

Saturday, July 28, 2012

4:30 p.m. Reno Pelletier (12th anniversary)

by his family

Sunday, July 29, 2012

7:30 a.m. Antoinette Maras

by Georgette Montaufray

9:30 a.m. Robert Matava

by his sister Irene Bachman

11:00 a.m. Edith Macnamara

by MaryBeth Rosato

Monday, July 30, 2012

7:45 a.m. Jack & Carrie Flynn

Tuesday, July 31, 2012

7:45 a.m. Mike Griswold by his family

Wednesday, August 1, 2012

7:45 a.m. Danny Roberts by Nan & Jim

Thursday, August 2, 2012

7:45 a.m. Geri Glynn

by St. Mary's Women's Guild

Friday, August 3, 2012

7:45 a.m. Bill Wollenberg

by the Peterson family First Friday Adoration

Saturday, August 4, 2012

4:30 p.m. Eugene Kupchik (2nd anniversary)

by his family

Sunday, August 5, 2012

7:30 a.m. Mom Gondek by the Gondek family

9:30 a.m. Henry M. & Josephine M.

Barcikowski by their family

11:00 a.m. Katherine S. Shea

by Francesca Gioe & family

Readings for the Week of July 29, 2012

Sunday: 2 Kgs 4:42-44/Eph 4:1-6/Jn 6:1-15

Monday: Jer 13:1-11/Mt 13:31-35 Tuesday: Jer 14:17-22/Mt 13:36-43 Wednesday: Jer 15:10, 16-21/Mt 13:44-46

Thursday: Jer 18:1-6/Mt 13:47-53 Friday: Jer 26:1-9/Mt 13:54-58 Saturday: Jer 26:11-16, 24/Mt 14:1-12

Next Sunday: Ex 16:2-4, 12-15/Eph 4:17, 20-24/Jn 6:24-35

Calendar

7/30 9:30 a.m. Legion of Mary- Hart House

7:00 p.m. Legion of Mary – Hospitality Room

The sanctuary candle will burn this week in memory of:

Doris & George "Butch" Lasek

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

From the Human Needs Committee



A school supply collection of new items will be held next weekend for those in need in the town of Farmington.

Suggested items are: pocket folders, notebooks and binders, but any items will do (#2 pencils, pens, crayons, glue sticks, rulers, loose-leaf filler paper, post-it notes, etc.) **BACKPACKS ARE NEEDED**. If you have any questions, please contact Alice Crozier at 860-673-4282. Thank you for your support.

Eucharistic Adoration – Friday August 3 from 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

If you plan to attend, kindly sign up on the chart in the gathering space. Your commitment will assure that there will be three people for every hour. For our comfort, Father has the church air-conditioned. For information call Elaine Atiyeh 860 352-2281.

FUN committee

is looking for your help with the Parish Picnic. Have you been thinking about volunteering for something, but just didn't know what? St. Mary's FUN committee is hoping to gather new members to help run events like the Parish Picnic, Children's Christmas Craft Workshop, and the annual Mardi Gras party. We are also in need of judges for our Cookie Baking Contest on the day of the picnic. If you are interested in helping with one of these events, or all of these events, please contact Sarah Rice to find out more. 860-255-7531 phone# or email her at skpetty 99@yahoo.com.

St. Mary parish family welcomes through the sacrament of baptism:

Liam Macchi

Religious Education News

"The Harvest is Abundant but, the Laborers are Too Few..."

The start of the 2012/2013 religious education year is not that far off and we are in need of catechists in the following grades:

Grade Level	К	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
# Needed	1	4	3	1	5	4	4	4	2	1

Without instructors classes cannot be scheduled - leaving a Home Study (parent administered) curriculum as the only option.

Hart House hall monitors are also needed for us to be compliant with the "Protecting God's Children" requirements set forth by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB). Parents who wait patiently while their children are in class are asked to consider volunteering as a hall monitor. Tuition is waived for instructors/hall monitors and team teaching is encouraged. Please contact Deacon Tom at the Religious Education Office if you are willing to lend a hand with our program this year. tel: (860) 675-8522 e-mail: st.mary.re@sbcglobal.net

Religious Education Registration Update -Please note that the registration process for the 2012/2013 Religious Education year will be suspended on August 1st so that the forming of classes and scheduling can be completed. So if you have not yet registered please consider doing so before August 1st. Registration is required each year and those received after August 1st will be processed on a "space available" basis after the start of classes in September.

WELCOME NEWCOMERS

St. Mary parish welcomes the following newly registered members:

Gregory & Michelle King & family, Farmington Kevin & Allison Scott & family, Unionville

Family Perspective

by Bud Ozar

In today's gospel Phillip worried about "enough food" for the crowd. What is ENOUGH? When does our ENOUGH deprive another family of their fair share? Jesus performed today's miracle because one child was willing to share and risk living with less. Can your family live more simply so that other families can simply live?

☑ Check This Out...

Volunteers Needed! The New Horizons Village Tenants Association is looking for volunteers to help serve food at holiday functions and to grill food at summertime holiday barbecues. Our holiday meals are on the dates of the holidays. New Horizons Village is an independent living apartment complex in Unionville for physically challenged adults. Assistance is needed the for the following holidays: Labor Day, Halloween, Thanksgiving, Christmas, St. Patrick's Day, Easter, Memorial Day, 4th of July. For more information, contact: Meg McDermott 860 404-2584.

Labyrinth Walk – Tuesday, August 14 – 9 – 10:30 a.m. A short introduction, a video and an opportunity to walk the seven-circuit outdoor labyrinth followed by reflection time. Donation: \$5. For more information call Wisdom House, 860 567-3163 or visit www.wisdomhouse.org

3rd Annual St. Paul Falcon *5K RunWalk* Friday, August 24 6:30 p.m. Whether you are a seasoned runner or this is your first organized race, we invited you to join us for the Falcon 5K. The start and finish line is a St. Paul Catholic High School, 1001 Stafford Ave., Bristol, Proceeds to toward St. Paul Scholarships. Visit www.spchs.net for more information. Contact Matt Crowley 860 584-0911 Ext. 34 with questions.

St. Stanislaus Church, 510 West St., Bristol is offering a free 10-week *Bereavement Ministry* for those who have lost a loved one. The group entitled "New Day/New Life" will begin Tuesday, September 11 from 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. in the Bartlewski Center. For more information or to register, please call Karin 860 582-3652 or the rectory 860 583-4242.

Visit our parish website

at www.stmary-unionville.org

Defending Our Religious Liberty

In mid-July, Wheaton College, the leading evangelical liberal arts institution, filed a lawsuit in partnership with Catholic University of America opposing the federal healthcare mandate. This alliance marks the first-ever partnership between Catholic and evangelical institutions to oppose the same regulation in the same court. If you haven't already, please contact the offices of your Congressional Representatives and United States Senators to express your opposition to the federal healthcare mandate. For addresses and phones numbers. please visit: www.ctcatholic.org or www.archdioceseofhartford.org.