

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday,	July 16, 2016
4:30 p.m.	Joan Moynihan by family & friends
Sunday,	July 17, 2016
7:30 a.m.	Ed Welcome by his wife Judy
9:30 a.m.	Margaret Hallisey by her husband Paul Hallisey & family
11:00 a.m.	Edward & Diane Boisvert by their daughter Giselle
Monday,	July 18, 2016
7:45 a.m.	Joseph Coco by the Wierbicki family
Tuesday,	July 19, 2016
7:45 a.m.	Sebastian "Mike" Motta
Wednesday,	July 20, 2016
7:45 a.m.	Helen Motta
Thursday,	July 21, 2016
7:45 a.m.	Ronald Rimiller by his family
Friday,	July 22, 2016
7:45 a.m.	Elba deSanchez by her daughter
Saturday,	July 23, 2016
4:30 p.m.	Teresa Gondek
Sunday,	July 24, 2016
7:30 a.m.	Alice Flynn
9:30 a.m.	Suzanne Burke Lampognana by her mother
11:00 a.m.	Robert Kerr by George Kerr

Readings for the Week of July 17, 2016

Sunday:	Gn 18:1-10a/Ps 15:2-5/Col 1:24-28/Lk 10:38-42
Monday:	Mi 6:1-4, 6-8/Ps 50:5-6, 8-9, 16-17, 21, 23/Mt 12:38-42
Tuesday:	Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 85:2-8/Mt 12:46-50
Wednesday:	Jer 1:1, 4-10/Ps 71:1-6, 15, 17/Mt 13:1-9
Thursday:	Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13/Ps 36:6-11/Mt 13:10-17
Friday:	Jer 3:14-17/Jer 31:10-13/Jn 20:1-2, 11-18
Saturday:	Jer 7:1-11/Ps 84:3-6, 8, 11/Mt 13:24-30
Next Sunday:	Gn 18:20-32/Ps 138:1-3, 6-8/Col 2:12-14/Lk 11:1-13

Parish Support July 10, 2016

Weekly	\$8,726.00
On-line giving	<u>\$1,313.00</u>
Total	\$10,039.00

Calendar

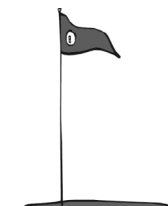
7/19	7:00 p.m.	Legion of Mary—Hospitality Room
7/20	12:30—2 p.m.	Social Justice - Gathering Space

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.

St. Mary's Human's Needs Committee extends its gratitude for the flip tabs from metal beverage containers that were collected in June. About 20 lbs. were donated for the Shriners Hospitals for Children. Thanks again. Alice Crozier(Committee Chair).



SAVE THE DATE! Tuesday, September 27, 2016 Second Annual St. Mary Star of the Sea Charity Golf Tournament

Save the date now for St. Mary Star of the Sea Second Annual Charity Golf Tournament to be held on **Tuesday, September 27 at Blue Fox Run in Avon.**

Join the over 120 participants who last year enjoyed 18 holes of golf and/or dinner, cocktails, and the chance to win fabulous raffle prizes, raising \$14,000 for The House of Bread in Hartford and Ste. Thérèse de L'Enfant Jesus in Lilavois, Haiti. For more info., please pick up a brochure located at the poster display in the Gathering Space or contact:

George Crowley 860-674-0844 (h); 860-463-2069 (c); georgecrowley@comcast.net

Dave Popielarczyk 860-675-8884 (h): 860-922-7774 (c); djpabc@hotmail.com

Shut-ins: Did you know that members of the **Legion of Mary** visit and bring Communion to patients at John Dempsey Hospital, to residents at Apple Rehab of Avon, to Avon Health Care Center, and to Touchpoints of Farmington? If you or a loved one are at any of these facilities and would like us to visit, please call: Kathy Dossot 860-673-3163-or Bob Murphy 860-673-9551-or Debbie Zengle 860-675-3678.

"Whoever Has Ears Ought to Hear" Rev. 2

Assisted listening devices are available on the table in the rear of the worship space for use during Mass.

Defending Our Religious Liberty

In his homily at the closing Mass of Fortnight for Freedom at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D.C., Bishop David Zubik commended the congregation for standing together and praying for religious freedom. He noted that just as footnotes in a term paper solidify the accuracy and strengthen the message of a point being made, "You and I are called to be footnotes, footnotes to the truth who is Jesus Christ himself."

If you haven't done so already, please voice your opposition to the federal health care mandate by calling U.S. Secretary of Health and Human Services Sylvia Mathews Burwell at 202-205-5445, and your elected representatives. Let them know that the mandate is in violation of our First Amendment right to religious freedom. If you have called, call again, our representatives need to pay attention.

POPE FRANCIS STATES in "LAUDATO SI".....In this Encyclical I would like to enter into dialogue with all people about our COMMON HOME (3)Beginning in the middle of the last century and overcoming many difficulties, there has been a growing conviction that our planet is a homeland and that humanity is one people living in a common home. (164) For more info. call Clara 860-673-0756.

Are you looking for a more disciplined walk in faith, whose chief objective is to draw closer to Christ through His Mother Mary. Try the Legion of Mary. Legion duty requires the attendance of a weekly meeting where we pray together, study a portion of the Legion Handbook and report on our works- one or more hours of service per week we offer to Our Blessed Mother, to bring her Son to fellow parishioners. For more information please contact Kathy Dossot (860) 673-3163.

Church Bulletin Bloopers

Ladies, don't forget the rummage sale. It's a chance to get rid of those things not worth keeping around the house. Bring your husbands.

Don't let worry kill you off - let the Church help.

Next Thursday there will be try-outs for the choir. They need all the help they can get.

For those of you who have children and don't know it, we have a nursery downstairs.

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

Dinner to Benefit Christian Refugees in Middle East
Come and Support this Important Cause!

St. Thomas Seminary

467 Bloomfield Ave., Bloomfield, CT.

Tuesday, July 26 from 6-9 p.m.

Keynote speaker Gabriel Said Reynolds, PhD. Professor of Islamic Studies and Theology at The University of Notre Dame, will discuss Militants, Extremism, and the Christian Genocide in the Middle East. He has appeared on major television networks and The New York Times, and written extensively on the Quran. "The Qur'an in Conversation with the Bible" is his latest book. Dinner will be authentic Middle Eastern cuisine. Tickets are \$50. All proceeds go to the Knights of Columbus Christian Refugee Relief Fund. Archbishop Leonard Blair will be in attendance. Please contact Lazarus Donabedian at 860-966-7226 or Laz@sipusa.com. Donations are welcome.

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Fridays 3-6 -Rain or Shine—July—September

Barden Farm, New Hartford -Baked goods, eggs, jams and fresh fruit & vegetables

Better Baking by Beth, Torrington -Cookies, pastries, specialty breads, gluten free products

Broad Brook Beef, Broad Brook -All-natural, hormone and anti-biotic free beef and pork

Café Louise, West Hartford -Baked goods & prepared foods

Chet's Italian ice, New Britain -Homemade Italian ice made from locally grown fruits

Culteavo, Unionville -Refreshing gourmet iced tea

George Hall Farm, Simsbury -Organic vegetables, herbs, cut flowers, eggs, honey

Late Bloomer Farm, Simsbury -Fresh flowers & organic vegetables

Lyric Hill Farm, Granby -All-natural, eco-friendly goat milk soaps

Mountain View Farm, Farmington -Fresh Vegetables & herbs

Tutenago, Farmington -Locally handcrafted tote bags

Twelve Springs, Bloomfield -Natural beauty products

Woodland Farm, South Glastonbury -Fruits, jams, vegetables, cider

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