

St. Mary Star of the Sea Parish
253 Cabot Street ~ Beverly, Massachusetts



HYMNS & READINGS

- OPENING:** **485**—"Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty"
READING: **914**
CLOSING: **484**—"O God, Almighty Father"

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Kwang Lee, Seminarian
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St. Mary Star of the Sea Parish Website: www.stmarystar.org
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Mr. James Weston—978-922-0113

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Ms. Nina Sudak—978-922-0113

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Baptism

Celebration on the Third Sunday of the Month
Baptismal Catechesis Required for First Time Parents ~ Third Monday of the Month at Rectory

Marriage

Engaged couples are advised to call the Rectory at least six months prior to their wedding date.
Participation in a Marriage Preparation Program is required.

Mass Schedule

Monday thru Saturday 7:00 AM (Except Thursday's)
Saturday 4:00 PM ~ Sunday / 8:15 AM / 10:30 AM / 5:00 PM

Holy Day Masses

See Parish Calendar for Mass Times

Confessions

Saturday ~ 2:30 PM ~ 3:15 PM Lower Church. or by Appointment

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, July 11 ~

Dt 30:10-14 / Ps 69:14,17,30-31,33-34,36,37
Col 1:15-20 / Lk 10:25-37

Monday, July 12 ~

Is 1:10-17 / Ps 50:8-9,16bc-17,21,23 / Mt 10:34-11:1

Tuesday, July 13 ~

Is 7:1-9 / Ps 48:2-8 / Mt 11:20-24

Wednesday, July 14 ~

Is 10:5-7,13b-16 / Ps 94:5-10,14-15 / Mt 11:25-27

Thursday, July 15 ~

Is 26:7-9,12,16-19 / Ps 102:13-14ab,15-21
Mt 11:28-30

Friday, July 16 ~

Is 38:1-6,21-22,7-8 / Is 38:10-12,16 / Mt 12:1-8

Saturday, July 17 ~

Mi 2:1-5 / Ps 10:1-4,7-8,14 / Mt 12:14-21

Sunday, July 18 ~

Gn 18:1-10a / Ps 15:2-5 / Col 1:24-28 / Lk 10:38-42

LEGION OF MARY

If you would like to join us in serving our Blessed Mother Mary, please come to our Tuesday, 7:00 PM meeting at St. Mary Star of the Sea Rectory. Help bring our Heavenly Mother's love to the sick, the homebound, consoling the bereaved, celebrating Baptisms, and praying the rosary to all who need her Son's healing powers.

The Legion of Mary meets at St. Mary's Rectory Tuesday evenings at 7:00 PM.

Parish Calendar

SUNDAY

SECOND COLLECTION:
BLACK & INDIAN MISSIONS
9:15 AM Bible Discussion Group

MONDAY

7:00 AM Mass—Main Church
7:30 AM—7:30 PM
Eucharistic Adoration-Chapel

TUESDAY

7:00 AM Mass—Main Church
7:30 AM—7:30 PM
Eucharistic Adoration-Chapel
7:00 PM Legion of Mary—Rectory

WEDNESDAY

7:00 AM Mass—Main Church
7:30 PM—7:30 PM
Eucharistic Adoration-Chapel

THURSDAY

7:30AM—7:30 PM
Eucharistic Adoration-Chapel

FRIDAY

7:00 AM Mass—Main Church
7:30AM—7:30PM
Eucharistic Adoration-Chapel

SATURDAY

7:00 AM Mass—Main Church
8:00 AM Men's Group—Lower Church
2:30 PM Confessions

SUNDAY

11:30 AM Baptisms

Mass Intentions

Months Mind Mass
10:30AM ~ Sunday, July 11:

Elizabeth Henderson
Gilda Weaver
Mary Cook

Monday, July 12:
Ernestine (Tina) Connolly

Tuesday, July 13:
Joseph Pietrini

Wednesday, July 14:
Abbie Kane

Friday, July 16:
Ernie Ingalls

Months Mind Mass
10:30AM ~ Sunday, July 18:
Alfred Mattei

PRAYERS

Kindly remember in your prayers the intentions in our PARISH PRAYER BOOK, the deceased members of our parish, all who have asked for our prayers and for those who have no one to pray for them.

Special prayers are requested for:
JOSEPH PIETRINI who recently passed away.

Sanctuary Light Donated
in Memory of:
Michael Mirandi

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION:
\$8,835.00

**PLUS THOSE CONTRIBUTING
THROUGH PARISH PAY:**
\$1,457.00



Banns of Marriage We congratulate the following couples who will soon be married and assure them the prayers of our Parish Family.

III - John G. Boucher & Kathryn M. Gunsch

MUSIC DURING THE SUMMER

In order to accommodate vacation time, some Sunday Masses during the summer will not have music. Next weekend, July 17th and 18th, there will be music at the 8:15AM and 10:30AM Masses.

Thank you for understanding.

PARISH PAY

MANY THANKS TO THOSE PARISHIONERS WHO ARE USING OUR AUTOMATED GIVING PROGRAM.

PLEASE CONSIDER USING THIS EASY AND CONVENIENT WAY TO CONTRIBUTE TO OUR PARISH. THIS PROGRAM IS ONE WAY TO FINANCIALLY SUPPORT OUR PARISH THROUGH AUTOMATED MONTHLY CONTRIBUTIONS. IT COSTS YOU NOTHING TO SIGN UP AND THE PROGRAM IS OPTIONAL. YOU CAN ENROLL BY SIGNING UP DIRECTLY AT THE PARISH-PAY WEBSITE AT: **www.parishpay.com**, OR BY CALLING THE PARISHPAY TOLL FREE NUMBER: **1-866-727-4141**.

SATURDAY MORNING ~ MEN'S GROUP

St. Mary's Men's Group meets at 8:00 AM Saturday mornings in the Lower Church. Coffee and refreshments are provided, with talks on selected topics by members. Any questions or topic ideas please call:
Ferde Rombola at 978-302-5218.

Saturday, July 10 ~ Report from Iraq and Afghanistan
Speaker: Ray McNulty

Saturday, July 17 ~ Redemption
Speaker: Bob LaPorte

CENTER FOR GRIEF & HEALING:

The Center for Grief & Healing at Hospice of the North Shore would like to take this opportunity to make you aware of the services available through our children's program. We are available to provide education, guidance and support to families and those working with children and teens. We encourage you to contact us with any questions or to find out more information. All of our programs and services are available to anyone regardless of prior hospice involvement.

If you have any questions regarding these programs, need more registration forms or are interested in learning more about our Center for Grief & Healing, please feel free to contact us at 978-774-5100. Thank you.

Are you registered in the parish? Please do not take for granted that you are registered in the parish just because you attend Mass here. If we have no record of your parish membership it could be quite embarrassing to us, or to you or your family, when someone wishes to make wedding plans, have a baby Baptized, or if you have been asked to act as a sponsor for Baptism or Confirmation. Please visit the St. Mary Star of the Sea Parish website at: www.stmarystar.org and download a registration form or fill out the form available to you today in this bulletin. You can simply place it in the collection basket at church or mail it to the Rectory at 253 Cabot Street, Beverly.

Please be as accurate as possible when filling out this information as it will be added to your permanent family records in the Parish Census Program.

PARISH WEBSITE: www.stmarystar.org

JULY CALENDAR WINNERS

Elizabeth Drillis	\$ 25	Deborah Gregg	\$ 25
Jana Smiley	25	Jaidip & Sara Chanda	50
Phuong Nguyen	25	Barbara Worcester	25
Thomas DeVeau	100	Jennifer Mosher	25
Ward Family	25	Mrs. Eileen Queena	25
Ann Judge	25	Giuseppe Vaccaro	25
Tilden Family	25	Edward Colpoys	25
Mr. & Mrs. David Baer	25	Karen Hackett	25
Edith McKinnon	25	Douglas Theriault	50
Erin & Rob DeSalle	25	Shannon Silvestri	25
Patti Doucette	50	Stephanie Madigan	25
Robin Beane	25	Angelika Hillios	25
Phuong Nguyen	25	Rose R. Martin	25
SMS Student Council	25	Jay Berkowicz	25
John Donovan	25	Cornelia O'Keefe	25
Kristie Thibault	25		



How long should I fast before receiving Holy Communion?

One hour from solid food. There is no restriction from water. The fast does not apply to one who is sick. If a communion minister arrives in your hospital room right after breakfast, you should not hesitate to receive because of the fasting rule. The law is retained today as a gesture of respect for the Blessed Sacrament, and a sign of our spiritual hunger to receive the nourishment of the Lord's Body and Blood. Many parishioners will remember the rigid discipline of years ago. Fasting from solid food and liquid was absolute from midnight the day of Holy Communion, in most places until the 1940's. Gradually that severe practice was reduced to the present rule. Because of the fast, Mass was never celebrated in the afternoon or evening, and very few people received Holy Communion at late morning Masses. On a Sunday long ago, the priest would have to be very strong to resist the temptation of coffee and doughnuts: he was required to go to the altar hungry!

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Sometimes I notice people leaving Mass before the blessing. What's up?

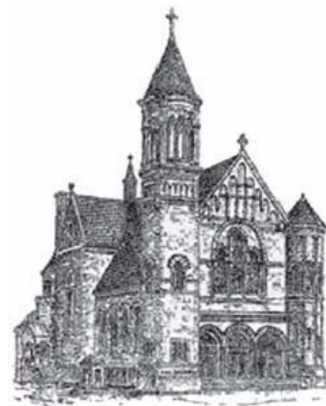
The rule is that the assembly has to finish the liturgy it begins. The cast doesn't slip out to the party until the curtain call (unless it's a really awful production). The timpanist doesn't leave the stage just because she's not playing in the final bars of the symphony. The team doesn't leave the gym until the final buzzer or the last out. At Mass, you are every bit as essential to the action as any musician, actor, or team member. It is a simple act of kindness to finish the liturgy before leaving. After all, we have just become what we have received, the presence of Christ in the world. Why not savor the energy that comes from being in such good company for a bit? Maybe when we learn to relish and not rush the end of things, we will start savoring the best parts of life, not rushing through meals, going for a leisurely walk, taking time to linger over a cup of coffee or sit by a sickbed telling stories of the blessings of days gone by.

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PARISH REGISTRATION FORM:

Family Name: _____

Formal Salutation: _____

Informal Salutation: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____ Cell Number: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Do you wish to receive envelopes: _____ Sign up for Parish Pay: _____
(Call direct at 1-866-727-4741)

Do you have a skill or talent you could share with the Church:

Please list all members in household, include dates of birth.

**Please check our *MINISTRIES* under *PARISH INFO* on our website for many wonderful
volunteer/participation opportunities in our Parish**