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April 7th, 2013 in the Year of Grace Divine Mercy Sunday

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Mass Schedule

 Sunday:
 4:00 PM (Saturday Vigil), 7:30 AM

 9:00 AM, 10:30 AM (Traditional Latin), 5:30 PM

Weekdays: Monday—Friday 7:30 AM Traditional Latin Low Mass: Mon., Wed. & Fri., 12:30 PM; Tues. & Thurs., 5:30 PM, Sat. 9:00 AM.

Holy Days: if Mon-Fri., 7:30 AM., 12:30, 5:30 & 7:30 PM.; if on Saturday, 7:30, 9:00 & 10:30 AM Christmas Eve: 4:00 PM & 12 Midnight Christmas Day: 7:30, 9:00 & 10:30 AM January 1st: 7:30, 9:00 & 10:30 AM

SACRAMENTS

Baptism: Upon request. Please contact Father Higgins.

Penance (Confession):

Saturday 8:30-9:00 A.M. and 3:30-4:00 PM Sunday, before and after the 10:30 a.m. AM Mass, First Fridays (before the 12:30 p.m. Mass)

Matrimony:

Engaged couples should make arrangements with the parish church so as to allow for adequate sacramental preparation (six months), including a Pre-Cana program.

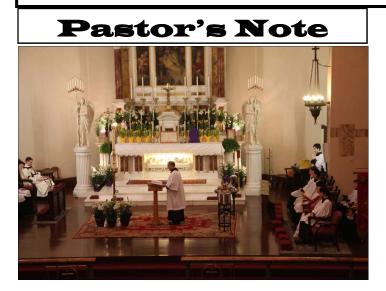
Pastoral Care of the Sick

Anointing of the Sick (for those who are gravely ill or facing serious surgery); **Communion of the Sick for the Homebound:** Please contact Father Higgins.

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APRIL IS THE MONTH OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT



(Front cover: The Great Paschal Vigil, Easter Eve, March 30th, A.D. 2013—Cantor William Provencher chants the First Lesson of the Prophecies before the burning Paschal Candle, which is the account of the Seven Days of the Creation of the world in the First Chapter of the Book of Genesis. "And God saw all the things that He had made, and they were very good." The First Creation of the world at the beginning of Time is now more wonderfully enhanced by the Second Creation brought about by Christ's Redemption of this same world. Photo by Paul Eldridge.)

"GIVE PRAISE TO THE LORD FOR HE IS GOOD: FOR HIS MERCY ENDURETH FOREVER."

These words are the opening verse of Psalm 117(118), *Confitemini Domino*, the Great Hymn of Thanksgiving to the Risen Christ, which is sung in response to the triple Alleluia at the Easter Vigil Mass. The theme of God's goodness and mercy carries over to this second Sunday of Easter, the Sunday expressly dedicated to the Divine Mercy.

In our new Pope's coat-of-arms, we see the motto of his ordination as Bishop, **miserando atque eligendo**, which may be translated, "having mercy, He (Jesus) called him." The explanation of this motto was well laid out in



an article by Carol Glatz, which was printed in the Boston Pilot's Palm Sunday commemorative edition of Pope Francis's election.

The three symbols on the shield signify the following: The IHS emblem is the official seal of the Pope's Jesuit

religious order. The five-pointed star represents Our Lady and the buds of a spikenard flower St.

miserando atque eligendo itself is from a homily by St. Bede

the Venerable, Doctor of the Church, an English monk who lived in the 8th century. In his commentary on Matthew's Gospel, Chapter 9, where Christ calls the tax-collector Matthew away from his corrupt life and to follow Him, St. Bede says:

"Jesus saw Matthew, not merely in the usual sense, but more significantly with His merciful understanding of men. He saw the tax collector and, because He saw him through the eyes of mercy and chose him, He said to him: 'Follow

Me'. This following meant imitating the pattern of His life—not just walking after Him. St. John tells us: 'Whoever says he abides in Christ ought to walk in the same way He walked.'

"This conversion of one tax collector gave many men, those from his own profession and many sinners, an example of repentance and pardon."

(Fr. Higgins)



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LATIN MASS TEXTS Traditional Propers LOW SUNDAY

Vestments: White

INTROIT: 1 Peter 2: 2 As newborn babes, alleluia, desire the rational milk without guile, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia. *Psalm 80: 2* Rejoice to God our helper: sing aloud to the God of Jacob. *V*. Glory be to the Father.

COLLECT Grant, we beseech Thee, almighty God, that we who have celebrated the Pascal solemnity, may by Thy bounty show forth its effects in our life and conversation. Through our Lord.

EPISTLE: 1 John 5: 4-10 Dearly beloved: Whatsoever is born of God overcometh the world: and this is the victory, which overcometh the world, our faith. Who is he that overcometh the world, but he that believeth that Jesus is the Son of God? This is He that came by water and blood, Jesus Christ: not by water only, but by water and blood. And it is the Spirit which testifieth that Christ is the truth. And there are three who give testimony in heaven: the Father, the Word and the Holy Ghost: and these three are one. And there are three that give testimony on earth: the Spirit and the water and the blood: and these three are one. If we receive the testimony of men the testimony of God is greater: for this is the testimony of God, which is greater, because He hath testified of His Son. He that believeth in the Son of God hath the testimony of God in himself.

FIRST ALLELUIA: Matthew 28: 7 Alleluia, alleluia. *V*. On the day of My resurrection, saith the Lord, I will go before you into Galilee.

SECOND ALLELUIA: John 20: 26 Alleluia. *V.* After eight days, the doors being shut, Jesus stood in the midst of His disciples, and said: Peace be to you. Alleluia.

GOSPEL: John 20: 19-31 At that time, when it was late that same day, the first of the week, and the doors were shut, where the disciples were gathered together for fear of the Jews, Jesus came, and stood in the midst and said to them: Peace be to you. And when He had said this, He showed them His hands and His side. The disciples therefore were glad, when they saw the Lord. He said therefore to them again: Peace be to you. As the Father hath sent Me, I also send you. When He had said this, He breathed on them, and He said to them: Receive ye the Holy Ghost: whose sins you shall forgive, they are forgiven them: and whose sins you shall retain, they are retained. Now Thomas, one of the twelve, who is called Didymus, was not with them when Jesus came. The other disciples therefore said to him: We have seen the Lord. But he said to them: Except I shall see in His hands the print of the nails, and put my finger into the place of the nails, and put my hand into His side, I will not believe. And after eight days, again His disciples were within, and Thomas with them. Jesus cometh, the doors being shut, and stood in the midst, and said: Peace be to you. Then He saith to Thomas: Put in thy finger hither, and see My hands, and bring hither thy hand, and put it into my side; and be not faithless, but believing. Thomas answered and said to Him: My Lord and my God. Jesus saith to him: Because thou hast seen Me, Thomas, thou hast believed: blessed are they that have not seen, and have believed. Many other signs also did Jesus in the sight of His disciples, which are not written in this book. But these are written, that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ the Son of God; and that, believing, you may have life in His name.

OFFERTORY: Matthew 28: 2, 5, 6 An angel of the Lord descended from heaven, and said to the women: He whom you seek is risen, as He said, alleluia.

SECRET Receive, we beseech Thee, O Lord, the gifts of Thy rejoicing Church, and grant that she to whom Thou has given cause for so great joy, may obtain also the fruit of perpetual gladness. Through our Lord.

COMMUNION: John 20: 27 Put in thy hand, and know the place of the nails, alleluia; and be not faithless, but believing, alleluia, alleluia.

POSTCOMMUNION We beseech Thee, O Lord our God, to make the most holy mysteries, which Thou hast given to ensure our regeneration, a remedy for us both now and for all time to come. Through our Lord.



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ANNOUNCEMENTS



RECITATION OF THE DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET TODAY IN HONOR OF DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Please join us for a brief service in honor of the Divine Mercy this afternoon at 2:45 PM in the Main Church. After the moment

of silence at 3:00 PM, we will recite together the Divine Mercy Chaplet.



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LADIES' SODALITY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION AND ST. ROSE OF LIMA: Founded 1872

After the 10:30 AM Mass today the Sodality will

celebrate the installation of Sodalist Erika Da Silva as the new second Prefect. (Erika has returned the parish after spending several months of postulancy and novitiate with the Sisters of the Slaves of the Immaculate Heart of Mary in Still River, MA.)

COFFEE HOUR AND DONUT SOCIAL after the 9:00 a.m. Sunday Mass, <u>TODAY</u> Sunday, April 7th, 2013

Please join us downstairs for refreshments and a time of fellowship directly following the 9 a.m. Mass today.

Religious Education

Sunday, April 7th: 8:30-10:00 AM, Grades K-5 4:15-6:30 PM, Grades 6-8 (Pre-Confirmation)

FIRST COMMUNION MASSES: First Communion Masses for our parish children who have been preparing this year will be on Sunday, May 5th, at the 9 AM Mass, and on Sunday, May 12th, at the 10:30 AM Latin Mass. Our First Communion classes include the children from our Parish Religious Education Program, as well as Home Schooled and Catholic School children.

SAINT MARY'S CEMETERY:

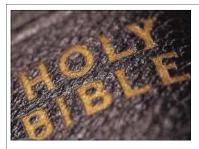


SPRING-CLEANUP

Our Cemetery crew is now cleaning up our parish cemetery and beginning to

prepare it for Memorial Day. Temporary memorials, together with any personal mementoes, will be removed per the regulations of the Cemetery. If you wish to keep any such items, kindly remove them from your family graves at this time. Easter decorations will be removed after two more weeks. Thank you for your co-operation. Any questions, please call the cemetery office: **781-235-1841** Our Annual Outdoor Memorial Day Mass

Our Annual Outdoor Memorial Day Mass will be at 10 AM.



NEW WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY: "THE GOSPEL OF LUKE" Desid Aller, cur

David Allen, our new Pastoral

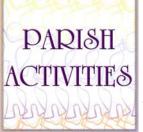
Associate, will be hosting a weekly Bible Study on the Gospel of Like starting this Easter Season.

WHEN? Starting Friday, April 12th, and continuing on all successive Friday mornings at 8:20 AM, after the 7:30 Parish Mass



WHERE? Lower Rectory Conference Room (in rectory

basement) *Refreshments provided. Please bring your Bible.*



"BRING-A-SAINT-AND-LUNCH" Thursday, April 11th, A.D. 2013

The next meeting for "Bringa-Saint-and-Lunch" will be on Thursday, April 11th, at

12:00 Noon in the lower rectory conference room. This is an open-invitation, informal gathering for

anyone who wants to learn more about the Lives of the Saints. Pack your own lunch, and then join fellow parishioners and other interested visitors for discussion. This month we will be learning about St. Albert the Great, St. Bonaventure, and other saints of Scholasticism. For more

information and to register, please contact Tina McCormick at: TinaM@post.harvard.edu or 617-970-1448

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Catholic Appeal

Please consider making a gift to this year's Catholic Appeal. Appeal pledge envelopes are at the entrance tables to

the church. Our parish number is <u>294</u>. The Appeal Goal set for us by the Archdiocese is <u>\$19,423.00</u>.



"There is a Good Samaritan in each one of us."



CONGRATULATIONS... To Mr. William and Mrs. Angela (Steinkrauss) Kasper on the christening of their firstborn son JUDE ANTHONY KASPER at Mary Immaculate of Lourdes parish

on Saturday, March 23rd, A.D. 2013. His godparents are his uncle Michael Steinkrauss and his aunt Theresa Benoit. Jude Anthony is parishioner Mrs. Mildred Rizzo's 10th GREAT-GRANDCHILD.

Nursing Home Masses in the Parish for the Month of March:

Thursday, April 4th: STONE INSTITUTE

Thursday, April 11th: WINGATE MANOR (Masses are at 2:00 PM)

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Calendar of Masses

(Intention of the Mass—Special Remarks—Requested by)

SATURDAY April 6th	4:00 PM	Richard DeMichele	Memorial	DeMichele Family
SUNDAY April 7th Divine Mercy Sunday	9:00 AM	Pro Populo Maria Centofanti Earl Smith Centofanti Family John Doogan Pro Life Marcus Paolo Frade Neil McGrath Thomas Leahey Sarah Boyle & Susan McGregor Jeff Pino Herbert "Ricky" Hanscom	Special Intention Special Intention Special Intention Memorial Special Intention Birthday Intention Memorial Memorial	Joyce Higgins Shawn Adams Maria Centofanti Phillips Family Annie Procopio Juhasz Family Kwash Family Bennett Family William & Angela Kasper
			Memorial	Frye Family Laura Harvey
		& Family Jones Family Arline Covalli Ralph, Rose & Vincent Mazzarella	Special Intention Memorial	Jean Jones Susan Goeller
JESUS I TRUST IN YOU	5:30 PM	Margaret Riordan		Mary McCarthy
MONDAY April 8th Annunciation Of the blessed	7:30 AM 12:30 PM	Purgatorial Society of Mary Immaculate of Lourdes Parish Commemoration of the	Memorial Memorial	Mrs. D. Martin
VIRGIN MARY (transferred)		Faithful Departed	memorial	Wils. D. Watchi
TUESDAY April 9th Easter Weekday	7:30 AM	Michael Bonosoro	Memorial	Natalie Johnson
	5:30 PM	Richard Van Rensburg		Laura Harvey
WEDNESDAY	7:30 AM	Catherine Murphy	Memorial	Jean Johnson
April 10th Easter Weekday	12:30 PM	In Honor of Bl. Margaret Costello	Special Intention	Davulis Family
April 11th	7:30 AM	Kathryn Harvey Hinton & Family Jeff Pino		Laura Harvey
	5:30 PM		Month's Mind	Nick & Janet Pino
FRIDAY April 12th Easter Weekday	7:30 AM Health of the Sick 12:30 p.m.	Jacqueline Gentile Susan Goeller & Robert Goeller		Davulis Family
			Special Intention	Maria Centofanti
SATURDAY April 13th St. Hermenegild, Martyr	9:00 a.m.	Bobby Getz Sam Nowell & Family	Memorial	Bennett Family Laura Harvey
	4:00 p.m.	William J. McEnaney	Memorial	Dominic Dougherty III

Feast s for Thursday, April 11th: St. Stansilaus, Bishop & Martyr/St. Leo the Great, Pope, Confessor & Doctor of the Church

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HEALTH OF THE SICK

"In every man there is Jesus, but in the sick we see Jesus twice."

-Padre Pio

For all those on our parish prayer list, especially for... Jane Dippo, Maureen Clark, Tom Fell, Cynthia Adkins, Norman Sabbey, James McCloskey, Dotty Hayes, Wendy Watts, Joseph F. Fresolo Sr., George Jay, Joseph



Nolan, Barbara Nyhen, Rev. Walter Cuenin, Ronald Orlando, Dominic Gundrum, Louis Komuves, Sr. Catherine Granfield, Mary Adams, Hugh Doyle, Lorraine Orlando, Rob Quagan, Paul Wenger, Nathan Johnston, Frank Downey, Janet Pino, Fr. Carney Gavin, Irene Campana, Gerry Mazzarella, Maureen Nyhen, Francis McNary, Warren Yee, Betty Chrishi, Marie Rappazzini, Mary Trombetta, Helen Reid, Brenda Winegarner, Jean Johnson, Lois Ludwig, Paula Apothacary, Jeanne Ciocca, Sam Adams III, Altair da Silva, Christina Kwash, Kitty Ward, Spagnuolo Family, Katie O'Connell, Janet Bourgeois, Judy Sartell, Lana Tomchik, Matthew Banks, Patrick Rainey, Judy Pederson, Ed Donovan, Danny O'Brien, Evelyn Donovan, Helen Donnelly, Priscilla Brossard, Mary Sims, Billy Hickey, Lee-Anne Ketchum, Arthur Nauss, Rod MacLeod, Monica Wellenstein, Teresa Tambunan, Mary Platt, Sean Monaghan, Sheila Whittle, Michelle Fay, Bobbie Hoffmann,

Beverly Balconi, Martial Rainey, Dennis McCarthy, Edward Crestitelli, Sharon Kopchik, Erin Marie Fell, Dominic Cantillo, Theresa Higgins, Lita Uilaoghaire, Norman Alibrandi, Joyce Higgins, Karen Starbird, Jack Buckley, Edward Fahey, Nancy Daly, Marie Schroter, Dorothy Alibrandi, Annie Procopio, Marie Danca, David Kase, Thaddeus Davulis, Andrew McCloskey, Barbara Sullivan, Wanda Lempitski, Thomas

Corcoran, Tony Palladino, Lucia LoPresti, Polly Sullivan.

"I do not promise to make you happy in this life, but in the next"—Our Lady of Lourdes to St. Bernadette, February 18th, 1858



Requiescat in **Pace**

Anna Daley, aged 83

MILITARY SERVICE PRAYER LIST:

We remember all of our military servicemen and women, especially ... Sgt.
Troy Stemen, U.S. Army (Afghanistant), Mark Gaudet, Army Special Forces, Pierre K. Ripert, USN, Matthew Simard, 1st Lt., USMC (Afghanistan), Michael Simard, PFC, USMC, Christopher Raymond, 82nd Airborne (Afghanistan), Lance Cpl. Alex Tomchik, USMC, Brian Rainey, US Army (Afghanistan), Joseph Rainey, US Army, Sgt. Kevin James Howard, USMC (Afghanistan), Sgt. Brian Joseph Howard, USMC Afghanistan), Sgt. William J. Duggan, U.S. Army, 342nd Military Police Detachment, deployed to Afghanistan March, 2010; ; Sgt. 1st Class David Garduque; ;Sgt. Jeffrey R. Quinn, USMC; (Please let us know if you would like someone on active duty prayed for by name.)

Pray for Tommy Holcum, severely wounded in a Taliban ambush in Afghanistan. Pray for Pfc Bowe Bergdahl, captured by the Taliban in Afghanistan.







IN THANKSGIVING: Sgt. Dennis Geary and his unit have returned safely from Afghanistan.



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Music Programs for this Sunday's Masses

Mass of Pope Paul VI (1970 Missal)

Saturday Vigil 4 PM/ Sunday 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM & 5:30 PM

Second Sunday of Easter Sunday of Divine Mercy

Introit: 1 Peter 2:2 "As newborn babes, alleluia, long for pure spiritual milk, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia."

> **Kyrie Gloria** – Missa De Angelis (English) Responsorial Psalm Gospel Acclamation **Credo I: (extra sheet)**

> > Offertory: Matthew 28:1-2,5-6

"The Angel of the Lord came down from heaven and said to the women: 'The One whom you seek has risen, as he said He would', alleluia."

Mass Setting: Mass VIII Missa De Angelis

Sanctus(English) "Mortem tuam annuntiamus, Domine, et tuam resurrectionem confitemur, donec venias" Lord's Prayer Agnus Dei

Communion: John 20:27

"Stretch forth your hand, and feel the place where the nails were, alleluia; and be not doubtful but believing, alleluia, alleluia."

> Post Communion Hymn Regina Caeli

Recessional Hymn: Alleluia! Alleluia! (Today's Missal No.73) Mass of St. Gregory the Great (1962 Missal)

Sunday, 10:30 AM Low Sunday

Processional Hymn: Quia vidisti me, Thoma (Hans Leo Hassler d.1612)

Vidi Aquam: Chant

Introit: Psalm 104:43,1 "Quasi modo géniti infántes allelúia: rationábiles, sine dolo lac concupíscite, allelúia, allelúia, allelúia.(Psalm) Exsultáte Deo adjutóri nostro: jubiláte Deo Jacob."

> Ordinary Prayers: Mass of St.Cecilia J. Egbert Turner (1853) (Kyrie, Gloria, Credo, Sanctus, Benedictus and Agnus Dei)

Paschal Alleluia: Mattew 28:7; John 20:26 "Allelúia, allelúia. In die resurrectiónis meæ, dicit Dóminus, præcédam vos in Galilæam. Alleluia, alleluia. Allelúia. Post dies octo, jánuis clausis, stetit Jesus in médio discipulórum suórum, et dixit: Pax vobis. Allelúia."

<u>Offertory Verse:</u> <u>.</u> Mattew 28:2, 5, 6 "Ángelus Dómini descéndit de Cælo, et dixit muliéribus: Quem quæritis, surréxit sicut dixit, allelúia."

> **Offertory Hymn:** Regina Coeli (Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina **d.1594**)

> **Communion Hymn:** Panis Angelicus (Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina **d.1594**)

Communion Verse: John 20:27 "Mitte manum tuam, et cognósce loca clavórum, allelúia: et noli esse incrédulus, sed fidélis, allelúia, allelúia."

> Recessional Hymn: "Gloria in D major" RV589 (Antonio Lucio Vivaldi d.1741)

> > Regina Caeli (Chant)

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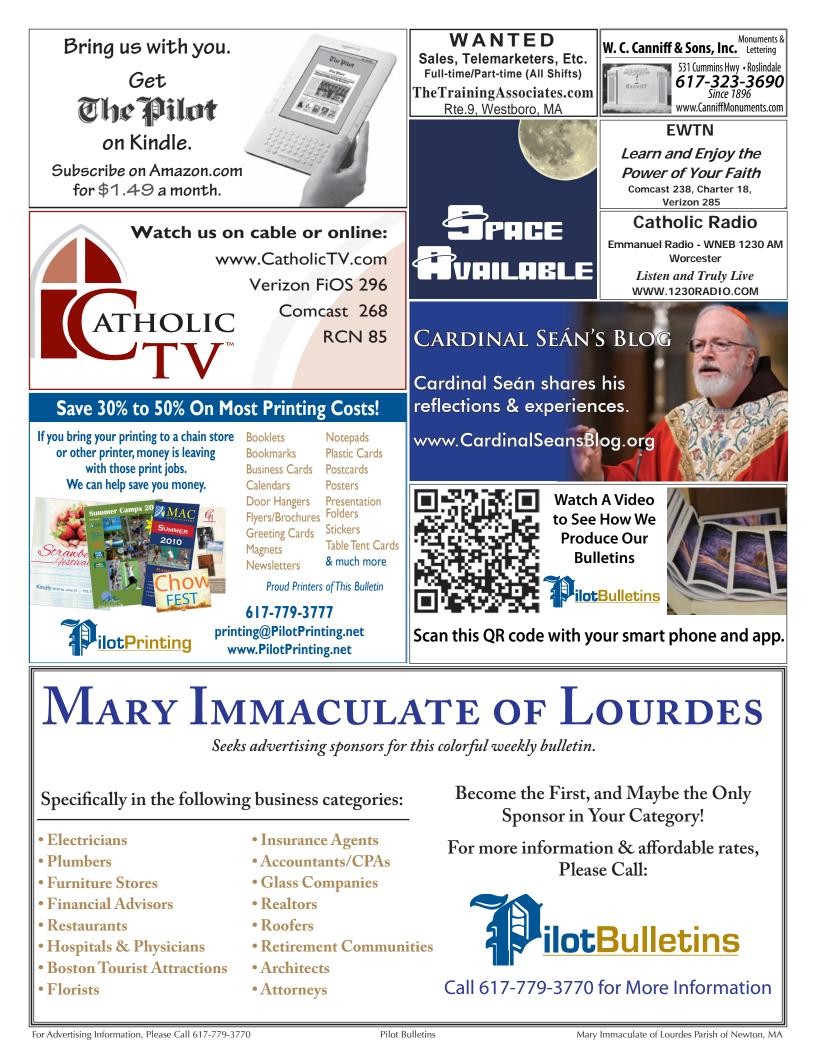
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