

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 18

4:30pm Robert Wilson

Requested by Concetta Wilson

Sunday, June 19

9:00am Robert Brown

Requested by wife

11:00am James Denbow

Requested by wife and children

Monday, June 20

7:00am Michael Posillo

Requested by family

Tuesday, June 21

7:00am Mass for the people

Wednesday, June 22

7:00am Sonny Goodwin

Requested by Kathy Cawley

Thursday, June 23

7:00am Joan Fortin

Requested by Diane and Ed Rudegeair

Friday, June 24

7:00am Ginny Peters

Requested by Rick & Liz Soltysiak

Saturday, June 25

4:30pm Mary and Nelson Burke

Requested by family

Sunday, June 26

9:00am Perpetual Mass Association Members

11:00am James and Marie Gallant

Requested by family



St. Romuald Chapel Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 18

5:30pm John, Terrence and Elizabeth Simpson

Requested by Renny and family

Sunday, June 19

8:00am John Estes

Requested by family

10:00am Michael & Kay Fahey

Requested by a friend

Saturday, June 25

5:30pm Daniel Fenaughty

Requested by James Corcoran

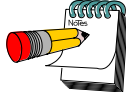
Sunday, June 26

8:00am Tyrrell family

Requested by family

10:00am Janie Caporelli

Requested by family



For Your Information

SANCTUARY LAMP

The sanctuary lamp at St. Francis Church burns in memory of James Smith.

CALL US IF YOU'D LIKE YOUR LOVED ONE VISITED

At a time when our family, friends, and neighbors are dealing with difficulties, St. Francis wants you to remember our parish's community outreach services. Please reflect on those who are unable to attend Mass because of advanced age, handicaps, or illness and call us to arrange a visit at 401-783-4411.

A WORD OF THANKS

Dear friends from St. Romuald Chapel and St. Francis of Assisi Church, Thank you all for the prayers and cards of cheer I received during my recovery from total knee surgery. I seem to be healing well and P.T. is winding down.

I look forward to seeing all of you at our summer activities. Again sincere thanks with a little prayer:

*May the Lord bless us; May he keep away all evil;
and may he lead us to eternal life.*

God bless,

Bill Harding, OSB/CAM Oblate



Just a REMINDER:

Our Practice for St. Francis of Assisi **First Family Mass** will be at 11:30a.m. after Vacation Bible School on June 23rd, Thursday. SEE YOU THERE!!

PARISH SUPPORT

Weekly Support

Budget envelopes used (258)	-	<u>\$6,651.00</u>
Loose Donations	-	\$ 1,794.00
Online Giving (# of donors -64)	-	<u>\$ 1,598.50</u>
Total Budget	-	\$10,043.50

Catholic Communications

Envelopes used (130)	-	\$1,465.50
Other Donations	-	<u>\$ 463.00</u>
Total Monthly	-	\$1,928.50

This weekend's second offering is the Ongoing Maintenance fund offering. Next weekend we'll be visited by Father Tony Palazzolo from Food for the Poor. There will not be a second collection but if you feel called to donate, envelopes will be at the entrances of the church and chapel.

DID YOU KNOW?...

That the parish awarded \$38,000 in financial assistance this fiscal year toward tuition for parishioners attending Catholic Schools and another \$9,810 went to kids outside the parish who are in need?

As always, thank you for your continued generosity.

JUNE 19, 2016

From the Pastor

Summer is upon us. School is out and families have adjusted their schedules accordingly. Here in the parish, Religious Education in the lower grades has ended but the life of the parish goes on apace. The Vacation Bible School, always fun for the children and for the teachers and their aides, will run on the mornings of this week from Tuesday through Friday. The first week of confirmation catechesis will take place from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. the week of June 26. The first Family Mass of the summer will be held next Saturday, June 26 at 4:30. Also, next weekend the ever-popular Fr. Tony Palazzolo from Food for the Poor will speak at the Family Mass about his experience as an American priest in a Caribbean country, and then at the chapel Masses on Sunday.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will continue every Monday from 7:30 a.m., except for holidays and if there's a funeral. We close with Benediction at noon. If you have a little time, drop by and join in the silent adoration for as long as you wish. It's also a most favored opportunity for prayers of petition and intercession. We can certainly pray for our world, so troubled by violence and anger.

This just in after the above was written: Bishop Tobin has asked for prayers for the casualties of the shootings in Orlando. I had planned to include them anyway in the Prayer of the Faithful but am glad to hear from the Bishop as well.

Fr. Bodah



**JOIN US FOR COFFEE 'N
THE WEEKEND OF JULY 2/3
FOLLOWING ALL MASSES AT
ST. ROMUALD CHAPEL
WELCOME BACK OUR
SUMMER PARISHIONERS!
FOOD ... FRIENDS... FELLOWSHIP
ALL ARE INVITED!**

June 19th is the FEAST OF SAINT ROMUALD

St. Romuald was born in Ravenna of a noble family. Founder of the Camaldolese monks — one of the Italian branches of the Benedictines — in which the eremitical life is combined with life in community. He died on June 19, 1027, after a life of prayer and rigorous penance. Romuald was known for saying, *"Better to pray one psalm with devotion and compunction than a hundred with distraction."* ~ Saint Romuald, **pray for us!**



This Week

Sunday, June 19

Bake Sale after all Masses at St. Romuald Chapel to benefit our youths going to Steubenville East

Monday, June 20

7:30am-12nn Adoration (SF)
12:30-3pm VBS **Workshop** (HBH)
6:30pm Event Committee Mtg (HBH)

Tuesday, June 21

8:30-11:30am—Vacation Bible School

Wednesday, June 22

8:30-11:30am—Vacation Bible School
4:15pm Family Singing Group Practice (FGC)

Thursday, June 23

8:30-11:30am—Vacation Bible School
7:00pm Men of St. Joseph (↓FGC)

Friday, June 24

8:30-11:30am—Vacation Bible School (FGC)

Saturday, June 25

4:30pm Family Mass at St. Francis
Fr. Tony Palazzolo, Food for the Poor to speak at 4:30 Mass at St. Francis and at all Masses at St. Romuald Chapel.

We are all one ...

Brothers and sisters: Through faith you are all children of God in Christ Jesus. For all of you who were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ. There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free person, there is not male and female; for you are all one in Christ Jesus. And if you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's children, heirs according to the promise.

~ Galatians 3:26-29

HOLY HOUR FOR VOCATIONS and PRIESTHOOD ORDINATIONS



On the eve of ordinations to the priesthood, please join the ordinandi for a Holy Hour for Vocations on Friday, June 24, 2016 at 7:00 PM at the Our Lady of Mercy Church, 65 Third St., East Greenwich.

The Most Reverend Robert C. Evans., D.D., J.C.L., Auxiliary Bishop of Providence, will preside and Rev. Joseph R. Upton, Chaplain of The Prout School and URI will be the homilist.

Please join us in prayer for priestly vocations. On Saturday, June 25, 2016, please join us for the Priesthood Ordination of Rev. Mr. Nathan J. Ricci and Rev. Mr. Jorge V. Rocha at the Cathedral of SS. Peter and Paul, Providence at 10:00 AM with the Most Reverend Thomas J. Tobin, D.D., Bishop of Providence, presiding.

All are invited to join in these celebrations.



Beginning
THURSDAY, JULY 14
LIFE IN THE HOLY SPIRIT SEMINARS
at St. Thomas More Parish, Narragansett
from 6:30pm to 8:30pm

All are welcome to attend the seminars even if you have attended them in the past. There is always something new to learn.

We will learn how the fullness of the HOLY SPIRIT works in our everyday life.

Please call 364-7214 to register or call if you have any questions.



Vacation Bible School begins Tuesday, June 21st from 8:30-11:30 and runs until Friday June 24th. We have space available for your child in grades K-4.

Cost is \$40.00 and includes music CD, arts and crafts, Saints cards, gaining knowledge about our Catholic faith and a fun filled morning!! Call the Rel Ed Office to register: 792-8684.



A BIG THANK YOU to all the parishioners who supported our Youth Car Wash on Saturday, June 4th. Over 20 kids from the parish who will be attending the Steubenville Conference were in attendance and a total of \$850.00 was raised. Thanks, too, to the chaperones who all worked hard – Sue Corner, Sue Williams, Brian Krafton and Joe Clossick. It was a great day all around! **The kids had a BLAST!**

COMING SOON!
Family Mass
Saturdays at 4:30 p.m.
June 25th, July 23rd and August 20th

WHAT TO EXPECT:



- 'outh Lectors
- 'outh Ushers & Greeters
- 'outh Readers of the Prayers of the Faithful
- 'outh Praise and Children's Chorus
- g after Mass in

St. Greenhall Hall

Pizza & Snack Foods; Activities; Fellowship

EVERYONE'S INVITED:
FROM THE *YOUNG IN BODY*
TO THE *YOUNG AT HEART!*



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www.stfranciswakefield.com
to sign up!