



**SUNDAY, JULY 4, 2010**

*Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

- 8:00 AM ✘ Deceased members of the Kennedy & Hill families
- 10:30 AM ✘ Thomas McLaughlin (9<sup>th</sup> Anniv.)  
✘ Emelda Brodeur
- 12 Noon Baptisms**
- 5:00 PM ✘ Mary C. McNally (5<sup>th</sup> Anniv.)

**MONDAY, JULY 5, 2010**

*Weekday*

**9:00 AM** Parishioners of SS. Rose & Clement

**TUESDAY, JULY 6, 2010**

*Weekday*

7:00 AM ✘ Mary Mardo (28<sup>th</sup> Anniv.)

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 7, 2010**

*Weekday*

7:00 AM ✘ Camille Rotondo  
**5:30 PM Confessions**

**THURSDAY, JULY 8, 2010**

*Weekday*

7:00 AM ✘ Deceased members of the Warren & Burke families

**FRIDAY, JULY 9, 2010**

*Weekday*

7:00 AM ✘ Betty Hultquist

**SATURDAY, JULY 10, 2010**

*Weekday*

5:00 PM ✘ Mary Merlino  
✘ Deceased members of the Hartzell & Beaujean families

**SUNDAY, JULY 11, 2010**

*Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

- 8:00 AM ✘ John Renza
- 10:30 AM ✘ Deceased members of the DiCenzo Family  
✘ Jodie Beth Villella (5<sup>th</sup> Anniv.)
- 5:00 PM ✘ Linda Williams (20<sup>th</sup> Anniv.)

*Dear Parishioners,*

If you missed our Summer Pops Concert last Saturday, you missed a really great time. The Wakefield Concert Band played wonderful selections that brought back fond memories for many. Meanwhile, the cookout and bake sale kept us full and happy. Best of all, the rain held off until the concert was over! My thanks to everyone who made the concert such an enjoyable experience!

It's that time of year again. I'm looking for people to support our "Adopt-a-Student" program. This program allows parishioners to "adopt" a St. Rose of Lima School student in financial need and pay some or all of his or her tuition. As you know, a Catholic education is a struggle for many families. With your help, we can help one or more of our students realize a dream! You may remain anonymous or reveal your identity to the student and his or her family, as you choose. If there is a specific student you would like to help, just let me know. If not, there are several families in need—including a student who's father recently died in a terrible accident and two students who's father's work hours were cut in half earlier this year.

Please consider our "Adopt-a-Student" program. Last year we made it possible for four students to stay in our school. I pray we can do that again this year. If you have any questions, please call me at the Parish Office or see me after any Mass. Thank you!

The Sacrament of Confession continues to be available every Wednesday from 5:30 PM to 6:30 PM. I am very encouraged by the number of people who come each week. Some weeks, I stay until 7:00 PM!! Confession gives peace to the soul like nothing on earth. Please stop in on your way home from work—you'll be happy you did!

I don't know about you, but I LOVE this weather—the hotter, the better! I don't know if that's good news or bad news for my eternal future. . .

God bless you in the week ahead.

*Fr. Wilson*

**PS** Thank you for your generosity to the Missionary Sisters of the Society of Mary last weekend. I will add any additional donations this weekend and send one check to the Sisters next week.

June 27, 2010	
Sunday Collection.....	\$8,123.50
Missionary Sisters of the Society of Mary.....	3,498.00
<i>A sincere thank you for your support.</i>	

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Our Vacation Bible School was held last week. High Sea Expedition was full of fun! Our ship sailed with 60 crew members. I want to thank my "officers", Michelle Christian, Thad Delisle, Jennifer Kirby and Corey Paul, who did a great job with their crews. Assisting the officers were my "sailors", Robert Baxter, Paige Carmichael, Shane Davidson, Ashley DeLeo, Kyle DiCarlo, Maura Flanagan, Andrew Hogan, Paul Luba, Aaron Mackisey, Casey Mackisey, Katelyn McCaughey, Abigail McMahon, Emily McMahon, Thomas McMahon, Eric Olsen and Tori Uglialoro. A special thank you to Cindy Marotta and Thad Delisle for all their help decorating the church hall, and to my 1<sup>st</sup> Petty Officer Jo-Ann Morey. If you didn't join us this year, consider coming in 2011!

*Pictures are on the bulletin board in the main foyer of the church and will be on the website very soon.*

### Crafts Workshops

Crafts workshops in preparation for our Arts & Crafts Festival in October are being held every Monday morning from 10:00 AM to 12:00 Noon in the Garden Room. If you wish to join us or have any questions, please call Ceil Houston at 738-1732.

### MEN of ST. JOSEPH

The Men of St. Joseph will hold their bi-weekly meeting on Saturday, July 10<sup>th</sup>, from 7:30 AM to 9:00 AM in the McMahon Room. The meeting will begin with a Eucharistic Communion Service in the main church followed by a group discussion on how to be a Catholic man in the world today. Coffee and pastry will be available. **ALL MEN IN THE PARISH ARE WELCOME!** Questions? Please call Malcolm Vakalis at 884-5565.

### Arts & Crafts Festival Meeting

There will be an Arts & Crafts Festival Meeting THIS Tuesday, July 6<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM in the Garden Room. All chairpersons are asked to attend. Thank you!

Monday, July 5, 2010

*Independence Day (observed)*

The Parish Office will be closed.

## From the Desk of Mrs. Fuller

Summer is a great time for family fun and play. It is also the time when some of the educational gains children make during the school year can slip away. This is a great time of year for students to relax with a good book to maintain and improve their reading. Good reading habits take practice, so parents: please turn off the TV and take turns reading together as a family. That's how to keep good reading habits for life!

### St. Rose School Summer Hours

Tuesdays & Thursdays from 9:00 AM until 12:00 Noon, or by appointment.

### ADOPT-A-STUDENT

Would you like to sponsor a student whose family is struggling to pay tuition at St. Rose School? We have a number of students who are close to leaving for financial reasons. If you feel called to help a needy child(ren) receive the blessing of a Catholic education, please call Fr. Wilson. **Tuition is \$3,500 for one year.** Thank you for any help!!

### CHURCH BULLETIN ADVERTISEMENTS

Liturgical Publications, Inc., our bulletin publisher, will have a sales representative available within the next few weeks for those interested in placing a new ad in our church bulletin. This is your opportunity to secure a space for the new publication year. To place your ad, please contact the salesperson listed on the ad page or our office.

*I would like to thank our present advertisers for renewing their ad, and remind our parishioners that our advertising sponsors make our church bulletin possible.*

### ATTENTION:

#### **ALL PARISH LEADERS & GROUPS**

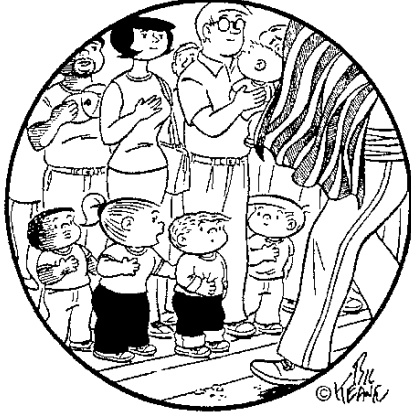
All parish leaders of parish organizations and groups (*Rosary and Altar Guild, St. Rose School, Home School Association, Choir, Scouts, etc.*) are invited to the Annual Planning Meeting to place events on the calendar for the year 2010-2011 on **Monday, July 26<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 PM in the McMahon Garden Room.** Please plan to attend as most dates are taken by the end of this meeting.

*JULY 4, 2010*

**“SHARE THE SPIRIT” GIFT SHOP**

**We will re-open next Saturday, July 10<sup>th</sup> at 4:30 PM. Thank you for your patience—and please stop by and see our new merchandise!**

**THE FAMILY CIRCUS**



*“That’s your tummy, Jeffy. Your heart is up higher!”*

*from JoyfulNoiseletter.com  
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**Our Lady of Czenstochowa  
Polish Festival**

Friday, July 9<sup>th</sup> 5:00 PM – 10:00 PM  
Saturday, July 10<sup>th</sup> 5:00 PM – 10:00 PM  
& Sunday, July 11<sup>th</sup> 12 Noon – 4:00 PM

222 MacArthur Blvd. & Rt. 117, Coventry, RI

Admission is FREE!! Plenty of parking is available.  
For more information, please call 821-7991.

**A PRAYER FOR OUR NATION**

Gracious and loving God, we come to you in humble prayer for the United States of America. Bless our President. Give him wisdom and strength to serve us and lead our country in ways that are pleasing to you. Bless our Congress. Instill in them knowledge and understanding to enact laws that protect the sanctity of life—from the unborn to the elderly; and promote the good of all people. Bless the people of the United States. Make us aware of our responsibility as citizens to uphold the principles of life, liberty, justice and equality. Send your Holy Spirit upon our beloved country. Make us people of faith in times of uncertainty. Make us people of hope in times of trouble. Make us people of compassion with those who are less fortunate. Make us people of peace in our homes, our communities and our world. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.