

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, August 2 - 4:00pm

Mr. & Mrs. Michael McGrail & William - requested by the Family

Sunday, August 3 Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

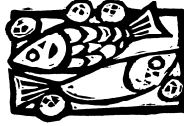
7:00am

Yvette Hache - requested by Evelyn Ferris

10:30am

Theresa Favreau, Wedding Remembrance - requested by Paul

MATTHEW 14:12-20



and every one ate until full

Monday, August 4 - 8:30am

Doris Bunker - requested by Lee & Joanne Dupuis

Tuesday, August 5 - 8:30am

Jackie Puglisi - requested by her husband Guy

Wednesday, August 6

NO MASS TODAY

Thursday, August 7 - 8:30am

Angelo Bucchino, Anniversary of Death - requested by his Family

Friday, August 8 - 8:30am

Helen Dachowski - requested by Claire & Bob Dachowski

Saturday, August 9 - 4:00pm

Sean Moquin, Anniversary of Death - requested by his Wife & Son

Sunday, August 10 Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00am

Lawrence Welch, Anniversary of Death - requested by Natalie & Larry Welch

10:30am

Thomas Donohue - requested by the Donohue Family

One of the greatest ministries that we at Blessed Sacrament parish provide for our neighbors is offering food for nourishment. There are so many parish groups that feed the hungry and needy. There are our food pantry workers who faithfully distribute bundles of groceries to the poor and needy every Wednesday. Then there are our memorial meal providers who are there for families who have lost a loved one. There are our Eucharistic Adorers who provide spiritual feeding for others through their faithful prayer and presence. In fact, all our parishioners have a wonderful opportunity to provide nourishment for others through their participation in and prayer at Mass. Yet there is another dimension of feeding others that the Lord expects of us. We get a sense of this in today's Gospel, when Jesus is feeding the vast crowd of people gathered and instructs the disciples: "Give them some food yourselves." Being aware of their lack of sufficient food and other resources they respond to Jesus: "Five loaves and two fish are all we have to give them." Isn't it the case that when the Lord invites us to "feed others" and the task seems so overwhelming, we can feel like the disciples: so small, so unsure of how much we have to give if anything at all. All we might have is a glass of water, a piece of bread, or even a simple, kind word to another in need; or even five minutes of our time to listen patiently to their problems. Yet we may think that this is so little, and the world is too big and broken with its need. Then we say to ourselves: "What can I give to the Lord; or to others in need?" But if we are willing to simply follow Jesus' next statement to the disciples: "Bring them here to me!", then we are performing a tremendous service. For through our desire to serve the Lord and our neighbor, witnessed by our simple kindness and good example ("Bring them to me"), we are offering "food" so that others can be nourished today. Let our prayer be, "Jesus, today I will offer whatever I have to my neighbor in need, trusting that you will provide whatever is lacking!" ~ Fr. John



A WORD FROM THE PASTOR

Eucharistic



Adoration

St. Theresa of Lisieux Adoration Chapel

Daily Hours: 7am-7pm

Open Hours

Tuesdays: 11am Thursdays: 10am

Saturdays: 1pm & 2pm

For more information please call Irene de Repentigny, Chapel Coordinator at 622-7775.

Substitutes to cover summer vacations are needed!!

Please call Irene if you are willing to give an hour to our Lord.

Welcome Visitors!

With joyful hearts we welcome you into our house of prayer to celebrate the gift of life and special faith we share. Fr. John, the staff and our parishioners extend our warmest welcome. If you would like to become a member of Blessed Sacrament, please fill out a registration form and submit it to the parish office. Forms are available in the back of the Church or you may stop by the Parish Office on weekdays from 9am-5pm. Please feel free to call the parish office with any questions you may have. Welcome!

Welcome
our new friends

Calendar of Events

Tuesday, August 5

- * Devotion to St. Anthony following Mass
- * Food Pantry Meeting, 10am, Church Hall

Wednesday, August 6

- * St. Anne's Closet, 1-3, Last names A-L
- * Food Pantry, 1-3, Last names A-L
- * Parish Nurse, 1:30-3, Church Hall

Let us pray for these special intentions:

- For all our parishioners that are homebound and in nursing homes; for all our parishioners, family and friends that are struggling with illness or recovering from surgeries; and for Charlotte Green, Camden Soucy, Ted Begin, Phil S., Kathy Hawkins, Mary Guimond, Angie Irizarry, Jeannie Coleman, Joyce Sullivan, Pauline Gagnon, Jerry deRepentigny, Dominic Lattuca, Baby London, Jaxson Field, Virginia Clark, Ginny George, Max Lawrence, Robert Pelkey, Paul Boisvert, Ashleigh Rose, Jackie McGonagel, Patrick Myrdhal, Sr. Lucille Blais, Julie Hemond and Isabella Hilton.



PARISH LEADERSHIP

PARISH OUTREACH MINISTRIES

St. Anthony Food Pantry
 Colleen Hayward (volunteers) 935-9949
 My Brother's Keeper Sleeping Bags
 Rosemary McNair 647-2797
 Shoes For Kids/General Outreach
 Lisa Siraco 622-5445
 St. Anne's Closet (clothing for children)
 Karen McAndrew 497-2770
 Parish Nurse Program 663-8004
 Parish Elderly Ministry
 Diane Steele 669-8825

PARISH MINISTRIES

Adoration Chapel
 Irene de Repentigny 622-7775
 Beautification Committee
 Fr. John 622-5445
 Boy/Cub Scouts
 Ron St. Cyr 622-8182
 Parish Prayer Line
 Gemma Houde 668-3993
 Young Adult Faith Formation/Confirmation
 Dan & Debbie Goulet (Year 1) 623-5354
 Sr. Marjorie Lupien (Year 2) 315-7623
 Funeral Ministry
 Sr. Marjorie Lupien 622-5445
 Liturgical Ministers
 (Eucharist Lectors, Altar Servers)
 Sr. Marjorie Lupien 622-5445
 Memorial Meals
 Gloria Pilotte 623-8173
 Prayer Shawl Ministry
 Sr. Anne & Sr. Joan 622-7138
 Religious Education (Gr. 1-7)
 Martha & Steve Donohue 627-4868
 Respect Life 622-5445
 RCIA
 Sr. Marjorie Lupien 622-5445
 Secular Franciscan Order
 Tom Cloutier 644-8788
 Social Committee
 Donna Guertin 669-5232
 Spirits Alive!
 Sr. Anne & Sr. Joan 622-7138
 Youth Group
 Ellen Donohue 867-8881

FUNDRAISING

300 Club 622-5445
 Bulletin Ads 622-5445

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMS

Baptism, Marriage, Sacrament of the Sick
 Fr. John Bucchino, ofm 622-5445

MUSIC MINISTRY

Music Director & Organist, Adult Choir and Cantors:
 James Butka 540-7638

The Fall celebration of the Sacrament of Confirmation for Adults will take place at St. Joseph Cathedral on October 19 at 2pm. This celebration is for adults who have received the Sacraments of Baptism Eucharist and Reconciliation but did not complete their initiation with the Sacrament of Confirmation. If you are 18 years or older and wish to receive Confirmation, please contact Sr. Marjorie at the office, 622-5445 to arrange for Sacramental preparation classes.



STEWARDSHIP: FAITHFUL & GENEROUS: July 26 & 27, 2014

Weekend Offertory

Envelopes \$3,125.00
 Loose \$ 898.00
 Electronic Offering \$ 40.00
Total Offertory: \$4,063.00

General Fund

Adoration Chapel: \$ 22.00
 Candles: \$70.00

Parish Outreach Fund

St. Anthony Bread for the Poor: \$10.00
 Food Pantry: \$-0-

Thank you for your continued support of our Parish and Outreach Programs.

Save the date!! The Cub Scouts will host a Pancake Breakfast on Sunday, **August 24th**. Cost: \$6 Adults & Children; \$5 for Seniors.



Menu: Eggs, Pancakes, Bacon, Sausage, Milk, Coffee, Tea and Juice.
Tickets will be sold at the door.

300 Club: Week 5

#51 Frank & Lorraine Dubisz; #53 Pauline Lavigne; #233 Yvette Savoie; #248 Kathleen Leclerc Gentes and #273 Steve Gilmartin **Congratulations!**

Captains: Doris Cote 624-1013; Gloria Pilotte 623-8173; Lisa Siraco 622-5445 (Parish Office); or Terry Sylvain 669-2582.



On **Saturday, August 23, 2014**, Macy's will host its 8th annual Shop For A Cause benefiting charities nationwide.

How Does Our Parish Benefit?

We sell special savings passes for \$5 each. We keep 100% of the proceeds and you get to shop with a 25% discount.

How Does the Customer Benefit?

When you Shop For A Cause on Saturday, August 24, 2013, you'll receive 25% off* on regular, sale and clearance merchandise, including designer brands you love, throughout the store, as well as 10% off electronics, furniture, mattresses and area rugs. And, you will be eligible to win a \$500 gift card, no purchase necessary.

(* Exclusions and restrictions apply. See shopping pass for details.)

You can purchase your \$5 shopping pass at the parish office, M-F, 9am-5pm.

Anniversary Mass with Bishop Libasci

Bishop Peter A. Libasci invites all couples who are celebrating their 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th, 50th or beyond Wedding Anniversary (anytime during the year 2014), to attend a **Special Anniversary Mass**. This celebration will be held on **October 6, 2014 at 2:00 p.m.**, at Saint Anselm Abbey Church, Manchester. If you are celebrating your 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th, 50th or beyond anniversary, please contact the parish office **by August 13, 2014**. We will need your **last name, first names and mailing address**. Please also indicate your special anniversary year.

