


*The Roman Catholic Parishes of
St. Ann, Lenox, MA and
St. Patrick, West Stockbridge, MA*

July 15, 2018



15th Sunday
IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out two by two and gave them authority over unclean spirits. - Mk 6:7

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

*Join us on Sunday for more fun!
Our Pancake breakfast starts at 8
and Mass under the tent starts at
11:15. At 12:30 we will draw our
raffle and theme basket winners!
You don't have to be present to
win but then you'd miss out on
free ice cream for all at our Ice
Cream Social. Come on by for just
a little more fun before back to
work on Monday!*

A Berkshire Community Celebration

St. Ann's Summer Festival

July
14-15
2018



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MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday	July	14	4:00 p.m.	<i>Jim Prince, req. by his wife and family</i>
Sunday	July	15	9:45 a.m.	<i>Joseph Corrigan, req. by Paula Dambrauskas</i>
			11:15 a.m.	<i>Elizabeth Murray-Beimers, req. by her family</i>
Monday	July	16	7:00 a.m.	<i>The soccer team, their coach, and their amazing rescuers, in Thailand</i>
Tuesday	July	17	7:00 a.m.	<i>Deceased Bishops of our Diocese</i>
Wednesday	July	18	7:00 a.m.	<i>Deceased members Rte 9 Meals on Wheels, req. by their driver</i>
Thursday	July	19	7:00 a.m.	<i>Deceased Pastors of the parish</i>
Friday	July	20	7:00 a.m.	<i>Communion Service</i>
Saturday	July	21	4:00 p.m.	<i>Norma and Philip Formel</i>
			5:30 p.m.	<i>St. Vincent de Paul Church – Jim Turner</i>
Sunday	July	22	8:30 a.m.	<i>St. Patrick Church — Angelo Gennari, Jr.</i>
			9:45 a.m.	<i>Larry and Pat Anzivino</i>
			11:15 a.m.	<i>Mass For the People of St. Ann, St. Patrick, & St. Vincent de Paul parishes</i>

Please pray for the **deceased including Mary Chague** and the sick.

ST. ANN STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE
“Month of May Collection” Summary

AS OF JUNE 30, 2018

“LAST MONTH WEEKLY COLLECTIONS:”	\$ 17,137
JUNE WESHARE:	\$ 4,685
JUNE TOTALS: WEEKLY COLLECTIONS:	\$ 21,822
AMOUNT NEEDED FOR MONTH OF JUNE	\$ 20,000
AMOUNT NEEDED JULY-JUNE	\$ 260,000
AMOUNT RECEIVED:	\$ 282,469
TOTAL OVER BUDGET	\$ 22,469

Please consider using WeShare for your contributions
<https://stannlenox.churchgiving.com>

THANK YOU! WE DEPEND ON YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT

Weekly Envelopes:

This Weekend: Regular Weekly/Church in Eastern and Central Europe

Next Weekend: Regular Weekly

IF YOU WOULD LIKE OUR SANCTUARY CANDLE TO BURN FOR SOMEONE YOU LOVE, PLEASE GIVE DEBBIE A CALL IN THE CHURCH OFFICE AT 637-0157. COST IS \$14 FOR 2 WEEKS.

RESTROOMS AT ST. ANN’S are located in our Family Center. To access them from the church, please exit the church using the side door nearest to the candles on the left side of the church.

WeShare — Our Online Giving Program

Liturgical Publications Inc., has purchased ParishPay, our on-line giving program. The new name is **WeShare** and the new link to sign up or make changes to an existing account is:

<https://stannlenox.churchgiving.com>

Gluten Free hosts are available to those who cannot receive hosts with gluten. Please take communion in the line with Msgr. John and tell him you need the gluten-free host as you approach him for communion.

Check us out on Facebook. Like us at:
St. Ann Parish Lenox,MA

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

	<u>LECTORS</u>	<u>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS</u>	<u>ALTAR SERVERS</u>
WEEKEND OF JULY 14 & 15			
Saturday	4 p.m. N. Roche	F. McClenachan, C. Meisberger	JT Novitsky
Sunday	THERE WILL BE NO 9:45 MASS ON THIS SUMMER FESTIVAL WEEKEND		
Under the big tent	11:15 a.m. J. Coxon	K. DeVlyder, L. Franzoni	Volunteer needed
WEEKEND OF JULY 21 & 22			
Saturday	4 p.m. J. Tremblay	M. Tremblay, S. Merlino	M. & T. Novitsky
Sunday	9:45 a.m. B. Corby	K. Mackenzie, G. McCormack	M. Ward
	11:15 a.m. J. Healy	T. Romeo, D. Zola	Volunteer needed

COFFEE HOUR TEAMS FOR THE NEXT TWO WEEKS

July 22nd - Team #4 Captain: Andrew & Melissa Minkler

Bakers: Penny Saupé, Jeanne Schnackenberg, Jen Jaehnig, Mark & Molly Elliot, Maren Jacobs

July 29th - Team #5 Captain: Amy Novitsky

Helpers: Dick and Jean Drees, Marybeth Mitts.
Bakers: L. Vitale, Gaye Weinberger.

THE FUN ISN'T OVER YET!!

At 12:30 p.m. today, stop by for our Ice Cream Social—enjoy a free ice cream courtesy of **The Scoop**.

We will also be drawing our theme basket winners and our cash raffle winners. (You don't have to be present to win either)

**ST. ANN TO HOST HUBBARD QUARTET
IN FREE CONCERT**

The Hubbard Quartet is a group of professional musicians and friends from Boston University's Tanglewood Institute who met in Lenox when they shared accommodations on Hubbard Street.

They are excited to return to Lenox and perform on Monday Aug. 6th at 7:30 p.m. at St. Ann Church.

Please come and enjoy a beautiful evening of Haydn, Barwick, Zupnik and Lewis.

Admission is free of charge.

LOOKING AHEAD ~ St Ann's Holiday Music Concert, presented by the St Ann Music Ensembles, will be Saturday, Dec 1st, at 6:30 p.m. with many guest singers and instrumentalists! Mark your calendars today and watch future bulletins for more details as we get closer to the date!

**CATHOLIC COMMUNICATIONS PROGRAMS ON
THE AIR IN BERKSHIRE COUNTY**

A reminder that Berkshire Catholics can once again enjoy our diocesan TV programs, Real to Reel & the Chalice of Salvation Sunday mornings on WXXA, Fox 23 Albany. Starting at 5:30 a.m. you can view the weekly newsmagazine program Real to Reel, followed at 6 a.m. by the televised Mass the Chalice of Salvation. (Those with DVR boxes can program them to record each program for viewing at your leisure.)

Full versions of both programs can also be viewed at www.iobserve.org starting the Monday after broadcast

**OUR SANCTUARY CANDLE
BURNS FOR
THE PARISHIONERS OF ST. ANN**

We have several openings in July, Aug. and Sept. if you would like to have our Sanctuary Candle burn for your intentions. July 22-Aug. 4, Aug. 17—Sept. 1, and Sept. 2-15th—each for 2 weeks.

If you would like to reserve any of these times, give Debbie a call in the church office and let her know.



During these hot summer days, Monsignor John wants you to know that it's okay to bring a bottle of water into church with you during Mass.

JULY 15, 2018

Saint Patrick Church

West Stockbridge, MA

Mass Intention for July 15, 2018

Elizabeth Gennari, req. by Christine Gennari Delmolino

	<u>LECTOR</u>	<u>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER</u>	<u>ALTAR SERVER</u>
WEEKEND OF JULY 15 8:30 a.m.	J. Kujawski	L. Fields, V. D'Aniello	L. O'Gara
WEEKEND OF JULY 22 8:30 a.m.	K. Davis	K. Davis, V. D'Aniello	L. O'Gara

ST. PATRICK STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Collection on July 1, 2018

Weekly	\$	1,310.00
Bldg.	\$	25.00
Peter's Pence	\$	20.00
Chr. Centl Amer.	\$.....	5.00
Fuel	\$	118.00
Total	\$	1,478.00

Cemetery \$ 150.00

Collection on July 8, 2018

Weekly	\$	1,061.00
Fuel.	\$	65.00
Centl & Eastern Eurp	\$	25.00
Total	\$	1,151.00

Cemetery \$ 28.00

UPCOMING EVENTS SCHEDULED FOR ST. PATRICK'S PARISH CENTER

SUN. JULY 15: Coffee Hour following Mass

SUN. JULY 22: Coffee Hour following Mass

SUN. JULY 29: Coffee Hour following Mass

Coffee Hour- Please join us today in the parish center after the 8:30 a.m. Sunday morning Mass, for a variety of light breakfast snacks as well as coffee, tea, etc. All are welcome!



If you would like to reserve our Parish Center for your meeting or event, please start with a call to the parish office and speak to Margot to check for availability, 232-4427.

WEEKLY ENVELOPES:

THIS WEEKEND: Regular Weekly/Building Maintenance

NEXT WEEKEND: Regular Weekly

THE ALIGHT BABY BOTTLE DRIVE HAS BEGUN! The Alight Care Center offers support to mothers and families serving the community with free programs, pregnancy tests and ultra-sounds. You will find bottles in the rear of the Church. Please fill them with your loose change in support of the good work of this organization. The Baby Bottle Drive ends on Labor Day. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

ST. PATRICK'S PRAYER LINE

St. Patrick's parish has a prayer line network for anyone needing prayers. To request a prayer be said or if you would like to be a volunteer on the prayer network please call Karen Zick at 413-232-7750. It's okay to leave a message on the machine.

Used Clothing Drop-Off Shed ~ Please remember our used clothing drop-off shed. All clothing, shoes, sneakers, belts, purses, blankets, sheets, pillowcases, drapes, and stuffed toys will be accepted.

JULY MEETINGS & EVENTS

(All events held in St. Ann's Family Center unless otherwise noted)

- **SUMMER FESTIVAL:** Saturday July 14 & Sunday, July 15th.
- **FINANCE COUNCIL MEETING:** Tuesday, July 31st, 6 p.m.
- **ST. ANN'S WALKING GROUP:** Tuesdays at 8:30 a.m.
- **ROSARY:** Tuesdays at 1 p.m.
- **EXERCISE CLASS:** Fridays from 9 to 10 a.m. (except the first Friday of the month)
- **BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKS:** 1st Sunday of the month between the 9:45 & 11:15 Masses.

POPE URGES OPEN HEARTS, DOORS TOWARDS CONTINUING TRAGEDY OF MIGRANTS, REFUGEES

Pope Francis on July 6 celebrated Mass in Rome's St. Peter's Basilica to commemorate the 5th anniversary of his July 8, 2013 visit to migrants and refugees in Lampedusa.

By Robin Gomes

Pope Francis on Friday mourned the refugees and migrants lost at sea and reminded the world that their blood cries out to the conscience of each one of us. The response to the Lord's appeal, "Where is your brother? His blood cries out to me", "even if at times generous, has not been enough, and we continue to grieve thousands of deaths," the Pope said during the July 6 Mass in Rome's St. Peter's Basilica to commemorate the 5th anniversary of his July 8, 2013 visit to the tiny Italian island of Lampedusa.

The Holy Father had dedicated his first pastoral visit outside Rome to the tiny island off Sicily, one of the main entry points into Europe for poor and desperate refugees and migrants from North Africa who risk their lives to cross the Mediterranean in overcrowded and unsafe vessels and small boats.

CLOSED DOORS

Recalling the warning of the Prophet Amos in the first reading, the Pope lamented that the many poor trampled upon and brought to ruin are "victims of that culture of waste that has been denounced time and time again." Among them, he said, are "migrants and refugees who continue to knock at the door of nations that enjoy greater prosperity."

THE LORD'S EYES, HANDS AND VOICE

The Pope said that in Jesus' invitation, "Come to me, all who labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest", the Lord promises refreshment and freedom to all the oppressed of our world, but in this task, the Lord needs our eyes and our hands to "fulfil his promise".

Condemning the complicit silence of many, the Pope said Lord needs our voice to protest the injustices committed. Above all, he said, "the Lord needs our hearts to show his merciful love towards the least, the outcast, the abandoned, the marginalized."

MERCY, NOT SACRIFICE

Referring to the Gospel episode of the call of Matthews where the Pharisees murmur against Jesus eating with tax collectors and sinners, the Pope recalled the Lord's rebuke, "Go and learn what this means, 'I desire mercy, and not sacrifice'". The Pope said it is a finger pointed at the sterile hypocrisy of those who do not want to "dirty the hands", like the priest or the Levite in the parable of the Good Samaritan." He condemned this powerful temptation that takes the "form of closing our hearts to those who have the right, just as we do, to security and dignified living conditions." "It builds walls, real or virtual, rather than bridges," the Pope warned.

In the face of today's phenomenon of migration, the response that is needed, he said, is one of solidarity and mercy, and less of calculations.

The Pope thanked rescuers of refugees and migrants for embodying the parable of the Good Samaritan, who, he said, stopped to save the life of the poor man beaten by bandits, without asking where he was from, his reasons for travelling or his documents. The Holy Father also urged refugees and migrants to continue to be witnesses of hope in a world, which he said, is increasingly concerned about the present, with little vision for the future and averse to sharing.

KID'S CORNER



Summer Word Search

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