

Most Precious Blood & Saint Theresa of Lisieux Parishes



21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saint Theresa of Lisieux

Saturday Vigil 4:00pm

Sunday 10:30am

Sunday 5:30pm*

*As Announced September - December

Tuesday & Thursday 9:00am



Most Precious Blood

Saturday Vigil 5:30pm

Sunday 9:00am

Sunday 5:30pm*

*As Announced January - May

Monday, Wednesday, Friday 9:00am

ARE YOU NEW TO OUR PARISHES?

If you are visiting today we welcome you to our parishes! We'd love to meet you, so please introduce yourself to Fr. Blaney or fill out a registration form available at the entrances of the church or online at www.mpb-stp.org.

Collaborative Pastoral Council

Father Robert J. Blaney	Roseann Furbush
Paul Buresh (MPB)	Catherine Olson (STP)
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Kathleen Goldman (MPB)	Annemarie Thompson (MPB)
Jim Hennessey (MPB)	Skip Wiemeyer (STP)
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Sacraments & Devotions

Confession & Adoration:

Saturday 3:15-3:45pm St. Theresa's
First Thursdays 9:30-10am St. Theresa's
First Fridays 9:30-10am Most Precious Blood

Rosary: Thursdays 8:30am before 9am Mass (STP)

Baptism/Funeral/Anointing: Contact the Parish

Marriage: Contact the Parish at least 6 months prior

Mass Intentions

To reserve a weekday or weekend Mass for a deceased loved one or for a special intention, please contact the parish office ten days to two weeks ahead of time.

Sanctuary Candle

The Sanctuary Candle at either church may be memorialized for a special intention or in memory of a departed loved one for one week. Please call the office for more information.

Saturday August 26

4:00pm (STP)

Stephanie Bolton

Memorial

Saturday August 26

5:30pm (MPB)

Lori & Joseph Garvey

Memorial

Sunday August 27

9:00am (MPB)

Sheila Lutazzi

1 Year Anniversary

Sunday August 27

10:30am (STP)

Max Vaccarino

Memorial

Thursday August 31

9:00am (STP)

Mike Kickham

Memorial

Saturday September 2

5:30pm (MPB)

Nelson Belliveau

Memorial

Sunday September 3

9:00am (MPB)

Robert DeCoste

Memorial

Sunday September 3

10:30am (STP)

Mike Kickham

Memorial

Tuesday September 5

9:00am (STP)

Edward Malloy

35th Anniversary

Friday September 8

9:00am (MPB)

Mike Kickham

Memorial

Saturday September 9

5:30pm (MPB)

Claire Emanuelli

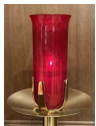
Memorial

Sunday September 10

9:00am (MPB)

John Meany

Memorial



For the week of August 27 the Sanctuary Candle

At Most Precious Blood Church will burn for the healing of **Adele Coughlin**.

At Saint Theresa of Lisieux Church will burn in memory of **Mike Kickham**.

For the week of September 3 the Sanctuary Candle

At Most Precious Blood Church will burn in memory of **JB Harvey III**.

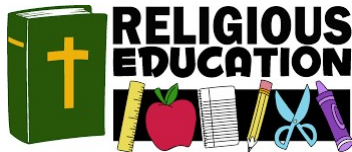
Gifts & Bequests

Did you know you can make a financial gift that will have a lasting impact on either Most Precious Blood or Saint Theresa's Parish? The Catholic Community Fund enables donors to make planned gifts and create charitable endowment funds that provide permanent support for the current and future needs of our parishes. For more information please contact Lynne Sullivan, Executive Director, from The Archdiocese of Boston at 617-779-3747 or lsullivan@rcab.org

Parish Support

Support your church today using your debit, credit cards, checking, or savings accounts.

1. Visit www.mpb-stp.org go to Online Giving.
 2. Choose WeShare for your parish
 3. Select the collection or event of your choice.
 4. Set up your donation or payment.
- For support contact weshare@4lpi.com or call 800-950-9952



Religious Education 2023-2024 REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!

We're pleased to announce that registration for the 2023-2024 religious education year is now open online for all grades at <https://www.mpb-stp.org/registration>.

We encourage you to register early to ensure class placement.

*Please note: Sacramental preparation programs require two years—
grades 1 and 2 for First Holy Communion
and grades 9 and 10 for Confirmation.*

Please direct questions to Graceanne Bowe,
Director of Religious Education,
at Graceanne@mpb-stp.org.



Collaborative "Welcome Back" BARBEQUE

Saturday, September 23rd at 5pm
at Saint Theresa of Lisieux Parish

Parishioners and friends of Most Precious Blood & St. Theresa's Parishes are invited to join us for this fun collaborative event!

Adults & Children over 10 \$10
Children ages 5 - 10 \$5
Children 4 & under free

(With the hope that as many parishioners as possible will attend the Barbeque, the 4pm Vigil Mass at St. Theresa's will be the only Vigil Mass in the collaborative this day.)

Dedication of Artwork and Reception

Sunday, October 1st at 11:30am
(immediately following the 10:30am Mass)
St. Theresa of Lisieux Parish – Lower Hall

On the feast day of our patron saint, Saint Therese of Lisieux, we will have a Coffee Reception and a Blessing & Dedication of an original work of art entitled *Ste. Therese of Lisieux, The Little Flower* created by the late Leo Cormier. This magnificent piece of artwork is a 4'x6' calligraphy that beautifully depicts the historical life of one of the most popular modern saints in the world. Some of Leo's other works that he has donated hang in the State House, in Faneuil Hall, in a museum on Cape Breton where he was born, and his *The Two Hearts* hangs in Boston's Cathedral of the Holy Cross.

We are extremely blessed and grateful that this artwork is being generously gifted to our parish by Leo's daughter, Sylvia Cormier, who will be present for the dedication.

We hope that you can join us at this event!!

WE NEED a few HELPING HANDS for the Most Precious Blood & Saint Theresa of Lisieux FOOD PANTRY

Thanks to your generosity, our food pantry has been a huge benefit to the Family Team Clinic for Boston Health Care for the Homeless Program in Roxbury.

Please consider volunteering for this ministry.

It entails only one day every month to sort and drive donations (easy drop off to case managers) at the Family Team clinic. The weekdays are flexible. Call or email Anne Mangini, mpbdover@mpb-stp.org, (508)-785-0305, AnnMarie McVeigh, mcveighboston@gmail.com, (617)-293-4215 or Mimi Krier mbkrier@gmail.com, (508)-320-9281 with any questions or to sign up to help.

Thank you for considering this important ministry!!



We pray for the repose of the souls of:

Vincent John D'Agostino who died August 4th and whose funeral Mass was held at Saint Theresa of Lisieux Church on Friday August 11th.

Michael Kickham who died August 15th and whose funeral Mass was held at Saint Theresa of Lisieux Church on Friday August 25th.

Jeffrey Brown "JB" Harvey III who died August 16th and whose funeral Mass was held at Our Lady of Victory Parish in Centerville on Tuesday August 22nd.

MAKE A JOYFUL NOISE!!

The Choirs of Most Precious Blood and St. Theresa Parishes are seeking new members!

At Most Precious Blood, the choir rehearses on Sundays from 8:00 – 8:45am before Sunday Mass, with occasional extra rehearsals before holidays.

At St. Theresa Parish, the choir rehearses most Thursdays from 7:00-8:00pm.

We are welcoming new members of high school age and older. No experience is necessary and singers of all abilities are encouraged to share their voices in worship.

If you are interested in joining the choir, please email:

annemiller@mpb-stp.org

Or come by the organ after Mass.

Hope you'll come and sing!

Anne Tripp Miller, Director of Music

Special Collection September 2-3: **The People of Maui**

Our Collaborative will be taking a Special Collection the weekend of September 2-3 to support relief efforts in the Diocese of Honolulu for the more than 100 people who have been killed by the devastating wildfires in Maui. Funds raised will support the Hawaii Catholic Community Foundation (HCCF) relief efforts for local community members affected by the Maui wildfires. Please make checks payable to **Most Precious Blood Parish or St. Theresa Parish** with "Maui Relief" in the memo. On behalf of Pope Francis and Cardinal Sean, thank you for your generous support of those who are suffering.

St. Theresa Entree Bake Sale

September 30th – October 1st

Please place & pay for your order by Friday, Sept. 22. Make checks payable to St. Theresa Parish.

Envelopes with entrée choices are at the back of the churches.

Phone or text to Michelle Murphy at 508-254-5672 for questions.

See flyer for more information.

Choice of Entrees: (Meals serve 4-6 adults)

Chicken pot pie \$35.

Lasagne with meat sauce \$40.

Lasagne with cheese sauce \$35.

Lasagne, gluten-free \$45

Meatballs, 6 large \$30.

Shepherd's pie \$35.



*Proceeds to go to St. Theresa Capital Campaign.

WOMEN'S CURSILLO WEEKEND

Coming in September!

Cursillo is a joyful three-day experience of learning, faith sharing, praying, and having fun. The goal is to deepen your faith and strengthen your ability to bring Christ's love and grace into the world.

The weekend runs from Thursday 9/21 at 7 pm through mid-afternoon Sunday 9/24 at the beautiful Notre Dame Spirituality Center in Ipswich.

Are you curious? Feel free to contact jmaterazzo@comcast.net, visit the website at www.bostoncursillo.org, or check out @bostoncursillo on Instagram.