



Saturday,	November 16, 2019
4:30 p.m.	Jim & Sue Shortley (50th wedding anniversary)
Sunday,	November 17 2019
7:30 a.m.	Ed Welcome by his wife Judy
9:30 a.m.	Joseph Colette by Maureen & Sal Acampora
11:00 a.m.	St. Mary Parish
Monday,	November 18, 2019
7:45 a.m.	Anne Dawson
Tuesday,	November 19, 2019
7:45 a.m.	John Horrigan by the Proto family
Wednesday,	November 20, 2019
7:45 a.m.	Howard Miller by Nina & Dave Miller
Thursday,	November 21, 2019
7 45 a.m.	Everett Pelkey by Judy Welcome
Friday,	November 22, 2019
7:45 a.m.	Sebastian "Mike" Motta
Saturday,	November 23, 2019
4:30 p.m.	Rosemarie McMahan by her son (3rd anniversary)
Sunday,	November 24, 2019
7:30 a.m.	Marylin Thomas by her family
9:30 a.m.	Joel Yabrosky by his family
11:00 a.m.	Lillian Clark by her family

Readings for the week of November 17, 2019

Sunday: Mal 3:19-20a/Ps 98:5-6, 7-8, 9 [cf. 9]/2 Thes 3:7-12/Lk 21:5-19

Monday: 1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63/Ps 119:53, 61, 134, 155, 158 [cf. 88]/Lk 18:35-43

Tuesday: 2 Mc 6:18-31/Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [6b]/Lk 19:1-10

Wednesday: 2 Mc 7:1, 20-31/Ps 17:1bcd, 5-6, 8b and 15 [15b]/Lk 19:11-28

Thursday: 1 Mc 2:15-29/Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15 [23b]/Lk 19:41-44

Friday: 1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59/1 Chrn 29:10bcd, 11abc, 11d-12a, 12bcd [13b]/Lk 19:45-48

Saturday: 1 Mc 6:1-13/Ps 9:2-3, 4 and 6, 16 and 19 [cf. 16a]/Lk 20:27-40

Next Sunday: 2 Sm 5:1-3/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5 [cf. 1]/Col 1:12-20/Lk 23:35-43

Parish Support November 10, 2019

Weekly	\$ 8,865.00
On-line giving	<u>\$ 1,461.00</u>
Total	\$10,326.00
Military Services Collection	\$3,260.00

Calendar

11/19	6:15 p.m. Legion of Mary—Hospitality Room
11/23	4:30 p.m. Choir
11/26	9:30 a.m. Little Stars

The sanctuary candle will burn this week in memory of:
Michael Vacca
 This is a venerable tradition and we ask you to keep him in your prayers.

PIANO CONCERT NEXT WEEKEND-Rick Daddario will present his annual concert in our church, next Sunday, November 24 at 2:00 pm. Refreshments will be provided following the performance. His repertoire/playlist will consist of music favorites from Hollywood and Broadway - and from renowned artists such as Frank Sinatra, Billy Joel, Christina Perri, Elton John, the Beatles, and others. **ADMISSION IS FREE** - but those who wish to, may make a free will offering to benefit the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, CT Chapter. 100% of all money collected will be donated to the Chapter. Come and enjoy.



Children's Christmas Party and Ornament Workshop -
 The Knights of Columbus and the Fun Committee present a combined event: **The Children's Christmas Party and Ornament Workshop** on Sunday, December 8 from 1:00 to 4:00 pm at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 301 New Britain Ave, Unionville. All children, grandchildren and friends of K of C members and St. Mary Star of the Sea parishioners are welcome to attend. Children should be ages 12 and under. This year, the party includes Magic of Kevin Aust, 3 cute ornament projects, Face Painting, a Twelve Days of Christmas Raffle, and a visit from Santa and Mrs. Claus! Please sign up for the event no later than December 2 so we can properly prepare for the special day. Sign Up Sheets will be in the Fr. Golas Gathering space at church, K of C Hall or call Olivia or Timothy Germano at (860) 678-0597 or (860) 212-2516.

Next week, our special collection will support the **Catholic Campaign for Human Development**. More than 46 million people in the United States live in poverty today. This collection supports programs that empower people to identify and address obstacles as they work to make permanent and positive changes for their communities. Learn more about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development at www.usccb.org/cchd/collection.

FOOD COLLECTION for our friends at Westerleigh

For the November 2019 collection, our elderly, low income and/or disabled friends at Westerleigh will be making Strawberry stuffed French Toast.



The items to be collected are ONLY the following items:

8 oz. low fat Cream Cheese (aka Neufchatel)

Please put the Cream Cheese IN THE FRIDGE in the Church Kitchen area

12 oz jar of Strawberry Jam

12 oz can of low-fat Evaporated Milk

Please bring your donations by November 24. See the display in the Gathering Space for sample ingredients. We ask that you please do NOT donate items which are NOT on the list. If you have questions please contact Lynne Murphy at [860-673-9551](tel:860-673-9551). Thank you and may God bless you all for your continued generosity.

For Your Information

Please join us at the **House of Bread Annual Hunger Banquet** on Wednesday, November 20 from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in the Franciscan Urban Center, 285 Church St., Hartford, CT. The Hunger Banquet commemorates the 40th Anniversary kickoff event for the House of Bread. We would love to see you all at this fundraiser.

St. Ann Craft Fair- Saturday, November 23—8:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.-St. Ann Church Hall-215 West St. Bristol CT -Free Admission, Ample Parking

St. Paul Catholic High School will hold their **Placement Exam** on Saturday, December 14 at 8am. This exam is for prospective 9th and 10th grade students. A financial aid session will be held at St. Paul from 8:00am - approximately 9:00 am. Register for the exam online at www.spchs.com or contact the Admissions Office at admissions@spchs.com to schedule a day for your child to shadow for a day.



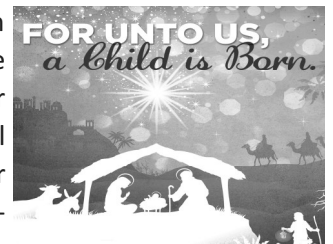
Come Bee An Altar Server

Just bee-lieve in yourself! You can do it! Any student in 4th grade or higher who is interested in serving our parish can contact st.marys.peerconnections@gmail.com. Information cards are located in the back of the church or in the Hart House.

Winter Comfort Care Packages

Over the past four years our Youth Ministry program along with our Religious Education program have provided over 200 care packages to elderly or home-bound neighbors in our communities. This simple care packages contain items like toothbrushes, packets of coffee and tea, puzzle books and cozy socks. While the package itself is simple, the impact is huge. We are telling our neighbors that we care about them and pray for them. If you would like to donate or help pack on December 7, go to the Youth Ministry Web Portal on the parish website for more information.

This year the St. Mary Church **Christmas Pageant** will take place on Sunday, December 22 at 4:30. Rehearsals will begin on Sunday, November 24 in the church from 4:30-5:30 and will take place each



Sunday until the Pageant. Feel free to text the number 860-839-9062 if you are interested in participating. It is a great way to learn more about the meaning behind Christmas and to have fun with all your friends! We hope to see you there!

From the Farmington Food Pantry

On behalf of the Farmington Food Pantry, thank you for designating the pantry as the recipient of donations from your semi-annual food drive. The pantry was grateful to receive 75.55 pounds of Food on October 7, 163 lbs. of food on October 15 and 210 pounds on October 31. These donations are greatly appreciated and have made an immediate difference in the Farmington Food Pantry's efforts to support our neighbors in need. Please accept our heart-felt thanks for your continued commitment and support to the Farmington Food Pantry.

Visit our parish website

www.stmary-unionville.org