



Mass Intentions

Saturday, February 6

5:15 p.m. Vincenza Perrotti (Paula King)

Sunday, February 7

10:00 a.m. Living & Deceased members of the Holy Rosary Sodality (Sodality)

Monday, February 8

7:00 a.m. John & Sally Grygiel, Pete & Ruth Tremblay, Paul & Stella Lawton

Tuesday, February 9

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

Wednesday, February 10

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

10:00 a.m. Deacon Frank Mis (Skibinski Family)

6:00 p.m. People of the Parish

Thursday, February 11

No Holy Mass celebrated today

Friday, February 12

7:00 a.m. Jennie Kostka (Son)

Saturday, February 13

5:15 p.m. Maria D'Alu & Barbara Dubiel

Sunday, February 14

10:00 a.m. Denis Butler - Birthday Intentions (Teri & Val)

HOLY ROSARY SODALITY

Prayer Intention: For all who are in the service professions, especially our Armed Forces and first responders.

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.

MEMORIAL CANDLES

Sanctuary: Denis Butler - Birthday Intentions (Teri & Val); **Divine Mercy:** Seph & Fern Nobrega - 55th Wedding Anniversary; **O.L.C.:** Nora Torres (Jan Torres) **St. Pope John Paul II:** Rev. Robert S. Kaszynski (Pereira Family)

Come Study the Bible with us

Come and be refreshed by the Word! Bible Study with Father Johnson takes place on Saturday evenings at 6:30 p.m. at Good Shepherd Hall. Everyone welcome. Please join us as we study the Sunday readings.

"You have something divine in your hands: a book like fire! A book through which God speaks." ~ Pope Francis

From Father Johnson

THE CORPORAL WORKS OF MERCY

The fourth corporal work of mercy is to shelter the homeless. This is a hard one. Can we be expected to bring homeless people who are strangers into our own homes? There are people who do this, but theirs is a truly prophetic act. We all have a right to our personal security, and there is a real risk in that. On the other hand, we can be especially generous with our donations to emergency situations, such as the terrible earthquake in Nepal last year, which killed so many and left tens of thousands homeless. Every year in our own country, there are tornado victims who have seen their homes destroyed in an instant. We can certainly give generously to the Catholic Charities Appeal each year. If we are especially concerned about the homeless, we can give a generous donation to Catholic Social Services and earmark it for one of the shelters that the Diocese runs for men or women. We may never receive a thank-you from those we have helped anonymously, but that's not why we give. The Lord knows our charity because the Lord is the poor in our midst. "So often as you did this for the least of my brethren, you did it for me." (Matt 25:40)

SAINT OF THE WEEK

8 February ~ Saint Jerome Emiliani. He was born the son of a Venetian nobleman in 1486, was trained in the military arts, and joined the army of Venice. Captured in a skirmish, Jerome was imprisoned in a dungeon, and the frightened young man who had never given much thought to religion began to pray in earnest. He told the Blessed Virgin that he would make a penitential pilgrimage if he were to escape. By his own account, Our Lady appeared and unlocked the door of his cell. He went straight to Treviso, where he laid his chains at the church altar. Jerome then returned to Venice. Both of his brothers had died, leaving children who needed help. Jerome cared for his nieces and nephews while studying for the priesthood. Each day he felt more deeply the grace of his miraculous escape; each day he wanted to respond more totally to it. He began to progress in self-knowledge, penance, and prayer. When famine struck Venice in 1528, many children became orphaned and homeless. Jerome took them in, becoming as a father to them. Eventually he founded an order of priests, the Clerks Regular of Somasca, with a special mission to orphans and the poor. Jerome died in 1537 of an illness contracted in his care of the sick. In 1928, he was proclaimed the patron of abandoned children. Saint Jerome Emiliani, pray for us!

THIS WEEK'S RESPECT LIFE PRAYER INTENTION

For all members of the Church; that through our works of mercy we may witness to the truth that every life is worth living.

Lenten Schedule 2016

MASS SCHEDULE FOR ASH WEDNESDAY February 10

7:00 a.m.	St. Stanislaus
10:00 a.m.	St. Stanislaus (School Mass)
12:00 p.m.	Good Shepherd
6:00 p.m.	St. Stanislaus



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Fridays, 12:00 p.m. at Good Shepherd
(followed by a chowder/cornbread
lunch)

Saturdays, 8:45 a.m. at St. Stanislaus

Please come to one or the other or both. Let us renew our devotion to the life-giving Passion of Christ!



LENTEN CONFESSIONS

Saturday

8:30-9:30 a.m. at Saint Stanislaus
3:00-3:45 p.m. at Good Shepherd

Wednesday

February 17:	6:30-7:30 p.m. at Saint Stanislaus 6:30-7:30 p.m. at Good Shepherd
February 24:	6:30-7:30 p.m. at Saint Stanislaus 6:30-7:30 p.m. at Good Shepherd
March 16:	6:30-7:30 p.m. at Saint Stanislaus 6:30-7:30 p.m. at Good Shepherd
March 23:	6:30-7:30 p.m. at Saint Stanislaus 6:30-7:30 p.m. at Good Shepherd

When the priest raises his hand in absolution over you, the blood of Christ is dripping from his fingers. ~ Ven. Fulton J. Sheen

SAVE THE DATES!

PARISH LENTEN RETREAT 2016

Monday 29 February: Saint Stanislaus
Tuesday 1 March: Good Shepherd
Wednesday 2 March: Saint Stanislaus
Thursday 3 March: Good Shepherd

7:00 each evening

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

with *CONFERENCES* by *FATHER THOMAS KOCIK* on

THE FOUR LAST THINGS in the light of THE YEAR OF MERCY: DEATH, JUDGMENT, HEAVEN, HELL

Ending with
BENEDICTION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Confessions each night from 6:15 to 7pm

LENTEN REGULATIONS

Law of Fast: All adults ages 18 to 59 are bound by the law of fast. On days of fast, those bound by the law are limited to a single full, meatless meal. Two other meatless meals, sufficient to maintain strength, may be taken according to one's needs; however, together, these two meals should not equal another full meal. Fasting is prescribed on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.

Law of Abstinence: Those who are 14 years of age and older are obliged to observe the law of abstinence. On days of abstinence, those bound by the law abstain from meat. Abstinence is prescribed on all Fridays of Lent and Good Friday.

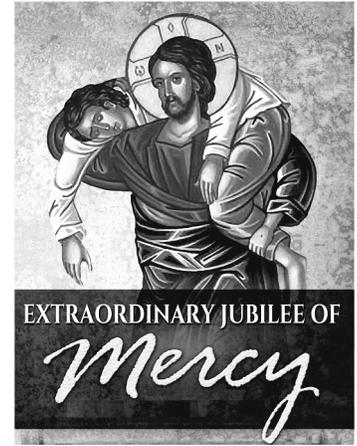
Those who are not obliged to fast or abstain from meat are encouraged to join in those disciplines to the extent that they are able.

NEW WOMEN'S GROUP

Women of Grace is an opportunity for women to explore their dignity as daughters of God and their gift of authentic femininity. It is also a chance for them to experience God's love for them more profoundly, and to "dig deeply" into the wellspring of the spiritual life and the wisdom of Holy Mother Church. Through the study series, women will become equipped to be "lights" in the culture of the day, leading others to the Truth Who is Jesus Christ. The Blessed Virgin Mary is their exemplar and model. Her strength, courage, and maternal love are their inspiration and hope. The Group will meet on the second Sunday of each month at Good Shepherd from 3:00-5:00pm. The first meeting will be 13 March 2016. It is targeted for women ages 15 and up. Please register by 15 February so materials can be ordered. One-time cost \$10. At Saint Stan's, there is a sign-up form in the narthex. At Good Shepherd, there is one next to the Youth Group bulletin board across from the CCD office. Or you can contact Leanne Nelson at 508-989-5868 or lnelsonyg@gmail.com

Respect Life Ministry

The Lord's mercy renders man precious, like a personal treasure that belongs to him, which he safeguards and with which he is well pleased. These are the wonders of divine mercy, which reaches complete fulfillment in the Lord Jesus, in the "new and eternal covenant" consummated in his blood, which annuls our sin with forgiveness and renders us definitively Children of God (cf. 1 Jn 3:1), precious gems in the hands of the good and merciful Father. And as we are Children of God and have the opportunity to receive this legacy — that of goodness and mercy — in comparison to others, let us ask the Lord that in this Year of Mercy we too may do merciful things; let us open our heart[s] in order to reach everyone with the works of mercy, to work the merciful legacy that God the Father showed toward us. ~ Pope Francis, General Audience, Jan. 27, 2016



40 DAYS FOR LIFE™

February 13th: 40 Days for Life Prayer Vigil in Attleboro

The *40 Days for Life* prayer vigil begins February 10 and runs through March 20. You are invited to join Father Johnson, the Respect Life Ministry, and the Youth Ministry at the abortion clinic in Attleboro on February 13. This is the last abortion clinic in the Fall River Diocese. This quiet but powerful witness saves lives. Stay for as long or short a time as you like. We will leave from the Good Shepherd parking lot at 9:30 a.m. Carpooling is available. For more information, please call Anne Joerres (508-678-4815) or Donna Lapointe (401-624-3796).

COLLECTION REPORT

Weekly, \$3,377.56; School, \$1,355; Etc., \$818.
Assessment total so far for January: \$900. Thank you!



CCD & CONFIRMATION II

February Classes: 2/7, 21 & 28.

No class on 2/14.

CONFIRMATION: Wednesday, March 9, at GS.

SUMMER PROGRAM FOR H.S. STUDENTS

The Collegiate Summer Program at Northeast Catholic College in Warner, NH, will take place from Sunday, July 24, to Saturday, August 6. The program is for students entering their sophomore, junior or senior year of high school in the fall of 2016, as well as those who will graduate from high school this June. Participants have the opportunity to study theology, philosophy, literature, and political science, as well as attend daily Mass, and enjoy sports, socials, hiking, canoeing, and day trips. Register today at www.NortheastCatholic.edu. For more information, contact the Admissions Office at (603) 456-2656 or by email to admissions@northeastcatholic.edu.

YOUTH GROUP

- Sun., 2/7 10am-3pm: Mass, CCD, Tutoring & Meeting at GS
- Mon., 2/8 Soup Kitchen at St. Bernadette, 4:45-6:30pm
- Sat., 2/13 Prayer at abortion clinic in Attleboro (leaving GS at 9:30), followed by "Door of Mercy" & Mass at LaSalette
- Sun., 2/14 10am-3pm: Mass/Meeting @ GS
Youth Group Soccer Team practice: 5-7pm, Somerset
- Mon., 2/15 Adoration at GS, 5:30-6:30pm & Meeting from 6:30-8:30 at GS
- Sun., 2/28 10am-3pm: Mass, CCD, Tutoring & Meeting at GS
Providence Bruins Hockey @ 3:00 — \$20/p.p.
- Mon., 2/29 Parish Lenten Retreat (2/29-3/3)

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

WORLD DAY OF THE SICK

Please join us at Saint Anne's Hospital Chapel at 11:30 a.m. on Thursday, Feb. 11, for Holy Mass and Anointing of the Sick. The Most Reverend Bishop Edgar da Cunha, S.D.V., will be the celebrant. The Anointing of the Sick is open to both hospital patients and to people from the community. Take elevator C to the 1st floor and follow the signs.

ST. STAN'S SENIORS

Bus trip to Foxwoods Casino: Thursday, March 3. \$16.00 includes bus fare, gratuity for the driver, free play, and buffet. Open to the public. Bus leaves at 8:30 a.m. Good Shepherd. Adele at (508) 672-0030, Phyllis (508) 676-8378 or Ann at (508) 674-7355.

LAST CALL FOR PROVIDENCE BRUINS TICKETS

Ticket deadline for our parish Bruins night is February 12. Contact Leanne Nelson at lnelsonyg@gmail.com or 508-989-5868. \$20pp includes hat, popcorn and drink for the kids!

PARISH MOVIE NIGHT: "WOODLAWN"

Fri., Feb. 19, at 6:00 p.m. at Good Shepherd Hall
Join us for the true story of the history-making 1973 Woodlawn High School team, a feel good, inspirational story with "well-staged gridiron sequences" and performances that "may manage to lure viewers away from their televised football games." [Hollywood Reporter]. Don't miss it! Both adults and kids (ages 10 and up) will love it. Free admission! The Youth Group will be selling beverages, popcorn and baked goods. For information or to donate a dessert item, contact Leanne Nelson at 508-989-5868 or at lnelsonyg@gmail.com.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Mary (Dube) Seagrave, 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.



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