TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 18

4:30pm Rose Calitri

Requested by family

Sunday, October 19

8:00am Edward J. Pastore, Ph.D. Requested by family

10:00am Patricia Keenan

Requested by the Rudegeairs

12NN Michael Tierney

Requested by family

Monday, October 20

7:00am Samuel Kelley

Requested by Ernie Cafolla

Tuesday, October 21

7:00am Clementina Birch Requested by family

Wednesday, October 22

7:00am Carol Meenan

Requested by Viola Card

Thursday, October 23

7:00am Mass for the People

Friday, October 24

7:00am Michael Posillo

Requested by family

Saturday, October 25

4:30pm Ursula Duffy

Requested by husband John

Sunday, October 26

8:00am Special Intention

Requested by a friend

10:00am Mary Ann & Charles Farrell

Requested by family

12:00NN Marion and Joseph Cappuccio Requested by family



St. Romuald Chapel Mass Intentions

Sunday, October 19

10:00am Walter and Madeline Johansen

Requested by Jude and Bob

Sunday, October 26

10:00am Susan Marchand Requested by family



For Your Information

SANCTUARY LAMP

This week's sanctuary lamp at St. Francis Church burns in memory of Rose Calitri.

GENESIS BIBLE STUDY

Bible study meets on Tuesday evening, October 21st @ 7pm in Fr. Greenan Center. Classes will run till 9:00 pm. We are studying the Book of Genesis, Ignatius Bible Study. New comers welcome! Study books are available for purchase at the Bible Study or the parish office. Any questions call Vicky Montani at 401-580-2736.

TRUTH, GOODNESS, AND BEAUTY: a Catholic event

When: Saturday, November 1, 2014, 11:00am - 3:00pm Where: Cathedral of Saints Peter & Paul (Providence)

Sponsor: Servants of Christ for Life

Truth: Dr. Peter Kreeft, prominent author, speaker, and professor of philosophy at Boston College will talk about his conversion to Catholicism.

<u>Goodness</u>: *The 40 Film*: a pro-life documentary that investigates America forty years after Roe v. Wade will be shown.

Beauty: Listen to sacred polyphony music. Also, various Catholic artists will be displaying their art in the church hall. Food and refreshments in the church hall.

Tickets are \$25 and can be purchased at CatholicEvent.eventbrite.com or by calling Tyler Rowley at 401.290.7201. All proceeds go to support Servants of Christ for Life, a Rhode Island pro-life advocacy group that seeks to end abortion through the conversion of the world to the Catholic Church.

THIS IS IT!!!!!

Our Pasta Dinner with grand raffle is **THIS FRIDAY**, **October 24th** featuring a silent auction. Come prepared to outbid on **DINNER FOR SIX PREPARED BY FR. BODAH AND FR. JOE**. Plus some of our gourmet baskets will include an Italian Basket, Fine Dining Basket, Kay-Dee Kitchen Basket and try your luck at several other themed baskets. It'll be a wonderful night for all! Don't miss your opportunity to win and have fun in the process!

PARISH SUPPORT— October 12

 Weekly Support
 October 12

 Budget envelopes used (310)
 \$ 7,497.00

 Loose Donations
 \$ 1,369.00

 Online Giving (# of donors 25)
 \$ 750.00

 Total Budget
 \$ 9,616.00

Monthly

Envelopes used (200) - \$2,443.50
Other donations - \$446.00

Total Monthly - \$2,889.50

This weekend's second offering is the World Mission Sunday offering. Next weekend's second offering will be the Ongoing Maintenance fund offering. Thank you for your continued generosity.



Friday, October 24th 5-7:30 PM

Fr. Greenan Parish Center

Cost: \$8 Adults; **\$7 Take-**Out; \$6 children 5-12*;
Children under 5, FREE

*(maximum cost per family \$25)

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Today is World Mission Sunday! We are invited today to reach out and help build the Church in Mongolia, the world's youngest Catholic Church, as well as local churches throughout the Missions, in the most remote areas across our world. Your prayers and generous gift to the Society for the Propagation of the Faith in the collection today help the work of priests, religious and lay leaders in Mongolia and throughout the Missions who offer the poor practical help and the experience of God's love and mercy, His hope and peace. Please keep the Missions in your daily prayers. Thank you for generosity! For more information please visit: www.IAmAMissionary.org.



Religious Education

RELIGIOUS ED CLASSES

Sunday, October 19th

8:50-9:50am GRADES 1 & 2 (FGC) GRADE 7 (FGC)

10:50-11:50am GRADES 3-6 (FGC) GRADE 8 (FGC)

Monday, October 20th

7-8:30 Confirmation I (FGC)

Wednesday, October 22nd

4:00-5:00 Grades 3-6 (FGC) 7:00-8:15 Grades 7 & 8 (FGC)



Sunday, October 19

Baby bottles distributed this weekend at all Masses. Please return them next weekend.

8:50-11:50 Classes Grades K-6 (FGC) 5:30-7pm Praise! rehearsal (FGC) 7:00pm AA (HBH)

Monday, October 20

7:30-12N Adoration (SF)

7:00pm KofC Silver Rose (SRC)

7-8:30pm Conf. I Class—(FGC)

Tuesday, October 21

7:00pm RCIA (office bldg.)

7:00pm Bible Study (FGC)

7:00pm Choir Rehearsal (loft)

Wednesday, October 22

4-5pm Classes Grades 3-6 (FGC)

7-8:15pm Grade 7 & 8 (FGC)

Thursday, October 23

9am-2pm Prout Sophomore Retreat 7:00pm Men of St. Joseph (FGC)

Friday, October 24

5-7:30pm PASTA DINNER

with GRAND RAFFLE Drawing (FGC)

"...repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God." ~ Mt. 22:21

Family Liturgy: Mass of Belonging



Please join us next Sunday, October 26, at the 10AM Mass in Saint Francis for our monthly Family Liturgy. We will welcome in a special way the First Communion class who will reflect with us on the importance of belonging to God's family. This special liturgy formally marks the beginning of their

preparation to receive Jesus in the Eucharist for the first time in the Spring. All are welcome!

WHO IS YOUR FAVORITE SAINT?



Maybe it is our patron saint, St Francis of Assisi or St Romuald ... In honor of All Saints Day November 1st all children are invited to attend the 10AM



Mass on Sunday, November 2nd dressed as a Saint!!! Who will you be?



81st ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION

Wednesday, October 22, is a significant date in the history of our parish. 81 years ago, on Sunday, October 22, 1933, our parish church was dedicated and placed under the protection of Saint Francis of Assisi by Father O'Rourke. Father O'Rourke, who immediately preceded Father Greenan as pastor of Saint Francis, oversaw the construction of the present church building, which was begun in 1932.

For 81 years our beautiful parish church has stood as a beacon of faith, hope and charity in South County. Countless souls have been reborn in baptism within its walls, been instructed in the faith, worshiped Jesus living among us in the Blessed Sacrament, had their sins forgiven in our confessionals, and have been sent home to God through the Church's funeral rites. Our church is truly a sacred space, a small piece of our neighborhood set aside for God alone. As the mother church of South County, may it continue to be a house of prayer for all people.



Food For the month of October: cereal, Meeds macaroni & cheese and soup. Thank you.

ALZHEIMER'S AND DEMENTIA "FIRST STEPS"

Please join us for a <u>FREE</u> informational evening...

Doreen C. Putnam, of DC Putnam Consulting, is an Alzheimer's/Dementia Specialist, who concentrates on empowering caregivers in the Rhode Island area. Doreen will be identifying the differences between dementia and Alzheimer's disease, the 10 warning signs of AD and the characteristics of Alzheimer's disease that make it so difficult for families dealing with the disease.

LOCATION: Narragansett Town Library, 35 Kingstown Road, Narragansett, RI 02882

DATE: October 29, 2014 **TIME:** 6:30 – 8:30 pm

*Light refreshments will be served.

RSVP to Doreen C. Putnam at 401-464-2372

CARPENTER'S WORKSHOP SUPPORT GROUP

The Diocese of Providence is offering **The Carpenter's Workshop**, a free support group for adult men impacted by abortion. The group provides a place to talk, heal, and ways to rebuild lives together through God's love. The group will meet on Wednesday evenings, 7:00-8:30 pm, on November 12 & 19 and December 3 & 10, at the Diocese of Providence, One Cathedral Square, Providence. For information, contact: Peter A Magnotta at 421-7833, ext. 217.

Be sure to visit us at: stfranciswakefield.com or http://facebook.com/ stfranciswakefield