

*Mass Intentions*

<b>Saturday,</b>	<b>May 25, 2013</b>
4:30 p.m.	George Bonetti by his wife Anita
<b>Sunday,</b>	<b>May 26, 2013</b>
7:30 a.m.	Thomas K. Sheridan by Maureen & Tom Reilly
9:30 a.m.	Thomas Daly by Jane Schwarz
11:00 a.m.	Prosper Larose by his wife Marilyn & family
<b>Monday,</b>	<b>May 27, 2013</b>
7:45 a.m.	Daniel Mokritski
<b>Tuesday,</b>	<b>May 28, 2013</b>
7:45 a.m.	Milton & Elizabeth Sands
<b>Wednesday,</b>	<b>May 29, 2013</b>
7:45 a.m.	Antoinette Maras by her family
<b>Thursday,</b>	<b>May 30, 2013</b>
7:45 a.m.	Jack Flynn
<b>Friday,</b>	<b>May 31, 2013</b>
7:45 a.m.	Timothy Murphy
<b>Saturday,</b>	<b>June 1, 2013</b>
1:30 p.m.	Wedding – Joseph Barberio – Melissa Kuras
4:30 p.m.	Deborah Therriault (41 <sup>st</sup> anniversary) by Jay & Fran McCaffrey
<b>Sunday,</b>	<b>June 2, 2013</b>
7:30 a.m.	David Kost by his mother
9:30 a.m.	Marie & Jacob Goldberg by family
11:00 a.m.	Uldric & Simone St. Amand by Phyllis & William Nedorostek

Readings for the Week of May 26, 2013	
Sunday:	Prv 8:22-31/Rom 5:1-5/Jn 16:12-15
Monday:	Sir 17:20-24/Mk 10:17-27
Tuesday:	Sir 35:1-12/Mk 10:28-31
Wednesday:	Sir 36:1, 4-5a, 10-17/Mk 10:32-45
Thursday:	Sir 42:15-25/Mk 10:46-52
Friday:	Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16/Lk 1:39-56
Saturday:	Sir 51:12cd-20/Mk 11:27-33
Next Sunday:	Gn 14:18-20/1 Cor 11:23-26/Lk 9:11b-17
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**Parish Support May 19, 2013**

Weekly	\$7,198.00
On-line giving	<u>\$1,487.00</u>
Total	\$8,685.00
Catholic Communications Campaign	\$1,924.00
On-line giving	<u>\$ 50.00</u>
Total	\$1,974.00

**Calendar**

5/27	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:

*George Bonetti*

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



The Women’s Guild is pleased to announce its 2013 **scholarship winners:**

**Maureen Gallo** who will attend Philadelphia Univ.

**Erika Isner** who will attend Stonehill College

**Alexandra Roberts** who will attend Appalachian State Univ.

**Chloe Swanson** who will attend the Univ. of Pennsylvania

We congratulate them and wish them success in college.



**Tickets for the Dr. John Lawson Scholarship Dinner** will be sold after all Masses the weekends of 5/25-26 and 6/1-2.

This year the dinner will be held on Saturday, June 8<sup>th</sup> from 4-7 pm at First Church of Christ in Unionville center. You are welcome to stop by any time to enjoy a **full meal** including Flaggstead Smokehouse BBQ (\$15) and George’s pizza (\$8). Stay and enjoy the live music or pick up a take-out meal for your family. For more information stop by our table in the gathering space or call Mary Beth Rosato at 860-673-6660.



**Attention High School Seniors!**

Did you know that the **Dr. John Lawson Scholarship Dinner** raises funds to support scholarships for graduating seniors from three church communities, **including St. Mary’s**? Yes, that means you! Applications are due on June 15<sup>th</sup> and may be found on the shelves near the entrances to the church.

Next week, our parish will take up The **Catholic Relief Services Collection**. This Collection supports six Catholic agencies that touch more than 100 million lives around the world. The funds from the Collection help provide food to the hungry, welcome and support to displaced refugees, and invaluable life skills to those seeking a better life. **How will you help?** Next week, please give generously to The Catholic Relief Services Collection and **Jesus in disguise**.



***The Buildings and Grounds Committee***

Is looking for some help to pull some weeds that have appeared in the flower beds and others areas around the church grounds. With the help of 10-15 people, I think we could accomplish this in a couple of hours. I have selected Saturday, June 1 at 9:00 a.m. as the time to do this. If you can help, bring any little digging tool that you might use at home for weed pulling and probably a pair of gloves. If you have any questions and if you can help, please call Bob Archer at 860 673-9941.

***Flip Tabs***

will be collected from metal beverage containers during the month of June by the Human Needs Committee. The flip tabs are for the Shriners' Hospitals for Children, Orthopedic and Burns Facilities. A container is available in the gathering space. Call Alice Crozier with questions 860 673-4282.



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

*Alyssa Rose Backman*

***A Family Perspective***

by Bud Ozar

The words of Jesus in today's gospel, "I have many things to say to you, but you cannot hear them now" could have been said by any parent. It can be frustrating because our desire to guide is often misinterpreted or poorly received. We cannot program our children. We can only teach, lead and trust the Spirit of truth will guide them.

***Visitation of the Sick and Homebound***

Those who cannot celebrate Mass with us because of illness, disability or age are encouraged to call the parish office to arrange for the sacraments to be received at home. Please notify us of you are hospitalized and would like to be visited.

***Recipes for Healthy Cleaners***

***All Purpose Cleaner*** Pour 3 tablespoons vinegar, 1 teaspoon borax and 2 cups hot water into a spray bottle. Shake until dissolved. Then add 1 teaspoon liquid soap (or dish washing liquid) to the bottle and shake it again. Spray on surface to be cleaned and wipe clean. For tough dirt, leave cleaner on for a few minutes and then wipe off.

***Glass Cleaner-*** Pour 2 tablespoons of vinegar and 2 cups of water into a spray bottle. Add 2 drops of liquid soap (or dish washing liquid) and shake to mix. Spray on glass and wipe with lint-free cloth. Dry off with a second lint-free cloth.

*From St. Mary's Environmental Awareness Committee*

***Defending Our Religious Liberty***

In order to commemorate the last eight months, which have inspired many spirited examples of faith in action across Connecticut, and to pray for continued evangelization in this special Year of Faith, Archbishop Henry J. Mansell will celebrate a *Year of Faith* Mass on Sunday, June 2, 2013 at 3 p.m. at the Cathedral of Saint Joseph in Hartford. We will keep the preservation of religious freedom in our prayers. To voice your opposition to the federal health care mandate, contact the White House at: [www.whitehouse.gov/contact](http://www.whitehouse.gov/contact) or call: 202-456-1111 or 202-456-1414; or write to: The White House, 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20500. Let the White House know that the mandate violates the First Amendment, which guarantees religious freedom.



***Who, What, Where, and When...***

The Knights of Columbus is opening its newest exhibit: *Windows into Heaven: Russian Icons & Treasures*. This exhibit contains over 225 Russian icons along with liturgical and devotional items. Icons have been called windows into heaven because they are said to give a glimpse of the eternal realm. Many of the icons are more than 100 years old, predating the Bolshevik Revolution. The museum is located on 1 State Street, New Haven. For more information please contact (203)752-4630.



*The rectory office will be closed on Monday, May 27 in observance of Memorial Day.*

*Have a safe, enjoyable weekend!*