Saint Charles Borromeo



Weekend Masses

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 p.m. Sunday: 9:00 a.m.

Brazilian Mass 12:00 noon

Rev. Adriano Lessa

Weekday Masses

(in the lower-level Chapel) Tuesday - Friday: 9:00 a.m.

Bible Study

Wednesday: 9:30 - 10:15 a.m.

Holy Days

to be announced

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If you are new to the parish, WELCOME!

Please introduce yourself. We want to know you and to serve you. We hope you will favor your parish with your prayers, your presence, your talents and your financial assistance - according to your means.

This Week's Mass Intentions

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| Saturday - May 17 | 4PM - The Champagne family by Molly and family |
| Sunday - May 18 | 9AM - Domenic Gizzarelli by the family |
| Tuesday - May 20 | 9AM - Parishioners of St. Charles |
| Wednesday - May 21 | 9AM - Joe & Francoise Labrecque by the family |
| Thursday - May 22 | 9AM - Mark Kendrick Rutherford by the family |
| Friday - May 23 | 9AM - Aldo F. Rossi & Family by his sisters |
| Saturday - May 24 | 4PM - Rev. Arthur Kane by the family |
| Sunday - May 25 | 9AM - Gerard & Rita Langlois |

Last Weekend's Offertory Offertory Envelopes \$ 3,722.05 Loose Money \$ 390.00 Total \$ 4,112.05

by the family

Scripture for the week of May 18, 2014

| 18 SUN | Acts 6:1-7/1 Pt 2:4-9/Jn 14:1-12 |
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| 19 Mon | Acts 14:5-18/Jn 14:21-26 |
| 20 Tue | Acts 14:19-28/Jn 14:27-31a |
| 21 Wed | Acts 15:1-6/Jn 15:1-8 |
| 22 Thu | Acts 15:7-21/Jn 15:9-11 |
| 23 Fri | Acts 15:22-31/Jn 15:12-17 |
| 24 Sat | Acts 16:1-10/Jn 15:18-21 |

25 SUN

Kindness has converted more people than zeal, science, or eloquence. ~Blessed Teresa of Calcutta

Acts 8:5-8, 14-17/1 Pt 3:15-18/Jn 14:15-21



Although today, Tuesday, the 13th of May, is colder than yesterday, which was in fact if not in date the first day of summer, it is still clear that we are beyond winter. The trees are in bloom. Nature has come back to life, and we are glad. We know that we have gone through a long, cold winter, yet we are also aware of the fact that we have not suffered the terrible disasters which others have suffered in other parts of our country. We support them with our prayers, and we give thanks to God for our own safety this past winter.

We have lost two parishioners in the past week: Olga Peters and Tom Flood. May they now share in the risen Lord's life with the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit!

Here in our lives on earth we are called to anticipate the risen life by living the great commandment of love of God and our neighbor, and the beginnings of this new life are given to us in baptism and then strengthened by our receiving the Lord in the Eucharist. We are happy to share the first reception of the Lord in Holy Communion this Sunday with Albert Boisvert, Eva Perry and Zachary Piette. May the Lord be with them this day and all the days of their lives!

We also want to congratulate Olive Godin who celebrated her 101st Birthday on May 16. May God Bless her!

Father Finnegan, S.J.



Announcements

The **CATHOLIC CHARITY CAMPAIGN** continues. Please help our parish meet its \$26,500. goal! We have now reached \$11,442 - 43.18 % of our goal. If you have not yet contributed or made a pledge, it's not too late. Envelopes are at the church entrances.

SUMMER FUN IS IN MOTION! Mother of Hope Day Camp is accepting registration for your child for a week of Discovery, Creativity and Fun! Mother of Hope (Mater Spei) Camp (MOH) is a coeducational day camp for children ages 5-12 sponsored by the Diocese of Providence. For more than 65 years, thousands of children have experienced camp as a vibrant faith community through fun-filled weeks in a safe and supportive setting. A week at camp provides young people with the opportunity to grow physically, socially, and spiritually in a Christian community under the guidance of a trained and caring staff. Children of all backgrounds and religions are welcome. Open House— Sunday, May 18 from 1-4PM. Please visit website register information: or for more www.motherofhopecamp.com See post cards at church entrances.

RENEWAL - A documentary film of stories from America's Religious-Environmental Movement at St. John Vianney Parish, 3609 Diamond Hill Rd., Cumberland, on Thursday, May 15 - 6:30 -8:30PM. Free will offering for event. People of faith are standing up for the environment says veteran film producers Marty Ostrow and Terry Kay Rockefeller who created the 90 minute film. They were inspired by the religious groups that are striving to protect life on our planet and reverse the damage that humans have done to the environment. Contact New Dawn Earth Center in Cumberland, RI to register (401)333-1341 or email: newdawn@mercyecology.org Visit website: mercyecology.org

ST. MICHAEL UKRAINIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH, 24 Harris Ave. Woonsocket, is hosting a "DRINK AND DABBLE - PAINT WHILE YOU PARTY - THEN BRING YOUR MASTERPIECE HOME" to benefit the church's Fire Restoration Fund. Cost: \$40 includes all supplies, coffee & pastry. Beer and Wine Cash Bar available. When: Friday, June 6, 6:30PM. For tickets or more info, call Chris (401) 765-1410 or visit www.drinkanddabble.com (calendar)

Upcoming Mini-Retreat LaSalette Retreat Center, Attleboro, MA on May 20: Honoring Our Mothers, Loving Ourselves

Regardless of how healthy or wounded a mother is, the child receives many gifts from her, though perhaps they come in disguise. May is an appropriate month to reflect on the role our own mother has played in our lives and to recognize these gifts. To honor our mother is to actually love ourselves because our mother has contributed significantly to the person we have become today.

Each mini-retreat begins 10:00AM and ends 12:30PM and costs \$20. Pre-registration required. Contact Peggy at 508-548-9149 or timeoutretreats@comcast.net. For more information and retreat descriptions, visit www.timeoutretreats.com.

ITALIAN FESTIVAL - St. Alexander's Church Grounds, 221 Main Street, Warren, RI on Friday, June 20 - 6 to 10PM, and Saturday, June 21—5 to 10PM. (Rain date: Sunday, June 22, 4 to 8PM. Italian foods, Games of Chance, Children's Games, Raffles, Fun for the whole family, Free Parking, Music, Free Admission.



PRAYING TOWARDS SUNDAY'S GOSPEL

John 14: 1-12

"If you know me, then you will also know my Father."

Why did you spend your life on us? To fuse us all as one in you, as we seek the Father?

O Christ, show us the way: your truth and your life!

With joy, we ask you, wrap us up

within yourself! Transport us to the Father.

Wherever you abide, that is the place we always want to be—circling in eternal self-giving love,

always with you, with our and your Father and your kind gift, the Holy Spirit.

Sacrament of Baptism

Please call the rectory after your baby's birth to prepare for this initial Sacrament of spiritual life.

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

Confessions are available on Saturdays 3:00 to 3:30 p.m. or by appointment.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Please call the rectory at least six months prior to the date of your wedding.

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick (and Communion Calls)





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