

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

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January 26, 2025

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
3rd 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
Jan 27	Monday	7:00 AM	+ Joseph Rene' & Gloria Robillard Thibeault by the family
Jan 28	Tuesday	7:00 AM	+ Franz Krassler by the family
Jan 29	Wednesday	7:00 AM	+ Huguette Charest by Rene & Claire Cote
Jan 30	Thursday	7:00 AM	+ Gabrielle Roberge by her estate
Jan 31	Friday	7:00 AM	+ Ronald & Doris Berthiaume by their estate
Feb 01	Saturday	4:00 PM	+ Sandra Prairie by her family
Feb 02	Sunday	7:30 AM	+ Claire Bresnahan by her family
		9:00 AM	+ Gertrude Provost (birthday remembrance) by her family.
		11:00 AM	+ Guy Tremblay by his mother Denise
4th Sunday in Ordinary time		4:00 PM	+ Jean George Boule' by the family

+ **PARISH STEWARDSHIP 01/19/2025** Weekly collection \$7,914.00 ~Cath Home \$25.00~ Black & Indian \$25.00 ~Christmas \$40.00~Immaculate Conception \$10.00~Religious Retirement \$11.00 ~ Elms College \$55.00 ~ SJA School \$2,056.00. Thank you for your continued support & generosity!

BINGO- team # 3 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 Theresa Lussier (funeral Jan 23 @ 10:30), Joan (Sandy) Elliott (FH Service Jan. 25 2:30pm), 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.

SJA MEMORIAL FUND DONATIONS – In loving memory of: Claire Ringuette \$865.00 ~ Fr. Daniel Houde \$100.00 ~ Marcella Belise \$500.00 & Rene Fagnant \$150.00. Thank you for your generous donations. Acknowledgements have been sent to the families.

SJA BOOSTER CLUB: the winner is **# 114 Rev. William A. Tourigny** ~ 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.



WELCOME LPI AS OUR NEW BULLETIN COMPANY – W/E February 23, 2025, the bulletin will have a new look! We will be having LPI printing our bulletin off site and it will be in color!!!! I (Sue G.) will still be creating the content layout as usual with our deadline being Tuesday by 12:00 (noon). If you have anything you want published in the bulletin, please have it to me by Friday of the week before by e-mailing me at Sueg@sterose.org.

ADVERTISERS- We would like to thank our present advertisers and will be reaching out to renew ads beginning Tuesday January 28, 2025. If you have a business and would like to advertise in our bulletin or even if you do not own a business and want to sponsor a space for a charitable cause, to honor a memory, ask for prayers, or purchase as a gift for a friend to support their new or existing business, you may do so by contacting Clare Colamaria with LPI @ 518-424-2527. Clare will be on site the week of January 28-31.

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.

Faith, excellence & service. 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 are available. To learn more visit www.sjachicopee.org. We look forward to meeting you!

BOY SCOUT TROOP #138 – Scout Sunday Mass- 9:00 a.m. February 2, 2025, invitation to all scouts, young & old, that have been a part of our troop 138 and our parish. We look forward in sharing worship with you. Our Cub Scout Pack and Scout Troop 138 is looking to welcome new scouts into join us. Cub Scouts meet on Monday nights and Boy Scouts meet on Wed nights. Contact C.O.R. Timothy Noonan for inquires 413-592-7797.

HARMONY HOUSE HOSTING A VOLUNTEER RECRUITMENT EVENT – JANUARY 29, 2025

For anyone looking for a volunteer opportunity, Harmony House of Western Massachusetts has openings for many functions. A Volunteer Recruitment Event is scheduled for January 29th, 2025 from 6:00p.m. – 7:15 p.m. at the Chicopee Public Library, 449 Front St in Chicopee. Current volunteers and staff will be on hand to discuss their experiences at the home and answer questions. Harmony House is a social model home for hospice care located in Chicopee. The organization is currently in need of caregivers and people who would enjoy the opportunity to support our residents in other ways; for example, companionship, cleaning, outdoor work, helping to stage and promote fundraising events, and so many more purposes. Whether it's a few hours a week or a few hours a month, Harmony House is a welcoming place for people looking to help people. Please join us on January 29th or email harmonyhousewma@gmail.com

THE POLISH LEAGUE OF MASSACHUSETTS- is accepting applications for scholarships for college students of Polish heritage. Application information and forms may be obtained at www.polishjuniorleaguema.org/applications. Deadline for receipt of application materials is May 1, 2025.



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.

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.

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. . Clare will be



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.

DESIGNER PURSE BINGO – TO BENEFIT LORRAINE'S SOUP KITCHEN & PANTRY -March 14, 2025 at the Knights of Columbus #69 460 Granby Road, Chicopee MA 01013. Doors open at 5:00 p.m. Games start @ 6:30 p.m. 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 & door prizes! Bring non-perishable food items to be entered into a special raffle! \$35.00 PRESALE ONLY!!!! For tickets contact Donna 413-557-9280 and/or Kim 413-592-9528.

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!

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! Retrouvaille 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



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!!!!



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.

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

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

