

ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 15

4:30pm James Deluca, Sr.
Requested by family

Sunday, June 16

8:00am Mary & Nelson Burke
Requested by Pat Vallette
10:00am Dominick and Mary D'Attilio
Requested by Michael & Elizabeth D'Attilio
12:00NN Charles Fantoni
Requested by family

Monday, June 17

7:00am Michael Posillo
Requested by family

Tuesday, June 18

7:00am Sonny Goodwin
Requested by Daughter Kathy Cawley

Wednesday, June 19

7:00am Mass for the People

Thursday, June 20

7:00am Antonio LaRoche
Requested by Caroline Salvatore

Friday, June 21

7:00am Edward Cooney
Requested by Social Outreach

Saturday, June 22

4:30pm Joseph & Gilda Boragine
Requested by family

Sunday, June 23

8:00am Robin Lombardi Harris
Requested by Vivian Lombardi
10:00am Emma Gendron
Requested by daughter
12:00NN MaryAnn Maciocio
Requested by family



St. Romuald Chapel Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 15

5:30pm Alfred & Philomena Arbolino
Requested by Joe and Margie Mancini

Sunday, June 16

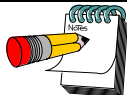
8:00am Grace & John Carpinelli
Requested by family
10:00am Michael & Kay Fahey
Requested by a friend

Saturday, June 22

5:30pm Francis Goodwin
Requested by family

Sunday, June 23

8:00am Thomas and Edward McLaughlin
Requested by family
10:00am Nina and Lou Argondizzo
Requested by Kathleen Dwyer



For Your Information

SANCTUARY LAMP

This week's sanctuary lamp at St. Francis Church burns in memory of James Smith.

FOOD OF THE MONTH

Peanut butter, jelly and lunch snacks.

BAPTIZED INTO GOD'S FAMILY

Congratulations to the proud parents and godparents of Zachary Robert Clune, Lumen Isabella Merrick and Quinn Dorothy Wray who were baptized by Monsignor Theroux on June 2nd at St. Francis. Your parish family rejoices with you.

LAST CALL FOR TUITION ASSISTANCE

Parents wishing to send their children to Catholic Elementary School grades K-8, who are in need of parish financial assistance, please get your tuition assistance forms into the parish office this week. Award letters will be mailed out by the end of the week. We cannot help you if we don't know you are in need. Please get those forms in. Thank you.

CELEBRATE THE FEAST OF SAINT ROMUALD!

Join us at St. Romuald Chapel for a special holy hour and talk this Wednesday, June 19th from 6-7:00PM. Refreshments to follow.



2013 PARISH
CATHOLIC CHARITY GOAL
\$103,000

Donations received to date:
\$94,666.00
92% of goal

PARISH SUPPORT— June 9th

Weekly Support		June 9th
Budget envelopes used (343)	-	\$6,981.00
Loose Donations	-	\$1,265.00
Online Giving (# of donors 24)	-	<u>\$ 570.00</u>
Total Budget	-	\$8,816.00

Catholic Communications Offering

Budget Envelopes used (175)	-	\$1,567.00
Other donations	-	<u>\$582.00</u>
Total Monthly Offering	-	\$2,149.00

This weekend's second offering is the Ongoing Maintenance Fund Offering for June.

Next weekend's second offering will be the Mission Co-op Offering. We'll be visited by the Religious Teachers Filippini and will hear all about their special mission.

As always, thank you for your continued generosity.

JUNE 16, 2013

From the Pastor...

It's **graduation time** again and a number of young men and women of our parish are graduating from High School and College. On behalf of the parish, I offer our **congratulations and best wishes**. Please join me in praying for their continued success in future endeavors, whether it be further education, military service or the work-world. Father Joe and I sincerely hope that they will stay connected with our parish community or, if they are moving away, seek out a parish that they can call their spiritual home. Whatever the future holds, our Catholic faith is a source of strength and guidance and will always contribute to personal fulfillment and success!

In connection with graduation, last weekend the **St. Francis Women's Club** announced the recipients of their scholarship awards. This year the \$1,000.00 scholarships will go to **Mary Kate Clossick and Sheamus O'Rourke**. Our Women's Club assists the parish in many ways, but this is a particularly generous and notable initiative on their part. Thanks to all who work together to make it possible.

Every year, all the parishes in the Diocese of Providence participate in a **Mission Cooperative Program** to offer prayer and financial assistance to the missionary efforts of our Church throughout the world. This year, the designated mission appeal for our parish is to benefit **the missions of the Religious Teachers Filippini**. Next weekend, **June 22-23, Sister Angelina Giramma, M.P.F. will be here** to speak at all the Masses at the church. There will be a second collection taken at all the Masses (including St. Romuald Chapel) for this mission. Please note that there is no envelope in your budget packets for this collection. You may simply place your loose donation in cash or check made out to St. Francis Parish in the collection basket. I look forward to welcoming Sister Angelina and I know that you will respond with your customary generosity.

Msgr. Theroux



An Office of Immense Love: A Call for New Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

We are in need of Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion to help the priests and deacon distribute Holy Communion at Mass. Please prayerfully consider assisting your parish and Our Lord in this important ministry.

If you are interested, please call Deacon Paul Iacono at 782-6129 to schedule a brief meeting and review of the rubrics. Thank you very much.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION



Registration for 2013/2014 Religious Education Classes is now open. Any families new to our parish need to register their children for fall classes. Our First Communion program is a two year formation registration for public school students starting in Grade 1. Catholic School elementary students must register if they are entering Grade 2.

Confirmation registration is required for those new students or Catholic school students who will be entering Grade 9 this Fall.

Students currently enrolled in the program DO NOT need to re-register.



This Week

Sunday, June 16

5:30-7pm PRAISE! Rehearsal

7:00pm AA (HBH)

Tuesday, June 18

7:45am Finance Council Mtg. (MCCR)

Wednesday, June 19

FEAST OF SAINT ROMUALD

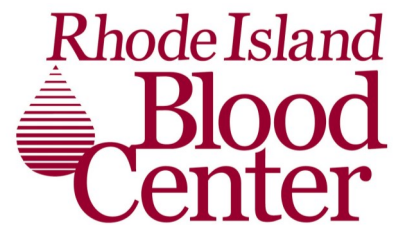
6:00pm Holy Hour with talk followed by refreshments (SR)

Thursday, June 20

2:00pm Mass at Brightview Commons

6:00pm Catechists' Cookout (FGC)

7:00pm Men of St. Joseph (Upper Room)



The Blood Drive at Saint Romuald Chapel last weekend produced 5 donors with a potential of helping up to 15 people in Rhode Island. **Let's do even better on August 4th** when both church and chapel will host another blood drive. Mark your calendars and plan on giving the gift of life. THANK YOU.





Strawberry Social Thursday, June 27

5:30-8:00pm

Wakefield Baptist Church
236 Main St., Wakefield



to Benefit Welcome House
Ice Cream & Berries, Shortcake & more!
Silent Auction—Music

SPONSORING CHURCHES: St. Francis of Assisi,
Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd, Kingston
Congregational, Peace Dale Congregational, Christ United
Methodist, Wakefield Baptist.

**\$5 per
person**



Teaching Hoops

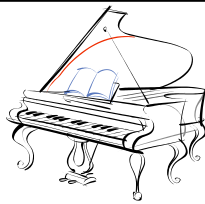
Summer Camp at
Saint Raphael's Academy,
Pawtucket, RI

When: July 8-12
Hours: 8:30am—3:30pm
\$185 fee per week.

If you are interested or have any questions,
please contact Bill Black, Camp Director at (401)
575-8849 or email: teachinghoops@yahoo.com.

Summer Concert

Featuring **John Tafone** w/accompaniment
IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH
114 HIGH STREET, WESTERLY, RI
Sunday, June 30th at 4:00pm
Admission is FREE.



LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR PAW SOX FAMILY FUN DAY

SUNDAY, JULY 28, 2013 — PawSox vs Lehigh Valley Iron Pigs
All you can eat BBQ from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., Game starts at 1:05 p.m.

Join us for a fun-filled day at McCoy Stadium. Starting with an all you can eat BBQ including hamburgers, hot dogs, chicken, salads, potato chips, ice cream, lemonade, and then enjoy baseball fun!

Enter a drawing to throw out the first pitch! One lucky attendee of the Little Sisters of the Poor PawSox Family Fun Day will be selected to throw out the First Pitch.

Donation — \$25 for adults, \$15 for children under 12. All proceeds benefit the Little Sisters of the Poor.

To purchase tickets, return order form in enclosed envelope or mail to the address below or order online at www.littlesistersofthepoorpawtucket.org or call 401-305-4001.



20 WEEK CLUB WINNERS:

WINNERS OF THE TWO
WEEK FOUR DRAWINGS OF \$25.00:
#115—KATHLEEN PUCHALLA
#334—SUE & GREG HARTNETT

CONGRATULATIONS!

Please call Jean McGair at 783-1633, Ellen Schwab at 789-7707 or stop by the parish office to get your tickets.

Weekly Drawings of \$25 x (2)
GRAND DRAWING PRIZES:
\$1,500; \$1,000; \$500 (2); \$400 (4)

Tickets \$5/week or \$100 Full PAID Membership



Vacation Bible School Save the Date

Spend a whole week learning more about Mary, the QUEEN of heaven, and how she leads us closer to her son, Jesus, our KING. Kids will also learn the importance of making Jesus KING of their lives through mini faith lessons, great music, exciting games, creative crafts, yummy snacks, action songs, skits and more!

Vacation Bible School is for children entering grades K-4 and will be held here at St Francis: August 5-9 from 8:30-11:30am.

Registration forms may be found outside the Religious Ed. Office in the lower church or we can email them to you - just ask: Call 792-8684. Cost is \$45.00 per child.

For more information you can visit:

www.catchat.ca/vacation-bible-school

If you are a middle school or high school student and would like to help with our Cool Kingdom Party just call Mrs. Cullen or Mrs. Castro in the Religious Ed. Office at 792-8684 and let us know!

Happy
Father's
Day