



Saturday, November 7

5:15 p.m. People of the Parish

Sunday, November 8

10:00 a.m. John & Josephine Niewola (Butler Family)

Monday, November 9

7:00 a.m. Deceased Members of the Autote & Deveney Families

Tuesday, November 10

8:00 a.m. Holy Mass at Good Shepherd

Wednesday, November 11

7:00 a.m. Antonetta Santoro (Paula King)

Thursday, November 12

No Holy Mass celebrated today

Friday, November 13

7:00 a.m. Joseph, Louis & Mary Souza (Anne Joerres)

Saturday, November 14

5:15 p.m. Edward P. Niewola (Brother, John)

Sunday, November 15

10:00 a.m. Michael D. Wrobel (Mom & Dad)

HOLY ROSARY SODALITY

Prayer Intention: Consolation for all those who grieve the loss of loved ones, especially the loss of a child.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Monday from 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Please use the main school entrance. Come and spend some quiet time with the Lord.

SUNDAY VESPERS

Sunday, November 15, at 4:00 p.m.

Come and experience the beauty of singing Evening Prayer with the Universal Church!

MEMORIAL CANDLES

Sanctuary: Maria Sousa - 6th Ann. (Maria D'Alu); **Divine Mercy:** Lilly Susan Howard—Birthday Blessings (Godmother); **O.L.C.:** The Gauthier Family; **St. Pope John Paul II:** Seph Nobrega - Birthday Blessings (Fern)

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

*Priscilla Barton, MaryJane W.,
Bill Larson, Mary B.
Matt & Cindy Greaney,
Edward Couto*



To request prayers for a loved one or friend, contact Father Johnson or Eileen Hadfield at 401-662-7694.

From Father Johnson

PROPER BEHAVIOR AT MASS

Some people like to say a prayer of thanksgiving after Mass. If we see someone praying quietly, we should respect their silence and move away before we speak with people as we leave. Do unto others...! Finally, we should try to exercise proper behavior as we drive away. Avoid "the sins of the parking lot." By this I mean that just after we have spent an hour worshipping God at Mass, as we begin to drive home, we can be tempted to lose our temper as we leave the parking lot: if we are cut off or if we are subjected to the rude manners of others. Life is too short! Say a prayer for the other person and move on. With this I close out this series. As I wrote it each week, I wondered whether I was just being a pain, but many people have thanked me. If I have offended, I ask pardon. My first purpose was not to rail or complain, but rather to improve our experience of parish worship at Holy Mass. That's what it's all about!

SAINT OF THE WEEK

14 November ~ Saint Lebuin. He was born in England around 720. Moved by the witness of his countryman, Saint Boniface, Lebuin left his monastery in England to preach among the Frisians, in what today is a part of the Netherlands. He built a church in Deventer on the River Ijssel, which was soon burnt to the ground by disgruntled Frisian and Saxon pagans. Undeterred, Lebuin went to the town of Marklo, where the leaders of the Saxons had gathered. Donning his priestly robes, he entered the hall with the Gospels in one hand and a crucifix in the other. "Hear the God who speaks to you by my mouth," he said. "Know that the Lord, the maker of heaven and earth, is the only true God." Lebuin then threatened them with the assault of a great king named Jesus. The Saxons were unimpressed. They began sharpening fence posts with the intent of skewering the priest. As they did this, Lebuin miraculously escaped from their midst. Then one of the elders spoke, cautioning his hearers to take the priest's disappearance as a sign from God. They voted in agreement and let Lebuin continue his preaching in peace. He returned to Deventer, where he rebuilt the church on the Ijssel. He died around the year 773. Saint Lebuin, pray for us!

**FROM BISHOP EDGAR DA CUNHA, S.D.V.
DIOCESAN ASSESSMENT**

Beginning in January 2016, the Fall River Diocese has found it necessary to implement a parish assessment in order to fund the operations of the central administration of the Diocese. In doing so, the Fall River Diocese will be implementing a program which over 90% of the other dioceses in the country have been using for many years. Like other dioceses, the assessment is a % of the ordinary income of a parish. The Diocese has been very fortunate in not having to implement an assessment previously. The parish assessment will help to stabilize the financial position of the Diocese. This assessment in no way impacts the Catholic Charities Appeal since the Catholic Charities Appeal funds the critical apostolates and agencies in the Diocese, such as Catholic Social Services, and not the central administrative functions.



Respect Life Ministry

Consider this carefully: the family identity is founded on the promise. One could say that the family lives on the promise of love and fidelity that a man and a woman make to one another. This includes the commitment to welcome and raise their children; but it is also carried out in caring for elderly parents, in protecting and tending to the weakest members of the family, in helping each other develop their own qualities and accept their own limitations . . . Faithfulness to promises is a true masterpiece of humanity! If we look at its bold beauty, we are frightened, but if we disregard its courageous tenacity, we are lost. No relationship of love — no friendship, no form of loving, no happiness in the common good — reaches the height of our desire and of our hope, if this miracle does not come to dwell in the soul. ~ *Pope Francis, General Audience, Family (pt 30. Fidelity to the promise of love), Oct. 21, 2015*

You are invited!

Prayer Service for Life:
Saturday, Dec. 5, at 8:45 a.m.

Save the date!

Christmas Caroling at Southpointe:
Sunday, December 13.
Adults & children welcome!

CONGRATULATIONS!

To M/M Leo Dube (50 Years) and M/M Peter Homen (40 Years) from Saint Stanislaus and M/M Armand Servant (61 Years) and M/M Kenneth Pieper (48 Years) from Good Shepherd, who celebrated their special anniversaries of marriage at a Mass with Bishop da Cunha on Sunday, October 18, at St. Mary's Cathedral, during which they renewed their vows. Thank you for the wonderful example of faith and love!

NEW YORK CITY BUS TRIP

Don't miss the sights and sounds of beautiful NYC at Christmastime! Join our bus trip: Sat., December 12, 6 a.m. to 11 p.m. Bus tickets are \$55 and must be purchased in advance. Call the school office.

THANKSGIVING DINNER FOR SENIORS

All Seniors are invited to Saint Stanislaus School for its annual Thanksgiving dinner on Thurs., Nov. 19, at 12:00 p.m. Come and join this wonderful tradition with our school children and enjoy delicious food and great entertainment. Please call the school office no later than Fri., Nov. 13, for reservations.

FESTIVAL OF TREES

Sunday, Dec. 6, 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. Raffle of decorated trees, lunch and children's craft area! A relaxing way to spend some family time during Advent. Come for part or all of the time. You do not need to be present to win the raffle.



UPCOMING CLASSES for CCD & Conf. II:

Nov. 8, 15 & 22. No class on Nov. 29.

BISHOP CONNOLLY HIGH SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

Sun., Nov. 15, 1-3 p.m. Placement exam: Sat., Dec. 5, 8 a.m. Call 508-676-1071 for information.

YOUTH GROUP

- Mon., 11/9** Meeting at GS, 6:30-8:30 p.m.
- Sun., 11/15** Evening Vespers @ SS, 4:00 p.m.
- Mon., 11/16** Sacred Heart Soup Kitchen, 4:45-6:00pm
- Fri., 11/20** Movie Night @ GS, 6:00 pm
- Mon., 11/23** Adoration @ GS, 5:30-6:30 p.m. (before meeting)
- Mon., 11/23** Meeting @ GS, 6:30-8:30pm
- Sat., 11/28** Heifer Farm, dep. GS 8 a.m./ret. 4:00 p.m. \$10pp
- Mon., 11/30** Sacred Heart Soup Kitchen

Contact Leanne Nelson: lnelsonyg@gmail.com or 508-989-5868

FACE SCHOLARSHIP DINNER

Annual Fall Scholarship Dinner in support of the Foundation to Support Catholic Education or FACE, f/k/a the St. Mary's Education Fund. Proceeds support need-based scholarships to students attending Catholic elementary and middle schools in the Fall River Diocese, including our own Saint Stan's School. Tues., Nov. 10, from 5:30-8:30 p.m. at White's-of-Westport. Call 508-675-1311 or visit <http://face-dfr.org/>.

Consecration to Jesus through Mary



Begins this Sunday at 7:00 p.m.

Nov. 8, 15, 22, 29 & Dec. 6
Good Shepherd Hall

Consecration:
Dec. 12

INFORMATION FOR SENIORS & THEIR FAMILIES

Join the Fall River Diocesan Council of Catholic Women for a session on what you need to know before admitting a loved one to a nursing home. Michelle Galvao will be the presenter and will be available to prepare a health care proxy free of charge. Sat., Nov. 14, at 9:00 a.m., at St. George Parish Hall, Westport. For more information, call Lynette at 508-674-7036.

COLLECTION REPORT

Weekly, \$3,234.25; Fuel, \$1,050; All Saints, \$456; All Souls, \$90; WYD, \$270; Etc., \$247. Thank you!

CATHOLIC PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY

Join Father Jeff Cabral and Father David Frederici, from May 9-18, 2016, within the Holy Year of Mercy, for a pilgrimage visiting Rome, Florence, Siena, Orvieto, and Assisi. For further information, please visit www.fallrivertribunal.com/pilgrimage-to-italy.html or contact Father Jeff at (508) 339-2981 or by e-mail at frjeff@stmarymans.org or contact Catholic Tours at (800) 465-9868 or by e-mail at info@catholictour.com.

SAINT STAN'S SENIORS

Bus Trip to Mohegan Sun Casino: Thurs., Dec. 3. \$16 includes bus fare, gratuity for driver, wheel, and \$15 food voucher. Open to the public. Bus leaves at 8:30 a.m. from Good Shepherd. For more information and reservations, call Phyllis 508-676-8378, Adele 508-672-0030, or Ann 508-674-7355.