

June 25 & 26, 2022 The 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Times and Intentions

<u>Week of June 25 & 26</u>		
Saturday	6:30 pm	For the repose of the soul of Doug Desjardins
Sunday	10:30 am	For the parishioners of St. Mary’s and St. Thomas
Monday	6:30 pm	Mass
Tuesday	6:30 pm	Mass at St. Thomas
Wednesday	8:00 am	Mass
Thursday	****	
Friday	8:00 am	Mass at St. Thomas

<u>Week of July 2 & 3</u>		
Saturday	6:30 pm	No Intention
Sunday	10:30 am	For the repose of the soul of Monica Gregory

Join us as we recite the Holy Rosary every Saturday evening at 6 pm and Sunday mornings at 10 am.

† PRAYER CONCERNS †

For all our sick and shut-ins, as well as our troops. For all who have died and all members of St. Mary’s & St. Thomas. For Prayer Chain requests please call Cathy Kennedy at 644 5073.



†Eucharistic Adoration† Wednesday mornings after 8:00 am Mass
Reconciliation Wednesday’s after Mass/Saturday’s 6-6:20 pm

St. Thomas Church in Underhill Center will hold its **Annual Yard Sale** and Food booth on Friday, June 24, Saturday, June 25, and Sunday, June 26 from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM each day. The yard sale will feature household items, dishes, toys, furniture, miscellaneous items, and, perhaps, a surprise or two. The rummage sale will feature linens, blankets, and shoes. Many great items were donated by local families in anticipation of this great sale! In addition, there will be a food concession stand featuring a variety of tasty goodies and our famous meatball subs. Come - rain or shine - to find real bargains or a real treasure. If you have any questions, please call the church rectory at 802-899-4632.

Thank you for supporting the Cambridge Food Shelf!

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

June 27
Am 2:6-10, 13-16
Ps 50:16bc-17, 18-19, 20-21, 22-23
Mt 8:18-22

June 28
Am 3:1-8; 4:11-12
Ps 5:4b-6a, 6b-7, 8
Mt 8:23-27

June 29
Acts 12:1-11
Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9
2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18
Mt 16:13-19

June 30
Am 7:10-17
Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11
Mt 9:1-8

July 1
Am 8:4-6, 9-12
Ps 119:2, 10, 20, 30, 40, 131
Mt 9:9-13

July 2
Am 9:11-15
Ps 85:9ab & 10, 11-12, 13-14
Mt 9:14-17

July 3
Is 66:10-14c
Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20
Gal 6:14-18
Lk 10:1-12, 17-20

Sts. Peter and Paul

On June 29 the Church celebrates the feast day of Sts. Peter & Paul. Together, the two saints are the founders of the See of Rome, through their preaching, ministry, and martyrdom there. Peter, who was named Simon, was a fisherman of Galilee and was introduced to the Lord Jesus by his brother Andrew, also a fisherman. Jesus gave him the name Cephas (Petrus in Latin), which means ‘Rock,’ because he was to become the rock upon which Christ would build His Church. Peter was a bold follower of the Lord. He was the first to recognize that Jesus was “the Messiah, the Son of the living God,” and eagerly pledged his fidelity until death. In his boldness, he also made many mistakes, however, such as losing faith when walking on water with Christ and betraying the Lord on the night of His passion. Despite his human weaknesses, Peter was chosen to shepherd God's flock. The Acts of the Apostles illustrates his role as head of the Church after the Resurrection and Ascension of Christ. Peter led the Apostles as the first Pope and ensured that the disciples kept the true faith. St. Peter spent his last years in Rome, leading the Church through persecution and eventually being martyred in the year 64. He was crucified upside-down at his own request because he claimed he was not worthy to die as his Lord. He was buried on Vatican Hill, and St. Peter's Basilica is built over his tomb. St. Paul was the Apostle of the Gentiles. His letters are included in the writings of the New Testament, and through them we learn much about his life and the faith of the early Church. Before receiving the name Paul, he was Saul, a Jewish Pharisee who zealously persecuted Christians in Jerusalem. Scripture records that Saul was present at the martyrdom of St. Stephen. Saul's conversion took place as he was on his way to Damascus to persecute the Christian community there. As he was traveling along the road, he was suddenly surrounded by a great light from heaven that blinded him. He then heard a voice saying to him, “Saul, Saul, why do you persecute me?” He answered: “Who are you, Lord?” Christ said: “I am Jesus, whom you are persecuting.” Saul continued to Damascus, where he was baptized and his sight was restored. He took the name Paul and spent the remainder of his life preaching the Gospel tirelessly to the Gentiles of the Mediterranean world. Paul was imprisoned and taken to Rome, where he was beheaded in the year 67.He is buried in Rome in the Basilica of St. Paul Outside the Walls. In a sermon in the year 395, St. Augustine of Hippo said of Sts. Peter and Paul: “Both apostles share the same feast day, for these two were one; and even though they suffered on different days, they were as one. Peter went first, and Paul followed. And so, we celebrate this day made holy for us by the apostles' blood. Let us embrace what they believed, their life, their labors, their sufferings, their preaching, and their confession of faith.”

No weekday Masses will be celebrated between July 4 and Aug12. Father Richard Eneji will celebrate weekend Masses for us while Father Calapan is away.

Aspire Together Baby Bottle Campaign: The Baby Bottle Campaign came to and end last weekend. Please be sure to return your bottles to the baskets that are available at the doors. Thank you for your generous donations. Your spare change can and does save lives!

PRAY THE HOLY ROSARY EVERY DAY!

Jesus is coming back! Are you ready?

Offertory Receipts for 6/18 & 19
FY22 Weekly Goal: \$1,050

Last Week	= \$	1042.47
YTD Actual	= \$	53333.04
YTD Budget	= \$	52500.00
Over (Under)	= \$	833.04

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