



OUR LADY OF GRACE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Hatfield, Massachusetts

Established November 28, 2010

<http://www.ourladyofgrace.faith>

11 School Street

Hatfield, MA 01038

(413) 247-9079

Office Hours:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday

9:00 AM – 2:00 PM

The office is Closed Wednesday

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Parish Administrator

Very Rev. Douglas McGonagle

Provisional Priest

Rev. David Raymond

Parish Director

Katrina Letourneau

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Cemetery Coordinator, and

Safe Environment

Katrina Letourneau

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Celebration of the Eucharist

Saturday 5:30 p.m.

Sunday 9:30 a.m.

Weekday Mass is Celebrated on Tuesday and Thursday at 8:15 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday after the 5:30 p.m. Mass

or by appointment

For Anointing of the Sick

Please contact Fr. Douglas McGonagle

413-584 -1326 ext. 103

When there is a danger of death, Fr. McGonagle may be reached 24/7 at ext. 103

24/7 Please leave a message



This week, the sanctuary candle is available for sponsorship

Mass Intentions

July 4 – July 12, 2026

Saturday, July 4 – 5:30 PM *For health and blessings for Jeff Parsons*

Sunday, July 5 – 9:30 AM *In Memory of Paul and Kathy Labbee*
Requested by the Family

Monday, July 6 *No Mass*

Tuesday, July 7 – 8:15 AM *Missa pro populo*

Wednesday, July 8 *No Mass*

Thursday, July 9 – 8:15 AM *For the Souls in Purgatory*
Requested by a Parishioner

Friday, July 10 *No Mass*

Saturday, July 11 – 5:30 PM *In Memory of Gregory Wayne Burtus*

Sunday, July 12 – 9:30 AM *In Memory of Robert Albert*
Requested by Frank Russo

Genesis Spiritual Life & Conference Center Nature's Wisdom: A Spiritual Evening Experience

Join Colleen Mollica for a peaceful hour in the Arboretum, exploring how mindful presence in nature can ease stress and deepen your spiritual connection. Through gentle movement, meditation, and sensory awareness, discover the healing gifts of the natural world.

Mondays: 6/1, 7/6 & 8/3 • 5:30–6:30 PM

Genesis Spiritual Life & Conference Center
53 Mill Street, Westfield
Suggested donation: \$5 per session

Contact: genesis@genesisspiritualcenter.org • (413) 562-3627

June Prayer List

Chris Balise
Jan Balise
Quinn Cooke
Michael Coby
Fr David Raymond
Charlotte Grace
Sue Favreau
Jean Gilbert
Gina
Barbara Growhoski
Mary Gruszkowski
Michael Holhut
Kathy Jagodzinski
Barbara Jamrog & Brandin Jamrog
Alex Klaes & Rose Klaes
Edward & Ruth Kuchyt
Bill Lahart
Blanche Lawrence & Frank Lawrence Jr
Lillian Morin
Rose & Joe Mulherin
Pope Leo
Jeff Parsons
Tom
A young parishioner seeking strength and prayers
A Parishioner
John & Maryellen Reynolds
Paul Schmidt
Kari Ann Wiles
A parishioner facing difficulties
****Names will remain for one month**

Financial Report June 28, 2026 (Parish Office Closed)

Weekly Envelopes & Sittings	
Misc. Donation	
Religious Education	
Mission Sunday Priests	
Total	\$

Thank you for your continued generosity. Our weekly goal to sustain parish life is **\$2,500**. This week, we received **\$**, which is **\$ below our goal**.

Your faithful support helps keep our parish vibrant and prayerful. **Thank you for your generosity and care for our community.**

Bulletin Ads

We will be securing and renewing ads for our church bulletin in the coming weeks. It is the support of the business community that helps to make our church thrive. Please consider purchasing a print ad as your participation makes the bulletin successful. Please Contact the Parish office for more details

**14th Sunday of Ordinary
Time**

Sunday, July 5 ,2026

First Reading – Zechariah 9:9-10:

A prophecy about the coming of a king to Jerusalem, who will be just and victorious, but also humble and riding on a donkey. The passage declares that this king will bring peace to the nations and rule over them, and his dominion will extend from sea to sea and to the ends of the earth.

Second Reading – Romans 8:9, 11-13:

Those who have the Spirit of Christ dwelling within them belong to him and will have life. The passage urges believers to live according to the Spirit and put to death the deeds of the flesh, for those who live according to the flesh will not inherit eternal life.

Gospel – Matthew 11:25-30:

Jesus thanks God for revealing the truth of his teachings to the humble and childlike, rather than to the wise and learned.

He invites those who are burdened and weary to come to him and take up his yoke, promising that they will find rest for their souls, for his yoke is easy and his burden light.

Background on the Gospel Reading

Today's reading from Matthew's Gospel comes after a discourse in which Jesus reproaches people who have witnessed his mighty deeds yet still lack belief. In this context, today's Gospel explains the reason for this unbelief and reveals what is necessary for faith.

Today's Gospel also continues to enhance our understanding of discipleship as last week's Gospel did. Jesus first prays in thanksgiving to God who has made himself known to Jesus' disciples. He praises God who has made himself known to the "little ones" and not to the wise and learned. As in other recent readings from Matthew's Gospel, a contrast is made here between the unbelieving Pharisees, who are wise and learned, and the faithful disciples, tax collectors, and sinners with whom Jesus keeps company. The second part of this reading calls to our attention the unity between the Father and the Son. God has made himself known through Jesus, and in knowing Jesus, we come to know the Father. In Jesus' life and in his person, God reveals himself to us. In the concluding sentences of today's Gospel, Jesus' teaching is again contrasted to the teaching of the Pharisees. This common theme of Matthew's Gospel probably reflects tension that existed between Jesus and the Pharisees and between the Pharisees and the community of Christians for whom Matthew wrote. Pharisaic Judaism became the predominant form of Judaism after the destruction of the Temple in Jerusalem about 70 A.D. Here that tension is expressed as alternative paths of holiness. The careful observance of the Mosaic law taught by the Pharisees could be experienced by some as difficult and burdensome. In contrast, Jesus' way of holiness is presented as uncomplicated and even restful.

**POPE'S INTENTIONS FOR
June 2026**

For the values of sports:

"Let us pray that sports be an instrument of peace, encounter, and dialogue among cultures and nations, and that they promote values such as respect, solidarity, and personal growth."

Pray for Vocations

O loving and gracious God, Father of all, you bless your people in every time and season and provide for their needs through your providential care. Your Church is continually in need of priests, sisters and brothers to offer themselves in the service of the gospel by lives of dedicated love. Open the hearts of your sons and daughters to listen to your call in their lives. Give them the gift of understanding to discern your invitation to serve you and your Church. Give them the gift of courage to follow your call. May they have the spirit of young Samuel who found fulfillment in his life when he said to you, "Speak Lord, for your servant is listening." We ask this through Jesus Christ, our Lord and Redeemer. Amen.

**Could you be among them?
Contact the Vocations Office
at 413-248-7034, email:**

vocations@diospringfield.org



Bethlehem House in Easthampton is looking for dedicated volunteers to assist their ministry and outreach to young families. They are also interested in recruiting new volunteer members of their board.

Please call 413 262-8517 and make the difference in the lives of young families and their children.

Diocesan Care for Creation Calendar of Events 2026

- Saturday, June 13, 5:00 PM Summer Solstice 2026 - Mont Marie Cemetery - Sponsored by the Community of St. Joseph (See details in flyer above)
- Monday, July 6, August 8, 5:30 PM - Nature's Wisdom: A Spiritual Evening Experience with Colleen Mollica (Genesis Spiritual Life Center) www.genesspiritualcenter.org
- Saturday, August 15, 10:30 - 3:00 PM Walking In Peace – A Labyrinth Experience with Cathy Rigali (Genesis Spiritual Life Center) www.genesspiritualcenter.org
- September 10, 17, 24, October 1, 2026, 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM - Honoring Our Common Home: Reflecting on Laudato Si' and Embracing Laudato Deum - (Virtual Study Group) www.genesspiritualcenter.org
- Saturday, October 3, 10:00 AM - Blessing of the Animals with Joseph Krans, OFS • (Genesis Spiritual Life Center) www.genesspiritualcenter.org
- October 9 - 11, 2026 Restoring Sacred Conversation with Earth with Victoria Looz - (Genesis Spiritual Life Center) www.genesspiritualcenter.org
- Friday, December 18, 6:00 PM - The Wonder of the Nativity – Live at Genesis (Genesis Spiritual Life Center) www.genesspiritualcenter.org

Visit the Diocesan Care for Creation Committee's webpage for more info. on programs and events.



Together in Healing: A Support Group for Those Grieving a Loved One



Grieving the loss of someone you love is one of life's most difficult challenges

But you don't have to face it alone.

Our support group offers a safe, compassionate space where you can share your grief, find understanding, and connect with others who are walking a similar path. Whether your loss is recent or it happened years ago, we're here to support you.

Public welcome 6-8 pm

Thursday, July 9
Thursday, August 13
Thursday, September 10
Thursday October 8

Meeting Hall at
Our Lady of Grace Church
11 School St. Hatfield

Refreshments will be served

Please RSVP to: Louisefinn4@gmail.com
Church Office: 413-247-9079

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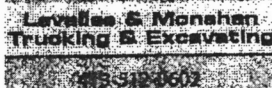
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**WHEN:**
JULY 25, 2026
AFTER THE 5:30 MASS

**WHERE:**
**OUR LADY OF GRACE
CHURCH - HATFIELD**

**Everyone is invited!**
**PLEASE BRING A SMALL
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**LOOKING FORWARD TO
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