



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday,	September 14, 2019
4:30 p.m.	Wil Talbot by Barbara Beloin
Sunday,	September 15, 2019
7:30 a.m.	Helen Motta
9:30 a.m.	Joseph Perotta (1st anniversary) by Donna D'Angelo
11:00 a.m.	James V. Gulino (20th anniversary) by his family
Monday,	September 16, 2019
7:45 a.m.	Ed Welcome by his wife Judy
Tuesday,	September 17, 2019
7:45 a.m.	Communion Service
Wednesday,	September 18, 2019
7:45 a.m.	Communion Service
Thursday,	September 19, 2019
7 45 a.m.	Communion Service
Friday,	September 20, 2019
7:45 a.m.	Fr. Robert St. Martin
Saturday,	September 21, 2019
4:30 p.m.	Rolande & Louis Genest by family
Sunday,	September 22, 2019
7:30 a.m.	St. Mary Parish
9:30 a.m.	Sebastian "Mike" Motta
11:00 a.m.	Angela Adams by Mary Rolka

Readings for the week of September 15, 2019

Sunday: Ex 32:7-11, 13-14/Ps 51 3-4, 12-13, 17, 19 [Lk 15:18]/1 Tm 1:12-17/Lk 15:1-32 or 15:1-10
 Monday: 1 Tm 2:1-8/Ps 28:2, 7, 8-9 [6]/Lk 7:1-10
 Tuesday: 1 Tm 3:1-13/Ps 101:1b-2ab, 2cd-3ab, 5, 6 [2]/Lk 7:11-17
 Wednesday: 1 Tm 3:14-16/Ps 111:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [2]/Lk 7:31-35
 Thursday: 1 Tm 4:12-16/Ps 111:7-8, 9, 10 [2]/Lk 7:36-50
 Friday: 1 Tm 6:2c-12/Ps 49:6-7, 8-10, 17-18, 19-20/Lk 8:1-3
 Saturday: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 [5]/Mt 9:9-13
 Next Sunday: Am 8:4-7/Ps 113:1-2, 4-6, 7-8 [cf. 1a, 7b]/1 Tm 2:1-8/Lk 16:1-13 or 16:10-13

Parish Support September 8, 2019

Weekly	\$ 8,403.00
On-line giving	<u>\$ 1,604.00</u>
	\$10,007.00

The second collection this weekend supports our Haiti Ministry.

Calendar

9/17	9:00 a.m. Foodshare truck—St. Mary parking lot 6:15 p.m. Legion of Mary—Hospitality Room
9/19	6:30 p.m. The Tuning Point—Young Adult Bible Study
9/22	9:30 a.m. Little Stars

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Are you an early riser? Want to do more for our parish? Did you know that a volunteer opens church every morning, sets up for Mass, maintains the votive candle display, is responsible for emptying the votive candle donation box, launders & irons the linens used at Mass? We seek one or more reliable volunteers to participate in a weekly or monthly rotation of tasks and/or can be "On Call" as a substitute. If you are a parishioner who attends Daily (or Weekend) Mass on a regular basis, and have a desire to help with any of these tasks, please contact Lynne Murphy @ 870-673-9551.



The Human Needs Committee will begin the 2019/2020 calendar year with a meeting on Wednesday, September 25 at 7 pm in the gathering space. We assist families and individuals in our community and the greater Hartford Area, in partnership with local social service agencies and charitable organizations. Please consider joining us, and our mission to respond with compassion and loving action to others in need. New members and new ideas are always welcome! For more information, please contact Donna Dellacamera at 860 675-5924, or ddellacamera@comcast.net.

The second collection next week is in support of HOPES (Help Our Parish Elementary Schools). This collection significantly benefits the Catholic elementary schools in the Archdiocese of Hartford by providing schools with individual HOPES Grants. Last year's grants helped support: Technology—Chromebooks, iPads, Robotics, laptop computers; Security upgrades: PA systems new security cameras. Thank you for helping our Catholic elementary schools in their mission of education and evangelization.

Visit our parish website

www.stmary-unionville.org

***Fifth Annual St. Mary Star of the Sea
Charity Golf Tournament—Blue Fox Run— Avon
September 24 -Rain Date-October 1, 2019***

Join the over 150 participants who last year enjoyed the event. This year’s event includes golf, box lunch, dinner, and cocktails, and the chance to win fabulous prizes, all for \$125 per each golfer. Or just join us for dinner and cocktails for \$40 per individual. For more info. please see the poster in the gathering space or contact Carol L’Heureux-860-307-1199 (c), 860-675-1430 (h), c.lheureux@comast.net; 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.

FOOD COLLECTION for our friends at Westerleigh

Now that summer is over, our parish is resuming collection of nutritious food for our elderly, low income and/or disabled friends at Westerleigh during the first 3 weekends of September. The items to be collected are ONLY the following items, to make a healthy, hearty BBQ Beef & Bowtie Dinner:

- 32 oz. (1 quart) Beef Broth
- Small bottle of PLAIN Barbecue Sauce
- 12 oz. can of corn kernels
- 1 lb. box of Bowtie Pasta
- 12 oz. bag of shredded Cheddar Cheese

Please put the cheese into the fridge in the Gathering Space. Please bring your donations by September 22. View the display in the Gathering Space for sample ingredients. Please do NOT donate items which are NOT on the list. If you have questions please contact Lynne Murphy at 860-673-9551. Thank you and may God bless you all for your very generous donations toward this program. It is very much appreciated & great stewardship to those in need.

Exactly, what do we mean by global solidarity?

The principle of Solidarity, is not a passive one or a mere academic idea. It should be understood as a fleeting awareness of others less fortunate. Nor should it be understood as simply prompting temporary assistance to those in need. Instead, Solidarity is an active principle that engages the whole person. Solidarity must be understood as a conviction that begins with feeling, involves conversion, and ends in personal commitment in action. Katherine Feeley, SND More on Solidarity next week.....

For Your Information

Are we recycling right? -Presenter Sharon Baldwin, Environmental Analyst III, CT DEEP, will talk about recycling, including what goes in the bin, what stays out, and the impact of China's National sword on Connecticut's recycling programs. Join her at Farmington Main Library on Monday September 16 at 6:30 pm. Ms. Baldwin has worked sustainable materials management for over 30 years at DEEP since 2008.

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

Reminder: Study Series for Young Adults -The Turning Point study series will begin on September 19 at 6:30PM. This series is for young adults looking to deepen their faith experience. Go to the Youth Ministry Web Portal on the parish website for more information.

12th Annual Connecticut Catholic Men’s Conference

*St. Paul Catholic H.S., Bristol, CT
Saturday, October 19, 2019*

Buy tickets online www.ctcatholicmen.org
Doors open 7:30 a.m. and the event concludes with the Vigil Mass at 4 p.m. We’re calling all men of the parish to join us for a day of dynamic speakers, exhibitors, incredible worship, confession, adoration, fellowship and food! Our lineup includes Fr. John Bartunek, Dan Burke and Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers. Our opening speaker is Bishop Juan Miguel Betancourt and the MC will be Sam Todzia. Ticket price is \$45, includes lunch. Ticket prices rise 3 days before the event and at the door—so buy them now. Contact Jim Shortley at 860 677-0556 with questions.

The next ***pre-baptism class*** for those who have not previously attended will be held on ***Thursday, October 24*** at 7:00 p.m. in the Hart House. You must be a registered parish member to participate. The next class will be held in December 2019. ***Please call the rectory by Tuesday, October 22 to register.***

Did you Know? Our parish bulletins are available on our website: www.stmary-unionville.org