

Mary, Mother of Hope Parish Community

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September 9, 2018



Lord's Day Masses

Saturday: 4:00 PM

Sunday: 8:00, 10:00 (Interpreted Mass for the Deaf) and 11:30 AM

Weekday Masses

Mon., Tues., Weds., Fri., Sat.: 9:00 AM

Thursdays, Communion Service 9:00 AM

Recitation of the Rosary

Monday—Saturday: 8:35 AM

Perpetual Novena to St. Peregrine

Monday Evenings 5:30 PM (Mass)

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Friday 9:30 AM to 10:30 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 8:00-8:45 AM, 3:00—3:30 PM

Sacrament of Baptism

Third Sunday of every other month, for dates.
And information call the rectory.

Sacrament of Marriage

Call the Rectory as soon as possible, at least one year in advance

Parish Staff

Fr. Michael Wood, Administrator

Rev. Donatus Ironuma, In Residence

Deacon Al Mutti

Deacon Gerry Campion

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Christopher Gosselin, Director of Music

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Office Hours

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and

Friday 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

Office Closed Thursdays

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If you are new in the Parish, please introduce yourself after Mass or at the Rectory.

We want to know and serve you. We hope you will favor your Parish with your prayers,
your presence, your time, talent and treasure

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Please pray for all who have died.

Saturday, September 8

9:00 AM Richard Bourdeau (Birthday Remembrance) req. by his Family

4:00 PM Fred Krampits req. by Jean & Rick Krampits

Sunday, September 9

8:00 AM Angelo Stack (7th Anniv.) req. by his Family

10:00AM Michael Rancitelli (On Grandparents Day) req. by his grandchildren Gianna & Caleb

11:30AM Leo & Hazel Grevais & Adrienne Martin req. by their Granddaughter

Monday, September 10

9:00 AM Carol Luchette (5th Anniv.) req. by Lil & Ted Bigda

5:30 PM Novena & Mass

Tuesday, September 11

9:00 AM Eunice Siano req. by her Children

Wednesday, September 12

9:00 AM Tom Kelley (5th Anniv.) req. by Priscilla and Jessica

Thursday, September 13

9:00 AM **Communion Service**

Friday, September 14

9:00 AM William Graham (Birthday Remembrance) req. by his Wife

Saturday, September 15

9:00 AM Lillian Godbout (Birthday Remembrance) req. by Madeleine & Cheryl

4:00 PM Lucien Paquette (7th Anniv.) req. by his Wife & Family

Sunday, September 16

8:00 AM Chris Mauri req. by his Family

10:00AM Daniel Girard (Birthday Remembrance) req. by his Family

11:30AM Francis Cerutti & Beverly Cerutti req. by Victor Cerutti & Geraldine Roy

Sanctuary Candle Memorial: The Sanctuary candle will burn for your intention for a 2 week period. The suggested donation is \$20 for the two weeks. This is a wonderful way to offer your intentions to our Lord as they stay lit next to His Real Presence in the Tabernacle.



THE SANCTUARY CANDLE

will burn from 09/01/18 to 09/14/18:

In Loving Memory Of
Richard Bourdeau
From his Family

PLEASE NOTE: Tickets are on sale for our picnic which will be held on Sunday, September 16th THIS IS THE LAST WEEKEND TO BUY TICKETS SEPT. 8/9 after all Masses!!!!

WELCOME BACK !!!

Religious Education Classes will begin on the following dates

Levels K 1, 2,3, 4 :Sunday, September 9 @ 8:45 AM
Levels 5, 6,7,8: Sunday, September 23 @ 11:00 AM
Levels 9, 10, 11: Sunday, September 9 @ 9:45 AM

TEXTBOOKS WILL BE DISTRIBUTED THE FIRST DAY OF CLASS

Meetings with the of Parents for FIRST EUCHARIST & CONFIRMATION
It is very important that at least one parent attend.

FIRST EUCHARIST PARENTS
Sunday, September 9th @ 9AM (Parish Meeting Room)

CONFIRMATION PARENTS
Sunday, September 9 @ 10:45 AM (Classrooms 7 & 8)

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 16TH 10 AM MASS

“CATECHETICAL SUNDAY”

(This will be the Enrollment Mass for 1st Eucharist & Confirmation Students.

Parents, Grandparents, Students, Catechists & Friends, Come celebrate the vocation of Catechesis.

Refreshments will be provided after Mass!

WELCOME

We extend a loving and prayerful welcome to **Reverend Michael Wood**, our new Administrator, who joined the Family of Mary, Mother of Hope last weekend. May God's guidance and love direct you, **Fr. Wood** and **all of us** as we believe and work together. **Good Luck and God Bless You!**

ATTENTION MEMBERS OF THE PARISH COUNCIL

There will be a Parish Council Meeting on Monday, September 10, 2018 at 7:00 PM. Please make every effort to be there as it is our first meeting for the new Calendar year. Spiritual Life will meet at 6:30 PM. We appreciate your time and dedication to this Ministry. Thank You.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!!!

Coffee & donuts will start on September 9, 2018. We need some volunteers who would be willing to help pick up the donuts, serve the donuts & clean up.

We have a volunteer to set up the coffee and start it. If we get enough volunteers, you would only have to do it 2 or 3 times for the whole season. Please call Tracy at 413 636-3187 or Mary at 413 885-3088.

CATHOLICS FOR THE UNBORN Please join Catholics for the Unborn for a pro-life vigil on Thursday, September 13th at 10:00 AM in the Holy Spirit Chapel, St. Michael's Cathedral in Springfield. The vigil begins with Exposition, Recitation of the Rosary, the Divine Mercy Chaplet then Adoration. At 12 noon there will be Benediction followed by Dailey Mass. Please support our efforts to protect innocent unborn life through prayer. For more information call Marilyn at 567-6085.

HELP NEEDED: On Friday September 14th we will be cleaning out the garage and can use some volunteers. also putting up the tents on Saturday Sept. 15th at 9:30 and taking the tents down on Sunday, Sept. 16th at 4:30 PM. These tents are large and the more help the better!!! As always thank you for your help!

Parish Picnic Sunday, September 16, 2018

MEALS SERVED FROM 12:30PM TO 3PM

ACTIVITIES and FUN FOR ALL AGES

MUSIC BY Chris Rivers, ZIPPY THE CLOWN

ARCADE ON WHEELS, POWER WHEELS-BATTERY OPERATED CARS & BOUNCE HOUSE

LOTTO TREE, 50/50 RAFFLE & BINGO

CORN HOLE GAME NEW THIS YEAR

****DINNERS ARE CATERED BY PARTNERS RESTAURANT THEREFORE ALL DINNER TICKETS MUST BE BOUGHT BY 9/11/18****

NO MEALS SERVED AFTER 3:00 pm

*****MENU*****

HOTDOG & HAMBURGER/CHEESEBURGER DINNER \$7 SERVED WITH CHIPS, CORN ON THE COB & WATERMELON(CHILDREN UNDER 12 \$5.00, FOR HOT DOG OR HAMBURGER OR CHEESEBURGER)

1/2 CHICKEN \$8 SERVED WITH

1 EAR CORN, BAKED POTATO & WATERMELON VEGGIE BURGER SERVED WITH CHIPS, CORN ON THE COB & WATERMELON \$6.00

****PURCHASE YOUR TICKET AFTER THIS WEEKEND MASSES****

THERE WILL BE HOT DOGS & HAMBURGERS AVAILABLE AS WELL AS OTHER FOOD ITEMS AT THE CONCESSIONS FROM 12:30—3:00 p.m

Chairpersons: Paul Hebert & John Koski

MEETINGS/EVENTS @ MARY MOTHER OF HOPE

Sept 9 Coffee & donuts
Sept 9 Rel Educ. Levels K-4 8:45 AM
Sept 9 Rel Educ. Levels 9-11 9:45 AM
Sept 10 St. Peregrine Novena Mass 5:30 PM
Sept 10 Parish Council 7 PM
Sept 10 Spiritual Life 6:30 PM
Sept 12 Crafts 9:30 AM
Sept 14 Clean Garage 9:30 AM
Sept 14 Adoration 9: 30-10:30 AM
Sept 15 Set up for picnic 9:30 AM
Sept 15 Confessions 8-8:45 AM & 3-3:30 PM

SAVE THE DATES!! OCTOBER 22, 23, 24 2018

The Greater Holyoke Deanery invites you to: COME ALIVE, During this FREE 3—NIGHT MISSION.

Look for more info this Fall, 6:30 PM music 7-8 speaker. Blessed Sacrament Holyoke.

AREA EVENTS

MMOH TRIPS SEPT. 27: Enjoy the music of **ANDREW LLOYD WEBBER** at the Chez Josef, Agawam, after a delicious luncheon (choice of Burgundy Beef Brisket or Chicken Marsala). **Doors open at 11:15 Am, this is a SELF DRIVE EVENT.\$62PP.** On October 28th : **A “CHICAGO TRIBUTE” AT THE** Log Cabin, Holyoke. Doors open at 11:30 AM after a luncheon (Yankee Pot Roast and Baked Scrod) followed by **entertainment. This is a self-drive event. \$55pp.** November 13th **“BUDDY & BEYOND”** (the Buddy Holy Story) will be presented at the K of C on Memorial Dr., Chicopee. Doors open at 11:30 AM. Luncheon prior to the show. (Choice of Roasted Salmon or Sliced Sirloin of Beef). Self Drive. \$49pp.Call Sylvia for information on all the trips at 594-2757

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS REGISTRATIONS are now being accepted for school year 2018-2019 at:

St. Stanislaus, Chicopee, MA, for more information call 592-5135. St. Michael's Academy, Springfield, MA for more information call 782-5246. St. Joan of Arc School, Chicopee MA for more information call 533-1475

SCOTT HAHN, Saturday, Sept. 15, at St. Mary's Church, Lynn MA from 9AM—3:30 PM. A convert from Presbyterianism, popular Catholic apologist, contemporary author and theologian, also an accredited public speaker and has appeared several times on EWTN. The popular works of Scott Hahn are dedicated to the biblical education of Catholics. Tickets are \$25pp, you can get your tickets by calling St. Mary's at 781 598-4907 or email Chris Carmody at ccarmody@lynncatholic.org

IRISH LANGUAGE CLASSES FOR FALL 2018 Irish language classes offered by the Irish Cultural Center of Western New England and Elms College begin late August/early September with a range of levels including beginner. For class times, cost and more info on enrolling visit our website www.IrishCenterwne.org or call 413 265-2314

HOLYOKE VNA HOSPICE is looking for volunteers to provide companionship and respite to their patients and families. Volunteers can serve as a quiet presence while a caregiver takes a break; they can keep vigil with a person at the end of life; they can be a wonderful companion to someone in a skilled nursing facility. The training will be held on four consecutive Fridays in September/October. The training is free to participants. Space is limited. Contact Jennifer Walz at 533-3923 or jkielbasa@holyokevna.org to begin the application process.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION: Texas Road House Restaurant 300 Cooley St. Spfld (offer not available at other Texas Roadhouse) has a program for the Parish to receive 10 % of your check **Sundays from 11:30 AM—3:00 PM only.** Bring a bulletin with you.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER: Let Jesus heal any disappointments in your marriage by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Weekends are Sept. 15-16, 2018 in Medway, MA and Dec. 7-9, 2018 in Duxbury, MA . For more information, call Stephen & Michelle O'Leary at 800 710-9963.or visit them at <http://www.mema.org/>.

WEEKLY REPORT SEPTEMBER 01/02 2018

TOTAL NUMBER OF ENV. 312

ENV. \$5986. LOOSE MONEY \$324 TOTAL \$6310

CATHOLIC UNIV. \$401.00