

# Mass Intentions for the Week

<b>Saturday,</b>	<b>June 22, 2013</b>
4:30 p.m.	George Bonetti by his wife Anita
<b>Sunday,</b>	<b>June 23, 2013</b>
7:30 a.m.	Marge McGovern by Bob & Marilyn Slabinski
9:30 a.m.	Thomas Daly by Paul Schwarz & family
11:00 a.m.	Ann Embacher by Mr. & Mrs. Jose Marques & grandchildren
<b>Monday,</b>	<b>June 24, 2013</b>
7:45 a.m.	Linda Lakin
<b>Tuesday,</b>	<b>June 25, 2013</b>
7:45 a.m.	Betty Flynn
<b>Wednesday,</b>	<b>June 26, 2013</b>
7:45 a.m.	Clinton B. Ryan (40 <sup>th</sup> anniversary) by his mother
<b>Thursday,</b>	<b>June 27, 2013</b>
7:45 a.m.	Max & Marie Peltier
<b>Friday,</b>	<b>June 28, 2013</b>
7:45 a.m.	Timothy Scully by the Scully family
<b>Saturday,</b>	<b>June 29, 2013</b>
4:30 p.m.	Antoinette Maras (2 <sup>nd</sup> anniversary) by her family
<b>Sunday,</b>	<b>June 30, 2013</b>
7:30 a.m.	Margaret Vaughn Golas by St. Mary's Women's Guild
9:30 a.m.	Steven Kane by his family
11:00 a.m.	Kenneth McCaffrey (16 <sup>th</sup> anniversary) by Jay & Fran McCaffrey

## Readings for the Week of June 23, 2013

Sunday:	Zec 12:10-11; 13:1/Gal 3:26-29/Lk 9:18-24
Monday:	Vigil: Jer 1:4-10/1 Pt 1:8-12/Lk 1:5-17 Day: Is 49:1-6/Acts 13:22-26/Lk 1:57-66, 80
Tuesday:	Gn 13:2, 5-18/Mt 7:6, 12-14
Wednesday:	Gn 15:1-12, 17-18/Mt 7:15-20
Thursday:	Gn 16:1-12, 15-16 or 16:6b-12, 15-16/Mt 7:21-29
Friday:	Gn 17:1, 9-10, 15-22/Mt 8:1-4
Saturday:	Vigil: Acts 3:1-10/Gal 1:11-20/Jn 21:15-19 Day: Acts 12:1-11/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/Mt 16:13-19
Next Sunday:	1 Kgs 19:16b, 19-21/Gal 5:1, 13-18/Lk 9:51-62

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The second collection this week is the Mission Appeal. Thank you for your generosity. Next weekend the second collection will support the victims of the Oklahoma tornado.

## Calendar

6/24	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.

## From Fr. Golas,

Archbishop Mansell recently called and asked me to take a new assignment. On July 15, 2013, I will become pastor of St. Paul Church, Glastonbury, Ct and St. Augustine Church, South Glastonbury, Ct. As my 12 ½ year ministry at St. Mary, Unionville comes to an end, I want to thank you for your faith commitment, spirituality, love for the Lord and others. These years have been a great blessing for me as a priest. It is very clear that the parish is a community of hospitality, compassion and dedication. As the refrain on the video introduction on the parish website says: "Greater things are yet to come, Greater things are still to be done." May the spirit continue to direct us to greater ways we are to serve God. May God bless you and you will be in my daily prayers.

## Religious Education News



If you or someone you know might be interested in helping to pass on our faith to other members of our parish as a catechist for grades 1-10, a hall monitor at Hart House, a mentor for our RCIA program, or as a trainer in our "Think First – Stay Safe" child safety program, please contact Deacon Tom Sutak @ (860) 675-8522 for more information.

## Altar Servers

If you are interested in joining our Altar Server team please call the Office of Religious Education (675-8522) for details. Candidates must be in the fourth grade at a minimum and **be willing to serve at any weekend Mass and on special occasions (First Communion /Confirmation) as scheduled.** Candidates will be required to attend a training session and work alongside more experienced servers to gain experience.

## Religious Education Registration

Could it be time for registering your children for our Religious Education Program for the 2013/2014 year? Space is still available in all grades - but it won't last long. Registration forms are located in the entrances to the Gathering Space. If you have any questions please feel free to contact the Religious Education Office @ (860) 675-8522 or [st.mary.re@sbcglobal.net](mailto:st.mary.re@sbcglobal.net) for more information.





**Patriotic Rosary**

In response to the call of the U.S. Catholic Bishops Committee for a **Fortnight for Freedom** (6/21/13 - 7/4/13), the Legion of Mary will lead a Patriotic Rosary immediately following the 4:30 Vigil Mass

on 6/29/13. In addition to the Rosary prayers, there will be readings of some inspirational words of our country's founding fathers. Please plan to join with the Legion in praying for the preservation of our Freedom.

**Fun Committee Recruitment Drive**

St Mary's Fun Committee seeks new members! We have fun planning fun events for the parish. Sign-up sheets will be available this weekend and next weekend and Fun Committee members will be available to answer your questions. We love to have more ideas so please consider joining this great committee for one or more of the events. We only meet to plan events so the time commitment is one (sometimes two) planning meeting/s before each event and then set up, attend and clean-up after the event. We "host" the Christmas Ornament Workshop in November, a Thank You Reception for volunteers in the early Spring, an Easter Egg Hunt before Easter and the Annual Parish Picnic. If you've been seeking a way to join in the Fun, please consider joining our group. We'd love to have you join us! Contact: Laura Roberts (860) 673-2307 or Lynne Murphy (860) 673-9551. E-mail: [stmarysrsvp@yahoo.com](mailto:stmarysrsvp@yahoo.com)

**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:

*Alena Eda Paoletto*

**Online Giving Announcement – New Link**

Recently we have updated our **Online Giving link** from our website, to a new address. If you are an Online Giving participant, this will not affect any donations you have scheduled, your account information or anything else in your account. It will, however, affect any **bookmarks or favorites** you may have created on your computer. We do ask that that next time you access your Online Giving account that you go to the church website and click on the new Online Giving logo and bookmark this new address. Online Giving is a safe and convenient way to donate to the church. To sign-up, go to: [www.stmary-unionville.org](http://www.stmary-unionville.org) and click on the Online Giving logo and create an account. Thank you!

**Bulletin article deadline for July 7 bulletin**

Is Wednesday, June 26 at 9:00 a.m. due to the requirements of our bulletin company. Thank you for your cooperation.

**The collection for the victims of the tornado in Oklahoma**

and to support Catholic Charities USA will be taken up next weekend. Archbishop Mansell has requested this collection to respond to the immediate needs for water, food, shelter, medical care and the long-term needs of rebuilding and reconstruction.

**Cadmium (toxic metal) in our American Waste Stream?**

Yes, disposable batteries account for half of the approximately 1,800 tons of cadmium in our waste stream each year. You can help by switching to rechargeable batteries, for those things you can't part with, (NimH or lithium are best), you'll get hundreds of uses for each battery rather than one. Pomegranate Communications Inc., P.O. Box 808022, Petaluma, CA. 94975. For more info. call St. Mary's Environmental Awareness (S.E.A.) 860-673-0756.



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

**Holy Spirit Prayer Breakfast:** Saturday, June 29 from 9:00 – 11:00 a.m. the Archdiocesan Center at St. Thomas Seminary, Bloomfield. Guest speaker: Andrew Bieszad, M.S. Author of "Lions of the Faith: Saints, Blesseds and Heroes of the Catholic Faith in the Struggle with Islam". Registration: \$15.00. Call 860 243-8234.

St. James Church, Farmington, is offering a **Vacation Bible School** from Monday, July 15 – Friday July 19 from 9:00 a.m. – 12 noon at the parish 3 Mountain Rd., Farmington. It is open to children pre-kindergarten through 6<sup>th</sup> grade. The week's theme is "Athens Paul's Dangerous Journey to Share the Truth." There will be songs, making crafts and games. New and interesting foods will be offered. To register go to [www.stjamesfarmington.org](http://www.stjamesfarmington.org) Click on VBS Registration Form and print it out. You can mail or drop off the form with the Registration fee of \$25.00 per child to St. James Parish. For more information contact the VBS director Alissa Buth at [alissa.buth@gmail.com](mailto:alissa.buth@gmail.com) or the church office at 860-677-1564.



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