

St. Mary's Parish Family

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14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“The kingdom of God is at hand for you.”
- Lk 10:9

**ALL ARE WELCOME HERE**

If you are alienated or upset,
we welcome you lovingly.
If you are in need of forgiveness,
Jesus forgives you completely
with unconditional love.
If you have been hurt by the Church,
we are truly sorry.
If you are angry, Jesus offers you peace.
If life has become burdensome,
we are here to support you.
We are happy you are here...
and want you to stay.
We would like to share our lives with you.

Mass Schedule and Intentions**Saturday, July 5**

4:30 PM Parishioners of St. Mary's

Saturday, July 6

8:00 AM Blessings & Health for Iwona
(Chris & Justyna Moniak)

10:00 AM Stanley Jarosz (His wife, Doris)
In remembrance of his birthday

Monday, July 7

12:00 PM Susan Cobb (Donna & Rick Cobb)

Tuesday, July 8

8:00 AM Parishioners of St. Mary's

Wednesday, July 9

8:00 AM Parishioners of St. Mary's

Thursday, July 10**Friday, July 11****Saturday, July 12**

4:30 PM Jacque Gerardi (Peter Gerardi)

Sunday, July 13

8:00 AM Parishioners of St. Mary's

10:00 AM Parishioners of St. Mary's

St Mary's Online giving now available!**Online giving goes beyond tithing**

Already many families and visitors have been enjoying the benefits of giving one-time and recurring gifts directly from the parish website. And our new online donations and payments system will help streamline Religious Education registrations by simply paying tuition fees within the same form as the registration. Simple, quick, and effective. Learn more and begin offering your gifts online at stmarysjeff.com/give.



<https://www.facebook.com/StMarysChurchJefferson>

Schedule Around Campus...**Saturday, July 5 Missionary Speaker**

3:30 - 4 PM Confessions

4:30 PM Mass/Church

Sunday, July 6 Missionary Speaker

8:00 AM Mass/Church

NO PB & J Making Mission

Coffee Shoppe/GR

10:00 AM Mass/Church

Children's Liturgy of the Word/Gr

Vincent James Nunez Baptism

NO PB & J Making Mission

Coffee Shoppe/GR

Monday, July 7

12:00 PM Mass/GR

Tuesday, July 8

8:00 AM Mass/GR

10:00 AM Bible Study/GR

Wednesday, July 9

8:00 AM Mass/GR

7:30 PM Al-Anon Meeting/GR

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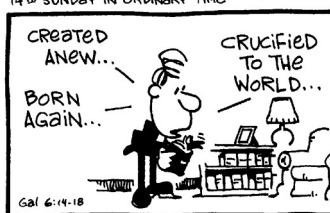
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Coffee Shoppe/GR

PB & J Making Mission/GR

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To report abuse, please contact Judith Audette, Director of Healing and Prevention, Diocese of Worcester at 508-929-4363

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Christmas in July

Throughout the month of July, you will notice a Christmas tree in the front of the church. We invite you to pick up some school supplies and place them under the tree. Supplies are needed for **all grade levels**. The Family & Community Engagement of Worcester will distribute the items to the homeless children and teens in the Worcester community.

There is a sign-up sheet in the vestibule to sign up to sort and deliver the items, which will take place on Friday, August 1st at 10:00 AM.

Needed Items:

- Headphones
- 12 count crayon's
- Back packs (Grades K-12)
- Spiral notebooks
- Graphic Calculators
- Looseleaf paper
- Multi subject spiral notebooks
- Dry erase board markers
- 1-Inch binders
- Tissues
- Yellow high lighters
- Paper towels
- Folders with pockets
- Hand sanitizer
- 12" rulers (with in.'s and cm's)
- Scissors, glue sticks
- Liquid glue
- Colored pencils, 12-24 ct.
- Pens
- Pre-sharpened #2 pencils
- Post it notes

For more info call Patrice Gallagher 508-335-6795 or Beth C. at 508-272-6923



Partners in Charity 2025 Appeal

SHARING THE GIFT OF HOPE

Thank you to those who made a gift and a special thank you for those who gave for the first time. Your gift will help us in reaching our parish goal. To date

163 of our 1,450 Parish Families have responded, and have helped us reach 81.91% of our Goal!

However, we need the support of all members of St. Mary's Parish if we are to be successful in reaching our parish goal of **\$73,800**.

If you have not yet completed your pledge, please prayerfully make your pledge and return it to the church office or in the collection basket.

We are confident that, with God's help and yours, we will rise to it! If you have not made a gift or pledge, please fill out a commitment pledge envelope located in the pew today, use the QR Code, or visit [www. Partners-charity.net](http://www.Partners-charity.net). Thank you!



Donate
Online

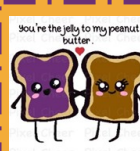
Someone you know may be in an abusive relationship.
Abuse Hotline 508-755-9030

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



ONLINE REGISTRATION & PAYMENT NOW AVAILABLE!

Visit our website today at www.stmarysjeff.com
for **Grade 1-11 2025-2026 Religious Education**
Registration! Monday classes are almost full!



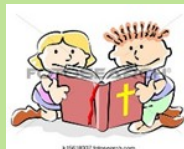
Peanut Butter & Jelly Mission

WE WILL NOT BE MAKING PB & J'S ON SUNDAY JULY 6th!!! Grateful to all those who have shared their helping hands

and generous hearts to feed our hungry, homeless friends! **We resume our PB & J making next Sunday, July 13th!!!!** Join us following the 8AM & 10 AM Masses!!!!!!



Peanut butter, jam, zip lock baggies~
Happily accepted!



Help Needed

We are looking for folks to assist with Children's Liturgy of the Word during the 10AM Mass once a month.

Those assisting would be dismissed from the Church with the children to the Gathering Room to share the Word of God. (Approx 25 minutes) Let us know if you are interested! We would be delighted to provide you with more information!

maryjaneciesluk@stmaryjeff.com.



Need a Volunteer for our "Poinsettia for our Homebound Ministry"

The "Poinsettia's for our Homebound Ministry" is in need of a person who can provide less than 10 hours a year to continue this beautiful gift for our homebound parishioners.

WHAT IT ENTAILS:

- Order poinsettia's over the phone from Busy Bee Nursery in August.
- Place notice in bulletin and place delivery sign up sheet in vestibule in November.
- Meet the flower delivery and place Homebound list in Gathering Room in early December.

Please contact Barbara Stevens 774 232 0319 or Beth C. 508 272 6923 or beth@stmaryjeff.com for questions .

JULY 6TH, 2025

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults: *Are You Ready for the Next Step?*

Are you or someone you know:

- Interested in becoming a Catholic?
- Learning more about the Catholic way of life?
- Already baptized, but haven't received First Eucharist or Confirmation yet?

Already a Confirmed Catholic, but still seeking more in life? Journey with those becoming Catholic and learn more about your own faith. You won't be there to teach, but to learn with them as you continue your ongoing initiation as a disciple of Christ.

Come and join us! Open to all who are seeking to know Christ more fully in their life.

Contact Deacon John for more info: Cell/Texts: 508-958-0998; Email: deaconjohnladroga@gmail.com



St. Mary's Game Schedule Competitive (A) & (B), and Recreation (R)



Date	Time	Location/Winner/Score	Opponent	Team
6/9	6:15 PM	ST. MARY'S! / 2 - 1	St. Bernadette	C (A)
6/9	6:15 PM	ST. MARY'S! / 3 - 0	St. Edward	R
6/9	7:00 PM	ST. MARY'S! / 2 - 1	St. Matthew	C (B)
6/16	6:15 PM	ST. MARY'S! / 2 - 1	St. Louis (A)	C (A)
6/16	6:15 PM	ST. MARY'S! / 3 - 0	St. Louis (B)	R
6/16	7:00 PM	St. Bernadette / 3 - 0	St. Bernadette	C (B)
6/30	6:15 PM	TBD	Mount Carmel	C (A)
6/30	6:15 PM	TBD	O.L.H	R
6/30	7:00 PM	TBD	St. Joseph	C (B)
7/7	6:15 PM	St. John, Court 1	St. Mary's	C (A) C (B)
7/7	7:00 PM	St. John, Court 1	O.L.L	R
7/14	6:15 PM	St. Christopher, Court 1	N.A.M	C (A)
7/14	6:15 PM	St. Christopher, Court 2	St. Denis	R
7/14	7:00 PM	St. Christopher, Court 1	Sacred Heart	C (B)
7/21	6:15 PM	St. Josph's, Red Court	St. Joseph	C (A)
7/21	7:00 PM	St. Josph's, Red Court	N.A.M	C (B)
7/21	7:00 PM	St. Josph's, Blue Court	Millbury	R
7/28	6:15 PM	St. Christopher, Court 1	St. Louis	C (B)
7/28	6:15 PM	St. Christopher, Court 2	St. Rose of Lima	R
7/28	7:00 PM	St. Christopher, Court 1	St. John Paull II	C (A)
8/4	6:15 PM	St. Christopher, Court 1	Mount Carmel	C (B)
8/4	6:15 PM	St. Christopher, Court 2	St. John (A)	R
8/4	7:00 PM	St. Christopher, Court 1	St. Matthew	C (A)

JULY 6TH, 2025



In today's Gospel from Luke, Jesus appoints disciples to prepare others to receive His invitation into the Kingdom. Every verse offers insight into how Christian stewards should reach out.

Jesus sent his disciples out in pairs, not alone. This teamwork provided mutual support and practical help — a model still relevant today. Evangelization takes courage and commitment, and we do it better together.

Teamwork also symbolizes that we're not just inviting others to a belief system, but into a relationship with Christ and His family — the Church. Our parish is the local expression of that family. We are called to live as a community, not in isolation.

That's why building a welcoming, supportive parish life is essential. Hospitality is a pillar of stewardship. We must not only point others to Christ, but invite them into fellowship and purpose within our parish family.

PARISH TITHE

OUR PARISH TITHE FROM THE WEEK OF JUNE 29TH
Will Go To
Veteran's Inc.



We offer our
**THANKS AND GRATITUDE
TO OUR
Our Altar Servers and MC's who assist
Father Tim in celebrating Mass.**

DID YOU KNOW....

Saint Peter, originally a fisherman named Simon, was appointed by Jesus as the leader of His followers and is considered the first Pope. He was crucified upside down, as he felt unworthy to die in the same manner as Christ.

Saint Paul, formerly known as Saul, was a zealous persecutor of Christians who converted after a profound encounter with Jesus on the road to Damascus. He was later beheaded in Rome.

Their shared feast day symbolizes their unity in faith and mission, despite their different backgrounds and ministries.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO MAKE
A DONATION USING
YOUR MOBILE PHONE VIA
THE ST. MARY'S WEBSITE?



**St Mary's Jefferson
The Place To Be!**

STEWARDSHIP IN OUR PARISH BUDGET 2024-2025 MONTHS FROM 9/1/24 - 8/31/2025 - END OF FISCAL YEAR

	MAY	YEAR TO DATE
Amount Collected.....	\$38,683.00	\$441,959.00
One Time Donations.....	\$1,000.00	\$47,250.00
Amount Needed.....	\$48,402.00	\$474,418.00
Surplus/< Deficit >.....	\$(8,719.00)	\$14,791.00

Bulletin finances reflect actual collections and expenses through the current year to date monthly period. Thank you.