

MASS INTENTIONS**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10**

5:15 PM Kathleen Danti & Adeline Rossi
(Rem.),
By family

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11

8:00 AM Louise O'Brien (Birth.),
By daughter

10:00 AM Matteo Guerra (Ann.),
By family
Richard Tortorella (2nd Ann.),
By family

11:30 AM Anthony & Lucy Fusco (Rem.),
By granddaughter
Mark Fontaine (Birth.),
By family

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12

9:00 AM Sarah Rose (Rem.),
By Lucille
Domnick & Teresa Brennan (Rem.),
By Eileen

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13

9:00 AM OPEN MASS INTENTION

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14 – Ash Wednesday

9:00 AM OPEN MASS INTENTION

12:10 PM Claire Tumminelli (Birth.),
By family
Gian Piscione (Rem.),
By Nana

7:00 PM OPEN MASS INTENTION

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15

NO SCHEDULED MASS TODAY

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16

12:10 PM OPEN MASS INTENTION

7:00 PM Stations and Benediction

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17

5:15 PM Andrea Jacavone-Mancini & Steven
Mancini (15th Ann.),
By family

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18

8:00 AM Laurent Mongeau ((1st Ann.),
By family

10:00 AM Mary & John Tammelleo (Rem.),
By family

11:30 AM Mark Fontaine, Leigh Ann Moreau,
Stephen Libera, John Longiaru and
all those lost in the Station
Nightclub Fire (Rem.),

MASS INTENTIONS

(Call for additional Weekday Mass availability)

The following dates and times are available

MONDAY	FEBRUARY 19	12:10 PM
TUESDAY	FEBRUARY 20	12:10 PM
FRIDAY	MARCH 2	12:10 PM

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 11, 2018

Be my protector, O God!

PASTOR'S COMMENTS

This Wednesday, **ASH WEDNESDAY**, is the first day of the Church's 40 day call to Spiritual Renewal. Statistically, more people come to Mass on Ash Wednesday than on Christmas or Easter. As a pastor I often wonder what is it that draws people out of their routines to come to church on this day.

The least important thing about Ash Wednesday is getting ashes. However, the most important thing is returning to Christ to start over again, or to deepen our connection with Him in our daily life.

To do that, the Church calls us to Prayer, Fasting, and Works of Mercy for those less fortunate than ourselves.

To Pray is to humbly admit we need Christ in our lives, our homes, our hearts and our world.


To Fast is to give up our unhealthy dependence on food, alcohol, smoking, the casino or whatever leads our choices and thoughts away from the path of Christ.

To perform Works of Mercy reminds us that we are all God's children who are here on earth to help one another in Christ's name.

There will be a Special collection at all Masses on Ash Wednesday to benefit local food pantries, soup kitchens, and the homeless.

Please note weekday services in Lent are at 12:10 PM and Friday evenings at 7PM as we observe the Way of the Cross and Benediction.

Fr. John



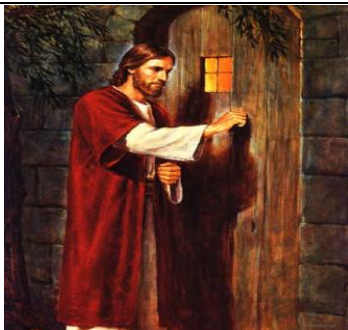
Sanctuary Lamp
Week of February 11– February 17
"In Memory of"
Matteo Guerra (Rem.),
By grandchildren



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
Office Hours: 9am to 4pm.
Monday – Thursday
Phone : 232-9321
E-mail – srbccd@aol.com

Religious Education Classes

Day	Date	Grade	Time
Sun	Feb 11	7 thru 10	6:30-7:45
Tue	Feb 13	1 thru 3	4:15-5:30
Wed	Feb 14	4 thru 6	4:15-5:30



Jesus is always knocking at the door of our Hearts. It up to us to let Him in.

Mary the Ultimate Mother

Good mothers want nothing more than to ease the pain of their children. They would rather endure the pain themselves than see their children suffer with it. That is exactly the kind of good mother Mary is—she would rather endure the pain herself than to see us suffer. She cares not only about the fact that the pain is there, but also about how to help us heal from it. She loves us and wants to become the instrument of our healing. And she will, if we allow her.

Mr. Robert Manzo

THIS WEEK

SUNDAY, ROSARY FOLLOWING 8:00 **AM**
 MASS IN THE UPPER CHURCH
WEDNESDAY, AAGROUP MEETING AT 7:00
AM IN THE CHURCH HALL (EVERY
 WEDNESDAY)
THURSDAY, NA GROUP MEETING AT 7:00
PM IN THE SACRISTY
FRIDAY, AA AT 8:00 **PM** IN THE CHURCH
 HALL (EVERY FRIDAY)
FRIDAY, NA GROUP MEETING AT 10:00 **PM**
 IN THE CHURCH HALL

DAILY READINGS

Sunday Lv 13:1-2, 44-46; 1 Cor 10:31—11:1; Mk 1:40-45
Monday Jas 1:1-11; Mk 8:11-13
Tuesday Jas 1:12-18; Mk 8:14-21
Wednesday Jl 2:12-18; 2 Cor 5:20—6:2; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thursday Dt 30:15-20; Lk 9:22-25
Friday Is 58:1-9a; Mt 9:14-15
Saturday Is 58:9b-14; Lk 5:27-32



Call: Jan Zarrella (274-6576) or Charon Souza (231-3962) or Eileen Morrison (349-3601)

PLEASE SUPPORT OUR FOOD SHELF!

The Food Shelf is in need of these items:

- PEANUT BUTTER/JELLY**
- JARRED PASTA SAUCE**
- BOX PASTA**
- CANNED VEGETABLES**
- CLEANING PRODUCTS**

\$10.00 STOP & SHOP OR PRICE RITE GIFT CARDS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME.

Thank you for your generosity!



40-WEEK CLUB 2018

OUR MAJOR FUND RAISER

Week # 5 Ticket # 0444

\$35 : Rose Filocco

Captain: Wini Kelley

Tickets are still available at the Rectory Office or call
Ann @ 944-6792, Pat @ 647-7461 or Judy @ 232-3603

All payments must be Up-To-Date to be eligible – Thank you for your support!

LENT BEGINS THIS WEDNESDAY

Chances are most of us struggle to keep up with New Year's resolutions. I don't know about you, but I've fallen behind on my spiritual resolutions already! Thanks be to God we have ASH WEDNESDAY and the Lenten season when the church calls us to return to the Lord with our whole heart, mind and soul. We have yet another chance to renew our resolve to be disciples of Jesus.

Remember **NO MEAT** on Ash Wednesday and **ALL** the FRIDAYS of Lent as a reminder of Christ's Sacrifice on the Cross **FOR US**.

DO YOU HAVE WHAT IT TAKES?

"Come and view the most widely talked about Christian film of our time!"

Courageous – Honor Begins at Home

Men, Confirmation age and older are invited to a Lenten movie night sponsored by the Men of St. Joseph International & The Knights of Columbus
Thursday, February 22, 2018 – 6:30 PM
Bishop McVinney Auditorium, 43 Gavitt Way,
Providence, RI.

Register at: www.mcvinneyauditorium.com/events

FUN SEEKER TRIP OPENINGS

We have 5 available places for the 9 day Canyonlands trip MAY 4-12th featuring:
Sedona, Scottsdale, AZ, Lake Powell, Monument Valley. Grand Canyon, Bryce Canyon, Zion National Park & Las Vegas. Call Edyie & Buddy Rapone if you are interested in joining us for this trip 401 231-7237. Details are listed in the booklet located on the community table in the Church Foyer.

Thank you for your support of the SOUPER Bowl of Caring collection last weekend. \$1,600.00 was donated to help feed the hungry of our community!

Are You Listening to "Relevant Radio"?

Turn to 550 AM for truly Catholic radio station, reporting news about our faith from around the world as well as featuring talks, interviews, presentations and prayers relevant to all Catholics. Want to grow in your faith? Listen to "Relevant Radio" daily!

"Lyrics of the Heart:" A women's retreat led by Peggy Patenaude and accompanied by singer-songwriters Stowegood will be held at Sacred Hearts Retreat Center in Wareham April 13-15, 2018. To register, contact Peggy at 508-548-9149 or timeoutretreats@comcast.net. Details and a registration form can also be found on Peggy's website: www.timeoutretreats.com.

2018 CATHOLIC CHARITY APPEAL

"Support the Work of the Church"

Have you given prayerful consideration to your gift for the 2018 Catholic Charity Appeal? Won't you help us by being the "Hands of Christ" in supporting the people and the work of the Diocese of Providence?

Many of you have responded to the Catholic Charity Appeal mailing from Bishop Tobin. On behalf of those served by the ministries and services funded by the Catholic Charity Appeal, we thank you for your gifts.

If you have not made a gift to this year's Appeal, you will be able to do so through our in-pew solicitation which will take place on the weekends of February 24/25. Our parish goal is to attain 100% participation – a goal that can only be reached with your sacrificial help and support. All gifts, regardless of size, help to make a difference in the lives of so many individuals.

PROCLAIM THE GOOD NEWS!!

**BE A PART OF “THE LIVING GOSPEL”
PALM SUNDAY: MARCH 24 AND MARCH 25, 2018**



IS THE HOLY SPIRIT CALLING YOU?

BE NOT AFRAID!!

Answer the Spirit's Call!!
Bring forth your gifts and talents in our
Liturgical Presentation of Our Lord's Passion.

**Rehearsals will be held on Sundays after
11:30 Mass**

**And one evening during the week (Wed. or Thurs.)
at 7PM**

**All rehearsals are held in the Church
Speaking and non-speaking parts are available for
all ages.**

**Come meet your fellow pilgrims in “The Way of
the Lord”. For more information call Vin DiMonte
231-1574 (res.)**