

MASS INTENCIONS

Saturday,	October 14, 2017
4:30 p.m.	Alma Dube (2nd anniversary) by her family
Sunday,	October 15, 2017
7:30 a.m.	Pat & Paul Robotham (60th wedding anniversary)
9:30 a.m.	Special Intention for the Connors family
11:00 a.m.	John Embacher by Mr. & Mrs. Jose Marques & children
Monday,	October 16, 2017
7:45 a.m.	Sebastian "Mike" Motta
Tuesday,	October 17, 2017
7:45 a.m.	Ed Welcome by his wife Judy
Wednesday,	October 18, 2017
7:45 a.m.	Marguerite Bailey
Thursday,	October 19, 2017
7:45 a.m.	Maureen Rankin by Bob Sienko
Friday,	October 20, 2017
7:45 a.m.	Maureen Rankin by Bob Sienko
Saturday,	October 21, 2017
4:30 p.m.	In memory of Joneric Cosentino by his family
Sunday,	October 22, 2017
7:30 a.m.	Ed Welcome by his wife Judy
9:30 a.m.	Timothy Casey by his family
11:00 a.m.	James F. Quigley by his family

Readings for the Week of October 15, 2017
 Sunday: Is 25:6-10a/Ps 23:1-6/Phil 4:12-14, 19-20/Mt 22:1-14 or 22:1-10
 Monday: Rom 1:1-7/Ps 98:1-4/Lk 11:29-32
 Tuesday: Rom 1:16-25/Ps 19:2-5/Lk 11:37-41
 Wednesday: 2 Tm 4:10-17b/Ps 145:10-13, 17-18/Lk 10:1-9
 Thursday: Rom 3:21-30/Ps 130:1b-6ab/Lk 11:47-54
 Friday: Rom 4:1-8/Ps 32:1b-2, 5, 11/Lk 12:1-7
 Saturday: Rom 4:13, 16-18/Ps 105:6-9, 42-43/Lk 12:8-12
 Next Sunday: Is 45:1, 4-6/Ps 96:1, 3-5, 7-10/1 Thes 1:1-5b/Mt 22:15-21

Parish Support October 8, 2017

Weekly	\$8,637.00
On-Line giving	<u>\$1,671.00</u>
Total	\$10,308.00

The second collection this weekend is to support victims of Hurricane Irma.

Calendar

October	Food Pantry Month
10/15 2:00 p.m.	Rosary Holy Hour—St. Mary Church
10/17 9:00 a.m.	Foodshare truck—St. Mary parking lot
6:00 p.m.	Women’s Guild Pot Luck & Flower Arranging Demo—Gathering space
7:00 p.m.	Legion of Mary—Hospitality Room
10/19 7:00 p.m.	Pre-baptism class—Hart House
10/22 11:00 a.m. Mass	Choir

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.

All Souls envelopes are available for your intentions on the tables as you enter the worship space. We will place the envelopes on the altar during the month of November and I will pray for your intentions.
 Monsignor Motta

The Jubilee year of Fatima, the 100th Anniversary of the Apparitions of Our Blessed Mother to three small children is winding down, but there is still time to participate in the many graces of the Jubilee by participating in a spiritual program marking an amazing event, the Miracle of the Sun 10/13/1917 - 10/13/2017. The Legion of Mary and Eucharistic Ministers at St. Mary will hold a **Rosary Holy Hour Sunday, October 15** at 2:00 pm. at St. Mary Star of the Sea Church, Presider to be Monsignor Michael Motta. Please bring your family, friends and neighbors. For further info call Kathy Dossot at (860) 673-3163 or Fran Javaruski at (860) 404-5898.



During the month of October, the Human Needs Committee will sponsor a collection of non-perishable food items and toiletries to benefit the Farmington and Burlington Food Pantries. Currently, the following items are greatly needed: canned stews and hearty soups, canned fruit, tuna, cereal, coffee, tea, snack bars, laundry detergent, soap, lotion, and toothpaste. Thank you for your support! Please see the poster in the Gathering Space or contact Donna Dellacamera by phone 860 675-5924 or email ddellacamera@comcast.net for more information.

In his message for this year’s World Mission Sunday, Pope Francis helps us to see World Mission Sunday as a good opportunity for enabling the missionary heart of Christian communities to join in prayer, testimony of life and communion of goods in responding to the vast and pressing needs of evangelization. Thank you for your support next weekend.

FAIR TRADE SALE IS BACK!

Sat. October 21st and Sunday Oct. 22nd at all masses.

Come select your holiday gifts for your loved ones. As you do, you'll be double giving, since your purchases help our brothers and sisters in other less fortunate countries such as Haiti, El Salvador, Guatemala and Palestinian groups. Choose from the many Fair Trade gifts, such as chocolate, coffee, olive oil, tea, cocoa, jewelry, shoulder and traveling bags, wall hangings and other beautifully handcrafted gifts.

Haiti Ministry News - Many thanks to all of our wonderful community here at St. Mary Church! We raised \$3,326 with our Haiti envelopes and then had a great golf tournament that raised \$9,743.02! Your fabulous support for our friends at St. Therese is truly and greatly appreciated. Our Haiti meetings are on the second Monday of the month at 7 pm. This year we alternate our meetings between St. Mary and St. Patrick with November meeting here in the Gathering Space. We would love more people on our team! For more info contact Mary Hagadorn at mhagadorn@sbcglobal.net.

From Sister Theresa Fonti and Sister Maureen Faenza, House of Bread -The House of Bread is deeply grateful for the time, energy and generous spirit given to the annual Golf Tournament by you and your parishioners. The donation of \$6,495.34 we received is truly a generous gift and a witness of caring for others. The Tournament Committee headed by George Crowley and Dave Popielarczyk put together a good and fun-filled event. Please extend our sincere appreciation to all. On behalf of the children, women and men who turn to the House of Bread for assistance, we thank you and wish many blessings of God's peace to all.

Keeping Our Youth Safe Online: What every Adult Should Know -Featured speaker, Scott Driscoll is a law enforcement officer with 21+ years of experience. Scott started *Internet Safety Concepts* through which he educates people about safety using technology and the internet. The presentation is designed for adults to guide youth in making responsible choices in the digital world and will cover social networking, video chats, texting and sexting. The event will take place on Tuesday Nov. 7, 7:00 – 9:00 pm at St. Mark the Evangelist Church, 467 Quaker Lane S., West Hartford. To register, please contact Ginamarie at Ginamarie.garbedian@aohct.org or by phone at (860) 242-5573. Sponsored by the Archdiocesan Office for Catholic Social Justice, Office of Safe Environment, and Office of Education, Evangelizations and Catechesis

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Social Justice—The **Foodshare Truck** will be available in the Church parking lot from 9—9:30 a.m. October 17. If you have questions regarding the Foodshare truck, call Pat Robotham, Site Coordinator, at 860 673-3435.

The next **pre-baptism class** will be held on Thursday, October 19 at 7:00 p.m. in the Hart House for those who have not previously attended. You must be a registered parish member to participate. Please call the rectory by Monday, October 16 to register - 860 673-2422. The next class will be held in December.

To all Men of St. Mary Star of the Sea Parish: The **10th Annual Connecticut Catholic Men's Conference** will take place at St. Paul Catholic High School, Bristol on Saturday, October 21 from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. We're calling all men of the parish to join us for a day of dynamic speakers, deep spirituality, incredible worship and great food, fellowship and fun! The ticket price is \$45, includes lunch and may be purchased at www.CTCatholicMen.org or at the door. Registration starts at 8:00 a.m. Contact Jim Shortley 860 539-2728 jimbo05@comcast.net.

The Office for Catholic Social Justice Ministry will present awards for exceptional efforts in social justice ministry at its Annual Dinner on Tuesday, October 24 at the Aqua Turf Club in Plantsville, CT, beginning with a reception at 5 pm. Sr. Kathleen Erickson, RSM, will present the keynote address: Being honored with awards at the dinner are: Attorney Peter G. Kelly, St. Vincent de Paul Mission of Waterbury, and St. Augustine Church in Hartford. For tickets call OCSJM at: (860) 242-5573 or visit the website at www.catholicsocialjustice.org.

Worldwide Marriage Learn how to put aside the veils and masks that prevent true intimacy with your spouse by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Weekends are Nov 3-5 in Manchester, CT . For more information, call Dennis & Jane Lamondy at 860-481-3720 or visit them at <https://www.mectw.org/>.

Save the date: The Office of Education, Evangelization and Catechesis of the Archdiocese of Hartford is pleased to announce the **Archdiocesan Women's Conference** — a day to celebrate our Roman Catholic faith. The event will take place on Saturday, November 4 at the Hartford Marriott downtown in Hartford, CT and run from 9 a.m. — 5 p.m. Visit www.CatholicEdAOHCT.org for more information and to register.