



# Mass Intentions for the Week

**Saturday, June 24 - 4:00pm**  
*Paul Huot* - requested by the Dionne family

**Sunday, June 25** **Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**7:00am**  
*Phyllis Czernicki* - requested by Larry & Natalie Welch

**10:30am**  
*Jenney Auger* - requested by Don & Priscilla Bournival

**Monday, June 26 - 8:30am**  
*Gerald de Repentigny, birthday remembrance* - requested by his wife Irene

**Tuesday, June 27 - 8:30am**  
*Patricia McAndrew, birthday remembrance* - requested by her family

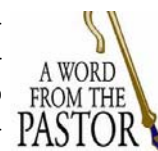
**Wednesday, June 28**  
 - No Mass -

**Thursday, June 29 - 8:30am**  
*Sumner Menken* - requested by his wife

**Friday, June 30 - 8:30pm**  
*Jean Labore* - requested by Lorraine & Larry Labore

**Saturday, July 1 - 4:00pm**  
*Charles Steele, anniversary of death* - requested by Paul & family

**Sunday, July 2** **Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**7:00am**  
*Jackie Puglisi, wedding remembrance* - requested by her husband Guy  
**10:30am**  
*Gracia & Dominic Paulombo* - requested by their daughter Raffaella



June is such a special month during the year! June welcomes in the summer, when we can rest a bit, take a vacation, and enjoy the mild weather. June also gives honor to our fathers, grandfathers, godfathers, along with father-figures! Then there are weddings, graduations, baptisms, reunions, cookouts, and other celebrations which bring people together from far and wide. I feel so renewed and refreshed during June, and I find myself thinking more and more how good is our Father in heaven. Because our Father wishes to give us good things all the time: loving parents, good friends, a breath of fresh air, and joyful family gatherings! You might say that God's love is "in the air" during the month of June. This weekend I will be in Maryland performing my niece Sarah's and her fiancé Christopher's wedding ceremony. The family is very excited because both of these young people are very special; they are kind, caring, and to use God's words in Genesis, fit together as "suitable partners." They met by chance. Both relocated to the greater Baltimore area finding new jobs there, and both happened to apply to the same apartment complex without knowing each other. On the day they were to sign their rental lease and pick up their key, they went to the same office at the same time. From that first hello, they became friends and two years later are ready for that special day. It almost seemed like God had arranged the whole thing, because they certainly could not have done that themselves. And all the times they tried to, it never worked out as well as this new relationship. This experience reminds me of what Jesus is saying in today's Gospel: "So do not be afraid; you are worth more than many sparrows." Jesus is addressing our anxiety and our worry about whether we are good enough or not. When things don't turn out as we have planned, we often feel like we are losing control. We need to learn to trust Jesus more; He is the one we have to give up our controls to. We think that because our plans and wants are not met that either we are failures or life has let us down; maybe even feel that God has forgotten us. But this is not so. We just need to relax, hold on, and have faith, live life with trust and hope. Again, maybe that's one of the reasons God gives us a beautiful month like June: to relax, breath the fresh air, feel the sun shine us! Please welcome Bishop John McCormack this weekend at our parish; Bishop John feels very relaxed when he comes to Blessed Sacrament church. Your welcome and friendliness give him a sense of God's guidance and love in our lives!!!

~ Fr. John



**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 Virginia Clark, Robert

Pelkey, Patrick Myrdhal, Maurice Allard, Jeanne Kaufman, Lucille Bradley, Jerry Lavoie, Joe Bennett, Larry Green, Paul Cody, Marcel Larochelle, Tommy Fontaine, Jackie Theodorou, Judy W.; Chloe Carnevale, Jeannine Bouchard, Doris Gionet, Paul Allard, Richard Tanguay, RFG, Sophia Rimmer, Barbara Joyce, Tom Cloutier, Acilda Dachowski, Chad Cerillo, Roger Boisvert, Jack Provost, Arnold Wright, Pat Begin, Eleanor Siraco, Mark Siraco, Kathy Hawkins, Janice Beaudin, Joanne Rivard and Lorraine Dubisz.

"Go forth and reach out to all people at the margins of society! Go there and be the Church, with the strength of the Holy Spirit." ~ Pope Francis



**STEWARDSHIP: FAITHFUL & GENEROUS:**  
**June 17 & 18, 2017**

**Weekend Offertory**

Envelopes \$2,989.17  
 Loose \$ 849.00  
 Electronic Offering \$ 228.00  
**Total Offertory: \$4,066.17**

**General Fund**

Candles: \$ 76.00  
 Adoration Chapel: \$11.00

**Parish Outreach Fund**

**Peter's Pence: \$1,148.82** St. Anthony Bread for the Poor: \$65.00  
 Food Pantry: \$ -0-

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

**PARISH LEADERSHIP**

**PARISH OUTREACH MINISTRIES**

St. Anthony Food Pantry  
 Colleen Hayward 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  
 Terry Sylvain 669-2582  
 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  
 Nick Cort 224-4605  
 Social Committee  
 Donna Guertin 669-5232  
 Spirits Alive!  
 Sr. Anne & Sr. Joan 622-7138  
 Youth Group  
 Ellen Donohue 867-8881

**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



**Monday, June 26**

\* Boy Scouts, 6:30pm, church hall

**Tuesday, June 27**

\* Devotion to St. Anthony following Mass  
 \* Finance Committee Meeting, 6:30pm, friary

**Wednesday, June 28**

\* St. Anne's Closet, closed today  
 \* Food Pantry, 1-3pm, Last names Q-Z  
 \* Marian Prayer Cenacle, 7pm, adoration chapel

**Thursday, June 29**

\* Cub Scouts, 6pm, church hall

**St. Theresa of Lisieux  
 Adoration Chapel**  
 Daily Hours: 7am-7pm

**Adorers & substitutes are needed.  
 Can you spend an hour with Jesus?**

**Open Hours**

**Tuesdays: 5pm  
 Saturdays: 9am, 12pm & 2 pm**

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



**300 Club: Week 3**



#14 Don Bournival; #104 Natalie Welch; #112 Carol Gentes; #180 Paul Perry & #280 Mae Grace Wells

A new club has begun, if you don't have a lucky number, please see one of the captains or call the parish office. The 300 Club is an easy fundraiser for the parish. It cost \$20 to join for 20 weeks—just a \$1 a week! Each week, five numbers are picked to win \$10 each. At the end of the club, we give out \$1800 in prizes. If we have a full club (300 numbers), that raises \$6,000 of which \$3,200 is given away in prize money. It's so easy! To get your lucky number please stop by or call Lisa in the parish office (622-5445), or call one of the captains: Doris Cote 624-1013; Gloria Pilotte 623-8173 or Terry Sylvain 669-2582.



**FALL FESTIVAL & PENNY SALE  
 NOVEMBER 4, 2017 9am - 6pm**

The Fall Festival Committee has started working towards this year's Fall Festival.

In the next few weeks you will find more information in the bulletin regarding how you can help to once again make this major fund raiser a great success. Money Raffle Tickets will be distributed in a few weeks along with a letter regarding how you can share your time, talent and treasure.

This year the Money Raffle prizes will be:

- ◆ 3<sup>rd</sup> prize of \$250
- ◆ 2<sup>nd</sup> prize of \$500 (New this year)
- ◆ 1<sup>st</sup> prize of \$1000

Please check the bulletins for more information. Thank you.  
 The Fall Festival Committee

**St. Anne's Closet**

Volunteers are needed on the first Wednesday of each month to help sort and separate the donated clothing to St. Anne's closet. Sorting would take place prior to the closet opening for clients (11:30am). Basically, you would need to be able to volunteer for maximum of 2 hours a month. Please call Karen McAndrew for more information 497-2770.

**Summer Program at Northeast Catholic College**

There's still time to enroll in Northeast Catholic College's Summer Program for high school students! The Collegiate Summer Program offers participants the opportunity to study theology, philosophy, literature and political science. During the summer program, students also attend daily Mass and enjoy sports, socials and day trips including hiking and canoeing. The program is for students who will be entering their sophomore, junior or senior year of high school in the fall of 2017. It is also open to students who have just graduated high school. The Collegiate Summer Program is a two-week session that runs from Sunday, July 23 – Saturday, August 5, 2017. Register today at [www.NortheastCatholic.edu](http://www.NortheastCatholic.edu)! For more information, contact the admissions office at [admissions@northeastcatholic.edu](mailto:admissions@northeastcatholic.edu) or 603.456.2656.