

St. Mary Star of the Sea Parish

253 Cabot Street ~ Beverly, Massachusetts

Rev. David J. Barnes, Pastor

THIRTIETH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME



HYMNS & READINGS

PRO: 737—(“Alleluia! Sing to Jesus”)

READ: 957

MASS

253—Sanctus

353—Agnus Dei

COMM: 604—(“Ubi Caritas”)

REC: 469—(“A Hymn of Glory”)

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St. Mary Star of the Sea Parish Website: www.stmarystar.org

St. Mary Star of the Sea School Website: www.stmarystarschool.org

Principal, St. Mary's School

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Mr. Kevin Cushman—978-927-3259

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Mr. Neil Yetts—978-922-0113

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Mrs. Diane Macedo

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, October 26 ~

Ex 22:20-26 / Ps 18:2-4,47,51 / Thes 1:5c-10

Mt 22:34-40

Monday, October 27 ~

Eph 4:32-5:8 / Ps 1:1-4,6 / Lk 13:10-17

Tuesday, October 28 ~

Eph 2:19-22 / Ps 19:2-5 / Lk 6:12-16

Wednesday, October 29 ~

Eph 6:1-9 / Ps 145:10-14 / Lk 13:22-30

Thursday, October 30 ~

Eph 6:10-20 / Ps 144:1b,2,9-10 / Lk 13:31-35

Friday, October 31 ~

Phil 1:1-11 / Ps 111:1-6 / Lk 14:1-6

Saturday, November 1 ~

Rv 7:2-4,9-14 / Ps 24:1b-4b,5-6 / Jn 3:1-3

Mt 5:1-12a

Sunday, November 2 ~

Readings for All Souls

LEGION OF MARY

Is a world-wide organization of Catholics, men and women, who offer their services to the Church to aid her in performing spiritual works in the parish. This is done by placing themselves under the banner of Mary so that with her help they may develop greater holiness in their own lives as well as spread a deeper devotion to her among others.

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

Parish Calendar

SUNDAY

GRAND ANNUAL COLLECTION

- 9:15 AM Bible Discussion
- 9:15 AM RCIA St. Mary's School
- 9:20 AM Religious Education Grades K-8
St. Mary's School
- 7:00 PM Eucharistic Minister Training
Main Church

MONDAY

- 7:00 PM Confirmation— St. Mary's School

WEDNESDAY

- 3:30 PM Religious Education—Gr. 1-6
St. Mary's School
- 7:00 PM Legion of Mary—Rectory

FRIDAY

- 9:00 AM Rosary Group ~ Rectory

SATURDAY

- 8:00 AM Men's Group ~ Lower Church

SUNDAY

COLLECTION: ALL SOULS DAY
SECOND COLLECTION: WOMEN'S RELIGIOUS

- 8:15 AM Family Mass
Coffee & Donuts—Lower Church

Mass Intentions

**Months Mind Mass
Sunday, October 26:**
Leslie F. White
Timothy F. McCarthy

Monday, October 27:
Angelina Copeta

Tuesday, October 28:
Fr. John DeWire

Wednesday, October 29:
Remo Ascì

Friday October 31:
Gabriele Marchegiani


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.

Sanctuary Light in Memory of:

Leo F. Carrarini

Banns of Marriage



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

III—Tristan Bolden & Laurel Clanton
I—Rodrigo Souza & Allyssa Munroe

WORLD PRIEST DAY MASS-

Please join us today at the 8:15am Mass to celebrate World Priest Day. There will be a special presentation to Father Barnes in honor of this special day for the devotion of priests. There will be coffee and donuts following Mass.

WEEKLY NEED:
\$9,200.00

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION:
\$7,878.00

**PLUS THOSE CONTRIBUTING
THROUGH PARISH PAY:**
\$999.00

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER MEETING:

Anyone who acts in the role of **EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER** either at Mass, the Hospital, Nursing Home or to the Homebound is asked to attend the Catechesis Meeting today, Sunday October 26, at 7:00 PM in the Main Church.

**St Mary's Grand Annual Collection
Parish Pay Participants**

For those of you who wish to fulfill your Grand Annual pledges via Monthly or Quarterly payments, you may easily do so through our parish's Parish Pay electronic offertory system.

Current Parish Pay members, you can log into your personal account at www.parishpay.com and then click the "Edit Donation" button to access the Grand Annual Monthly or Quarterly donation boxes, or you may call Parish Pay directly at its toll-free telephone number to add the Grand Annual Quarterly or Monthly to your donation schedule.

If you wish to enroll in the Parish Pay electronic offertory program, you may contact Parish Pay directly by logging on to their website at: www.parishpay.com, or by calling their toll-free number 1-866-PARISH-1 (1-866-727-4741).

**THE CHOIR AT ST. MARY STAR OF THE SEA—
*Rehearsals precede the Mass at 9:30.***

The Adult Choir is open to new members and rehearses on Sunday mornings at 9:30 am. Some knowledge of note reading is helpful and a reasonable commitment is asked. If you are interested in joining, please speak with the organist, Fred MacArthur, after any of the weekend Masses, or call him directly at 978-609-4302.

A PARISH COUNCIL MESSAGE



All parishioners involved in any volunteer ministry are required to complete, on an annual basis, a **VOLUNTEER MINISTRY FORM** and **CORI FORM**.

The Parish CAP Team (Child Abuse Prevention Team). will be available after all Masses the weekend of November 15 and 16 to process your forms and forward them on to the Archdiocese of Boston, Office of Volunteer Resources.

PLEASE BRING A PICTURE I.D.

Thank you for volunteering your time and talents to St. Mary Star of the Sea parish.

The purpose of the CAP Team is to create a community of support within each parish for the prevention of child abuse and neglect.



Coat Drive

COAT DRIVE

THE CONFIRMATION CLASS WITH THE HELP OF THE PARISH COUNCIL IS SPONSORING A COAT DRIVE.

WHEN: NOVEMBER 8TH & 9TH

WHERE: AT ALL THE MASSES

WE ARE LOOKING FOR CLEAN COATS THAT HAVE NO STAINS, PILLS OR SHOULDER PADS. BEFORE YOU DONATE PLEASE ASK YOURSELF "WOULD I WEAR THIS?" COATS WILL BE DONATED TO THE BEVERLY BOOTSTRAPS THRIFT STORE.

THE CHRISTMAS GIVING TREE

We are in need of a volunteer to manage the CHRISTMAS GIVING TREE PROGRAM. If

interested please contact the Rectory.



ADORATION: *"Can you spend one hour with me?"*

We are still in need of persons to spend an hour each week praying before the Blessed Sacrament.

Monday — 7:30—8:30 11:30—12:30 4:30—5:30	Tuesday — 9:30-10:30 12:30—1:30 2:30—3:30 3:30—4:30	Wednesday — 1:30—2:30 3:30—4:30 4:30--5:30
Thursday — 10:30—11:30 2:30—3:30 4:30—5:30	Friday — 3:30—4:30 5:30—6:30	

ST. MARY STAR OF THE SEA SCHOOL NEWS ~ "A Spirited, Faith-filled Community"

Patrick Corcoran - Grade 8 - Literature - 10-2-08

FBI's Most Wanted: Macavity

Macavity's the thief of thieves; Macavity's a cat,
He's frankly unobtainable, but everyone knows that.
The men at Scotland Yard are baffled by this
meddlesome thief,
He's stolen from every British village, city, town, and fief.

Macavity looks downtrodden, with mangy ginger fur,
He's never at the scenes of crimes, wherever they occur.
Macavity's robbed countless banks, as countless as
the sands,
If only he were able to fly, he'd travel to other lands.

But wait! I must have forgotten; Macavity *can* fly,
He doesn't travel to other lands, the reason I know not why.
Macavity's both fast and sly; he's also very clever,
When will the London Police catch this cat? I honestly
think never.

You may think that Macavity is just another cat,
That there's a human thief and he's a cover-up for that.
Nobody's really sure about Macavity's true intention,
The note he leaves at crime scenes, his plan, it doesn't
mention.

The purposes of Macavity's numerous robberies may
be good,
Why, he may just be the world's very first feline Robin Hood!
But the chances of his innocence are ten million to one,
Macavity's a heartless thief, when the day is done.

Macavity has baffled the world's greatest detectives,
Household names like Holmes have failed to find his
main objectives.
Macavity is also a master of disguise,
When he's not on the move, he's sitting on his throne of lies.

Macavity can disappear before you count to two,
But worry not; he's pulled this stunning trick on others
than you,
He's pulled it on countless police, and even once on me,
After this act, I failed to find him, unfortunately.

Macavity has caused England to contact the FBI,
Although I doubt they'll find him, I guess it's worth a try.
So if one day you're sitting down and watching your TV,
Don't be surprised if the FBI's Most Wanted is Macavity!

Macavity's called many things; some say he's just a cat,
But in my mind, I know Macavity's much more than that!
Macavity's a master robber, who's caused many a
policeman to stumble,
He makes Ali Baba and the Forty Thieves look unbelievably
humble.

Macavity's a mysterious cat, with that, everyone is agreed,
He finds it fit to steal whatever objects people need.
The citizens are terrified, and Scotland Yard's distraught,
For England shall not rest until Macavity is caught!

OPEN HOUSE

Please join us!
St. Mary's School Open House
Sunday, Nov. 2nd
12 – 2 P.M.

Come see the difference a Catholic School
Education can make for your student!

First Grade came in 2nd place in the Topsfield
Fair poster contest this year. The theme was
"Excite your senses at the Topsfield Fair." Great
Job!

AUCTION TICKETS

For sale - \$35 each includes a full dinner. Come
do your Christmas Shopping at the Auction! Great
gifts – bike, keyboard, treadmill, baskets galore!
Lots of fun, games, raffles & prizes. Purchase
your tickets at the end of Mass.

Together with you, we wish to thank
God for our priests and pray that
they may be holy and competent
pastors, capable of leading even in
the complex and difficult times we
live in. We pray for them that their
faith may not fail, that they may feel
themselves surrounded by the caring
love of their people and of the whole
church.

We wish to bring into focus the true
meaning of the priesthood as the
means by which Christ is present
among his people. We wish to pro-
mote an understanding of the im-
mense dignity and beauty of the vo-
cation of the ministerial priesthood in
all its fullness and variety.

Dear Friends in Christ,

I recently came across this excerpt of a poem by Charles Peguy, entitled, "The Mystery of the Holy Innocents." I liked it very much and thought you might too.

Your Brother in Christ,

Fr. David Barnes

Ask a father if his best moment
Is not when his sons begin to love him like men,
Him as a man,
Freely,
Gratuitously,
As a father whose children are growing up.
As a father if there is not a chosen time above all
And if it is not
Precisely when submission ceases and his sons become men
Love him (treat him) so to speak from knowledge,
As man to man,
Freely,
Gratuitously. Esteem him thus.
Ask a father if he does not know that nothing is equal
To the glance of a man meeting the glance of a man.
Well, I am their father, God says, and I know man's condition.
It is I who made him.
I do not ask too much of them. I only ask for their hearts,
When I have their hearts, I am satisfied, I am not hard to please.
All the slavish submissions are not worth one frank look from a free man.
Or rather, all the slavish submissions in the world repel me and I would give everything
For one frank look from a free man.
For one beautiful action of obedience and tenderness and devotion from a free man.
For a look from Saint Louis,
And even a look from Joinville, for Joinville is less saintly but he is no less free.
(and he is no less a Christian).
And he is no less gratuitous.
And my Son also died for Joinville.
To that liberty, to that gratuitousness I have sacrificed everything, God says,
To that taste I have for being loved by free men,
Freely,
Gratuitously,
By real men virile, adult, firm,
Noble, tender but with a firm tenderness.
To obtain that liberty, that gratuitousness I have sacrificed everything,
To create that liberty, that gratuitousness,
To set going that liberty, that gratuitousness.
To teach him liberty.
Well, with my Wisdom I have not too much
To teach him liberty,
With all the Wisdom of my Providence, I have not too much,
And even with the duplicity of my Wisdom for that double instruction.
What measures I must observe, and how can I calculate them.
Who else can calculate them. And how double-faced I must be
And how prudently I must arrange that deceit
(This is going to scandalize our Pharisees again),
How prudently I must calculate my very duplicity!
What must not my prudence be! I must create, I must teach them liberty
Without risking their salvation. For if I support them too much, they will never learn to swim,
But if I do not support them just at the right moment
They go under, they swallow a nasty mouthful, they dive down,
And they must not sink
In that ocean of turpitude

