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WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday Vigil - 5:00 pm Advent to Easter at 4:00 pm Sunday at 8:00 am, 10:30 am and 5:00 pm

> WEEKDAY MASSES Monday to Friday at 7:00 am

HOLY DAY MASSES 7:00 pm (Vigil), 7:00 am, 12 Noon and 7:00 pm

CONFESSION

Saturday from 4:00 pm to 4:45 pm *Advent to Easter from 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm* Wednesday from 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm



SHARE THE SPIRIT GIFT SHOP

Open during Parish Office hours & Saturday: 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm; Sunday: 8:00 am - 12 Noon

PARISH STAFF

Reverend Edward J. Wilson, Jr., Pastor Deacon Noel Edsall, Deacon Assistant Deacon Kenneth Andrade, Deacon Assistant Ms. Kathy Richotte, Secretary Miss Eileen Papa, Business Manager Mrs. Cheryl Berube, Director of Religious Ed. Mr. Thomas Hogan, Director of Music Mr. Anthony DiSaia, Superintendent Mr. Benjamin Butler, Trustee The Honorable Alice B. Gibney, Trustee

SAINT ROSE OF LIMA SCHOOL

200 Brentwood Avenue, Warwick, RI 02886 Pre-Kindergarten to Grade Eight

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SUNDAY, MARCH 3, 2013

Third Sunday of Lent

8:00 AM	¥	Bernard G. Mondor
10:30 AM	¥	Daniel L. Harris (2 nd Anniv.)
	¥	William F. Hogan (41 st Anniv.)
5:00 PM	¥	Ambrose B. Dwyer, Sr.

MONDAY, MARCH 4, 2013

Lenten Weekday7:00 AMParishioners of SS. Rose & Clement

TUESDAY, MARCH 5, 2013

Lenten Weekday 7.00 AM ♥ Joset

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6, 2013

Lenten Weekday7:00 AM✤Helen M. Nelson (5th Anniv.)5:30 PMConfessions

THURSDAY, MARCH 7, 2013

FRIDAY MARCH 8, 2013

Lenten Weekday				
7:00 AM	X	Mary Ferrara (1 st Anniv.)		
7:00 PM		Stations of the Cross		

SATURDAY, MARCH 9, 2013

Lenten Weekday 4:00 PM ✤ Vincent DellaCioppa ✤ Grace Pagnozzi (20th Anniv.)

SUNDAY, MARCH 10, 2013

Fourth Sunday of Lent			
	8:00 AM	X	Jerry Gannon
	10:30 AM		CHILDREN'S MASS
		¥	James A. Carolan, Sr. (19 th Anniv.)
		¥	Shirley A Mahoney (12 th Anniv.)
	2:00 PM		FIRST PENANCE
	5:00 PM	¥	Robert J. Delvecchio (1 st Anniv.)

† STATIONS OF THE CROSS **†** Fridays at 7:00 PM *Come walk the road Jesus walked to save us!*

Dear Parishioners,

We welcome to our parish this weekend for our annual Parish Mission Fr. Nicholas P. Smith. Fr. Smith is a newly retired priest of our diocese who is no stranger to many of you. His quick wit, Irish brogue, and down-toearth spirituality are a delight, and will inspire us all. I hope you will join us each night for what promises to be a wonderful, heartwarming mission experience.

This Friday our Confirmation candidates will attend an all-day retreat in preparation for their Confirmation on Saturday, April 27th. Please keep them in your prayers as they get closer to this milestone in their journey to God's kingdom.

Next Sunday at 2:00 PM, our second grade students (67 of them!) will make their First Confession. It's not like years ago when we were all shaking in our shoes! Today, we emphasize the love, mercy and healing power found in this sacrament. Please say a prayer for our little ones—and make a promise to yourself that you will make a good Confession this Lent (even if you haven't been in years!). You'll be surprised at how much peace and freedom this powerful sacrament offers.

Our Catholic Charity Fund Appeal is off to a great start! We collected \$68,073 last weekend towards our goal of \$102,000! Next weekend, we will hold our second "In-Pew" solicitation for the Appeal. Please drop your pledges in the collection basket or at the Parish Office. Thank you for responding so generously to the needy of our diocese.

How are your Lenten sacrifices going? Usually by this time we're beginning to feel the weight of them—or maybe have given up. All of us struggle with the good intentions of Ash Wednesday, and some (perhaps many) of us fail. The important thing is to get-up and try again! God loves our efforts and is ready to help us keep going or start anew when we fail. Keep the faith—stay the course—try again! God is blessing you through it all! Again, I strongly encourage you to attend daily Mass. The Eucharist is the most powerful force on earth for good—and the greatest gift we could ever receive! Strengthening the presence of Jesus in your heart brings peace and joy beyond imagining. Come and see—you won't be disappointed.

See you at the Parish Mission!!

Fr. Wilson

PS There will be a Children's Mass next Sunday. I hope you can join us.

Religious Education

All classes will meet at their scheduled times.

<u>Grades 5 – 10</u> will attend the Parish Mission on Monday, March 4th. Students are to report to the church hall at <u>6:45 PM</u>. Dismissal will be at 8:15 PM (approximately). Parents are encouraged to attend with their children.

REMINDER TO CONFIRMATION CLASS

Your Confirmation Retreat is <u>this</u> Friday, March 16th. Please be in the church hall by 8:45 AM. Please bring a lunch. Drinks and snacks will be provided.

PARISH MISSION

FR. NICHOLAS P. SMITH

"EVERYONE IS LOOKING FOR YOU!"

Monday, March 4th at 7:00 PM "Finding Jesus in His Real Presence and in One Another" Holy Hour & Solemn Benediction

<u>Tuesday, March 5th at 7:00 PM</u> **"Finding Jesus in Forgiveness & in Forgivers"** Penance Service (5 priests available for Confession)

<u>Wednesday, March 6th at 7:00 PM</u> "Finding Jesus in Healing and in Healers" Healing Mass with the Anointing of the Sick

Parish Garden Committee News

Our bi-weekly meetings will start NEXT Saturday, March 9th at 9:30 AM in the McMahon Garden Room. We won't be planting for a few months, but we need to start planning this year's vegetable garden. <u>ANY</u> parishioner who wants to get involved in any way is welcome to join us. Don't worry if you don't have any gardening experience: you will learn! We will have a special guest speaker on March 23rd: Mr. Steve Stycos, the farmer at West Bay Farm in Warwick. More details to follow.

February 24, 2013 Sunday Collection.....\$9,662.00 A sincere thank you for your support.

From the Desk of Mrs. Fuller Surprise!

The teachers of St. Rose of Lima School came back from Winter Break on Monday to the unveiling of a newly furnished teacher's lounge donated by **Cardi's Furniture**. Mrs. Amanda Silvia, President of the Home-School Association, and a group of parent volunteers, worked tirelessly to clean, paint and transform the space. The teachers and I would like to thank the HSA and our parents for their time and generous gift of a relaxing faculty room. Lastly, the school would like to thank Nick, Ron and Pete Cardi from Cardi's Furniture for the donation of the beautiful new furniture.

<u>Registration</u>

Saint Rose of Lima School is accepting registrations for Pre-School (3 & 4 year olds – FULL DAY & HALF DAY / 5 DAYS & 3 DAYS) to Grade 8. Please stop by the school for a registration packet or call 739-6937 or visit our website at www.saintroseschool.com.

EIGHT MONTH CLUB Week #25 \$50 Winner

Mr. & Mrs. Steven DeLeo – Ticket #187 Thank you to all who support Saint Rose School.

NON-PERISHABLE FOOD DRIVE

Our annual Non-Perishable Food Drive will be held on the weekend of March 16th & 17th. Please take a bag or two from the pew **NEXT WEEKEND** and fill it (them) with canned and/or boxed goods. All the food collected will be used to stock food pantries in Warwick. Thank you for your generosity!

WOMEN'S EXERCISE CLASS

When:	Every Wednesday			
Time:	9:30 AM to 10:15 AM			
Where:	Parish Hall			
Purpose:	Stretching & Strengthening Exercises			
Cost:	\$4.00 for an individual class OR			
	\$3.00 per class if you prepay for 5 classes			

Women of all ages are welcome! Wear comfortable clothing, and bring hand weights if you have them. Please call Barbara Melone at 738-8474 if you have any questions.

EASTER FLOWER OFFERING

In your budget packets you will find an envelope marked "EASTER FLOWER OFFERING". Your gift can be in memory of departed loved ones who will be remembered at all the Easter Masses. <u>The sanctuary</u> <u>decorations and Easter music will be in their</u> <u>memory</u>. Thank you for your generous gift which allows us to celebrate the Easter Season with proper solemnity and splendor.

St. Patrick & St. Joseph Dinner Dance

Saturday, March 16th in the Parish Hall 5:00 pm to 10:00 pm \$20 / person Tickets available at the Parish Office.

We hope you will join us for some "Corned Beef" & "Pasta"!

MEN of ST. JOSEPH

The Men of St. Joseph will hold their bi-weekly meeting on Saturday, March 9th from 7:30 AM to 9:00 AM in the McMahon Room. The meeting will begin with a Communion Service in the main church followed by a group discussion using the EWTN series "**Crossing the Goal:** <u>**Our Father.**</u>" Coffee and pastry will be available. Please call Malcolm Vakalis at 219-6019 with any questions. **ALL MEN ARE INVITED TO ATTEND.**

DO YOU HAVE THESE ITEMS IN YOUR HOME?

Our Parish Craft Committee is currently seeking the following items found in many homes:

- Old 100% wool sweaters (holes are OK!)
- Teacups and saucers
- Yarn (for scarves)
- Fleece (for glove and hat linings)

If you do and would like to make a donation, please bring them to the Parish Office. Thank you!!

OUR PARISH SCOREBOARD						
Games played the weekend of February 23 rd & 24 th						
SSRC		Opponent				
Boys Midget D1	28 vs.	St. Gregory	22			
Boys Cadet	50 vs.	St. Barnabas	60			
Boys Midget (School)	35 vs.	SM/SH	28			
Boys Grammar	54 vs.	St. Paul	35			
Girls Grammar	24 vs.	St. Augustine	28			
Stay tuned! Several teams are going to the playoffs!!						





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