



Saturday,	March 19, 2016
4:30 p.m.	Eugene Rudiak by Bridie Rudiak, Elaine Searle & family
Sunday,	March 20, 2016
7:30 a.m.	Loretta Zanini by her family
9:30 a.m.	Joan Gilligan by her family
11:00 a.m.	Krystyna Zmarlicki (15th anniversary) & Kathryn Germano (5th anniversary) by the Germano family
Monday,	March 21, 2016
7:45 a.m.	Sebastian "Mike" Motta
Tuesday,	March 22, 2016
7:45 a.m.	Chile Irwin Bartles by Sandra & Cliff Purrier
Wednesday,	March 23, 2016
7:45 a.m.	Michael Vacca (15th anniversary) by his family
Thursday,	March 24, 2016
7:30 p.m.	St. Mary Parish
Friday,	March 25, 2016
3:00 p.m.	Celebration of the Lord's Passion
Saturday,	March 26, 2016
7:30 p.m.	Joseph Coco (14th anniversary) by his family
Sunday,	March 27, 2016
7:30 a.m.	Eugene Kupchik by his family
9:30 a.m.	Jennie Radinieri by her daughters Pauline Gil & Josie Lewicki
11:00 a.m.	Rosemary Marek by Lynda & Bob Bonato

Calendar

3/22	9:00 a.m.	Food share truck
	7:00 p.m.	Legion of Mary—Hospitality Room
3/24	7:30 p.m.	Choir
3/25	3:00 p.m.	Choir
3/26	7:30 p.m.	Choir

Lent

Mondays -Reconciliation—6:00 –7:00 p.m.

Fridays -Stations of the Cross—7:00 p.m.

Holy Week Schedule

Holy Thursday, March 24

7:30 PM Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper

Good Friday, March 25

3:00 PM Celebration of the Lord's Passion

7:00 PM Stations of the Cross

Holy Saturday, March 26

10:-00—11:00 AM & 3:30—4:00 PM Confessions

11:00 AM—Blessing of Food

7:30 PM- Easter Vigil

Easter Sunday, March 27

Masses 7:30 AM—9:30 AM—11:00 AM

Note: There are no 7:45 a.m. Masses on Holy Thursday, Good Friday or Holy Saturday

Readings for the Week of March 20, 2016

Sunday: Lk 19:28-40/Is 50:4-7/Ps 22:8-9, 17-20, 23-24/Phil 2:6-11/Lk 22:14--23:56 or 23:1-49
Monday: Is 42:1-7/Ps 27:1-3, 13-14/Jn 12:1-11
Tuesday: Is 49:1-6/Ps 71:1-6, 15, 17/Jn 13:21-33, 36-38
Wednesday: Is 50:4-9a/Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31, 33-34/Mt 26:14-25
Thursday: Christ Mass: Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9/Ps 89:1-6/Rv 1:5-8/Lk 4:16-21
Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14/Ps 116:12-13, 15-18/1 Cor 11:23-26/Jn 13:1-15
Friday: Is 52:13--53:12/Ps 31:2, 6, 12-13, 15-17, 25/Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9/Jn 18:1--19:4 Saturday: Vigil: Gn 1:1--2:2 or 1:1, 26-31a/Gn 22:1-18 or 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/Ex 14:15--15:1/Is 54:5-14/Is 55:1-11/Bar 3:9-15, 32--4:4/Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23/Rom 6:3-11/Lk 24:1-12
Next Sunday: Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23/Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/Jn 20:1-9 or Lk 24:1-12 or Lk 24:13-35

Parish Support March 13, 2016

Weekly	\$8,851.00
On-line giving	<u>\$1,133.00</u>
Total	\$9,984.00

"LAUDATO SI" (Praise to you Lord) Come, study and reflect on the wisdom of Pope Francis' words in this Encyclical. Pick a day or evening session, all taking place in our Gathering Space. Sign up to attend and indicate whether you need a book or have one (needed for study.) Small Booklet \$5.00. Large Booklet with space for note taking \$10.00 - **Wednesday Sessions - March 23, April 6 (7:00-8:30 pm) Thursday Session -March 31 (1:00-2:30 PM).** The presenter is Sister Ruth Rosenbaum, TIKKUM Community. Call The Social Justice Team at 860-673-0756,673-2487,673-3435.

Pope Francis has asked our parish to support Christians in the Holy Land. Through the **Good Friday Collection** you join with Catholics around the world to stand in solidarity with the Church in the Holy Land. When you contribute to the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, you become an instrument of peace in a troubled land. Thank you for your support.

The *Archbishop's Annual Appeal* helps provide the critical funding needed to feed the hungry, shelter the homeless, counsel those in despair, offer much-needed assistance to the unemployed, and make medical care available to those without health insurance. Your gift to the 2016 Appeal will help to continue these and other vital ministries, services, and programs that reach out to so many in need. Thank you for your support.

The Women's Guild is pleased to offer *scholarships* to high school seniors who plan to continue their education beyond high school, and who are parishioners of St. Mary Church in Unionville. Applications are available on the bookshelves in the church entryways and in the guidance departments of Farmington, Avon, Lewis Mills and St. Paul High Schools. Applications must be received by: **SATURDAY, April 2, 2016**. If you have any questions, please contact Fran Javaruski at 860 404-5898.

SAVE THE DATE -Elegant Tea and Vintage Fashion Show

April 24 -2:00 PM

St. Mary -Fr. Golas Gathering Space

We need a few more Vintage(70's down) clothing to borrow from parishioners. If you have a wedding dress, flower girl dress, 70's peasant blouse, black long pants, or anything from that time period, please call Lynda Bonato @ 860 673-5251 or Barbara Costello 860 673-4207. **We also need parishioners willing to model the fashions...size 6/8 and down.**

St. Mary Parish family welcomes the following newly registered members:

Robert & Faye Ricci, Farmington
Alfred & Helen Roy, Farmington
Stephanie Smith & daughter, Farmington

From Dale Hoyt, Superintendent of Catholic Schools

On behalf of the Catholic secondary schools in the Archdiocese of Hartford, I extend my deepest gratitude to you and your St. Mary parishioners for supporting the 2016 High School Collection. Despite the winter storm on the weekend of the collection, your parish generously responded. Your support ensures that this precious formation in our faith continues for another generation of young adults who will soon be the caretakers of our society.



Who, What, Where, and When...

The Legion of Mary will again promote the *Novena of Divine Mercy*. We will pray the first day of the Novena immediately following Good Friday Services 3/25/16. Pamphlets and rosaries will be available for parishioners to pray along with us. This is a self directed Novena to pray on your own or if you wish to pray along with members of the church after morning Mass. The Novena will culminate with a Holy Hour on Sunday, April 3, Divine Mercy Sunday, 2:30PM.- 3:30PM. This is a wonderful opportunity to praise God's Divine Mercy in this, the Extra Ordinary Jubilee Year of Divine Mercy.

There will be a **22 week study of the Wisdom Books of the Old Testament**, from *Job* to *Sirach*, using the *Come and See* program, published by Emmaus Road Publishing. The workbook is entitled WISDOM and will be used in conjunction with a Catechism of the Catholic Church and either a New American Bible or The Revised Standard Version of the Bible (Catholic Edition). We will meet at the Hart House Saturday mornings from 9:00 AM to 10:30 AM. Classes will start on Saturday, April 2. If interested, please call Bob Murphy at (860) 673-9551.

Keep us informed

Please let us know if you have an address change. Many of you let us know you've moved by updating your address on your weekly envelopes. This is a great way to alert us and keep our census current. Thank you.

Visit our parish website

www.stmary-unionville.org

Request for Tax Information

If you require a "Statement of Contributions" for 2015, please complete and return this form to the rectory by mailing or placing in the weekly collection basket. E-mails requests are acceptable and may be sent to: rectory@stmary-unionville.org. **Telephone or expedited requests will not be accepted.** Thank you .

 Name

 Address