



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

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| Saturday, 4:30 p.m. | October 2, 2021 Joseph Colette (2nd anniversary) by Maureen & Sal Acampora |
| Sunday, 7:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m. | October 3, 2021 Angela Sienko by her family Maureen Lyons (5th anniversary) by her family Marion Motta |
| Monday, 7:45 a.m. | October 4, 2021 St. Mary Parish |
| Tuesday, 7:45 a.m. | October 5, 2021 Communion Service |
| Wednesday, 7:45 a.m. | October 6, 2021 Communion Service |
| Thursday, 7:45 a.m. | October 7, 2021 Marion Motta |
| Friday, 7:45 a.m. | October 8, 2021 Ted Eddy |
| Saturday, 4:30 p.m. | October 9, 2021 Geraldine Bielomyza |
| Sunday, 7:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m. | October 10, 2021 Marion Motta Joseph Germano (36th anniversary) & the Germano family by family John Embacher by Mr. & Mrs. Jose Marques & grandchildren |

Readings for the week of October 3, 2021

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| Sunday: | Gn 2:18-24/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 [cf. 5]/Heb 2:9-11/Mk 10:2-16 or 10:2-12 |
| Monday: | Jon 1:1—2:2, 11/Jon 2:3, 4, 5, 8/Lk 10:25-37 |
| Tuesday: | Jon 3:1-10/Ps 130:1b-2, 3-4ab, 7-8 [3]/Lk 10:38-42 |
| Wednesday: | Jon 4:1-11/Ps 86:3-4, 5-6, 9-10 [15]/Lk 11:1-4 |
| Thursday: | Mal 3:13-20b/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [Ps 40:5a]/Lk 11:5-13 |
| Friday: | Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2/Ps 9:2-3, 6 and 16, 8-9 [9]/Lk 11:15-26 |
| Saturday: | Jl 4:12-21/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12 [12a]/Lk 11:27-28 |
| Next Sunday: | Wis 7:7-11/Ps 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 [14]/Heb 4:12-13/Mk 10:17-30 or 10:17-27 |

Parish Support September 26, 2021

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| Weekly | \$6,756.00 |
| On-line Giving | \$1,530.00 |
| Total | \$8,286.00 |
| HOPES | \$1,527.00 |

Thank you!

Calendar
10/4 7:00 p.m. Legion of Mary—Hospitality Room

COVID Safety

Due to the threat of the spread of Covid-19, **everyone should resume wearing masks in church.**

Please continue to:

- Use the hand sanitizer provided upon entering the Worship Space.
- Maintain social distance between your family and others as much as possible.
- Refrain from holding hands during the Our Father or shaking hands during the Sign of Peace.
- Receive Communion in your hands only.
- Avoid attending Mass if you or any family members are feeling ill.

Thank you for your cooperation with these procedures to keep everyone safe and healthy.

Retirement PARTY

Please come join us in thanking Monsignor for his service and guidance to our Parish and our community. We will have light refreshments and cake! Msgr Motta's retirement party will be held on Sunday, Nov. 14 at 2:00 p.m. in the Gathering Space. Please RSVP to Jackalyn Gray at Jgray790@comcast.net or sign up on the sheets in the Gathering Space so we can get an accurate head count for food.

During the month of October, the Human Needs committee will be collecting non-perishable food items for the Farmington and Burlington food pantries. In our area, food insecurity affects 1 in 9. Behind these statistics, are real people, our neighbors who are in need. If you can, please help. Every bit makes a difference!

Non perishable, non-expired items may be left in the Gathering Space all weekends in October. Monetary donations are also gratefully accepted and may be sent directly to Farmington Food Pantry, PO Box 84, Farmington CT 06032, or Burlington Social Services, 200 Spielman Highway, Burlington, CT 06013. Thank you for your generosity.



St. Paul Catholic High School has announced its **open house campus tour dates for this Fall**. All tours are by appointment and each family will take a guided tour around our campus building. St. Paul is taking all safety precautions for these in-person tours. Come with your mask and we will keep socially distant! Visit spchs.com/openhouse to register for an appointment time on **October 16 or November 20 with appointments beginning at 10:00 am**. St. Paul Catholic High School has scheduled two **Placement Exam dates** for prospective grade 9 and grade 10 students. This exam will be held at the school on **Saturday, November 6 and Saturday, December 11 both beginning at 8:00 am**. To register, visit spchs.com/placementexam.

September 2021 marks the beginning of the Centennial celebration of the **Legion of Mary** and runs until November 2022. The Legion of Mary is a worldwide Catholic lay organization. The Legion of Mary will be offering several programs over the year in Thanksgiving of all the graces Our Blessed Mother has bestowed on our Active and Auxiliary Members.



St. Mary Parish family welcomes the following newly registered members:

*Kelly Conlon & David Grabowski, Canton
Dennis & Sally Oligino Avon*

Welcome

We welcome all who celebrate with us at St. Mary Star of the Sea whether visitors, long-time residents or newly arrived at our parish. If you are not a registered member of our parish community, please complete a census form located on the table inside the worship space and return it to the rectory. It is necessary to be registered to arrange baptisms, marriages, enroll in Religious Education classes and to obtain sponsor certificates.

Did you know? You can receive our bulletin directly in your email inbox? Go to www.parishesonline.com



For Your Information

The Church of St. Ann welcomes you to a teaching and exposition of Sacred Relics. Over 150 relics will be shown, some as old as 2,000 years held in the Church on Monday, October 4 at 6:30 p.m. There will be a fragment of the Veil that belonged to Our Lady and some of the largest remaining pieces of the Wood of the True Cross in the world. For more information contact Church of St. Ann, 860 673-9858.

Marriage Anniversary Celebration— All those in the Archdiocese of Hartford who have or will be celebrating significant wedding anniversaries in 2020 and 2021 are invited to join Archbishop Blair for this special anniversary Mass at the Cathedral of Saint Joseph on **Sunday, October 10 at 2:00 p.m.** To register go to: bit.ly/aohmarriage Couples attending the Mass are allowed to bring as many guests as they would like to celebrate with them on that day. If you have any trouble submitting the form, please contact Fr. Matthew Gworek in the Office of the Archbishop fr.gworek@aohct.org 860 541-6491.

Women's Guild

Due to wearing of masks at Church, we are delaying Saturday Cheese & Crackers and Coffee Sunday until further notice. Membership for the year is now open for enrollment. Please use your envelope marked Women's Guild or put dues in envelope with name, address, phone, email address and put in collection basket at Church. Dues are only \$5.00 per year. It's a great way to support our Parish and our members. Please join us in the Gathering Space for our **first membership meeting October 12 at 7 P.M.** For more information contact Jackalyn Gray 860-490-8835, jgray790@comcast.net or see message board in Gathering Space. God Bless Our Parish

All Members of the Parish

Come and sign **Christmas Cards for our Troops and Veterans October 17 at 1 P.M.** in Gathering Space. We will have cards to sign. If you would like to donate cards (glitter free & no envelopes) you can leave them in Gathering Space. This is an annual event to show our support. Any questions contact Jackalyn Gray jgray790@comcast.net or 860-490-8835

Parish Prayer Line—If you or someone in your family is in need of prayers and would like to be added to our parish prayer list, please call Joyce Cruess at (860) 673-2945.

