



STE. ROSE DE LIMA COMMUNITY



4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

"My sheep hear my voice; I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish." - Jn 10:27-28b

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OUR LOCATIONS

Ste Rose de Lima Church & Pastoral Center

15 Chapel Street, Chicopee, MA 01020 ~ 413-536-4558
www.sterose.org

St. Joan of Arc School ~

Principal William McDonald

587 Grattan Street, Chicopee, MA 01020 ~ 413-533-1475

St. Rose Cemetery

Superintendent_ Juan Hernandez

Olsen St, Chicopee, MA, 01020 ~ 413-536-6298

05/11/2025

4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil Mass:

4:00 PM

Sunday Masses:

7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM & 4:00 PM

Weekday Mass

Monday - Friday

7:00 AM

First Friday (during school year)

9:00 AM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

3:15 PM-3:45 PM

Baptism-Last Sunday of the Month

First Friday Adoration

7:30 AM - 3:30

First Tuesday Adoration

6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

Office Hours:

M-Th 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Friday 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

BINGO - SATURDAY ~ CHURCH HALL ~ HANDICAP
ACCESSIBLE EARLY BIRD 6:00 PM

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FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER—WORLD PRAYER DAY

Sat.	May 10	4:00 p.m.	† Rene Fagnant (2nd anniv) by wife & children
Sun.	May 11	7:30 a.m.	† Linda Dugre by her husband Gerry
		9:00 a.m.	† Bruna Manno by Angelina Manno & family
		11:00 a.m.	† Theresa P. Stec (3rd anniv) by DiSanti, Stec, Pirog & Brown families
		4:00 p.m.	† Steve Larriviere by his aunt Huguette
Mon.	May 12	7:00 a.m.	† Eleuterio Hemedes Bella, Jr. (birthday remem) by Jim & Jeannette Montimagni
Tues.	May 13	7:00 a.m.	† Umberto Manno by Angelina Manno & family
Wed.	May 14	7:00 a.m.	† John Jr. & Joan Gendron by Pauline
Thur.	May 15	7:00 a.m.	† Ansleigh McDaniel (anniv) by her parents & brother
Fri.	May 16	7:00 a.m.	† Margaret Donohoe by Herve & Madelyn
Sat.	May 17	4:00 p.m.	† Patrick & Stephen Justice (birthday) by their mother
Sun.	May 18	7:30 a.m.	† Doris Arpin by her family
		9:00 a.m.	† Jane Turner (20th anniv) by David & Renee Brault
		11:00 a.m.	† Emily Archambault & deceased family members by Linda
		4:00 p.m.	† Anthony Goss (birthday) by Mom, Gram & Ashton

May Hosts: In loving memory of : **Ansleigh McDaniel** by her parents & brother
May Sanctuary Lamp: In loving memory of : **Malo & Ringuette families** by **Claire Ringuette**

PRAYER REQUESTS

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS



The family of: Beatrice Pare (funeral 5/16/2025 10a.m.); Anita L. Beaulieu (funeral 6/9/2025)
May God hold their souls and the souls of our faithful departed lovingly in the palm of His hands.



We finally did it, we drove Fr. Bob over the edge (ha-ha). Fr. Bob will be on a well-deserved vacation May 19– May 30th. We will be blessed to have Fr. Tom Shea and Fr. Fred Cournoyer to cover all of the masses while Fr. Bob is away. Please wish him a restful, golf-filled vacation and assure him the parish will be here when he gets back!

STEWARDSHIP

For the Week of May 4, 2025

Weekly collection \$ 8,716.00 ~ Seminarian \$ 15.00 ~ Retired Priests \$50.00 ~ Easter \$50.00 ~ Heartfelt Meals \$15.00 ~Mothers Day \$565.00

SJA School \$235.00

Thank you for your continued support & generosity!

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

"We are a Catholic Community, proud of our diverse heritage, committed to the witness of the Gospel of Jesus Christ in liturgy, hospitality and education. All are welcome to our Parish Community as we seek to love, respect and value the uniqueness and dignity of every person, without exception or distinction."



BINGO

5/10/2025 Team # 2 Specials: French Meat Pie / Baked Ham
 5/17/2025 Team # 3 Bingo YES—NO Kitchen
 5/24 (team 4) and 5/31 (team 1) - 2 week bingo vacation!!!!

SJA BOOSTER CLUB: the winner is # 10 Raymond Cartier Congratulations!!!! A new session of the Booster Club has begun and will run through July. There are numbers available for anyone interested in joining in on the fun. All proceeds support SJA School. Dues are \$5.00 per week(\$100 for 20 weeks). There is a weekly \$100 winner; the final drawing has multiple winners with prizes ranging from \$150—\$1000. totaling \$5000. If you are interested in becoming part of the fun, please contact Sandy or Joe Chessey at 413-592-6256.

COFFEE & DONUTS

Did you know?
 The center of a donut is 100% fat free.



Please join us downstairs in the church hall after the 9:00 a.m. mass. Meet old friends, make new friends. Have your birthday acknowledged. Contact Darlene Proulx @ 413-209-6680 if you are interested in volunteering your time.

LORRAINE'S SOUP KITCHEN & PANTRY

We are still in need of 1 or 2 lb. bags of rice; peanut butter and canned fruits & vegetables. (12-18 oz sizes only! - the family sizes are too large to handle for many people.) Thank you for your continued support & generosity! We are also looking for morning volunteers from 8-8:30 M-F. It can be one person all week or many people one day each to help prepare the kitchen for the day. Light lifting, bread sorting, etc. **Volunteers needed!!!**



With the retirement of Principal William McDonald this June, we have begun our search for our next new school principal. Anyone interested in applying for this position should please contact the office at 413-536-4558 and speak with Fr. Bob.

If you can inspire others to dream more, learn more, do more and become more, you are a leader—if you meet this standard, we want to hear from you!



WEBPAGE—We are currently interested in finding someone to help update our website! Are you creative and have a little bit of extra time? Please contact the parish office @ 413-536-4558.



St. Joan of Arc PreK 3 & 4 and Kindergarten Open House
 Wednesday, June 4th (by appointment only!)
 9-11 a.m. and 1-5 p.m. 587 Grattan St Chicopee MA
 01020 413-533-1475 www.sjachicopee.org
"Excellence in Education since 1914"



Ste. Rose de Lima First Communion
Saturday, May 10, 2025 11:00 A.M.

*May God, who brought you to this special day
continue to direct your life in his perfect way.*



Mothers Day Pins with Prayer.
Our gift to you! Honoring those special
moms on this special day! Thank you!

**Mother's Day
Sunday May 11**

On Mother's Day weekend Ste. Rose de Lima / Pioneer Valley Pro-Life will be selling beautiful real roses after every mass. Buy a rose for that special someone in your life. \$2.00 each. We will sell only at the front entrance of the church.

PRAYER FOR MOTHERS

Heavenly Father, from the beginning you have chosen to entrust the human person to mothers in a special way. We thank and praise you for the gift of mothers; for their tenderness, care, and compassion, for their intuition and encouragement, for commitment and sacrifice. Bless all mothers this day. Keep, strengthen, and refresh them in your loving care. May they be blessed by our open-hearted love and gratitude. Amen.



Ste. Rose de Lima Confirmation
Thursday, May 22, 2025
6:00 p.m. in the church.



Congratulations! Join us in welcoming our new Catechumens & Candidates into full communion into the Catholic Church during our Easter Vigil. Please welcome and prayer for; (from left to right) Courtney Urban, Caitlin Kibbe, Christine Kibbe, Aiden Laflamme, Connor Sousa, Sinthiya Gaouette, Alicia Dugre and Anna Martha Dunnigan.

"Loving God, we thank you for the new catechumens and candidates who have answered your call to follow Jesus. We pray for them, that they may grow in faith, deepen their understanding of your word, and be strengthened in their commitment to your Son. May they find joy and peace in their journey, and may your Spirit guide them every step of the way. We also ask that our community may be a source of support and encouragement for them, and that we may all be inspired to share the light of your love with others. Amen"

NEWSIES



ST. Joan of Arc School Performing Arts will performing NEWSIES, May 15 & 16 @ 7:00 p.m. Ste Rose de Lima Church Hall
A story of a charismatic newsboy, who rallies fellow newsboys to fight against unfair conditions imposed by powerful newspaper publishers.
Tickets on sale at SJA School main office, 413-533-1475. \$10.00 pp and are on sale now!

Dolly & Friends 2025 Motorcoach Trips—
June 11 (Wed.) North Shore Music "Waitress" \$223 pp.
A smash hit musical, baked from the heart, that celebrates resilience and the pursuit of happiness. Matinee show, luncheon, all taxes & gratuities, transportation.
August 20 (Wed) Newport Playhouse "It's Just Sex" \$177 pp
A comedic and thought-provoking look at fidelity, lust, communion and what it really takes for a marriage to survive and thrive. Matinee show, buffet, cabaret, all taxes & gratuities, transportation.
For information contact: Dolly Asselin 413-530-3813. Travel insurance is available. Name, address, date of birth required.

Reverend Francis Shannon Scholarship

Applications for the Reverend Francis Shannon Scholarship are now available to members of the Ste. Rose de Lima Parish. High school graduates or college students who wish to further their education may apply.

The applications are available at the Ste. Rose de Lima Pastoral Center or from Timothy Sweeney, Chairperson at 413-531-1893.

The scholarship is a one-time grant. Completed applications must be returned to the Chairperson or the Pastoral Center by May 23, 2025, with an official transcript of high school or college grades and a letter from their Pastor

COMMUNITY SUPPER—PORTUGUESE NIGHT



Monday, May 19, 2025 5:00 PM– 7:00 PM
Roasted Chicken Portuguese style, rice & roasted potatoes, served with a side salad and a Portuguese roll w/butter. Portuguese desserts.
Homemade vegetable Soup(\$1.00)
Adults \$ 8.00
Children under the age of 10—\$6.00
To-Go Meals \$ 8.00
Tickets available in the Parish Center from Sue Lemieux 413-536-4558 or at the door.
Questions, contact Kurt Laplant 413-887-2799

DESIGNER PURSE BINGO FUNDRAISER TO SUPPORT THE POLICE UNITY TOUR/TEAM WESTERN MASS

Saturday, May 31, 2025
Ste Rose de Lima Church Hall
Doors open 5:00 p.m.—Game starts 6:30 p.m.
\$35 for 10 games (For tickets call Travis 413-348-4171)
Kitchen will open at 5:00 p.m.
Raffle baskets~50/50~Bake Sale

EUCCHARISTIC ROSARY PROCESSION

Sunday, June 1, 2025, 2-5 p.m. (rain or shine)

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Church
99 King Street, Northampton, MA

Guest Speaker : *Very Reverend Gary Dailey*

- *Talk by Very Rev. Gary Dailey: "Hope Does Not Disappoint: A Jubilee of Hope with Our Lady".*
- *Sacrament of Confession will be available beginning at 1:30 p.m.*
- *Rosary Procession through downtown Northampton (1.8 miles), (transportation available for those who are unable to walk in the procession).*
- *Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Adoration, and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, upon returning to the church, with the Sacrament of Confession to continue.*
 - *Reception to follow prayerful event.*

For more information or to volunteer, call George or Brenda at 413-221-4372
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