READING FOOD PANTRY**Caring for those in the Reading Community

October Needs: Brownie Mix, Canned pasta-Ravioli, Beefaroni, Spaghetti and Meatballs, Spaghetti O's with Meatballs, Quick Cook Old Fashioned Flavored Instant Oatmeal, Laundry and Dishwashing Detergent

Please DO NOT DROP OFF FOOD TO THE CHURCHES. Food can be left in the food pantry boxes at Stop and Shop and Market Basket. Donations can be left on Wednesdays from 4:30 to 6 p.m. at Old South UM Church back door.

Mail cash donations to: READING FOOD PANTRY
6 SALEM ST, READING, MA 01867

#### **PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN**

Tuesday, October 6 at 7PM - ZOOM Training

RSVP to attend here: https://readingcatholic.org/cori

A prevention and awareness training at the parish level for any adult involved in any Church Ministry. It is a one-time only training covering the responsibilities of mandated reporting and the archdiocese's policies and procedures for preventing abuse.

### **DON'T WORRY, RETIRE HAPPY!**



A Knights of Columbus Fraternal Benefits Seminar

Featuring: Award-Winning Author and Speaker, Tom Hegna, CLU, ChFC, CASL

WHEN: October 13, 7PM Webinar REGISTER ONLINE: https://bit.ly/344pjli

(if you are a non-member use <u>McKenna2020</u> when asked for council number)

WANT MORE INFORMATION? Contact Kevin McKenna kevin.mckenna@kofc.org or call at 781-249-5585

Thinking about retirement? Award-winning author, speaker and economist – Tom Hegna – will be joining agents from The DiCalogero Agency to present a free webinar for members and guests. Tom has been dubbed by many as "The Retirement Income Expert" and will be sharing his 7 steps to a secure retirement.

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#### MASS SCHEDULE

**SAINT AGNES CHURCH** 

Sunday: 9:00AM

Sunday: 11:00AM (also live-streamed)

Daily Mass: 9:00AM on Monday, Wednesday, Friday

(also live-streamed)

SAINT ATHANASIUS CHURCH

Saturday: 4:00PM Sunday: 10:00AM

Daily Mass: Tuesday 9:00AM

Thursday 9:00AM

#### **CONTACT US**

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### **SACRAMENTS**

**† BAPTISM:** Maximum of 4 babies at each service

† BAPTISM PARENT MEETING: Parents must attend a baptism meeting prior to the baptism. Meetings are held on the 1st Friday of every month at 7:00PM, currently by ZOOM meeting.

St. Agnes Baptisms:

1PM Service - 1st Sunday of the month

St. Athanasius Baptisms:

1PM Service - 3rd Sunday of the month

Call the Parish Office to schedule baptism or for further information

4 MARRIAGE

Arrangements are made with a priest at least six months in advance.

+ RECONCILIATION:

Saturdays, 2:45PM - 3:45PM at St. Athanasius, crying room at back of church, in person

- **4 ANOINTING OF THE SICK:** Call the Parish Office to request. Extraordinary Ministers are also available to bring the Eucharist to the homebound.
- **+ FUNERALS**: Are held in the church subject to physical distancing and mask wearing

#### READING CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

#### **READING CATHOLIC PARISH COUNCIL**

Fr. Steve Rock, Christine Ambrose, Chrissy Cerretani, Janet Davidson-Dee, Rosemarie DeLacy, James Dudley, Bob Finigan, Jane Fiore, Ed Fitzpatrick, Steve Goldner, Paul Lannon, Joanne Metzger, Jody Roffi, Fred Santosuosso, Chris Scozzari, Lisa Tavoletti, James Taylor

#### SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL 781-258-8767

St. Vincent de Paul is known as the "Apostle of Charity" dedicating his life to the service of the poor. Today, the Reading Catholic Community carries on his work: some of us contribute time, some talent and others treasure in the confidential support of our Reading neighbors. Please call us if we can help you.

#### **HOSPITAL CHAPLAIN**

Winchester Hospital Chaplain: Mary Beth Moran, 781.756.2295

#### **BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS**

Due by Monday 12Noon for print in the upcoming weekend's bulletin. Email submissions to: **bulletin@ReadingCatholic.org** 

#### **PARISH REGISTRATION**

Welcome to our Parish. Please call the Parish Office or register on our site at:

https://readingcatholic.org/register-with-parish

#### **RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)**

For anyone interested in becoming Catholic and for Catholics who have not been confirmed, please call either St. Agnes or St. Athanasius Parish Office.

#### **ALTAR SERVERS** (For Youth in Grades 3 and up)

Currently suspended due to COVID-19

St. Agnes Contact: Michelle Goldner, 508-942-9788

email: chelle1127@msn.com

St. Athanasius Contact: Call the Office 781-944-0330

#### **GLUTEN ISSUES**

Please see a Priest or Deacon before Mass.

#### MASS AND SANCTUARY LIGHT INTENTIONS, MASS CARDS

Call the Parish Office to schedule

#### PRAYER CORNER (ST. ATHANASIUS)

Call the Parish Office to add or renew a name of your loved ones or submint online at:

https://readingcatholic.org/prayer-request

#### **PRAYER TREE REQUESTS (ST. AGNES)**

Contact the office, place note in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel Prayer basket or submit online at: https://readingcatholic.org/prayer-request Copies of the Prayer Tree are at the church exits.

#### **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

ONGOING IN PERSON AFTER THE DAILY MASS Friday 9:30am-12Noon at St. Agnes Church

#### **CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

#### **SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3**

7:00 AM Men's Group ZOOM meeting

9:30 AM St. Vincent de Paul - St. Agnes Parking Lot 2:45-3:45 PM Reconciliation at St. Athanasius crying room

(in the back right of the church), in person

4:00 PM Mass at St Athanasius, in person

#### **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4 - 27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

9:00 AM Mass at St. Agnes, in person 10:00 AM Mass at St. Athanasius, in person

11:00 AM Mass at St. Agnes, in person & live-streamed

#### **MONDAY, OCTOBER 5**

7:30 PM Webinar: Catholic Approach to Palliative Care

(see page 3 for details)

#### **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6**

9:30AM-2PM Parish Office Hours

7:00 PM Protecting God's Children - ZOOM

Tuesday Evening Rosary - St. Agnes Church

#### **WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 7**

#### **THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8**

7:00 PM "Yours Is A Share: The Assembly - Part 2" -

ZOOM Webinar with Fr. Ed Malone (see page 3

for details)

#### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9

9:30AM-Noon Eucharistic Adoration at St Agnes Upper

Church following Mass, in person

#### **SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10**

7:00 A Men's Group ZOOM meeting

2:45-3:45 AM Reconciliation at St. Athanasius crying room

(in the back right of the church), in person

4:00 PM Mass at St Athanasius, in person

#### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11 - 28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:00 AM Mass at St Agnes, in person 10:00 AM Mass at St Athanasius, in person

11:00 AM Mass at St Agnes, in person and live-streamed









### PLEASE SUPPORT OUR PRIESTS IN SEPTEMBER

Our priests are often at the center of efforts that build strong support systems for all of us. In addition to their daily pastoral responsibilities, they help establish social service organizations, offer spiritual support for first responders, operate parish food pantries, and recently, in response to the pandemic, put their lives at risk to provide comfort and peace to those suffering with COVID-19. Healthier priests build stronger communities. And the Clergy Health and Retirement Trust (CHRT) is dedicated to keeping our priests healthy.

This September, you can support the CHRT's mission by giving to the special collection at Masses on September 19/20. Every gift makes a difference and is a symbol of gratitude for all our priests who don't just observe need in our communities; they seek it out so they can respond.

Donate now online at clergytrust.org or scan the QR code to give with Venmo, Apple/Google Pay, and PayPal via Givebutter.

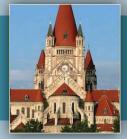




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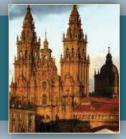
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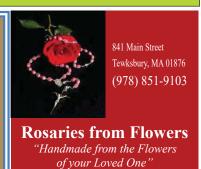




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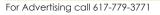
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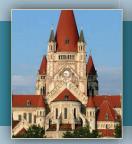




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