



**MASS INTENTIONS
FOR THE WEEK**

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2009

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 8:00 AM ✕ Mr. & Mrs. Alfred Favocci
- 10:30 AM ✕ Edward Pankiewicz
- ✕ Louise E. Cox
- 5:00 PM ✕ David Banigan (Month's Mind)

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2009

Wenceslaus, martyr

- 7:00 AM Parishioners of SS. Rose & Clement

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2009

Michael, Gabriel & Raphael, archangels

- 7:00 AM ✕ Joseph DeSilva

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 2009

Jerome, priest & doctor

- 7:00 AM Christine Davis (Month's Mind)
- 5:30 – 6:30 PM **CONFESSIONS**

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2009

Therese of the Child Jesus, virgin & doctor

- 7:00 AM ✕ Richard Burford

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2009

Guardian Angels / First Friday

- 7:00 AM ✕ Deceased members of the McGovern & DiSaia families
- 8:30 AM School Mass at St. Rose Chapel
- 12 NOON **Exposition of the Eucharist**
- 7:00 PM **Benediction**

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2009

Weekday

- 5:00 PM ✕ Louise & Joseph Moreira
- ✕ Marybeth Merlino

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2009

Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 8:00 AM ✕ Joseph Bajorek (Month's Mind)
- 10:30 AM ✕ George H. Baker (9th Anniv.)
- ✕ Hilaire G. Guy (28th Anniv.)
- Rosary & Altar Guild**
- Installation Mass**
- 12 NOON **BAPTISMS**
- 5:00 PM ✕ Sue & Rene Morin

Dear Parishioners,

You will find in this weekend's bulletin our Annual Financial Report for the Fiscal Year beginning July 1, 2008 and ending June 30, 2009. This report was reviewed and approved by our parish auditors, trustees and finance council and has been submitted to Bishop Tobin.

Once again, I am happy to report that our parish remains financially sound. Our weekly budget revenue looks to be down slightly but there was one less weekend in this fiscal year from the last fiscal year. With that weekend included, our budget income is up over last year despite the on-going recession thanks to your generosity.

Our expenses were in line with our budget except for the following: 1) snow removal expense (more than expected due to the harsh winter), 2) heating oil expense (much less than expected due to drop in oil prices caused by the recession) and 3) school subsidy (more than expected due to flat enrollment year over year). Looking to this year, I expect our school subsidy to drop (we've enrolled 40 new students this year with the closure of St. Francis School) and oil prices to go up (but not significantly). All other costs should be the same.

Please note the cost of replacing our roofs last year. We raised \$87,480 in our "Raise the Roof" campaign and reduced savings by \$22,334 in order to cover the cost of \$109,814. Thank you for the difficult sacrifice you made to replace our leaking roofs.

Please note as well the payments being made on our parish loan from the diocese for the Fr. Gorman Ministry Center. Our outstanding loan is \$295,230. The pledge redemption phase of the capital campaign is now over and we will have to repay the diocese from our parish budget income. Currently, we are paying \$3,000 per month to the diocese. At that rate, the loan will be repaid in 10 years.

My thanks to our business manager, Miss Eileen Papa, for preparing this report; our parish auditors, Mr. John Madoian and Mr. Matteo Giarrusso, for reviewing this report; our parish trustees, Mr. Benjamin Butler and The Honorable Alice Gibney, and our Parish Finance Council (Deacon Noel Edsall, Mrs. Janice Olsen, Mr. Robert Flaherty, Mr. Frank Melucci and Mr. James Hagerty) for approving this report and all their on-going advice and support. And finally, my thanks to you, the good people of our wonderful parish! Without your generosity and prayers, this parish would not be possible. Thank you for all your support—I'm blessed to be your pastor! God bless you in the week ahead.

Fr. Wilson

PS If anyone has any questions about this report, please feel free to call me at the parish office. I will be happy to sit with you and answer any questions.

September 20, 2009	
Sunday Collection.....	\$8,816.00
Fr. Ferry Memorial Fund Collection.....	5,133.00
<i>A sincere thank you for your support.</i>	

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

All classes will meet at their scheduled times.

On **Monday October 5, 2009**, Grades 6 - 10 will meet in the Church for a special presentation by Frank Runyeon at 7:00 PM. This presentation is entitled "Hollywood vs. Faith." Mr. Runyeon is an actor who has performed on television and in movies. He is a graduate of Princeton University with a degree in religion. His thesis was on the mass media. The evening will be educational and entertaining, and is open to **ALL** parishioners. **Please note that this presentation is in place of the Monday evening classes.** Also, please note the change in time. Catholic High School students in Grade 9 are encouraged to attend.

"ENDLESS SUMMER" BLOCK PARTY

Financial Results

Total Receipts	\$17,231
Total Expenses	\$10,665
Total Income	<u>\$6,566</u>

Thank you again for supporting our Block Party!

MEN of ST. JOSEPH

The Men of St. Joseph will hold their bi-weekly meeting on Saturday, October 3, at 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.

SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING

If any adult working with children missed the Safe Environment Training meeting on Tuesday, September 22, 2009, please contact Mrs. Berube as soon as possible. Thank you.



WEDDING BANNS

II Gregory Hogan (SS. Rose & Clement) &
Lori D'Antuono (SS. Rose & Clement)

From the Desk of Mrs. Fuller

Cookie Dough Kick-Off This Week!

The tastiest fundraiser of the year kicked-off this week at Saint Rose of Lima. The students are selling Otis Spunkmeyer cookies. If you are interested in purchasing a tub of these delicious cookies (frozen and ready for baking!), please call St. Rose School. Delivery is set just in time for your Thanksgiving baking. Parents this is our biggest fundraiser of the year! I encourage everyone to get involved and make this our most successful one. If everyone gets involved we can reach our fundraising goal together. **Any class with 100% participation will earn their teacher a free tub of cookie dough.** So let's help the teachers with their holiday baking!

USHERS MEETING

There will be a meeting of all our parish ushers and anyone who would like to help in this important work **THIS Tuesday, September 29th at 7:00 PM** in the McMahon Garden Room. If you are a current usher and cannot attend (or you would like to be an usher and cannot attend), please call Fr. Wilson at the Parish Office. Thank you!

FIRST FRIDAY – OCTOBER 2nd

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

12 Noon to 7:00 PM

Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

7:00 PM

**ALL ARE INVITED AND ENCOURAGED TO
SPEND AN HOUR OR MORE WITH THE LORD!!**

CUB SCOUT NEWS

The Cub Scouts of Pack 7 will hold a CAR WASH and BAKE SALE on Saturday, October 3rd from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM at the Highway Yard on Sandy Lane. Donations will be accepted. This Car Wash is to help fund a camping trip to Yawgoog Scout Reservation in the Spring 2010.

WOMEN'S FAITH ENRICHMENT GROUP

Our next meeting date will be **THIS Wednesday, September 30th at 7:00 PM** in the Garden Room. We will review the sections in our book on Rachael and Leah (pp. 85-94 & 95-102). All adult women who would like to explore and understand more deeply their unique role in the world are invited to attend!

SEPTEMBER 27, 2009

"SHARE THE SPIRIT" GIFT SHOP

This week we honor the Archangels: Michael (protector against Satan), Raphael (angel of healing) & Gabriel (the angel of the "Annunciation"). Additionally we honor our Guardian Angels (our best friends) who have been with us for as long as we've been in existence.

Do you still remember that prayer to your angel that you learned so long ago? We have it for you in our Gift Shop.



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EIGHT MONTH CLUB

Week #3 \$50 Winner
Mr. Richard Bateman – Ticket #92

Thank you to all who support Saint Rose School.

Sons of the Father Gathering

Young men of high school age and their fathers are invited to an evening of prayer and fellowship on **Friday, October 2nd at 7:00 PM** at the Seminary of Our Lady of Providence (485 Mt. Pleasant Ave., Providence). Fr. John Codega, pastor of Christ the King Parish, West Warwick will give a talk on **St. Joseph and Christian Manhood**. Pizza will be served. If you plan to attend, please contact Fr. Michael Najim at 831-8011 or e-mail him at mnajim@catholicpriest.com.

Sons of the Father is a ministry dedicated to empowering fathers and sons to live the call to holiness in their daily lives.

YOUR WILL

*Please remember SS. Rose & Clement Parish
in your Will and Estate.*