

**Saturday, August 27**

5:15 p.m. Anna &amp; James Heffernan (Butler Family)

**Sunday, August 28**

10:00 a.m. Rev. Robert S. Kaszynski (Jan)

**Monday, August 29**

7:00 a.m. Orzechowski and Perry Families - (Joanna Perry)

**Tuesday, August 30**

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

**Wednesday, August 31**

7:00 a.m. Walenty Dawicki - (Cousins)

**Thursday, September 1**

No Holy Mass celebrated today

**Friday, September 2**

7:00 a.m. Eugene Galkowski 40th Anniversary -(wife Pat)

**Saturday, September 3**

5:15 p.m. Living and deceased members of the Cichon and Piszcz families (Family)

**Sunday, September 4**

10:00 a.m. People of the Parish

**HOLY ROSARY SODALITY**

**Intention:** For all of the students of our Parish, the students, staff, and parents of our school, and for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious orders.

**MEMORIAL CANDLES**

**Sanctuary:** Walenty Dawicki (Cousins); **Divine Mercy:** Teresa Butler (Birthday Blessings) - Denis & Valli; **O.L.C.:** No Intention; **St. Pope John Paul II:** No Intention

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**COLLECTION REPORT**

Weekly, \$1,652.05; Grotto, \$709; Assumption, \$148 Etc., \$559.  
Thank you!

**PARISH PRAYER INTENTIONS**

Priscilla Barton, MaryJane W., Bill Larson, Mary B., Matt & Cindy Greaney, Edward Couto, Alice Gauthier, Crystal Bedal, Debbie Reid, Ricky Nobrega, Steve Marchand, Rita Cabral, Rebekah Ponte, Kim & Anne Fischer, Beatrice Moniz, Michael Facchini, Rose Facchini, Lois K, Marc, Dennis Griffin, In thanksgiving for all graces and blessings received. To request prayers for a loved one or friend, contact Father Johnson or Leanne Nelson at 508-989-5868.

*From Father Johnson***HOLY MASS**

The very first act of our preparation for this great moment of Eucharistic Sacrifice is the Entrance Hymn or Introit. If the Mass is simple, as on an ordinary weekday, the priest processes in alone or with a server, usually without any singing. For a Sunday Mass, there is a more solemn procession: incense (if used), cross bearer, altar servers, possibly a deacon, and then the priest. And of course, there is music, because this is to be a joyful though solemn celebration. The music is, if possible, a setting of the entrance antiphon, which is given in the missal for every Mass. The text of this antiphon is specially chosen and many have been in place for over a thousand years. If this antiphon cannot be sung, a hymn is chosen which will accord with the feast or the texts of the Mass. Whatever hymn is sung, it should be directed to God and his Saints and not at us. The assembly of the faithful is there to worship the Lord, not itself. (This is a pet peeve of mine about some modern church music!) The procession passes down the center aisle of the church, passing right through the midst of the people as a way of gathering their attention and lifting their hearts for what is to come. We are One Body in Christ. Even those who don't sing well should participate as best they can. God doesn't want or need all opera singers to praise him well.

*Next week: Greeting God.*

**SAINT OF THE WEEK**

**28 August Saint Moses the Black** He was a black Ethiopian who had escaped from slavery, born about 330 AD. A towering man with great strength, he became the leader of a gang that terrorized travelers and landowners around the River Nile. One night, one of Moses' heists was thwarted by a barking sheepdog, and he vowed vengeance. He swam across the river and made off with four sheep. After feasting on them, Moses sold their skins to buy wine and returned to his gang. But everything began to change for Moses when he was forced to hide in the Monastery of Petra, in the desert. He was fascinated by the simple life of the monks and decided to become a monk himself. Seeing his need for reform, Moses dedicated himself to penance, prayer, and hard work. Yet improving his life was not easy, and he grew discouraged. So one day, the abbot brought Moses to the roof of the monastery at sunrise. "Look," he said to Moses, "it takes some time for the light to drive away the darkness. So it is with the soul." When Moses was 75, robbing Berbers attacked the monastery. After helping his brothers to escape, Moses stayed to fight and was slain by the invaders. Many of his sayings are preserved in the sayings of the Desert Fathers. He died in 405. Saint Moses the Black, pray for us!

**FAREWELL!**

Paul and Arlene Cyr are leaving us to move to Florida. THANK YOU, PAUL AND ARLENE! For all you have done for all your parishes over the years, we are so grateful. May the Lord bless you abundantly as you begin this new period in your life. We will all miss you and will be praying that all your plans prosper and are fulfilled in every way. Keep in touch. GODSPEED!



## Respect Life Ministry



In each child, God whispers a new secret to the world;  
adds a new dimension of immortality to creation. ~  
Ven. Fulton J. Sheen

### STORM HEAVEN WITH PRAYER!



Join the Spiritual Crusade to storm Heaven with prayers, particularly the Holy Rosary, on the **first day of each month**. You will be uniting your prayers and intentions to every Rosary Warrior in the world. Join us in forming a Spiritual Army of Rosary Warriors to besiege Heaven with prayer, and to spread the Light of Truth throughout America and the world.

**SPECIAL APPEAL TO ALUMNI AND FRIENDS OF ST. STAN'S SCHOOL:** We are replacing our 10 remaining desktop computers with laptops. This will make our computer lab completely portable. Laptops will be able to be used on a 1-1 student ratio in the classroom. The desktops were donated 8 years ago and have been slowly dying off. The cost of the new laptops is \$250 each, for a total of \$2500. Please consider a tax-deductible donation to help offset the cost. Checks can be made out to St. Stanislaus School. Please be sure to give us your full address so that we can send you a letter for tax purposes. If you would prefer to use a credit card to donate, please call the school office at 508-674-6771 or stop by and the secretary will be happy to help you. Any assistance that you can offer would be deeply appreciated!



*This Sunday, September 11  
3:00 p.m. @ Good Shepherd Hall*

We will be watching chapter 3 and discussing. No workbooks

#### CCD PROGRAM

This program is for all students in grades 1-8 who do not attend a public school. Classes will meet on Sundays from 8:30-9:45 a.m. in the school beginning on Sunday, September 18. Please call Eileen Hadfield at 401-662-7694 to register if your child is new to the program. Please note that Sacramental preparation requires a two-year program, and all students should be registered in first grade.

#### SAINT STAN'S SENIORS

**Bus trip to Foxwoods Casino:** Thurs., Sept. 1. \$16.00 includes bus fare, gratuity for driver, free play & buffet. Open to the public. Bus leaves 8:30 a.m. from Good Shepherd. Phyllis 508-676-8378, Adele 508-672-0030, or Ann 508-674-7355.



Fri., **Sept. 2 @ 7:05 (6)**; Sat., **Sept. 3 @ 6:05 (4)**; Sun., **Sept. 4 @ 6:05 (6)**; Mon., **Sept. 5 @ 1:05 (6)**. These are the final tickets for the season. Contact the Parish Office for tickets!

#### OFFICE FOR CHILD PROTECTION:

**Parenting:** Want to keep your child extra safe? Create a code word for you and your child to be used in a variety of ways. It can be a signal that your child needs to talk to you immediately; it can be the password a trusted adult needs to pick up your child in an emergency; or it can be a code to signal to you that your child is in danger. Practice handling these situations just as you would have family fire drills. Safety is too important to leave to chance!



#### YOUTH GROUP

- 8/28 11am ~ Anniversary Mass & Luncheon @ GS
- 9/9 6:30-8:30 ~ God Squad (Boys)
- 9/10 10:00-11:30 ~ Southpointe
- 9/12 5:30-8:30 ~ SHINE (jr yg) and YIHI Adoration/meeting
- 9/16 6:30-8:30 ~ Beauty in Grace (girls group)
- 9/18 4:00 ~ Vespers @ SS
- 9/19 4:45-6:15 ~ Sacred Heart Soup Kitchen
- 9/23 6:00-9:00 ~ Movie night

#### 2016-2017 SAINT STANISLAUS COUNCIL MEETINGS

All at 6:30 p.m.

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| 9/6/16 Parish Council   | 9/20/16 Finance Council |
| 11/22/16 Parish Council | 12/6/16 Finance Council |
| 2/14/17 Parish Council  | 2/28/17 Finance Council |
| 5/16/17 Parish Council  | 5/30/17 Finance Council |