



Mass Intentions

Saturday, August 6

5:15 p.m. For all in whose memory donations were made to the Festival

Sunday, August 7

10:00 a.m. People of the Parish

Monday, August 8

7:00 a.m. Gregory Homen ~ Birthday Blessings

Tuesday, August 9

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

Wednesday, August 10

7:00 a.m. Arthur Flaherty (Family)

Thursday, August 11

No Holy Mass celebrated today

Friday, August 12

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

Saturday, August 13

5:15 p.m. Living & Deceased of the Cichon & Piszcz Families (Family)

Sunday, August 14

10:00 a.m. People of the Parish

HOLY ROSARY SODALITY

Intention: For the souls in Purgatory, and for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

MEMORIAL CANDLES

Sanctuary: Mrs. Valerie Butler (Her Children); **Divine Mercy:** Walenty Dawicki (Cousins); **O.L.C.:** Adrianna S. Hunter ~ Birthday Blessings (Sean & Mary Anne Portley); **St. Pope John Paul II:** Virgil Medeiros (Family).

FINAL FESTIVAL NET PROFIT: \$21,727.52

Thank you to all!

GOING ON VACATION THIS SUMMER?

Visit www.masstimes.org to find a Mass near you!



THE SECOND GREAT-EST STORY EVER TOLD: DIVINE MERCY

Sundays at 11 a.m. in the hall.

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 Eileen Hadfield at 401-662-7694.

From Father Johnson

THE HOLY OILS

Finally, besides its use in the three sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Holy Orders, the oil called Sacred Chrism is used when a Church is solemnly dedicated and consecrated by the bishop. At one point in the liturgy, he anoints the altar, pouring Chrism on the top of the altar and on each of its four corners. After this, he anoints the walls of the Church in twelve places marked by candles and crosses, symbolizing the twelve apostles who are the twelve pillars of the Heavenly Jerusalem and the Patriarchs of the New Israel, the Church. The Bishop prays, "We now anoint this altar and this building. May God in his power make them holy, visible signs of the mystery of Christ and his Church." Every Church is a holy place because of what happens within its walls; every Church is a holy place because the stones that make up its walls are symbols of us faithful Catholics, who are being built by the Spirit into the Temple of God.

SAINT OF THE WEEK

8 August ~ Saint Mary MacKillop. Mary was born in 1842 to poor Scottish immigrants in Melbourne, Australia. While working as a governess in Penola, she met Father Julian Woods, who was to become her spiritual director and co-founder of a religious order dedicated to the education of the poor. In 1866 they founded the Sisters of Saint Joseph of the Sacred Heart and began their work in a stable. Mary of the Cross – her name in religion – traveled throughout the vastness of Australia to reach the uneducated poor. To her physical sufferings and hardships was added the burden of conflicts with bishops who objected to her running of the new order. In 1871 the Bishop of Adelaide, convinced by malicious tongues of Mary's bad character, excommunicated her and released her sixty sisters from their vows. In the midst of her suffering all this, Mary could still write to Father Woods of the "calm, beautiful presence of God" in her soul. Six months later, on his deathbed, the Bishop revoked the excommunication. Mary lost no time in gathering her scattered sisters to return to their labors. In 1873 she visited Rome and had favorable audiences with Pope Pius IX, who confirmed her work. In her later years, Mary suffered from severe rheumatism; then a stroke made the last four years of her life very difficult. She learned to use her left hand so as to be able to continue to write to her sisters, a correspondence which was often lyrically beautiful. She once wrote, "Believe in the whisperings of God to your heart. Believe in him. Believe in the Spirit of Love." She died, worn out by her labors, in 1909. Saint Mary McKillop, pray for us!

RESPECT LIFE PRAYER INTENTION

For family members, doctors, nurses, healthcare workers, chaplains, religious and lay volunteers who care for the sick; may God grant them strength, wisdom and peace.

GOOD-BYE FOR NOW

Thank you, Ryan Healy, for all you have done for us this summer! Your work, especially with the Youth Group, will never be forgotten. Godspeed!



Respect Life Ministry

The Gospel often shows us the Lord Jesus meeting the sick, embracing them and seeking them out. Jesus is always attentive to them. He looks at them in the same way that a mother looks at her sick child, and he is moved by compassion for them. How I would wish that we Christians could be as close to the sick as Jesus was, in silence, with a caress, with prayer . . . Let us multiply the works of the culture of acceptance, works inspired by Christian love, love for Jesus crucified, for the flesh of Christ. To serve with love and tenderness persons who need our help makes all of us grow in humanity. It opens before us the way to eternal life. Those who engage in works of mercy have no fear of death. ~ *Pope Francis, WYD, Visit to the Children's University Hospital, Krakow, July 29, 2016*



YOUTH

YOUTH GROUP

Mon., 8/8 6:30-8:30PM ~ YIHI meeting
8/12-14 Feast
Sat., 8/13 10:00-11:30am ~ Southpointe
Mon., 8/15 5:30-8:30pm ~ SHINE (Jr. Youth Group) & YIHI Adoration then meeting
Thurs., 8/18 6:30-8:30pm ~ God Squad (boys only)
Fri., 8/19 6:30-8:30pm ~ Beauty in Grace (girls only)
Sun., 8/21 4:00pm ~ Vespers @ SS
Mon., 8/22 8am-11pm ~ Six Flags \$\$
Fri., 8/26 6-9pm ~ Movie Night at GS
Sun., 8/28 11am ~ Anniversary Mass & Luncheon @ GS
Mon., 8/29 6:30-8:30 ~ YIHI meeting
 Contact Leanne Nelson: lnelsonyg@gmail.com or 508-989-5868

SAINT STAN'S SENIORS OFFICERS

All former officers were reinstalled at a banquet at Venus de Milo on July 19.

President:	Phyllis Fortier
Vice President:	Catherine Sutherland
Secretary:	Fernanda Nobrega
Treasurer:	Joseph Zajak
Chaplain:	Arlene Zajak
Officers:	Conrad Fortier William Diskin Gilbert L'Heureux Evelyn Whipp
Roving Officer:	Eleanor L'Heureux

DO YOU KNOW A FAMILY WITH CHILDREN?

Have them take a look at our school website:
www.saintstanislaus.com

GOOD SHEPHERD FEAST

Fri., 8/12 & Sat., 8/13: 5:00-10:00pm/Sun., 8/14: 12:00-7:00pm
 A Fun-Filled Weekend for People of All Ages!

LIVE MUSIC:

Friday: Abbey Rhode (5:30-9:30) / Saturday: Kings Row (7-10)
Sunday: St. Cecilia's Band (12:30) / The Reminisants (2:30-6:30)
 Children's Games & Activities - Crafters - Vendors - Chinese Auction - Raffles - Portuguese Bazaar - Auctions - Games
 PORTUGUESE, AMERICAN & POLISH FOOD
 MALASSADAS ALL WEEKEND!



Wed., Aug. 10 @ 7:05 (6); Thurs., Aug. 11 @ 12:05 (6); Mon, Aug. 22 @ 7:05 (4); 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 your free tickets!

SAINT STAN'S SENIORS

Bus trip to Ogunquit Playhouse in Maine on Thurs., Sept. 15, for a performance of the musical "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers." Stop for lunch at the beautiful Clay Hill Farms for a choice of Chicken Marsala or Baked Haddock with Cracker Crumb Topping. \$120.00 per person, including gratuity for the driver, reserved seating at the Playhouse, dining room gratuity, and taxes. Open to the public. Bus leaves Good Shepherd at 9:30 a.m. and returns at approximately 7:30 p.m. Call Phyllis at (508) 676-8378.

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.

Please join

Father Andrew Johnson in Celebrating his 25th Anniversary of Ordination

21 August ~ 4:00 p.m.

Saint Stanislaus

Solemn Vespers of Our Lady of Czestochowa

Followed Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

28 August ~ 11:00 a.m.

Good Shepherd

Mass of Thanksgiving
 Followed by lunch in the GS parish hall.

Half hour before Mass on 28 August:
 A choral concert at GS with the choirs of both parishes.

