



Mass Intentions

21 Sunday in Ordinary Time

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August 25, 2024

Aug 24	Saturday	4:00 PM	+ Frances Schipper, Susan Cusson, Karen Corcoran & Henry Bushey by Family
			+ Louise Newton (1 st Anniversary) by her family
Aug 25	Sunday	7:30 AM	+ Jean-Louis Ouimette by his sister Huguette Fecteau
21st Sunday in Ordinary time		9:00 AM	+ Ivan Trombley (7 th Anniversary) by Elaine & family
		11:00 AM	+ Ronald Desmarais by Connie Desmarais
		4:00 PM	+ Cecile G. Verdon (22nd Anniversary) by Robert & Claire Raina
Aug 26	Monday	7:00 AM	+ Claude Ouemette by his sister Huguette
Aug 27	Tuesday	7:00 AM	+ Lise Roy by Ulric & Claire Roy
		9:00 AM	+ School Mass Joe Bonavita (40 th birthday) by his mom & dad
Aug 28	Wednesday	7:00 AM	+ Gloria (Robillard) & Joseph Rene' Thibeault by the family
Aug 29	Thursday	7:00 AM	+ Mafalda Manno by Angelina Manno & family
Aug 30	Friday	7:00 AM	+ Dr. Paul Thomas & his wife Elizabeth by Rene & Lorraine Dube
Aug 31	Saturday	4:00 PM	+ Lorraine Fimbel by Joe & Sandy Chessey
Sept 01	Sunday	7:30 AM	+ Ray & Gertrude Provost (anniversary) by family
22nd Sunday in Ordinary time		9:00 AM	+ Manuel Oliveira by Ormindia Oliveira and family
		11:00 AM	+ Henry & Jeannette Labonte by Karen, Andrea & family
		4:00 PM	+ Robert Fournier & Brian Plasse (anniversary) by family

+PARISH STEWARDSHIP 08/18/2024 – Weekly Collection \$ 10,192.00/ Assumption \$ 1,028.00/ SJA School \$ 1,925.00 Thank you for your continued support & generosity!

Bingo 08/17/2024 team # 4. Specials: 8/24- Fish & Chips

August: Hosts: *In Loving Memory of:* Romeo & Jeanne Fournier by daughter Peggy Constant

August: Sanctuary: *In Loving Memory of:* Ronald Constant by wife Peggy

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS the families of Donald Benoit, Marilyn Duff, Joanne Darcy, Richard Robitaille, Bertha LaBarre and William Page. May God hold their souls and the souls of our faithful departed lovingly in the palm of His hands.

SJA BOOSTER CLUB: the winner is # 144 **Dan & Louise Franczek!** Congratulations!!!! There are numbers available for anyone interested in joining in on the fun. All proceeds support Saint Joan of Arc School. Dues are \$5.00 per week (\$100.00 for 20 weeks). There is a weekly \$100.00 winner; the final drawing has multiple winners with prizes ranging from \$150.00 to \$1000.00 totaling \$5000.00. If you are interested in becoming a part of the fun, please contact Sandy or Joe Chessey at 413-592-6256.



**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Elder Council # 69
SILVER ROSE PRAYER SERVICE
Friday, August 30, 2024 @ 4:00 pm
Ste. Rose de Lima Church, Chicopee MA**

The Knights of Columbus will conduct its Silver Rose Prayer Service in the church Friday afternoon, August 30, 2024 @ 4:00 pm. The Rose has been chosen to honor *Our Lady of Guadalupe, St. Juan Diego and the Miracle of the Roses. Each stop the Roses make throughout North America is a rosary-centered pilgrimage to pray for respect for life, spiritual renewal and the advancement of the message of Our Lady of Guadalupe. Please join us!*

SOCIETY FOR THE PROPAGATION OF THE FAITH MISSION APPEAL -AUGUST 24TH & 25TH – The Missionary Cooperation Plan helps to spread the Gospel, build churches & communities around the world. This year I invite you to support the missionary work of Polish Redemptorists in the East. We have been working in the former Soviet Union for 30 years. At present, we are helping those effected by the war in Ukraine and run 5 parishes in Russia, one in Kazakhstan, 5 in Belarus. This is an unpreidential time and we need to stand firm for peace working together to bridge the chasm created by war. The Polish Redemptorists with your help will be able to do so in a more efficient way. As a people of faith, we look forward to the future believing that the best is still ahead of us. I am sincerely grateful to the people of Ste. Rose de Lima for opening your hearts and doors to this Mission Appeal. God Bless you for your generous support and compassion. ~ Rev. *Dariusz Paszynski CScR (Provincial Superior of the Warsaw Province)*



SJA FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL for Grades 1-8 is Tuesday, August 27th. We invite all parents, families and friends to attend Mass @ 9:00 a.m. Pre-K and Kindergarten begin Tuesday, September 3.
Lord, give our children a thirst for knowledge, wisdom and understanding. May their hearts be ready to learn this year, at home, school and church.

MARRIAGE HELP PROGRAM -SEPTEMBER 6-8, 2024, If communication in your marriage is a struggle, or things have become troubled, unloving or uncaring, the Retrouvaille program can help. Retrouvaille, a Catholic based ministry, provides tools to help you communicate better, resolve conflicts, and discover a loving marriage. The next local weekend is September 6-8, 2024. For information, call confidentially 1-800-470-2230, email helds4marriage@gmail.com or go to our website www.helpourmarriage.org.

HARMONY HOUSE OF WESTERN MASSACHUSETTS SPAGHETTI DINNER FUNDRAISER TO BENEFIT THE HOME FOR THE TERMINALLY ILL -Harmony house of Western Massachusetts, a home for the terminally ill, has scheduled a spaghetti and meatball dinner to be held on Friday, **September 6th from 4:30-8:00 pm** at the Moose Family Center, 244 Fuller Road, Chicopee. Dinner will be served from 4:45- 6:45. Bring your friends and family for an evening of food and fun, including entertainment and exciting raffles including a television, barbecue grill, dinner and a show at the Majestic Theatre in West Springfield and many more. The donation is \$15, and dinner is free for children under the age of 6. Tickets can be purchased by calling and leaving a message at 413-315-9784 or visiting the Alden Credit Union, 710 Grattan St, Chicopee. Venmo is available @ harmonyhousewma and entering #tickets Spaghetti Dinner. Tickets will also be available at the door.



9/11 MEMORIAL MASS...Save the date!
The Annual deanery-wide Memorial Mass, honoring the memory of the innocent victims and selfless heroes who perished in the tragic terrorist attacks of **September 11, 2001**, will be offered at 7:00 p.m. on **Wednesday, September 11th** at **Ste Rose de Lima Parish**, located at 594 Grattan St in Chicopee. This liturgy is sponsored, annually, by the Catholic parishes of Chicopee & Ludlow ~ **9/11 Memorial Mass Committee**. This year marks the **23rd** annual observance of the horrific events that took place on that fateful day in our nation's history. Please join us, as we gather, to offer our thoughts and prayers, not only for the innocent victims, including those first responders, fire, police and emergency medical technicians who, simply, went to work on that day...and never came home but, also for the families and friends whom they left behind.

The deadline for the next order of the Veterans Memorial Bricks is August 31st! St. Rose is still accepting applications for the Veterans pavers at the St. Rose Cemetery Veterans Memorial. This is a beautiful way to honor the special veteran in your life. Forms are available at the display in the back of the church or at the pastoral center.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS & LECTORS AND EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS FOR HOMEBOUND training for NEW Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist for Mass, Homebound and Lectors. Please contact Peggy Constant 413-536-4558 x 218 for information. Classes will be held soon. Date not yet determined.



COMMUNITY SUPPER -St Rose de Lima/SJA School will host a Community Supper every third Monday of the month (**First one is September 16th, 2024**) in the Parish Hall from 5:30 -7:30 pm. We will offer spaghetti supper, salad w/roll & butter, coffee, tea, juice & water. Adults \$6.00, children under the age of 10 \$4.00. This is not a fundraiser. We simply want to acknowledge and show our appreciation for your continued support and generosity to our parish. With Faith, Friendship and Compassion we open our doors to let others see what we have to offer as a community. Please join us! If you have any questions or would like to volunteer, please contact Kurt Laplante @ 413-887-2799.

IDO TEAM USA FUNDRAISER DESIGNER PURSE BINGO – Fri, September 20, 2024, Ste. Rose de Lima Church Hall. Doors open at 5pm, games start @ 6:30 pm. Come support local girls to go to Poland to represent the IDO USA Dance and Acrobatic team. They will be competing with some of the best and hope to bring home some Gold Medals. For tickets, please contact Christina Bordeau @ 413-534-5657.
Help make this dream a reality! These girls have worked hard and are so deserving of this opportunity of a lifetime



**STE ROSE DE LIMA / SJA SCHOOL & KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS # 69
COMMUNITY PICNIC**

460 Granby Road, Chicopee MA 01020

Sunday, September 8, 2024, noon -5:30 pm rain or shine!

Admission Ticket sales will begin August 17th & 18th before & after each mass!

Adults \$10.00 /Children \$7.00/ under 4 FREE Tickets will be available the day of the picnic.

Are you and/or your company interested in sponsoring or donating to an event at the picnic?

Please contact the parish office @ 413-536-4558.

You should have received our annual parish raffle tickets associated with the parish picnic. The parish raffle is awarding prizes totaling \$3,100.00. Please consider selling or purchasing as many books as possible, as this is our greatest source of income for the picnic. For your convenience, returns may be made by dropping them off or mailing them to the Pastoral Center or dropping them into the collection baskets marked "Picnic".

As an added incentive, we have the "Seller's Raffle". Once you have either sold or bought 4 books of raffle tickets your name will be entered in a special raffle and the winner will get \$100.00. Please fill out the coupon at the bottom of the letter and include it with your raffle returns. (1 entry for every four (4) books sold).

Join us as we share in the spirit of family & community! Bring friends, relatives...ALL ARE WELCOME!

CCD SIGN UP SHEETS are now available in the Parish Office as well as in the back of the church. Opening dates are as follows:

Grades 4 & 5	Monday September 16, 2024,	3:30-4:30
Grades 2 & 3	Monday September 23, 2024,	3:30-4:30
Grade 1	Monday September 30, 2024,	3:30-4:30
Grades 6-8	Sunday September 15, 2024	9:00 am Blessing of the Back Packs Class begins
	@ 10:15 -11:00 (this day only!) 10:00 – 11:00 regular schedule.	
Grade 9	Sunday September 15, 2024,	4:00-6:00

(Early registration fee till August 23 1-child \$30, 2 children \$50, three or more \$70)

(After August 23rd 1 child \$40, 2 children \$60, three or more \$80)

CATECHIST REQUEST- We need volunteers to help us teach. If you feel God calling you, please contact Michael in the Parish Office @ 413-536-4558 x223 or michael@sterose.org.

Make checks payable to St. Rose de Lima CCD



HEARTFELT MEALS – from St. Rose de Lima has been going strong for over 15 years! We still have a strong base team and some original team members. We would love some new members to help with this ministry. We serve and deliver over 100 meals on the second Sunday of each month. If you can deliver some meals, either as a permanent or a substitute driver please join us. Call Gail Boone at 413-536-6038

CHOSEN SEASON 4- A *group* bible study is here at St. Rose; it has the potential to give you a better understanding of Jesus as God and man in a powerful way. After watching each episode, we will review some of the reflection questions to help us digest what we watched.

The Chosen is a fresh look at the Gospels for those who have been reading the stories for years **or** for those who are just curious about who Jesus is and was and lead us into a closer relationship with Jesus.

Weekly study classes will start Thursday September 12, for 8 consecutive weeks. Please call the Pastoral Center 413-536-4558 Ext 218 to register.

COFFEE & DONUTS -Every Sunday after the 9:00 a.m. mass in the church hall. All are welcome to enjoy a sweet treat!

Monday, August 26th, 2024, The Sisters of St. Joseph of Springfield will hold the **27th and Final SSJ Golf Classic** on Monday, August 26th, 2024, at the Springfield Country Club. Proceeds to benefit the care of our infirmed Sisters. Morning and Afternoon tee times, barbecue lunch, social hour and awards dinner. Contact: Sr. Eleanor Harrington, SSJ at 413-536-0853 for more details.

SAVE THE DATE -SEPTEMBER 18, 2024 LORRAINES SOUP KITCHEN GOLF TOURNAMENT -Chicopee Country Club Shotgun start 9:00 a.m. For information on Sponsorship and donations/ Prizes? Please contact Jeffrey Cady @ JCADY@CHARTER.NET OR 413-575-7852

CLEAN OUT YOUR CLOSETS FOR THE AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY-Donate to Relay for Life. Collecting gently used clothing, shoes, and accessories in bags and small household items in boxes. Please contact Kurt Laplante for information @ 413-887-2799

ARE YOU OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW homebound, in hospital or nursing home? Are you or someone you know going through surgery or have a planned hospitalization? Are you or someone you know in need of a visit and/or communion? Also, if you have a family member or someone you know in a nursing home, please let us know. We would love to visit and bring communion. Please contact the St. Rose Pastoral Center Peggy @ 413-536-4558 Ext 218 and let us know.

2025 MASS INTENTION BOOK- We will be accepting Mass Intention requests after the Labor Day weekend. We will be posting times and days that will be available to book these masses. We want to be able to accommodate the requests as well as our everyday business., We know how important the memory of your loved one is and we want to accommodate each and every one of you but please keep in mind this is a large parish with a lot of people and we have to be mindful of the number of masses per person.

STE. ROSE GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP- will continue to meet every **Monday at 6:00PM** at the Ste. Rose Pastoral Center, 15 Chapel Street, Chicopee. We welcome all who have experienced the loss of a spouse, partner, family member or friend. Meetings are every Monday except for major holidays. All are welcome. If you have any questions, please contact Peggy Constant @ the Pastoral Center 536-4558

LECTIO DIVINA - Do you want to have a fuller understanding of Sunday's Gospel? If you do, come, and join us for Lectio Divina (divine reading). We meet on Monday nights at 6:30PM at the Pastoral Center. We study the Gospel reading for the coming Sunday Liturgy. It's recommended, but not necessary, that you bring a bible and a pad and pen for journaling. Hope to see you there.

PLEASE PATRONIZE OUR BULLETIN COVER ADVERTISERS. We thank all the businesses and organizations who support our bulletin with their ads. Please support their businesses when you're in need of the services they offer. Thank you. If you are interested in advertising in our bulletin, please contact Ed Leblanc 221-0869.

SATURDAY ROSARY is prayed at 12 Noon in St. Rose Cemetery. For a ride, please call Crystal 413-627-8445.

STE. ROSE DE LIMA AA MEETINGS – Tuesday evenings @ 7:30 p.m. in the Church Hall – entrance on Chapel Street

+Saturday STE. ROSE DE LIMA BINGO – Super Bingo Format Saturday+
Early Bird 6:10PM - Games 6:15PM - \$15 & \$20 Entrance
Extra \$5 Packs – 2 WTA 50/50 – 2 \$1199 Progressives NEW GAME- Betty Boo \$5.00
Free Coffee & Tea ---
Entrance until 6:30PM every Saturday - Elevator Available
Ste. Rose de Lima Church Hall – 600 Grattan St- Chicopee, MA 413-539-9259



**DOLLY & FRIENDS 2024 MOTORCOACH TRIPS
NEWPORT PLAYHOUSE & LOBSTERFEST
"RUN FOR YOUR WIFE"**

Matinee show, Lobsterfest buffet, cabaret, all taxes & gratuities.
Transportation.
\$186.00

For more information contact: Dolly Asselin 413-530-3813
POB 1192 Chicopee MA 01021

All trips leave from the Moose Club Family Center, Fuller Road

THE MYSTERIES OF THE ROSARY

Recite the Rosary and ask Our Dear Lady to intercede for us in our need.

Prayed on Monday and Saturday:

THE JOYFUL MYSTERIES: The Annunciation + The Visitation + The Birth of our Lord + The Presentation + The Finding in the Temple.

Prayed on Tuesday and Friday:

THE SORROWFUL MYSTERIES: The Agony in the Garden + The Scourging + The Crowning with Thorns + The Carrying of the Cross + The Crucifixion.

Prayed on Wednesday and Sunday:

THE GLORIOUS MYSTERIES: The Resurrection + The Ascension + The Coming of the Holy Spirit + The Assumption of Our Lady + The Coronation of Our Lady.

Prayed on Thursday:

THE LUMINOUS MYSTERIES: The Baptism of Jesus Christ + Christ Reveals Himself at Cana + Proclamation of the Kingdom and Call to Conversion + The Transfiguration + The Institution of the Eucharist



DOLLY & FRIENDS 2024 MOTORCOACH TRIPS.

October 1-3 (Tuesday-Thursday): Amish Country – Two nights at the Fulton Steamboat Inn, guided tour of Amish Farmlands with dinner in an Amish home, reserved orchestra seats to “Daniel” at Sight & Sound Theatres, two buffet dinners, two family style breakfasts at hotel, free time at Kitchen Kettle Village, guided tour of Milton Hershey School, all taxes & gratuities, transportation. \$542 triple, \$519 Quad, \$752 Single

November 12 (Tuesday) Aqua Turf Club “Armed Forces Tribute & Downtown 6 Band -The Hartford Brass Ensemble pays tribute to the Armed Forces in honor of Veterans Day, complimentary coffee & donuts, complimentary glass of beer or wine, complimentary door prizes, family style luncheon, all taxes & gratuities, transportation.

December 15-17 (Sunday-Tuesday): A Christmas Celebration in the White Mountains -two nights at the White Mountain Hotel & Resort, two breakfasts (order off the menu), one lunch (order off the menu), two dinners (order off the menu), three shows in the Echo Ballroom, an Austrian sleigh ride, free time for shopping at Settlers Green, all taxes & gratuities, transportation. \$639 triple, \$859 single

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