

Third Sunday of Easter — **April 15, 2018**
Readings: +Acts 3:13-15, 17-19 +1 John 2:1-5a +Luke 24:35-48

STE. ROSE de LIMA MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK	
Apr 14 – Saturday	4:00 PM Ron Green (5 th Ann) by Diane & family
Apr 15 – Sunday	7:30 AM Austin Dao by Lang
3 rd Sunday of Easter	9:00 AM David Allyn (Ann rem) by his parents
	11:00 AM Marcel Thibault by Mary Lou & Will Sicard
	4:00 PM Ginger LaCrosse (Ann rem) by the family
Apr 16 – Monday	7:00 AM Robert Donald Rhode (1 st Ann) by his estate
Apr 17 - Tuesday	7:00 AM Domer Ringuette by Claire & family
Apr 18 – Wednesday	7:00 AM Robert Demers & Gerard & Annette Campbell by the family
Apr 19 – Thursday	7:00 AM Jeanne Dumoulin by Louise & Ed Osetek
Apr 20 - Friday	7:00 AM In honor of St Anthony for favor obtained by a parishioner
Apr 21– Saturday	4:00 PM Rosalie Bishop by the Religious Ed CCD Program of Ste. Rose
Apr 22 – Sunday	7:30 AM Anna Dao by Lang
4 th Sunday of Easter	9:00 AM Jeannette Grondin (1 st Ann) by Aline Poulin
	11:00 AM John Belle-Isle (2 nd Ann) by his wife, Cecile & family
	4:00 PM Trish Belisle by Rob Jolly

<p align="center"><u>THIS WEEK</u> <u>+Sunday – April 15</u> 6:15PM Intermediate Dance Class/SJA 7:15PM Beginners Dance Class/SJA <u>+Tuesday – April 17</u> 6:30PM RCIA/Ctr ---7:30PM AA/Ch <u>+Saturday – April 21</u> 10AM-2PM SJA FUNdraiser donate used items/SJA Parking lot Visit: www.sterose.org</p>

BINGO 4/14/18 Team 4 **PARISH STEWARDSHIP** 4/8/18 Offertory \$12,100.00 *Thank you for your support!*
BINGO 4/21/18 Team 1 **SJA BOOSTER CLUB** 4/8/18 WEEK 2 #101 Donald Bernash

THE STE. ROSE DE LIMA MEMORIAL FUND is grateful for a \$100.00 gift in loving memory of Vilma Rousseau. Thank you!

EASTER FLOWER MEMORIALS have been received in loving memory of M/M Joseph Sycz and M/M Ovila Desautels by James and Nancy --- and in loving memory of Richard Henault and Mom & Dad by Claire. Thank you very much!

FUNDrive Help us raise funds for SJA School by donating clothes and household items – Saturday, April 21st from 10AM-2PM ONLY in the Trilby Ave SJA Schoolyard. *The donated items must be clean and in sellable condition.* Place soft items in 13 gallon bags: Clothing – any season, jeans/pants/shorts, belts/ties/scarves, handbags/backpacks/wallets, coats/jackets/sweatshirts/hoodies, winter garb, shoes/boots, towels, linens/curtains/drapes, tablecloths, fabric, remnants, yarn, sewing supplies, blankets/comforters/bedspreads, sheets/pillowcases. Place hard & miscellaneous items in 18x18 boxes: utensils, dishes/bowls, glasses/mugs, bakeware, pots & pans, toys/games/puzzles/dolls, candles/candleholders, vases, knick-knacks, picture frames/photo albums, collectibles: trading cards, porcelain dolls / art supplies/crafts/scrapbooking items / CD's/ DVD's. No furniture or large appliances, please. We look forward to seeing you.

PURSE BINGO - MONDAY, April 23rd. Looking for an exciting evening after the chilly winter? The Community Life committee cordially invites you to begin the Spring season by attending our second fun-filled Purse Bingo. Win a designer bag: “Coach, Kate Spade, Michael Kors” and many others. Ladies and gents are welcome. There will be 10 games, delicious snacks and refreshments. Many raffle baskets. Proceeds to benefit the church kitchen renovation project. **Tickets are \$35.00** and available after Mass and at the Pastoral Center, Mon-Fri 9-5PM. Join us April 23rd for a very entertaining evening! Doors open at 5:30PM Games begin 7PM.

THE MASS BOOK FOR 2019 will become available on **Monday, April 23rd at 12 Noon.** Nancy, our receptionist's hours are from 12 Noon to 5PM, Mon-Fri. She will be pleased to assist you. You will be allowed to reserve one (1) Weekend Mass for your family members at this time. You may reserve weekday Masses within a reasonable amount. Should it be that, at the end of the year, weekend Masses are still available, you may request them. The offering for Masses is \$10.00. Also available are Hosts for the month for an offering of \$35.00 and the Church Sanctuary Lamp for the month for an offering of \$25.00.

REV. FRANCIS SHANNON SCHOLARSHIP High School Seniors and graduates who belong to Ste. Rose de Lima Parish and who wish to further their education are encouraged to apply for this Scholarship, which is a one-time grant. Please visit the Ste. Rose Pastoral Center or call Mary Rider, Chairperson 533-2437 for an application. It must be completed and returned to the Chairperson by May 15, 2018 accompanied by an official transcript of High School or College grades and a letter from the Pastor stating that the applicant is an active participating member of the parish. Former members of St. Mary of the Assumption Parish, Willimansett who were enrolled in the CCD Program at the time St. Mary's was closed, may also apply.

BOY SCOUT TROOP #138 will host a **DINE OUT SUPPORTING** Boy Scout Troop 138: **Wednesday, April 18th. 5:00-8:00PM** at the **Ninety-Nine Restaurant**, 555 Memorial Drive, Chicopee. Must present a coupon which can be found in the back of Church or at the Pastoral Center.

***Dear Parishioner...Around & About Ste. Rose,
Rectory Updates***

The “water event” on the second floor of the rectory was January 28. Since that time the rectory has been dried by dehumidifiers and professional blowers. The ceiling and walls in the dining room have been restored. This past week the asbestos flooring in two upstairs bathrooms was removed. The other two bathrooms on the second floor did not have flooring containing asbestos. Reconstruction of the bathrooms will be next on the agenda. Other than that, the progress is steady. While Fr. Fred Cournoyer is in residence you need to know that his rooms are intact. Fr. Fred will be with us until May 9 wherein he will return to Honduras. Upon his departure the original oak flooring in nearly 70% of the rectory will be sanded and receive three coats of polyurethane. It appears as if the rectory could be completed by the end of May. The actual water damage has totaled nearly \$16,000.00. Reconstruction and replacement of area carpeting will be a parish expense. With insurance, a much-needed rectory upgrade will be more affordable. Please know that all the carpeting was 30-40 years old and needing to be addressed. Restoring the oak flooring was a “trade-off” with the insurance versus replacing carpeting. The rectory was never a priority of upgrades with previous administrations; however, the “water event” forced us into an improvement. Next week I’ll provide you with another update concerning both the rectory and the church kitchen. Thanks for your support and encouragement!

Fr. Bill

THINKING ABOUT switching Schools? From Pre-K3 to Grade 8, St. Joan of Arc School has innovative offerings that include before and after school child care, free breakfast and lunch, accelerated computer classes, Reading Counts Program, class buddies, IXL Math, foreign language lab, NJHS and free extracurricular activities. Call 533-1475 to schedule a school tour, request registration information or to arrange a Shadow Day. Visit www.sjachicopee.org

ST. JOAN OF ARC SCHOOL is pleased to announce a new tuition assistance fund specifically designated for graduates of St. Joan of Arc School attending Pope Francis High School. The SJA Tuition Assistance Fund has been created by an anonymous donor. Recipients will receive a \$1,000.00 award per year, all four years of attendance, for tuition assistance. We are grateful for the very generous gift that supports the continuation of Catholic education. Please contact the SJA Business Office 536-6038 to discuss the new program.

THE 2018 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL “In giving, we receive” Thanking God for the blessings in our lives and sharing with those in need, as of 4/8/18, 344 Ste. Rose parishioners have contributed \$37,170.00 in one-time gifts and pledges. Thank you! We hope to surpass last year’s donated total of \$50,666.00. To donate, please mail in the card you received or visit iobserve.org and click on the icon entitled, “In giving we receive.” Thank you for your generous spirit of giving!

BALLROOM DANCE CLASSES Swing into Spring! Get some exercise and have lots of fun learning a new social skill! A new 6-week series of classes begins on Sunday evening, April 15th. (*We are starting a week later than previously announced so if you hesitated, there’s still time to join us, know that you will be welcomed!*) A bonus make-up class is included in case you have to miss a week. Join us at 6:15PM for the intermediate class or 7:15PM for the beginner class in the SJA school hall. Price per person/per course is \$60.00. Please contact Kristie Mullins @ 413-204-4586 to register.

DOLLY AND FRIENDS 2018 PRESENTS : (Visit www.sterose.org weekly Bulletin for line-up of trips for 2018)

JOIN US ON: Wednesday, June 27, 2018 “Nubble Lighthouse Cruise” Visit Yummies Candy & Nuts in Kittery, Maine. Lunch at The York River Landing Restaurant. Pre-select: Baked Haddock or Chicken Piccata served with demi salad, mashed potatoes, vegetable, dessert, coffee or tea. Final stop: Perkins Cove with shops, restaurants and scenic overlooks. Depart on 1 ½ hour, 14 mile round trip scenic cruise. Price **\$114 pp**. Includes Nubble Lighthouse Cruise, luncheon, stop at Yummies, motorcoach transportation, meal tax and gratuities (including driver). Depart from Moose Club 7:30AM return approx. 7:30PM To confirm your reservation call Dolly 530-3813. Your check for the required amount should be mailed to: Dolly Asselin, PO Box 1192, Chicopee, MA 01021-1192. Include your name, address and phone # and meal choice.

DAY TRIP TO NEW YORK CITY, Saturday, June 9, 2018. Spend the day in New York City to do as you wish. Bus leaves Home Depot on Memorial Drive, Chicopee at 7AM and you board the bus at 7PM in New York City for the return trip home. Trip cost \$48.00. Contact Lorraine Justice 593-3914 or 364-7439 to reserve your seat.

DON’T MISS OUT! FRENCH NIGHT “CABANE A SUCRE” Saturday, May 19th. Join us for a French Night, “Cabane A Sucre” to be held at the Knights of Columbus Elder Council 69 on Granby Road, Chicopee on **Saturday, May 19th** at 5:30PM. This is a fundraiser for St. Joan of Arc School. Volunteers are needed and donations will be accepted for the raffle or if you need tickets to be sent you, please call Alain Stanislas 887-1035. **Tickets are \$25.00 per person and are available after Masses or at the Pastoral Center, Mon-Fri 9-5PM.** French meat pie will be on the menu and traditional French music will be provided by the Skid Marks and by Eric Gagne & Alex Chartrand both from Quebec.

MERCY SUPPORT GROUP This free weekly grief support group is for people who have experienced the loss of a spouse, partner, family member or friend. ALL are welcome! Meets every Monday except major holidays from 5:30-6:30PM. Join us at the Mercy Medical Center, 299 Carew St., Springfield. (Deliso Center, O'Hare Room on lower level).

CREED: What We Believe -- Foundations Series Seminar Explore what it means to believe as well as what is believed for an informed, lived, Catholic faith. This seminar offers a rapid overview of the central teachings of the faith as found in the Nicene Creed. The instructor is Rev. Mark Stelzer, PH.D., Elms College chaplain and associate professor of humanities and teaches courses in religious studies and philosophy. The 4-session seminar begins on May 8 at DeCice Hall at the Marian Center, Holyoke or May 10 at St. Ann's Parish, Lenox. To register for the program in Holyoke, please contact Chris Clark, DHM at (413) 687-1858 or decice.hall@gmail.com. The cost for the seminar is \$40, plus required books. **FOR MEN CONSIDERING THE DIACONATE**, this is part of a preformation program to assist in discernment, the reflecting on the nature of your gifts and how God may be calling you to exercise them.

RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREATS A Rachel's Vineyard weekend retreat is an opportunity for any woman, man, couple, grandparent or sibling who struggles with the emotional or spiritual pain of abortion. This powerful experience allows the soul to speak its sorrow, as participants enter the grieving process, identify effects the abortion had and release deep feelings of anger, shame, and guilt that frequently accompany an abortion experience. This unique retreat process is designed specifically to help retreatants experience the gentleness, mercy, compassion, and the unconditional love of Jesus as they walk through the journey to forgiveness. If you or a friend are hurting from an abortion experience don't delay, take the first step toward healing. For more information or to register for an upcoming weekend call 413-452-0661. You may also call Suzanne @ 203-417-0504. All calls are confidential.

THANK YOU TO ALL THE STE. ROSE VOLUNTEERS AND EMPLOYEES who have completed the online training "**Virtus, Protecting our Children and Vulnerable adults, a requisite in order to be a volunteer**". If you haven't yet completed this training, please contact Cindee 536-4558 to get instructions on how to complete the program. Thank you!

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS The Polish Junior League of Massachusetts is accepting applications for scholarships for college students of Polish heritage. Undergraduate scholarships are awarded to students completing their Sophomore year of college; the Josephine Karwoski Scholarship is awarded to a female graduate student or a returning student. Application information and forms may be obtained at www.polishjuniorleaguema.org (applications). Deadline for application materials is May 1, 2018.

BIG Y EDUCATION EXPRESS St. Joan of Arc has joined the By Y Education Express! Please help us earn free equipment for our school. How? Sign up at bigy.com. If you already have an account, look for the Education Express icon and choose St. Joan of Arc School from the Chicopee Schools. If you do not have an account please click "Don't have a my Big Y Account" to create one. You need to fill in your name and Big Y card number. Then confirm your Big Y account information. Check "join Education Express and fill in your state, city and school. We know this is not always easy and appreciate each person who designates SJA School for their rewards.

UPCOMING TRIP "Jesus" at the Sight & Sound Theatre, Lancaster, PA 3 Days/2Nights \$499.00 double occupancy Wed-Fri **May 9-11, 2018**. Join us for an unforgettable journey to Lancaster in the Spring to see an incredible show "Jesus" To reserve your seat, call Marilyn at 413-467-9821 or 413-467-3382. A great Mother's Day Gift! Sponsored by **Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish, 256 State St., Granby, MA**

EASY AND ENJOYABLE FUNDRAISER to help redo our church hall kitchen. **Texas Roadhouse** in Springfield has a church fundraiser program if you would like to have lunch and/or dinner at the **Texas Roadhouse** on any Sunday (Sunday's only for this fundraiser) and you bring a copy of our Church bulletin and give it to your server, 10% of your bill will be donated to Ste. Rose. This is only done on Sundays from 11:30AM-9:30PM. Enjoy a delicious Sunday meal at **Texas Roadhouse** (It's in the Five Town Plaza off of Cooley St, Springfield) and help raise money to redo our kitchen in the church hall. Bon Appetit!

2018 IRELAND TOUR: The Irish Cultural Center is sponsoring a new 10-day tour to Ireland's Three Gems; Dingle, Kilkenny, and Dublin, from October 17 - 27, 2018. The tour is limited and will be filled on a first-come, first-paid basis. Trip Cost: \$2,995 per person based on double occupancy. For more information, contact Pat Baker at 413-348-3263, Eric Bergstrom at 860-798-4525 or visit the ICC website at IrishCenterwne.org for the detailed itinerary and reservation application.

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DOLLY AND FRIENDS PRESENTS... April through December
(All trips depart from the Family Moose Club Center, 244 Fuller Rd, Chicopee, MA)
To confirm your reservation call Dolly 530-3813 for any one of these trips
Your check for the required amount should be mailed to:

Dolly Asselin, PO Box 1192, Chicopee, MA 01021-1192
for any one of these trips. Include your name, address and phone #
and meal choice if one is offered for your selected trip.

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SOLD OUT: 1/ Wednesday, April 25, 2018 "EXIT Laughing" at the Newport Playhouse & Cabaret. Round trip motorcoach, Buffet, Playhouse Comedy Show, Cabaret show and driver gratuity for **\$82.00 pp**. The fabulous buffet offers: Homemade meatballs, baked scrod, roasted chicken, glazed ham, bbq chicken, Italian sausage & peppers, oven roasted potatoes, vegetables, salads, dessert coffee & hot tea. Depart 9AM Return approx. 7PM.

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SOLD OUT; 2/ Thursday, May 17, 2018: "Triple Espresso" at Nelson Hall Theater, Cheshire, CT. Laskara Restaurant Luncheon, then off to the theater for orchestra seats to **Triple Espresso** all by motorcoach transportation. Meal tax and gratuities (including driver) included in the **\$98.00 pp**. Pre-select: Grilled Salmon, Strip Steak, Chicken Parmigiana. Depart 10:15AM and return approx 5:30PM.

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3/ Wednesday, June 27, 2018 "Nubble Lighthouse Cruise" Visit Yummies Candy & Nuts in Kittery, Maine. Lunch at The York River Landing Restaurant. Pre-select: Baked Haddock or Chicken Piccata served with demi salad, mashed potatoes, vegetable, dessert, coffee or tea. Final stop: Perkins Cove with shops, restaurants and scenic overlooks. Depart on 1 ½ hour, fourteen mile round trip scenic cruise. Price **\$114 pp**. Includes Nubble Lighthouse Cruise, luncheon, stop at Yummies, motorcoach transportation, meal tax and gratuities (including driver). Depart 7:30AM return approx. 7:30PM

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4/ Sunday, July 15, 2018 "Four Weddings and An Elvis" Begin with NE dining experience at the Salem Cross Inn. Pre-select: Old Fashioned Chicken Pie on a buttermilk biscuit / or Fresh Honey Dejon Maple Salmon w/ Garden Salad, fresh vegetable, potato, ice cream cake balls, rolls muffins, tea or coffee. Then enjoy the show at Stage loft Repertory Theater. Price **\$84 pp** includes: luncheon, tickets to Four Weddings and An Elvis, motorcoach transportation, meal tax and gratuities (including driver). Depart 10:00AM, return approx. 5:30PM

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5/ Thursday, August 16, 2018 Thimble Islands Cruise with Gillette Castle State Park Board the 48 passenger boat Volsunga IV for a 45 minute tour. Lunch is at the U.S.S. Chowder Pot of Hartford. Pre select: Shrimp Scampi baked in casserole, Sliced Roast Pork Loan w/ mushroom sauce or Breaded Chicken Cutlet Parmesan. Served with garden salad, vegetable potato, rolls, apple cobbler, coffee, hot tea. Visit Gillette Castle State Park. **Price: TBA** Includes Thimble Islands Cruise, luncheon, admission to Gillette Castle State park, motorcoach transportation, meal tax and gratuities. Depart 7:30AM, return approx 6:15PM.

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6/ Wednesday-Friday, September 5-7, 2018 "Jesus" Sight & Sound Theatres Day One: Travel to Lancaster County PA and stay two nights at Fulton Steamboat Inn. Dinner this evening is at Shady Maple Smorgasbord. Day Two: Family style breakfast. Visit to Kitchen Kettle Village for shopping. Enjoy watching "Love, Lies and the Lottery at the Rainbow Comedy Playhouse. Dinner at Millers Smorgasbord then free time to explore. This evening enjoy "Jesus" at Sight & Sound Theatres. Day Three: Family style breakfast at hotel. Visit Bird-in-Hand Farmers Market. The Dinner stop at Mastoris Restaurant in New Jersey is on your own. **Price \$439 pp double / \$415 pp triple / \$556 single / \$392 pp quad. \$100 pp deposit at booking.** Final payment due 8/1/2018. Travel Insurance available. Price includes: two nights lodging at Fulton Steamboat Inn; family style breakfasts at hotel; two buffet dinners; reserved orchestra seats at Sight & Sound Theatres for "Jesus"; Rainbow Comedy Playhouse buffet dinner and show; stop at Bird-in-Hand Farmers Market; free time at Kitchen Kettle Village, motorcoach transportation, roundtrip baggage handling; all taxes and gratuities (including driver) Depart 7:30AM on Wednesday 9/5 return approx 7PM Friday 9/7.

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7/ Wednesday, September 26, 2018 "There's a Burglar in my Bed" at The Newport Playhouse & Cabaret. Package Includes: Roundtrip motorcoach, buffet luncheon, Playhouse Comedy Show, Cabaret Show, driver Gratuity. \$82 p.p. The fabulous buffet offers: Homemade meatballs, baked scrod, roasted chicken, glazed ham, bbq chicken, Italian sausage & peppers, oven roasted potatoes, vegetables, salads, dessert coffee & hot tea. Depart 9AM Return approx. 7PM.

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8/ Thursday, October 11, 2018 "Fresians of Majesty, A Unique Vermont Experience" During fall foliage season enjoy luncheon at the New England House in Brattleboro, VT. Pre-select: Maple Apple Sage Pork Loin / New England Beef pot Roast or/ Orange Tarragon Salmon, served with butternut squash, baked bread, apple bread pudding, soft drink, coffee, iced tea or tea. The Fresians of Majesty invite you to visit and learn about the history of the farm and see beautiful majestic horses. **Price \$89 pp** includes luncheon, Fresians of Majesty tour and show, motorcoach transportation, meal tax and gratuities (including driver). Depart 10:15AM Return approx. 6:30PM

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9/ Monday, November 12, 2018 Bob Hope's USO Style Show at the Aqua Turf Club, Plantsville, CT featuring Bill Johnson and Holly Faris. Enjoy Coffee and Donuts, Door prizes, complimentary glass of beer or wine. Family style Menu: Salad, Pasta, Chicken Florentine, Baked Scrod, Rice Pilaf, vegetable, pumpkin squares. **Price \$79 pp** includes luncheon & Bob Hope's USO Style Show at the Aqua Turf Club, motorcoach transportation, meal tax and gratuities (including driver) Depart 8:45AM return approx. 5PM.

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10/ Wednesday-Friday, December 12-14, 2018 A White Mountains Christmas Celebration Day One: Travel to North Conway, NH to White Mountain Hotel & Resort., decorated in colonial style Christmas. Stop at Settler's Green Outlet Village for shopping. Enjoy a Yuletide Welcome Reception at the hotel. Evening order elegant dinner off the menu then adjourn to for evening's Christmas Show. Day Two: Country breakfast, sleigh Ride, lunch, Christmas Comedy Show, evening dinner off the menu and a Christmas entertainment show. Day Three: breakfast, depart for Christmas Loft for shopping. **Price \$499 pp double/ \$469 triple / \$649 single. \$100 pp deposit at booking.** Final payment due 11/5/18. Travel insurance available. Includes: two nights lodging, welcome reception, 5 meals, sleigh ride; 3 Christmas shows, special cocktail pricing, baggage handling; motorcoach transportation all taxes and gratuities including bus driver. Depart 7:30AM on day one return approx. 4pm on day 3.

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END OF DOLLY AND FRIENDS PRESENTS... 10 TRIPS FOR 2018

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ATTENTION: ALL STE. ROSE VOLUNTEERS AND EMPLOYEES Your response has been outstanding. **Thank you to all who have completed** the online training "**Virtus, Protecting our Children and Vulnerable adults**". (A requisite in order to be a volunteer). If you have not yet completed the training and if you volunteer as a Religious Ed Teacher, RCIA Facilitator, Eucharistic Minister, Music Ministry, Boy Scouts, Altar Server Instructor, Sacristan, Usher/Greeter please stop in the Pastoral Center to complete your CORI and be given instruction on how to complete the **Virtus online program**. If you don't have access to a computer, please contact Cindee at 536-4558, and we can set up an appointment to complete this in the Pastoral Center together. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Cindee at the above number or email cindee@sterose.org.

We've reached the deadline and you must notify us to complete and comply with the Diocese!

HOSPITAL VISITS Please list your parish as St. Rose de Lima when being admitted to the hospital. If you wish a pastoral visit during a hospital stay, please call the Pastoral Center 536-4558 to let us know. We are more than happy to visit you or your loved one but we need to be informed that you are there.

MSGR. LEO LECLERC ENDOWMENT FUND Gifts to the St. Joan of Arc School's Msgr. Leo A. Leclerc Endowment Fund are accepted year round. Your gift is an investment in the educational and spiritual development of the students and maintain the building itself. The fund is used to perpetuate, partially support, and uphold the educational work of St. Joan of Arc School. Donations can be made online @ www.sjachicopee.org or mailed to SJA School, 587 Grattan St., Chicopee, MA 01020. Checks are made payable to The Foundation of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Springfield. Please note in the memo section: Msgr. Leo A. Leclerc Endowment. Thank you!

CHURCH ENVELOPE PACKETS Several parishioners have asked about a **white envelope addressed to Ste. Rose de Lima Church** which is included in your monthly packet. Some parishioners choose to mail in their Parish support contribution for the entire month and use this envelope for their convenience. We thank you all for your continued support of our Parish!

NORTHEAST CATHOLIC COLLEGE, 511 Kearsarge Mountain Rd., Warner, NH 03278. +Northeast Catholic College is offering a four-year \$8,000 scholarship for room and board to any freshman or transfer student who enrolls at Northeast Catholic College by August 15, 2018. The reduction in cost represents an \$8,000 discount for the fall 2018-2019 academic year and will be worth \$32,000 over four years. For actual details and more info please contact the admissions office at 603-456-2656 or admissions@NortheastCatholic.edu.

STOP & SHOP A+ BONUS PROGRAM SJA School is once again participating in the Stop and Shop A+ School Rewards Program. If you already supported our school last year then there is no need to re-register for this school year. If you would like to register to help SJA School earn cash awards just for shopping at S&S please follow these directions: visit www.stopandshop.com and select Savings & Rewards. Follow the prompt to create your online account. You will need your 13-digit S&S card number, and the school ID #05332. Last June we received a check for \$1,092.77 from our Chicopee Stop & Shop store. We are using that money for cases of copy paper and to replace a couple of computers for teachers. Thank you!

FIRST FRIDAY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION St. Rose de Lima offers First Friday Eucharistic Adoration following the 7AM Mass every First Friday of the month. The Blessed Sacrament is exposed for adoration until 3PM at which time the Divine Mercy Chaplet is prayed followed by the Blessed Sacrament Benediction. (If there is a School Mass or a Funeral Mass in the morning, the Blessed Sacrament is reposed until after the Mass when Adoration will again be available). All are invited to spend time before our Eucharistic Lord in prayer.

HARMONY HOUSE LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS Harmony House, Inc. a social model home for those with terminal illness is looking for volunteers. Harmony House is a 501 ©(3) charitable organization which relies solely on donations to support the home. The home is run entirely by volunteers. Volunteers of all types are needed for cooking, cleaning, laundry, yard work and clerical duties. Especially needed are direct care givers such as CNAS, PCAs, LPNs and RNs. Check us out on Facebook

or our website harmonyhousewma.org or contact via email at harmonyhousewma@gmail.com or call 413-331-5252. Someday you may need us but right now, we need you!

CROSSING GUARDS The City of Chicopee is looking for substitute crossing guards. If interested, please apply at the Chicopee School Dept., 180 Broadways St or call Janet 413-594-3520. These are paid positions.

SHRINERS HOSPITAL FUNDRAISER The Child Life team at Shriners Hospitals for Children in Springfield is able to provide procedural teaching with medical play using new stuffed animals. Together, the child and the stuffed animal can get dressed for a procedure by wearing surgical hats and masks. Pretend medical equipment is used to allow the child to become familiar with the hospital environment and will be more comfortable when the time comes for the nurse to listen to their heart or check their blood pressure. Child Life staff also use the stuffed animals to teach about the patient's surgery and will cast their animal's arm or leg to match the patient! They help patients through their surgical experience. Donations can be mailed to Kim Fournier, PO Box 24, Chicopee, MA 01021.

SPIRITUAL READING LIBRARY Several members of the Evangelization and Spiritual Life Committee have reorganized the Spiritual Reading Library located in the vestibule of the Church. Books have been updated and categorized for parishioners to take home, to read, and to return at their convenience. Also, if parishioners would like to donate books they may leave them on the table in the vestibule of the Church. The library will be updated as new books are received.

CUB SCOUT PACK 138 invites adult volunteers interested in participating in our activities to visit our website www.cubscoutpack138.com or email: cubscoutpackchicopee@yahoo.com for more information. Hope to hear from you soon

RESERVED PARKING FOR STAFF The Rectory Garage blacktop on Lafayette St. and the blacktop driveway at the Pastoral Center on Chapel St. is posted reserved parking for staff. Please allow us to come and go as the need calls. We understand parking is at a premium and we thank you for this courtesy.

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST to the Homebound are reminded to please go to the sacristy after Mass to get the Host rather than during Communion. (Per Diocesan directives).

LOOKING FOR A CATHOLIC GIFT SHOP? St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish in Northampton has a Gift Shop which is open on Friday and Saturday 11-2PM. The sales are from 10% - 50% off. They have an assortment of Religious and Baptismal items and much more. Take Hawley St., on to Phillips Pl., driveway entrance on the left. Visit www.saintelizabethannseton.net under Parish Life.

OUR PRAY AND KNIT GROUP is always in need of extra yarn. Do you have any unwanted skeins you'd like to share? We'll put them to good use. Thank you!

LITURGY OF THE DAY If you wish to know the Liturgy of the Day, please visit our website: www.sterose.org Choose **Links** then click on *USCCB Daily Liturgies*. You will be offered a calendar. Click on the day of the readings you wish and they will appear.

BOY SCOUT TROOP #138 would like to thank the Parish for their support of our fundraisers. If you need information about our Boy Scout Troop, please call T.J. Noonan 592-8156.

HOLY FAMILY RETREAT CENTER OFFERINGS: You can always find the complete listing of Holy Family events on the retreat center's web page. <https://holyfamilyretreat.org/bulletin> www.holyfamilyretreat.org

Saturday

STE. ROSE DE LIMA BINGO – Super Bingo Format
Early Bird 6:10PM - Games 6:15PM - \$15 & \$20 Entrance
Extra \$5 Packs – 2 WTA 50/50 – 2 \$1199 Progressives
Free Coffee & Tea --- Catered
Entrance until 6:30PM every Saturday - Elevator Available
Ste. Rose de Lima Church Hall -- 600 Grattan St -- Chicopee, MA -- 413-539-9259

Saturday