



## Mass Intentions

<b>Saturday,</b>	<b>October 17, 2009</b>
4:30 p.m.	Ed Welcome by his wife Judy
<b>Sunday,</b>	<b>October 18, 2009</b>
7:30 a.m.	Lucienne Lavergne (3 <sup>rd</sup> anniversary) by her grandchildren
9:30 a.m.	Rosemary Witkewicz (1 <sup>st</sup> anniversary) by her family
11:00 a.m.	John Embacher by Mr. & Mrs. Jose Marques & grandchildren
<b>Monday,</b>	<b>October 19, 2009</b>
7:45 a.m.	Christine Aiken by Mary O'Donnell
<b>Tuesday,</b>	<b>October 20, 2009</b>
7:45 a.m.	Robert Krenn by his wife
<b>Wednesday,</b>	<b>October 21, 2009</b>
7:45 a.m.	Ken Macdonald, Jr. by his family
<b>Thursday,</b>	<b>October 22, 2009</b>
7:45 a.m.	Ed Welcome by his wife Judy
7:00 p.m.	Candlelight Living Rosary
<b>Friday,</b>	<b>October 23, 2009</b>
7:45 a.m.	Deceased members of the White family by Frank & Shirley Coscina
<b>Saturday,</b>	<b>October 24, 2009</b>
4:30 p.m.	Doris Lasek (2 <sup>nd</sup> anniversary) by her children
<b>Sunday,</b>	<b>October 25, 2009</b>
7:30 a.m.	Fr. John Edwards
9:30 a.m.	Marie Calafiore by Pat & Angelo Messina & family
11:00 a.m.	Eleanor Ingvertsen & Mildred Schwarzmann by the Hewitt family

### Readings for the Week of October 18, 2009

Sunday:	Is 53:10-11/Heb 4:14-16/Mk 10:35-45 or 10:42-45
Monday:	Rom 4:20-25/Lk 12:13-21
Tuesday:	Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21/Lk 12:35-38
Wednesday:	Rom 6:12-18/Lk 12:39-48
Thursday:	Rom 6:19-23/Lk 12:49-53
Friday:	Rom 7:18-25a/Lk 12:54-59
Saturday:	Rom 8:1-11/Lk 13:1-9
Next Sunday:	Jer 31:7-9/Heb 5:1-6/Mk 10:46-52

*"But it shall not be so among you. Rather, whoever wishes to be great among you will be your servant; whoever wishes to be first among you will be the slave of all. For the Son of Man did not come to be served but to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many." - Mk 10:43-45*

Your generosity is very much appreciated for the second collection this weekend for the Propagation of the Faith.

### Calendar

10/19	9:30 a.m.	Legion of Mary – Hart House
	7:00 p.m.	Pre-baptism class - Rectory
	7:30 p.m.	Legion of Mary – Hospitality Room
10/20	6:00 p.m.	Women's Guild Pot Luck – Gath. Space
10/22	7:00 p.m.	Candlelight Living Rosary – Church
10/25	9:30 a.m. mass	Choir
	3:00 p.m.	Piano recital – Church
10/26	9:30 a.m.	Legion of Mary – Hart House
	7:00 p.m.	Fun Committee Mtg. – Gath. Space
	7:30 p.m.	Legion of Mary – Hospitality Room
10/28		Pasta Supper – Marinelli's

The sanctuary candle will burn this week in memory of:

### Ed Welcome

This is a venerable tradition and we ask you to keep him in your prayers.

### From Fr. Golas,

All Souls' Day is November 2. On that day there are masses at 7:45 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. The intention for all Masses will be "*For the deceased members of our parish. family*". If you would like to include your intentions for Mass, please write them on the All Souls' envelopes available by the baptistery. Please send these envelopes to the rectory by November 1.

### Hail Mary!

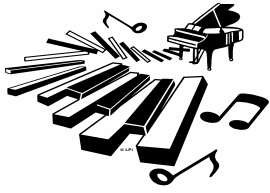
The **Candlelight Living Rosary** will take place on Thursday, October 22 at 7:00 p.m. It's a great way to spend time with Our Blessed Mother. Free rosaries and rosary leaflets for adults and children will be at the entrance of the Church.

### Women's Guild News

Don't forget to look over the proposed **by-laws** for the Women's Guild. They can be found on the back counter in the gathering space. If you would like to discuss the proposed by-laws, feel free to contact Betty Faitella at 485-0551 or by e-mail at [faitella@sbcglobal.net](mailto:faitella@sbcglobal.net). We will be voting on them at the November meeting.

The annual **Pot Luck Supper and Tea Cup Auction** will be held on Tuesday, October 20 in the gathering space beginning at 6:00 pm. Each member is asked to bring a favorite dish to share along with an auction item costing a minimum of \$5. The Guild's telephone committee will be contacting members. All women of the parish are invited and may call Irene Engel at 675-8633 for more information.

An "**All You Can Eat Pasta Supper**" at Marinelli's will be held on Wednesday, October 28 from 5:00 - 8 00 p.m. Cost is \$9.00 per adult; \$5.00 for children ages 4-10 and no charge for children ages 3 and under. This is a great way to spend time with family and friends. Members have been sent tickets and tickets will be available at the door. For more information please call Betty Faitella 485-0551 or Kathleen Ruzbasan, 673-2038.



*Piano Concert Next  
Sunday, October 25*

Rick Daddario will present an hour-long *piano concert* here in our church *next* Sunday, October 25 at 3:00 p.m.

The repertoire will consist of popular/contemporary ballads and traditional/standard favorites, including music from film and Broadway. **Admission is free.** A *free-will offering* will be accepted and **100%** of it will be donated *directly* to the *Holy Family Home and Shelter* in Willimantic. The shelter provides a safe-haven for “women and children victims” of domestic violence. Thank you.

*Fun Committee Meeting*

Monday, October 26, 7:00 p.m. in the gathering space to plan for this year’s Christmas Ornament workshop on November 27. Please bring your ideas to make this event fun for the parish children. New members welcome. Please call Lynne Murphy 673-9551 with questions.

*Baptism Preparation Program*

As you prepare for the birth of your child, please plan to attend the pre-baptism program scheduled for the third Monday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in the rectory. The date of the baptism can be scheduled after attending the program. Parents must be registered parishioners. For more information and to register, please call the rectory.

*Children’s’ Choir Update*

Registration has begun for the St Mary’s Children’s’ Choir. If you would like your child to participate, please be sure to sign up after all masses in the gathering space. If you need more information please call Donna LeBlanc (860) 482-1638. We are also looking for a few parents to help in a variety of ways. Please consider helping us; a sign-up will be in the gathering space for parents. An informational meeting will be scheduled for parents interested in helping with all the details. Thank you in advance for the generosity of your time.

*Welcome*

We welcome all who celebrate with us at St. Mary parish whether visitors, long-time resident or newly arrived at our parish. If you are not a registered member of our parish community, please fill out a census form located on the tables inside the worship space and return to the rectory. It is necessary to be registered to arrange baptisms, marriages, enroll in CCD classes and to obtain sponsor certificates as Godparents and witnesses

*Lost and Found*

Please check the Lost & Found box in the table in the worship space near the Usher Room for items you may have left behind. Items not reclaimed by the end of each month will be donated.

*Candle Offering Reminder*

The votive candles located in our worship space beneath the statue of our Blessed Mother are available for your lighting in prayerful remembrance and special intention. The suggested offering is \$1.00 and is to be placed into the self-contained box located in the center of each of the two racks. Please remember to light a candle from the top rows – DOWN, to avoid the risk of injury which can be caused by placing your arm over a lighted votive. Thank you.

**Wedding Banns**

I - Katharine Egan and Richard Kirk III



A *Pasta Dinner* sponsored by the Knights of Columbus will be held **this weekend** from 3:00 to 6:00 PM on **Sunday, October 18** at their council home on New Britain Avenue. Cost for adults is \$8, Seniors and Children \$6. Tickets are available at the door. Please contact Neil Kelsey at 860-916-1295 if you have any questions.

A *Red Cross Blood Drive* will be sponsored by the Knights of Columbus on Monday, October 26 from 1:30 – 6:15 at the Knights of Columbus Hall on New Britain Avenue. Please call 1-800-GIVE-LIFE to make an appointment or call Jim English at 674-9114 with questions.

A *Book Sale* will be held at the Archbishop O’Brien Library Thurs., Fri. and Sat. Oct 29-Oct. 31. Hours will be 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Thurs. and Fri. and on Sat. from 9:30 a.m. – 3 p.m. Items for sale will include religious books and media and other subject areas such as fiction and history at bargain prices. There will be a selection of vintage books, reference, and book sets at reduced prices. Library tote bags, cards and gift items will also be on sale and a book drawing will be held. The Archbishop O’Brien Library is located at The Archdiocesan Center at St. Thomas Seminary, 467 Bloomfield Ave. in Bloomfield. Please call 860-242-5573, ext. 114/115 for more information and directions. All proceeds for the sale will benefit the Library at St. Thomas Seminary. All are invited. Refreshments will be served.

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**to get something done**

**IS TO BEGIN**