



Saturday,	November 28, 2020
4:30 p.m.	Geneveve Onyiuke by the Onyiuke family
Sunday,	November 29, 2020
7:30 a.m.	Robert Flower by the Flower family
9:30 a.m.	Rachel Bush by family
11:00 a.m.	Tom Reilly St. Mary's Choir
Monday,	November 30, 2020
7:45 a.m.	Jean Shannon by the McCluskey family
Tuesday,	December 1, 2020
7:45 a.m.	St. Mary Parish
Wednesday,	December 2, 2020
7:45 a.m.	Angela Sienko (5th anniversary) by her family
Thursday,	December 3, 2020
7:45 a.m.	Grace Murphy Clancy by her son
Friday,	December 4, 2020
7:45 a.m.	Josephine Pahl by Mr. & Mrs. Richard Newton
Saturday,	December 5, 2020
4:30 p.m.	Eugene Huppe (6th anniversary) by his family
Sunday,	December 6, 2020
7:30 a.m.	For an End to the Pandemic
9:30 a.m.	Ryan Davies by his mother Lisa Varian
11:00 a.m.	For Healthcare Workers

Readings for the week of November 29, 2020
 Sunday: Is 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7/Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19 [4]/1 Cor 1:3-9/Mk 13:33-37
 Monday: Rom 10:9-18/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 [10]/Mt 4:18-22
 Tuesday: Is 11:1-10/ Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17 [cf. 7]/Lk 10:21-24
 Wednesday: Is 25:6-10a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [6cd]/Mt 15:29-37
 Thursday: Is 26:1-6/Ps 118:1 and 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a [26a]/Mt 7:21, 24-27
 Friday: Is 29:17-24/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 [1a]/Mt 9:27-31
 Saturday: Is 30:19-21, 23-26/Ps 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [cf. Is 30:18d]/Mt 9:35—10:1, 5a, 6-8
 Next Sunday: Is 40:1-5, 9-11/Ps 85:9-10, 11-12, 13-14 [8]/2 Pt 3:8-14/Mk 1:1-8

We will celebrate one Mass at 7:45 a.m. on December 8, The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

To All Parishioners:
 We have received a dispensation from the Obligation to attend Mass on Sundays and Holy Days until **Tuesday, February 16, 2021.** This is the day before Ash Wednesday.
 As Covid increases, I encourage people **not to attend Mass** if you think that you might be susceptible to the disease. We are in the process of deciding if we can have Mass on Christmas.
 Weekend Masses have resumed in our parish at our regularly scheduled times:
Saturday: 4:30 p.m.
Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
 Confessions have also resumed at 3:30 p.m. on Saturday.

As the COVID pandemic continues, we'd like to do everything possible to ensure your safety.

- Please keep 6 feet between your family and the next when sitting in the pews.
- Please wear your mask, covering your nose and your mouth, at all times even when coming up for communion.
- Communion lines will be 1 line in each aisle, maintaining 6 feet between people.
- After communion please move to the side, raise your mask slightly, and consume the host.
- Please use hand sanitizer before and after Mass.

Thank you all for your cooperation.

WELCOME

St. Mary parish family welcomes the following newly baptized members:
Henry Michael Felton

St. Mary parish welcomes the following newly registered members:
Jennifer Silva and Chris Roselli, Farmington

Parish Support November 22, 2020

Weekly	\$5,217.00
On-line Giving	<u>\$2,151.00</u>
Total	\$7,368.00

Thank you!



The Human Needs committee is sponsoring the Christmas Giving Tree to support local charities and those in need. A few modifications have been made because of the current Covid 19 pandemic. This year, only gift cards or monetary donations have been requested. Instead of tags on the tree, envelopes addressed to each organization will be available on tables in the gathering space for the next 2 weeks. If you would like to participate, please take an envelope for the charity that you wish to help. Please return the envelope and the specified gift card or donation to the locked wooden box under the tree, by DECEMBER 13. The name and address of each organization supported by our Christmas Giving Tree is also available on the parish website and Facebook page. If you prefer, you may mail your gift directly.

Every Winter Comfort Packages are given to home-bound individuals receiving Meals on Wheels from Services for the Elderly of Farmington. Small gifts were collected through CCD Classes at the Hart House. Since all religious education is online, at home this year we invite parishioners to participate in helping our neighbors know that are not alone! These items are requested to support approx. 13 men and 27 women. Dollar Store or Ocean State Job lot is a great source for these items

- Gloves (small 2-pack)
- Socks (non skid, various colors)
- Puzzle Books (large print)
- 2021 Pocket Calendars (small size)
- Bar Soap (moisturizing)
- No Food or candy, please

Candle Offering Reminder-The votive candles located in our worship space beneath the statue of our Blessed Mother are available for your lighting in prayerful remembrance and special intention. The suggested offering is \$1.00 and is to be placed into the self-contained box located in the center between the two racks. Please remember to light a candle from the top rows DOWN, to avoid the risk of injury which can be caused by placing your arm over a lighted votive. Thank you.

For Your Information



A meeting of the newly formed Women's Cancer Support Group is scheduled for **Monday, November 30 at 7:00 pm via Zoom**. The purpose of the Group is to provide emotional and spiritual support and the opportunity for social interaction and outreach to women battling cancer. All parishioners are welcome to participate. For more information and to register, please contact Gina at 860-989-4768.

The Legion of Mary now meets every Tuesday at 4pm via Zoom. It's been very successful. We pray for all prayer intentions placed in the box in front of the Statue of Joseph.

The Shrine of Lourdes in Litchfield's Annual Living Nativity has been cancelled due to the rising number of Covid-19 cases in Connecticut.

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