

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 26, 2010***The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph*

8:00 AM	✕	Leo Savage
10:30 AM	✕	Arthur Benoit (12 th Anniv.)
	✕	Beverly Shallcross
5:00 PM	✕	Edward F. Richard, Sr. (2 nd Anniv.)
	✕	Edward F. Richard, Jr.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 27, 2010*Saint John, apostle and evangelist*

7:00 AM		Parishioners of SS. Rose & Clement
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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 28, 2010*The Holy Innocents, martyrs*

7:00 AM	✕	Gertrude & Laurent Jarbeau
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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 29, 2010*The Fifth Day in the Octave of Christmas*

7:00 AM	✕	Robert V. Hannan (23 rd Anniv.)
5:30 PM		Confessions

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 30, 2010*The Sixth Day in the Octave of Christmas*

7:00 AM	✕	Mass of Thanksgiving
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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 31, 2010*The Seventh Day in the Octave of Christmas*

7:00 AM	✕	Raymond Camire
		<i>Vigil: Mary, Mother of God</i>
4:00 PM	✕	Wilhelmina Masterson Bowles
5:30 PM		Russo/Swiss Wedding

SATURDAY, JANUARY 1, 2011*The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of God*

10:30 AM	✕	Deceased members of the Wilson & Henrich families
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Vigil: The Epiphany of the Lord

4:00 PM	✕	Lionel Fournier (10 th Anniv.)
	✕	Francis Joseph Silva

SUNDAY, JANUARY 2, 2011*The Epiphany of the Lord*

8:00 AM	✕	Deceased members of the Gonwa & Kelley families
10:30 AM	✕	David J. Robitaille, Jr.
	✕	Bernard G. Mondor
5:00 PM	✕	Owen J. Murphy, Sr. (28 th Anniv.)

Dear Parishioners,

As I was rummaging through my desk this week, I came across this poem written by Mrs. Noreen Mazzie, our fifth grade teacher at St. Rose School. I thought I'd share it with you:

I Would If I Could

*If I could wish upon a star,
I would not have to think or look very far,
To make a wish that is honest and true,
A wish that would not be for me, but for you.*

*This wish would not be for money or goods,
It would be a wish I would make if I could.
A girl and a boy this wish would be for,
One that would change both their lives and more.*

*I would wish all children to be well,
That all the world's diseases would get
the death knell.
So children all over the world would be free,
To laugh, run, jump, hear and also to see.*

*For our merciful God in Heaven above,
Surely created these children not to suffer,
but to love.
So this is my wish for all of you,
A safe, happy, life the whole world through.*

*For parents and families I wish for help, too,
For the difficult journey this has sent you.
Your children are precious to you and to me,
This above all I hope you can see.*

*A child is a gift, truly a pleasure,
And perhaps with an illness,
we then see their measure.
For all of the children who are ill you see,
Are the kindest, bravest and strongest to me.*

*They fight every day not to win, just to be!
I would make this wish if only I could!*

I think that's beautiful for Holy Family Sunday—and as a prayer for the new year. I hope you agree. May God bless you with grace upon grace in 2011!

Fr. Wilson

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

ALL CLASSES WILL RESUME NEXT WEEK AT THEIR SCHEDULED TIMES.

PRAYER PARTNERS NEEDED

We are looking for adults to be prayer partners for our students preparing for **First Communion** and **Confirmation**. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Mrs. Berube. Thank you.



*Saturday, January 1st
Mary, Mother of God*

Holy Day Mass Schedule

Vigil Mass (Fri., New Year's Eve): 4:00 PM

Mass for the Holy Day: 10:30 AM

SCRIP SALES

There will be **NO WEEKEND SCRIP sales** this weekend, December 25th & 26th or next weekend, January 1st & 2nd. Weekend sales will resume the weekend of January 8th & 9th. **SCRIP CARDS ARE STILL AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE DURING NORMAL PARISH OFFICE HOURS.** Thank you!

EIGHT MONTH CLUB

Week #14 \$50 Winner

The Woods Family – Ticket #342

Thank you to all who support Saint Rose School.



WEDDING BANNS

III A. William Russo (SS. Rose & Clement) &
Michele L. Swiss (St. Benedict, Warwick)

From the Desk of Mrs. Fuller

I hope your Christmas was joyful! Time with family and friends can help to replenish not only the body but the soul. Here at St. Rose of Lima School we not only nourish the mind, we nourish the spirit with lessons of God's love. **Please consider sending your child(ren) to St. Rose of Lima School.** The students at St. Rose are taught by teachers who care deeply for their academic and spiritual growth each day. Please feel free to stop by and see the wonderful work of Jesus' love in the eyes of the students.

CHRISTMAS VACATION

A reminder that school will resume on Monday, January 3rd. Thank you.

Memorare of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help or sought thy intercession, was left unaided.

Inspired with this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins, my Mother, to thee do I come, before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful, O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer me. Amen.

New Year's Resolutions. . .

- Think hope.
- Read a funny book.
- Smile at a grouch.
- Marvel at the beauty of nature.
- Make a new friend.
- Pray often.
- Forgive an enemy.
- Share peace.

Weight Watchers Group

We are looking to start a Weight Watchers group in our parish as one of our **New Year's Resolutions**. If interested, please call Cheryl Berube at 739-0212.

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“SHARE THE SPIRIT” GIFT SHOP

**Our Gift Shop is closed until
Saturday, January 8, 2011.**

Have a Blessed & Happy New Year!

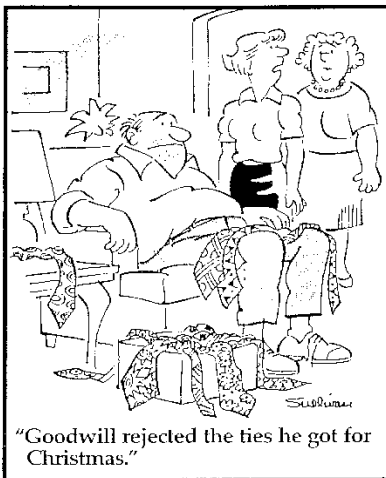
MARRIED COUPLES

God gave us the greatest gift of love when He sent His son to redeem us. He asks us to love one another as He loves us. Take the time to grow deeper in love with God, your spouse and your family at a **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend**. The next Marriage Encounter Weekends in New England are January 8-10, January 29-31 and February 12-14. For more information call Ralph and Jane Becker at 1-800-710-WWME or visit our webpage at www.wwmeMA.org.

OUR PARISH SCOREBOARD

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all the basketball coaches, players and parents. Thank for your support and dedication—I really appreciate it! Good luck with the remainder of the season!

**Mrs. Maria Jessing
Athletic Director**



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Sunday Collection.....\$10,449.50
Christmas Flowers.....3,281.00
Poor Box Collections.....1,603.00

A sincere thank you for your support.

YOUR WILL

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