



**Saturday, July 10**

9:00am Emile Maille (2<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary)  
4:00pm Viola & Octave Thibeault (Anniversary)

**Sunday, July 11**

8:00am Mary Rose Sullivan (Anniversary)  
10:00am Maurice Beaulieu (3<sup>rd</sup> Anniversary)  
11:30am George Godfroy (6<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)

**Monday, July 12**

9:00am Paul McLaughlin (11<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)

**Tuesday, July 13**

9:00am The Deignan Family (Mathilda, James, Rita,  
Robert & William) (Memorial)

**Wednesday, July 14**

9:00am Courtney McGuane (4<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)

**Thursday, July 15**

9:00am Madeline Libera (Memorial)

**Friday, July 16**

9:00am

**Saturday, July 17**

9:00am Fr. Francis McFarland (Anniversary)  
4:00pm Roland Brooks (11<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)

**Sunday, July 18**

8:00am Dennis McNamara (2<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary)  
10:00am Beatrice & Arthur Robert (Memorial)  
11:30am Theresa Beliveau (Memorial)

**Black and Indian Missions Collection**

This weekend, our parish will take up the annual Collection for Black and Indian Missions. Your financial contribution helps to support Catholic communities on reservations, in rural areas and in inner cities. Your donation funds evangelization programs to strengthen the faith, continue the legacy and share the mission with children and adults here in the United States. For more information, go to [www.blackandindianmission.org](http://www.blackandindianmission.org). Please be generous!

The second collection *next weekend* is for the monthly mortgage.

**Religious Education Registration!**



Religious Education registration for the 2010-2011 school year is now open! Please note that the fee for the First Communion year is \$150 per student and for Confirmation students is \$175. All others K-8 are \$125 per child. Any questions? Call Dawn Bastien in the Religious Education Office at (978) 453-4460. Thank you!



Please note that the Parish Office hours have changed for the summer:

**Monday-Thursday: 9:00am-5pm**

**Friday: 9:00am-12 Noon**

The Parish Office will remain closed on the weekend. Thank you for your cooperation!

**Harvest Festival Meeting**



If you would like to help us plan this year's Harvest Festival, please gather with us on **Wednesday, July 14th at 7pm** to start the planning process! All are welcome and many people are needed—please join us!

**Spiritual Bouquets**

The Parish Office now offers special Spiritual Bouquets for healing and for birthdays. They are \$5 each and can be purchased in person at the Office.

**It's that time of year again!**

**CORI Forms**

All volunteers are required to fill out a new CORI form for the 2010-2011 year. Even if you have filled one out in years past, **YOU MUST DO SO AGAIN**. Please drop by the office with your driver's license to fill yours out today. The form must be filled out in person. Any questions? Call Nancy in the Parish Office at (978) 452-6611. Thank you for your prompt attention to this!

**Keyboard Player Needed!**



Instruments of Faith, the 5:00 Sunday Mass band, is looking for a keyboard player. We will be practicing over the summer. Please contact Scott at [drvmusic@gmail.com](mailto:drvmusic@gmail.com) if you are interested or to obtain more information.

**Bread and Wine Donation**



We invite parishioners to donate the Bread and Wine for consecration at all Masses for a given week. This can be a personal donation or in memory of someone. The person donating or person(s) remembered will be listed in the bulletin on the weekend and will cover all Masses for that week. Suggested offering for this gift is \$50. Please call the Parish Office to schedule this special memorial.

**Centering Prayer**



Our Centering Prayer group for men and women is still meeting throughout the summer! Please join us on **Wednesday evenings from 7-8:30pm** for this reflective, prayerful experience. All are welcome!

**St. Vincent de Paul**

In today's Gospel, when Jesus asks, "Which of these three, in your opinion, was neighbor to the robbers' victim?" The scholar of the law answered, "The one who treated him with mercy." Jesus then said, "Go and do likewise."

**This week, you can also "treat the poor with mercy" by donating a monetary gift in the St. Vincent de Paul poor box.**

**Feed My Sheep  
John 21:17**



The Dracut Food Pantry was established to help any Dracut resident who is in need of food, be it once or on a monthly basis. We are open the **4th Saturday of each month from 9am to 12pm**, and are located at 1934 Lakeview Ave. Any questions please call 978-957-8600 and leave a message. Our next opening will be on **July 24**.

**S.P.A.R.K.S. Summer Program**

Looking for something fun to do with your children this summer? Every Thursday, our St. Francis S.P.A.R.K.S. program will meet out and about in the community to have some fun and enjoy some fellowship! Please join us this week on **Thursday, July 15 at 9:30am at Veteran's Park on Broadway Road in Dracut** to play on the playground and enjoy the sprinkler park. All are welcome!

**Traveling?**



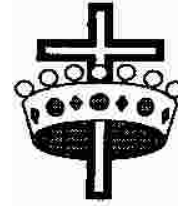
Don't forget to check [www.masstimes.org](http://www.masstimes.org) to get the names of churches and times of Masses in the area of which you'll be vacationing! Remember...God never takes a vacation from you!

**Family Rosary Conference: As We Forgive**

Block off your calendar and plan to gather your family on **Saturday, July 17** to learn how to communicate within the family, how to forgive each other and how to receive God's graces. With workshops for adults, teens and youth, a Mission Rosary, Vigil Mass, Reconciliation, and a dynamic keynote speaker, your family will enjoy an inspiring and uplifting day; and all for \$10 per person--up to a \$50 max for families. It also includes lunch. So register and simply join us on the grounds of **Stonehill College** on **July 17**. Go to [www.HCFM.org](http://www.HCFM.org) or call 508-238-4095 or 800-299-7729 for more information.

**Saint Louis School News**

[www.saintlouisschool.org](http://www.saintlouisschool.org)



Registrations are now being accepted for the 2010-2011 school year at St. Louis School in Lowell. Check out [www.saintlouisschool.org](http://www.saintlouisschool.org) to see what St. Louis has to offer! Contact Mrs. Donna Henderson, Interim Principal, at 978-458-7594 for a registration packet and to set up a personal tour of our school. Thank you!

We are pleased to announce the startup of a Three Year old component to our Early Childhood program for the 2010-2011 academic years. We are now accepting registrations. Spaces are very limited. For more information, please contact Donna Henderson at 978-458-7594.



Altar Bread & Wine  
this weekend is given by  
**Debbie Ayotte**  
In memory of  
**Robert Loiselle**

**Widow and Widowers Social Support Group**

The next meeting of the Widow and Widowers Social Support Group will be held on **Sunday, July 18 from 2-4pm in the Parish Hall**. All are welcome—please join us!

**Faithworks**

Faithworks is a faith-based support group for unemployed and employed men and women in the Merrimack Valley, combining prayerful discernment, networking and practical job search and career skills in a spirit of fellowship. The group meets at St. Catherine Parish Center mezzanine on 107 North Main Street in Westford. Visit [www.stcatherinescareernetwork.ning.com](http://www.stcatherinescareernetwork.ning.com) or call (508-479-7254).

**Eucharistic Adoration**



We hold Eucharistic Adoration **every Monday in the church from 9:30am-5:30pm**, even throughout the summer. Please stop in at some point during your busy summer to rest in the powerful and prayerful presence of our Lord.

**Save the Date for the St. Francis Parish Show!**



Save the date for this year's Parish Show! The theme will be reliving old time songs from movies from "way back when", which will include songs from Bob Hope's "Thanks for the Memories" and Roy Rogers and Dale Evans "Happy Trails to You". There will also be some exciting "new" performances in the second act. The Show will be held on **Saturday, September 25 at 8 p.m. and Sunday, September 26 at 2 p.m.** Tickets go on sale in August. You won't want to miss it!

**Sick and Hospitalized Parishioners**

If you or a loved one become sick or are hospitalized and would like to see Fr. Brian, please call the Parish Office at (978) 452-6611 to let us know.

**Sacraments**

*Baptism:* Please call the parish office to make arrangements.

*Marriage:* Contact one of the parish priests at least six months prior

**Eucharistic Adoration**

Mondays 9:30 AM-5:30PM

**Contemplative Prayer Group**

Men and women are invited to join the contemplative prayer group at **7pm on Wednesday nights in the Annex**. Come every week or once a month

**Rosary**

The Rosary is prayed Monday – Friday at 8:30 AM.

**Pastoral Care of the Sick & Homebound**

Please notify the parish office when parishioners are homebound, in extended care facilities, or are admitted to the hospital.

**Parish Nurses**

Call Louise at 978-454-7970.

**Prayer Line**

Call Barbara at 978-937-0239 or Pat at 978-685-1137, also online at [www.saintfrancis.net/prayerline](http://www.saintfrancis.net/prayerline).

**Alcoholics Anonymous**

Meeting in the Parish Hall every Saturday at 8:00 PM.

**Bereavement Support**

Meets second & fourth Wednesdays of each month at 7:00 PM.

Please call Louise Daigle at 978-454-7970.

**Saint Vincent de Paul Society**

Call the Parish Office at 978-452-6611.

**Spiritual Direction**

If you are interested in spiritual direction, call the parish office at 978-452-6611 or Marcy at 978-458-9715.

**Parish Pastoral Council**

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