

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

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January 19, 2025

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| Jan 18 | Saturday | 4:00 PM | + Gerald Perreault (13 th anniversary) by the family |
| Jan 19 | Sunday | 7:30 AM | + Matthew Lawrence (2 nd anniversary) by David & Renee Brault |
| 2 nd Sunday in Ordinary time | | 9:00 AM | + Gil Boissonnault by his daughter Jo Ann |
| | | 11:00 AM | + Annette King (87 th b day) by daughter Linda Radomski & family |
| | | 4:00 PM | + Robert Boucher (19 th anniversary) by the family |
| Jan 20 | Monday | 7:00 AM | + Raymond Desorcy by his wife Dolores |
| Jan 21 | Tuesday | 7:00 AM | + Edna Girouard by her family (birthday wishes) |
| Jan 22 | Wednesday | 7:00 AM | + Theresa Robillard by Rene & Claire Cote |
| Jan 23 | Thursday | 7:00 AM | + John & Lillian Gendron by Pauline |
| Jan 24 | Friday | 7:00 AM | + James & Martha Dowds by Mary Rider |
| Jan 25 | Saturday | 4:00 PM | + Stephen Justice (10 anniv.) by his mother Lorraine & Aunt Joyce |
| Jan 26 | Sunday | 7:30 AM | + Peg Austin by Marion Byrnes |
| 3 rd Sunday in Ordinary time | | 9:00 AM | + Rena Cote by her family |
| | | 11:00 AM | + Frank J. Stec (99 th b'day) by DiSanti, Stec, Brown, Pirog families |
| | | 4:00 PM | + Donald Ringuette by wife & children |

+ **PARISH STEWARDSHIP 01/12/2025** Weekly collection \$9,893.00 ~ Solemnity of Mary \$65.00 ~ Christmas \$5.00 Christmas Flowers \$5.00 ~ Elms \$270.00. Thank you for your continued support & generosity!!

BINGO- team # 2 Specials for 1/18/2025 Fish & Chips or Grilled Chicken w/salad rolls & butter Soup- chicken noodle. Special for 1/25/2025 Meat loaf or ham dinner, brown sugar carrots; soup- corn chowder

January : Hosts: *In Loving Memory of: Edgar Gadoury by Phyllis & family*

January : Sanctuary Lamp: *In Loving Memory of: Frank J. & Theresa P. Stec by the family*

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS the family of Carmela Rieira III and Charles Hurley (funeral Feb 3rd 10:00) May God hold their souls and the souls of our faithful departed lovingly in the palm of His hands.

MEMORIAL FUND DONATIONS – In loving memory of: Jim Ruffner by Victoria & Dennis Dube \$50.00 Thank you for your generous donations. Acknowledgements have been sent to the families.

SJA BOOSTER CLUB: the winner is **# 73 Norman & Denise Lussier** ~ 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.



Come and see what's new at St. Joan of Arc School in Chicopee! The school will be holding an Open House on Saturday, January 25th from 9:00 am-12pm (no appointment needed). Appointment only tours for families will be held on Tuesday, January 28th and Thursday, January 30th from 3pm – 7pm. Please call Chris OR Janine in the Business Office @ 413-276-4568 for registration information or to make an appointment.

St. Joan of Arc School is a welcoming, safe & secure school community providing social, physical, spiritual & intellectual wellness for students in Pre-K3 to grade 8. SJA has innovative offerings that include affordable tuition and extended care, free breakfast and lunch, extracurricular programs, technology, music, library, and Duolingo language classes. Easy Access to I391 & I90. Financial aid and tuition assistance is available. To learn more visit www.sjachicopee.org. We look forward to meeting you!

A strong foundation built on faith and knowledge, where the church nurtures the spirit and school cultivates the mind.

******NEW**** NATIONAL CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK MASS – SUNDAY JANUARY 26, 2025, 9:00 A.M. – SJA Faculty & staff will be in attendance to support the value of Catholic education. All families are welcome to attend. Coffee & donuts will follow in the church hall.**



Happy 100th Birthday to Genevieve Mercier!
 Celebrating you and all the lives you touched, all the memories
 you've made, and the love and laughter you've shared....
 Celebrating 100 wonderful years of you!

*****NEW*******FRANCO AMERICAN WOMANS' ASSOCIATION** -will hold this months meeting on Thursday January 23, 2025 @ 6:30 p.m. in the Ste. Rose de Lima Church Hall, 600 Grattan St., Chicopee MA. (weather permitting). We are accepting new members, ladies of Franch & French-Canadian Heritage. We are a social organization, with some members speaking English & French socially with meetings being conducted in English. We offer scholarship programs for their children & grandchildren of our members. Refreshments are available after the meeting. Come see what we have to offer.



**COMMUNITY SUPPER – STE. ROSE CHURCH HALL
 MONDAY, JANUARY 20TH, 2025
 5:00 P.M. -7:00 P.M.**

Meatloaf w/mashed potatoes & mixed vegetables, salad w/roll & butter, coffee/tea, juice & water. Soup – tortellini (\$1.00 extra); **desserts by Mr. Cupcake, Luke Johnson, 5th grader at SJA School**

Adults \$6.00 ~ Children under the age of 10- \$4.00 ~ To Go Meals \$6.00 ~ Soup add-on \$1.00. Tickets available in the Parish Center 413-536-4558 w/ Sue Lemieux and/or at the door. Please consider bringing in canned goods for Lorraine's Soup Kitchen. Questions – contact Kurt Laplante @ 413-887-2799

"At the heart of all civilization...is community" – the mutually cooperative and voluntary



IT'S THAT TIME OF YEAR AGAIN! Girl Scout Cookie Season will begin in just a few weeks. Troop 20331 will be selling Girl Scout Cookies before and after each mass the weekend of January 18 & 19th, 2025. We have been meeting at SJA School for 23 years and have truly appreciated the support we receive by the staff and the parishioners of St. Rose de Lima Church.



Lorraine's Soup Kitchen is in desperate need of peanut butter and canned fruit and vegetables. Typically, January is a "negative donation" month, meaning no one holds can drives or thinks of donations after the holidays so the stock on the shelves empties quickly. Please consider contributing to Lorraine's Soup Kitchen and help us give to those that are in need in our community!! As always, thank you in advance for your continued support & generosity to those in need.

*****NEW*******SJA JANUARY DINE-OUT – PANINI WITH A PURPOSE** – Join us at **HOT TABLE** 465 Memorial Dr. Chicopee MA for a delicious panini and scan this flyer during check-out OR use promo code **GIVE35** when ordering online to donate 35% of your purchase. January 27, 2025, 4:00 p.m.- 9:00 p.m.

***** **NEW*********COMMUNITY LIFE** – will hold its first meeting of 2025 on Tuesday, January 28th, 2025 @ 6:00 p.m. in the Parish Center 15 Chapel St. Chicopee, MA.

God rain on these people with your Grace. Physically raining on the fires and drench them as you calm the winds. Give them mercy because of those who are righteous in Your eyes. In Jesus name Amen.



**STE. ROSE DE LIMA PARISH
 COUNCIL MEETING –
 Tue. Feb 4, 2025, 6:30 p.m.
 We are asking all parish council
 members to please attend this
 first meeting of the year.**



Please join us for coffee & donuts after the 9:00 a.m. mass every Sunday. Meet with old friends, make new friends, and if you wish to volunteer to help with these gatherings speak to Darlene Proulx or any of the volunteers.

THE WOMEN OF THE HOLY SPIRIT-is a woman's group that is inspired and guided by the Holy Spirit. As women we know our role distinctly by the many titles we can be called; mother, wife, sister, friend, etc.; but what does it precisely mean when we claim the role of **Daughter of Christ** and how do we live it out every day? As sisters in Christ, we are nurturing and strengthening our relationship with God through prayer, many forms of teachings, music, and fellowship. Women of all ages are invited to join us. We gather once a month on the second Saturday from 9:30a.m.-12:00 at the Parish Center. If you would like more information, please contact Julie Prats @ 413-626-2925



LECTIO DIVINA - Lectio Divina is a Latin phrase that translates to "divine reading" and is a method of prayer that involves listening to or reading scripture. It is a dialogue with God that includes the entire self, such as thoughts, desires, images, and memories. Please join us Monday evenings @ 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Center.



JUBILEE 2025 PILGRIMS OF HOPE- Be a *Pilgrim of Hope* during Jubilee Year 2025. Travel with our Vicar General Father Piotr Calik and John Paul Pilgrimages for a spiritually uplifting Jubilee 2025 pilgrimage to Rome and the Vatican. This itinerary is geared towards young adults, ages 18 and older. Ages 16 & 17 with an accompanying adult. For complete details go to <https://www.johnppaulpilgrimagesandtours.com/projects/springfieldjubilee> or call 480-626-1266. Space is limited!!!!

MARRIAGE HELP PROGRAM – WEEKEND DATE: January 31st- February 2nd. Location information determined upon registration. Wishing for a happier marriage in 2025? Many couples continue to struggle in their marriage but are not willing to give up on each other. There is hope! Retrouville is a Catholic-based, communications-focused program designed to make marriage stronger! After the initial weekend, there are a series of weekly sessions for the subsequent couple of months designed to help a husband & wife rediscover the love, trust and commitment successful in saving struggling marriages, even bringing reconciliation to couples who have already separated or divorced. For more information, call 1-800-470-2230 or visit our website: www.HelpOurMarriage.org

RCIA- INVITATION TO PARTICIAPATE. Are you or anyone you know interested in exploring the Catholic Church as your church home? Have you been wondering what you need to do to become Catholic? This is that personal invitation and a challenge to all of you who might know someone who fits this description to Come & See on October 8, 2024 @ 6pm. Please contact Peggy Constant 413-536-4558 x 218

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.

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

SATURDAY ROSARY is prayed at 12 Noon in St. Rose de Lima Church during cold months. 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 St.



+Saturday **STE. ROSE DE LIMA BINGO – Super Bingo Format** +Saturday
Early Bird 6:00 p.m.- Games 6:15 p.m. - \$15 & \$20 Entrance
Extra \$5 Packs – 2 WTA 50/50 – 2 \$1199 Progressives
Free Coffee & Tea ----Catered specials
Entrance until 6:30 p.m. every Saturday – Elevator Available
Ste. Rose de Lima Church Hall – 600 Grattan St – Chicopee, MA 413-264-6566

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT AND DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET FOLLOWED BY BENEDICTION- Friday, January 3, 2025, 7:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. in the Pastoral Center, 15 Chapel St, Chicopee, MA. Also, First Tuesday of the Month Evening Adoration will be held on January 7th from 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. also in the Pastoral Center.

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



MARCH 14TH 2025

Knights of Columbus Council 69

460 Granby Rd, Chicopee

**DOORS OPEN 5PM
GAMES START 6:30**

10 GAMES = 10 CHANCES TO WIN

Tickets include entry for 10 games, dauber, door prize ticket, and light refreshments.
Cash bar, outside food welcome.

Raffles and door prizes!



**BRING NON-PERISHABLE FOOD
ITEMS TO BE ENTERED INTO A
SPECIAL RAFFLE!**



Lorraine's
Soup Kitchen & Pantry Inc.

For Tickets Contact

DONNA 413-557-9280

CATHY 413-531-3639

KIM 413-592-9528

SUGGESTED DONATION FOR LORRAINE'S SOUP KITCHEN



Get 'em before they are gone, presale only! Tickets will not be sold at the door. Reserve a table of 8 and you'll be entered in a special raffle!

