



Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday,	July 27, 2013
4:30 p.m.	Margaret Vaughn Golas by St. Mary Parish Council
Sunday,	July 28, 2013
7:30 a.m.	Margaret Vaughn Golas by Bob & Marilyn Slabinski
9:30 a.m.	Ed & Dora Meheran by the Kane family
11:00 a.m.	Alice Flynn
Monday,	July 29, 2013
7:45 a.m.	Antoinette Maras by her family
Tuesday,	July 30, 2013
7:45 a.m.	Mike Griswold by his family
Wednesday,	July 31, 2013
7:45 a.m.	Fr. Jean Hart by Brian McCallum
Thursday,	August 1, 2013
7:45 a.m.	Special Intention
Friday,	August 2, 2013
7:45 a.m.	Kevin Crowe on the anniversary of his heavenly life on the occasion of this birthday by the Brian Beloin family
Saturday,	August 3, 2013
4:30 p.m.	Lucille & Emile Sirois by their family
Sunday,	August 4, 2013
7:30 a.m.	Eugene Kupchik by his wife
9:30 a.m.	Thomas Wooldridge by Ed & Cathy Kane
11:00 a.m.	Anna McDermott by Fran & Bob Myer

Readings for the Week of July 28, 2013

Sunday:	Gn 18:20-32/Col 2:12-14/Lk 11:1-13
Monday:	Ex 32:15-24, 30-34/Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42
Tuesday:	Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28/Mt 13:36-43
Wednesday:	Ex 34:29-35/Mt 13:44-46
Thursday:	Ex 40:16-21, 34-38/Mt 13:47-53
Friday:	Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37/Mt 13:54-58
Saturday:	Lv 25:1, 8-17/Mt 14:1-12
Next Sunday:	Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23/Col 3:1-5, 9-11/Lk 12:13-21

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The second collection next weekend is the monthly offering.

Calendar

7/29	9:30 a.m.	Legion of Mary – Hart House
	7:00 p.m.	Legion of Mary –Hospitality Room
8/3 & 4		School Supply Collection

The sanctuary candle will burn this week in memory of:

Doris & George "Butch" Lasek

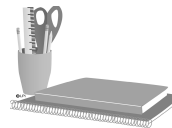
This is a venerable tradition and we ask you to keep them in your prayers.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Effective August 31, 2013 Saturday confessions will be held from 3:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

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 (backpacks, #2 pencils, pens, crayons, glue sticks, rulers, loose-leaf filler paper, post-it notes, etc.) If you have any questions, please contact Alice Crozier at 860-6734282. Thank you for your support.



Church Picnic

Another FUN St. Mary's EVENT!!!!
Parish Family Picnic:

Sunday, August 11- 1:00 - 4:00 PM

Knights of Columbus, 301 New Britain Avenue, Unionville
Hotdogs and hamburgers provided by the Knights. Activities for kids of all ages: Face Painting, Bean Bag Toss, Huge Bubbles, Frisbee Golf, Temporary Tattoos, Water Balloon Toss and the very popular Bounce House! Also, Horseshoes competition! Beverages are provided. Bring a dish to share and there will be 10 slots to compete in the Cold Appetizer Contest! Prizes for Bean Bag Toss (youngsters) and Horseshoes (adults) as well as to winners of the Cold Appetizer Contest. Hope you can join us - a great afternoon for all. **Sign-up sheets after all Masses through August 10 or RSVP by e-mailing stmarysrsvp@yahoo.com.** For more information, please call Lynne Murphy @ 860-673-9551 or Laura Roberts @ 860-673-2307.

Haiti Ministry

We would like to thank our parish community for supporting our "pots for tots" fundraiser last weekend. We collected \$1,140.10 in donations and look forward to showing pictures of the school bathroom reconstruction in a few months! If you would still like to make a contribution, contact Mary Hagadorn at 774-249-4508.

First Friday Adoration

Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament will take place this Friday from after the 7:45 a.m. Mass until noon concluding with Benediction. We would like to have three adorers for every hour. Please sign up on the poster in the gathering space. We will need your telephone number in case of cancellation or a funeral. Call Elaine Atiyeh at 860 352-2281 with questions.



Religious Education News

I'm getting nervous ... thought for sure by now I would have enough volunteers for our religious education programs starting in the fall. Without your efforts these programs might struggle to get up and running. Time is of the essence as the Archdiocese of Hartford has specific requirements that all volunteers must complete prior to working directly with children. So if you or someone you know can help out - contact Deacon Tom at (860-675-8522) or st.mary.re@sbcglobal.net.

Here's what we need:

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



Altar Servers

New members are needed for our altar server team. Candidates must be in the fourth grade at a minimum and be available to serve any weekend Mass plus special occasions (First Communion/Confirmation). If we can count on you to be here, are willing to attend a training session and work alongside more experienced servers to gain experience, call (860-675-8522) or e-mail (st.mary.re@sbcglobal.net) the Religious Education Office to get started.



Religious Education Registration

The sand is running through the hourglass. Registrations for the religious education classes received after August 1st will be processed and assignments made on a space available basis only. Forms are located in the entrances to the Gathering Space. If you have any questions please feel free to contact the Religious Education Office at (860-675-8522) or st.mary.re@sbcglobal.net

Lost and Found

Please check the Lost and 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. Thank you.

A Family Perspective

by Bud Ozar

Today's gospel guarantees if we "ask" we will "receive," perhaps not what we wanted but what our Heavenly Father knows is best for us, His children. All the love we have for our children, God has for us and more. As our children trust us, we must trust "Our Father."

Check This Out...

Saint Matthew School – Where Educating Minds and Hearts Matter - is now holding registrations for the 2013 – 2014 school year for grades pre-K 3 – 8. A quality Catholic education – Accredited by New England Association of Schools & Colleges. For more information call 860 583-5214.

Archdiocese of Hartford Year of Faith Motor Coach Pilgrimage to National Shrine of the Divine Mercy

August 26, by motor coach from Hartford and New Haven areas to Stockbridge, MA under the spiritual leadership of Archbishop Henry J. Mansell, Archbishop of Hartford. Cost per person: \$50- Registration forms due no later than Monday, August 19 and are available on the table in the worship space. Email: yearoffaithpilgrimage@aohct.org or call 860 541-6491, The Reverend Jeffery V. Romans, Assistant Chancellor.

Catholic Homeschool Conference

- The Immaculate Heart of Mary New York Homeschool and Parent Conference will be held at the DoubleTree Hotel, 255 South Broadway, Tarrytown, Friday August 2 and Saturday, August 3. Confirmed speakers include: Fr. Andrew Apostoli, Fr. Gerald Murray, Dr. Catherine Moran, Mrs. Mary Ellen Barrett, and Mrs. Colleen Hammond. Admission is free and pre-registration is not required. For more information, please call 540 636-1946 or visit www.ihmconference.org

Parish Prayer Chain

If you or someone you know is in need of prayers, please contact Joyce Cruess at 860 673-2945 to be added to our parish prayer chain.

Laughter is the Best Medicine

Children seldom misquote you. In fact, they usually repeat word for word what you shouldn't have said.