

TABLE OF CONTENTS

Parish Directory Information	Page 2
Parish Mass Schedule	Page 2
About Our Parish	Page 3
Requiescant in Pace	Page 3
Pastor's Note	Page 4
Scripture Study	Page 5
Parish Announcements	Pages 6-7
Music Programs	Page 8
Translation of Latin Mass Propers	Page 9
Calendar of Masses for the Week	

Mary Immaculate of Lourdes Parish

270 Elliot Street Newton, MA 02464

<u>Parish Staff</u>

PASTOR: FATHER CHARLES JEREMIAH HIGGINS

VISITING ASSISTANT PRIESTS: FR. JOHN TOKAZ, OFM

CAP; FR. DESIRE SALAKO, S.M.A.

DEACON: REV. MR. STEPHEN WOLFE, S.J.

PASTORAL ASSOCIATE: MR. DAVID ALLEN, M.T.S.

BUSINESS MANAGER: SHARON HOGAN

PARISH & CEMETERY SECRETARY: MARGIE BIBBO

FIRST SACRISTAN: ANGELUS DAVULIS

ASSISTANT SACRISTANS: FRANCIS GALLAGHER,

PETER GOGUEN, EARL SMITH

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: JEAN JOHNSON (DIRECTOR) PATTI STROM (LATIN MASS CHILDREN'S CATECHISM)

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC: MRS. BOBBIE HOFFMANN

<u>Telephones</u>

Parish Office: 617-244-0558/FAX 617-965-4815 NEW WEBSITE ADDRESS:

www.maryimmaculateoflourdes.org

To contact the parish by internet, please access this new website.

 $\label{eq:Facebook:com/miolnewton} Facebook: www.facebook.com/miolnewton$



<u>Parish Cemetery of</u> <u>Saint Mary's, Needham</u> GUARDIAN ESTATE MANAGEMENT INC.

Mr. Ron Goguen, Superintendent . Guardian Staff on-site for service hours Mon.-Fri., 9 AM-3 PM, April through November. The Cemetery Office is located at the parish rectory on 270 Elliot St, Newton Upper Falls and is open Monday-Friday, 8 AM-5 PM.

Telephone: <u>781-235-1841</u> <u>saintmaryscemetery.org</u>

Mass Schedule

<u>Saturday Vigil:</u> 4:00 PM <u>Sunday:</u> 7:30 AM & 9:00 AM, 5:30 PM <u>Traditional Latin High Mass:</u> 10:30 AM

Weekdays: Mon.-Tues., Thurs.-Fri. 7:30 AM Traditional Latin Low Mass: Mon., Wed. & Fri., 12:30 PM; 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, Weekdays, before and after the Latin daily Masses

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.

ABOUT OUR PARISH

Welcome, New Parishioners and Sunday Visitors:

Mary Immaculate of Lourdes Parish is a canonically open parish of the Archdiocese of Boston, which has a **Traditional Latin Mass** apostolate. Both the ordinary form of the Roman Rite (1970 Missal) and the extraordinary form (1962 Missal) are celebrated here with the blessing of His Eminence Sean Cardinal O'Malley, Archbishop of Boston. We encourage new parishioners to please register in the parish and to introduce yourselves to the Pastor. We are always glad to welcome Sunday visitors here to our beautiful, historic church. We look forward to your coming again.

> PLEASE TAKE THE TIME TO FILL OUT A PARISH REGISTRATION FORM.



Parish Mission Statement

"What then is a parish? It is the smallest section of the one universal flock which has been entrusted to Peter by the Lord. Under the authority of a responsible

priest who has received the care of souls from his bishop, the parish is, within the Church of Jesus Christ, the first community of Christian life; it is a community cut to human dimensions, in which the shepherd can know his flock and the flock can know their shepherd ... At the heart of this area, we find the parish church with its bell-tower, its baptistery, its confessional, its altar and tabernacle, a symbol of unity and the centre of community life."

(Blessed Pope Paul VI, reigned 1964-1978)

Mary Immaculate of Lourdes (Formerly St. Mary's Parish, 1870-1910) Newton/Needham, Massachusetts Newton & Needham's Oldest Roman Catholic Parish Our Lady of Mesopotamia Latin Catholic Mission



SPECIAL INTENTION: For all the expectant mothers of our parish family. "St. Gerard Majella, pray for us"

Prayer for Motherhood: O good St. Gerard, powerful intercessor before God and Wonderworker of our day, I call upon thee and seek thy aid. Thou who on this earth didst always fulfil God's designs, help me to do the Holy Will of God. Beseech the Master of Life, from Whom all paternity proceedeth, to render me fruitful in offspring, that I may raise up children to God in this life and heirs to the Kingdom of His Glory in the world to come. Amen.

Requiescant in Pace

Please pray for the resurrection of :

Mary Sims, aged 86 James Joseph Monahan (brother and brother-in-law of parishioners Joe & Lisa Monahan)



FRONT COVER

The Grotto of Lourdes from our parish church of Mary Immaculate of Lourdes, featuring a close-up of the stream coming up out of the rock. At the Apparition of February 25th, 1858, Our Lady told Bernadette to drink from the stream which seemed to be only dirt and grass. A trickle of water appeared and by the next day was flowing copiously from the Massabielle into the Gave River. (Grotto restoration and original background painting by parishioner Jeanette Pappin, 2011.)

FEBRUARY IS THE MONTH OF THE HOLY FAMILY



THE POPE'S UNIVERSAL INTENTION FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY

2017: "Comfort for the Afflicted. That all those who are afflicted, especially the poor,

refugees and marginalized, may find welcome and comfort in our communities." (PHOTO: Pope Francis bestows a kiss on the forehead of Clement Pappin, St. Peter's Square, 2015.)

Pastor's Note



PARISH LENTEN MISSION FOR 2017: "THE STORY OF THE SEVEN HOLY FOUNDERS" Friday Evenings, 7:30-8:30 PM March 3rd-April 7th

Painting: "The Seven Founders of the Order of Servites", by Matteo Roselli (1578-1650)

Ash Wednesday and the Holy Fast of Lent begins this

week on March 1st. The parish Mass schedule for Ash Wednesday, together with the Church's Lenten Regulations are printed on the opposite column of this page.

As has been our custom over the last several years we will have a Parish Lenten Mission each Friday evening during Lent centered around the Stations of the Cross devotion and a Sermon Series. The theme for this year's Mission will be: *"The Story of the Seven Holy Founders."* In the early 13th Century seven young men from among the most social prominent and wealthy merchant families joined the Confraternity of the Blessed Virgin Mary popularly known as the *Laudesi (the "Praisers")*. In 1233, on the Feast of the Assumption of Mary (August 15th), while they were praying together in their chapel Our Lady appeared to each of them and exhorted them to lead a more perfect life. After seeking counsel from the Bishop of Florence: *"They at once bade farewell to their wealth and rank, clothing themselves in haircloth and old and ragged garments. On September 8th they established themselves in a humble retreat outside the city, desiring to begin their new life on the day when the Mother of God began her own most holy life upon earth." (Divine Office, September 12th.)*

Thus began the beautiful work of what was to become one of the great mendicant Orders of the Catholic Church, the Order of Friar Servants of Mary—the Servites (O.S.M.) Pope Leo XIII formally canonized these Seven Holy Founders in 1887, in the year of his Golden Jubilee of priestly ordination. Their common feast was originally appointed to be celebrated on February 11th, the day on which, in 1304, they received their first formal approval by the Church.

Our Conferences over these next few Fridays in Lent will recount the history of this Order and consider several spiritual themes which their history brings out for us. *(Fr. Higgins)*



ASH WEDNESDAY MASSES:

Novus Ordo: 7:30 AM, 5:30 PM Latin Mass: 12:30, 7:30 PM Blessed Ashes distributed at all Masses.

<u>Abstinence from Flesh Meat</u>: obliges beginning on a person's 14th birthday and applies to Ash Wednesday and all Fridays during Lent. <u>Practice of Penance</u>: all Catholics should perform some act of penance on the weekdays of Lent (for example, our personal Lenten sacrifices), and Fridays throughout the year (for example, not eating meat on Friday). <u>Days of Fast</u>: Ash Wednesday & Good Friday. On these 2 days of the year all Catholics between the ages of 18-59 are bound to fast (I full meal + 2 small meals).

February 26th, A.D. 2017 Quinquagesima Sunday and the Eighth of the Year

Mary Immaculate of Lourdes, Newton/Needham, Massachusetts

SCRIPTURE STUDY

THE COLLECTS OF THE ROMAN MISSAL: THE CHAIR OF SAINT PETER FEBRUARY 26th, A.D. 2017

∬ or this week's meditation on the Collects of the Roman Missal, we consider the Collect for the Feast of the Chair of St. Peter, celebrated in the both forms of the Roman Rite on Feb. 22. We will examine the Collect for the feast in the MR 1962. Below is the unofficial translation provided in the Angelus Press edition of the Roman Catholic Daily Missal: 'O God, Who by delivering to Thy blessed Apostle Peter the keys of the kingdom of heaven, didst confer upon him the pontifical power of binding and of loosing, grant that, by the help of his intercession, we may be freed from the bonds of sin. Who livest and reignest with God the Father, in the unity of the Holy Ghost, God, world without end. Amen."

Broken down into its five-part structure, the Collect looks like this:

1. O God (address: note that the acclamation and concluding doxological formula reveal that it is Jesus being addressed here as God),

2. who conferred on Peter the pontifical power of binding and loosing by giving him the keys of the kingdom of heaven (two-part acclamation: Jesus' action and its implication),

3. grant that we may be freed from the bonds of sin (petition),

4. by the help of his intercession (motive for the petition),

5. who lives and reigns, etc. (concluding doxological formula).

Re-fashioned into a syllogism, we may interpret the Collect like this:

- A) If Jesus gave his Church the power to forgive sins through the power of the keys,
- B) And if St. Peter, the key-holder, helps us by his prayers,

C) Jesus will free us from the bonds of our sins.

The commemoration of St. Peter's Chair celebrates two dimensions of Catholic belief and practice. The first is more well known. St. Peter's Chair, or *cathedra*, is a symbol of his teaching authority over the whole Church (traditionally, bishops would sit upon their *cathedra* in the apse of their cathedral while preaching). Thus, the communion of local churches with the See (seat, chair) of Peter indicates Catholic unity in faith under the pope's supreme authority.

The second reason for this feast is lesser known and comes from pagan Roman custom. At the end of their New Year celebrations, the Romans would commemorate their beloved dead by leaving an empty chair at their banquets as a way of inviting the departed to participate in the communal meal. The Roman Christians baptized this custom and also offered prayers for the faithful departed. In regard to St. Peter, their beloved papa in Christ, the empty chair symbolized their desire for St. Peter's continuing presence among them. More importantly, this custom served as a way of anticipating the banquet of eternal life, affirming the doctrine of the Communion of Saints. Modern Catholic life still retains a vestige of this practice in the prayers for the faithful departed after meals.

The Collect for this great feast proposes two means of grace for deliverance from the bonds of sin: firstly, the sacraments, and secondly, the meritorious prayers of the saints. We may indeed hope to experience deliverance from sin through the "*power of the keys*," which consists most especially of St. Peter and the Apostles' power to forgive sins, a power received from Jesus Himself, as well as their mission to teach and govern the Church, again, with the authority of Himself (cf. *Catechism of the Catholic Church* nos. 551-553).

As a secondary aspect of deliverance from the bonds of sin, our Collect highlights St. Peter's intercession. The prayers of the saints dispose us towards receiving and responding worthily to sacramental grace (cf. *Catechism* nos. 956-957). The Church generally counts the prayers of those closest to Christ in His earthly life as having particular weight. St. Peter's proximity to Jesus on earth is only enhanced in heaven, and so we run to him for help in whatever circumstance, trusting in the power of his prayers.

(David Allen)

Mr. David Allen, M.T.S., is the lay Pastoral Associate for our parish of Mary Immaculate of Lourdes.

STEWARDSHIP



SACRIFICIAL OFFERINGS FOR THE SUPPORT OF OUR PARISH AND THE WIDER CHURCH MISSION

"What return can I make to the Lord for all His kindness to Me?"

SUNDAY OFFERTORY FOR FEBRUARY 12th, 2017, \$5,730.00 + \$3,995.00 (OTHER OFFERINGS) = \$9,725.00



SPECIAL COLLECTION FOR ASH WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1st: FOR THE CHURCH IN AFRICA and **CENTRAL & EASTERN EUROPE**



WEEKLY FRIDAY AM **BIBLE STUDY:**

Led by David Allen, Friday morning at 8:20 AM (after the 7:30 AM Parish Mass.) Lower Rectory Conference Room.

This is an open group and all are invited to attend at any time.

CURRENT STUDY: "MORNING & EVENING PRAYER: Meditations & Catechesis on the Psalms & Canticles"-Pope St. John Paul II and Pope Benedict

XVI



Π

Π

Π

Π

Π

PARISH **ANNOUNCEMENTS**



PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES TODAY, SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 26th, 2017:

Grades K-5, Sunday morning, 8:30-10 AM (includes Children's Liturgy of the Word and 9 AM parish Mass)

Grades 6-8 (Pre-Confirmation), 10:15-11:30 AM

New students are always Welcome

Π

Π

Π

Π

Π

Γ

Jean Johnson, Director Patti Strom, Latin Mass Children's Catechism



Nursing Home Masses in the Parish for the month \square of MARCH: Thursday, March 2nd: STONE INSTITUTE Thursday, March 9th:

WINGATE MANOR

(Masses are at 2:00 PM)

IRAQI CATHOLICS

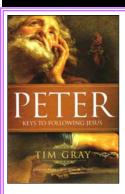
LATIN CATHOLIC MISSION

Fr. Michael Harrington, Administrator

The Iraqi Catholic Mission at Mary Immaculate of Lourdes.

NEXT MASS: Saturday, March 4th, 5:30 PM

LENT IN THE PARISH



Lenten Book Study

David Allen, our pastoral associate, will be leading a five week character study on St. Peter for the Lenten Season. We will use Dr. Tim Gray's excellent and newly-published book, *Peter: Keys to Following Jesus.* Dr. Gray's rich reflections on the person and office of St. Peter in the Gospels

and Acts offer compelling lessons that will help us to keep a holy Lent. David will supplement the book with reflections on Petrine spirituality contained in the Collects and other prayers of the Roman Missal. Please join us!

Dates and Time: the first five Sundays of Lent (March 5, 12, 19, 26, and April 2) at 12:30 P.M., following the 10:30 A.M. Latin Mass.

Location: Rectory dining room. Please enter the rectory from the front door. **Refreshments will be provided** Books are available in the rectory office.

A donation of \$15.00 for the book is recommended. *Note: Please read chapters 1-2 for the first class*

BAPTISMS



CONGRATULATIONS to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph and Yakeel (Quiroz) Arboleda on the christening of their son MATEO ANDRES ARBOLEDA QUIROZ at Mary Immaculate of Lourdes Church on ruary 5th A D 2017 His godparents

Sunday, February 5th, A.D. 2017. His godparents are Mikael Pittet and Yalenna Quiroz.



WE INVITE EVERYONE TO JOIN US FOR COFFEE HOUR DOWNSTAIRS EACH SUNDAYAFTER THE 10:30 LATIN MASS.



CONGRATULATIONS to Mr. and Mrs. Robert and Kathleen (Leavey) Nicoloro on the christening of their daughter GLORIA FILOMENA NICOLORO at Mary Immaculate of Lourdes Church on Sunday, A D 2017 Her godnarents are

February 12th, A.D. 2017. Her godparents are William Leavey & Evelyn Ostrowski. Gloria is their FIFTH CHILD.



CONGRATULATIONS to Mr. and Mrs. William and Meaghan (Bastianelli) on the christening of their daughter CHARLOTTE AMELIA CLOUTMAN at Mary Immaculate of Lourdes Church on

Sunday, February 12th, A.D. 2017. Her godparents are Matthew Deenahy & Silbahon Deenahy. Charlotee is their FIFTH CHILD.



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 for the sick, especially for:

Mary McCarthy, Robert Harvey Jackie Pascucci, Daniel Rufo, James Noviello, Catherine Dinon, Richard Farrell, Helen "Sunny" McCloskey, Paul Eldridge, Mary Downey, Joseph Gamache, Kathy Quinn, Ellen Balkus, Lena Strom, Kay Mullen, Barbara Nyhen, Maureen Nyhen, Christina Kwash, Nick & Janet Pino, Ed Donovan, Marie Schroter, Marie Danca, Mary Duhaime...

"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



SPECIAL PRAYERS: THOMAS JOSEPH WIESEN (first-born of Ryan and Lauren Wiesen), born 2 months pre-maturely and in NICU.

Music Programs for this Sunday's Mass

Mass of Pope Paul VI (1970 Missal) 4:00 PM (Saturday Vigil), 7:30 & 9:00 AM, 5:30 PM

Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Prelude O Come To My Heart Lord Jesus Op.26, No.1 (Paul Ambrose)

Entrance Antiphon: Ps.18:19

"The Lord became my protector. He brought me out to a place of freedom; He saved me because He delighted in me."

Ordinary Prayers: English Chant (Kyrie, Gloria, Creed, Sanctus and Agnus Dei)

Credo I: (extra sheet)

Offertory Antiphon: Ps.13:6

"I will sing to the Lord who has been bountiful with me, sing psalms to the name of the Lord Most High."

> **Offertory Hymn** (9 AM) Like As We Do Put Our Trust (Charles Wesley Jr.)

Communion Antiphon: Mt.28:30

"Behold I am with you always, even to the end of the age, says the Lord."

Communion Hymn (9 AM)

Panis Angelicus (Cesar Franck)

Post Communion Hymn Salve Regina 9 AM Ave Maria (Cesar Franck)

Recessional Hymn: Thou, Whose Almighty Word (Worship II Hymnal, **No. 279**) Mass of St. Gregory the Great (1962 Missal) 10:30 AM

Quinquagesima Sunday Prelude: O Come To My Heart Lord Jesus Op.26, No.1 (Paul Ambrose) Processional Hymn: Salvator Mundi, Published: 1563 (Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina)

Asperges: Chant

Introit: Ps. 30:3,4,2

"Esto mihi in Deum protectorem, et in locum refugii, ut salvum me facias: quoniam firmamentum meum, et refugium meum es tu: et propter nomen tuum dux mihi eris, et enutries me. (Psalm) In te, Domine, speravi, non confundar in aeternum: in justitia tua libera me, et eripe me."

Ordinary Prayers: Missa O Rex Gloriae

Kyrie, Credo, Sanctus, Benedictus and Agnus Dei (Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina) Published: 1601, Missarum liber duodecimus

Gradual Ps. 76:15,16

"Tu es Deus qui facis mirabilia solus: notam fecisti in gentibus virtutem tuam. Liberasti in brachio tuo populum tuum, filios srael et Joseph." **Tract:** Ps. 99:1,2 "Jubilate Deo, omnis terra: servite Domino in laetitia. Intrate in conspectu ejus, in exsultatione: scitote, quod Dominus ipse est Deus. Ipse fecit nos, et non ipsi nos: nos autem populus ejus, et oves pascuae ejus."

Offertory: Ps. 118:12,13

"Benedictus es, Domine, doce me justificationes tuas: in labiis meis pronuntiavi omnia judicia oris tui."

> Offertory Hymn: Ave Maria (Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina)

Communion Verse: Ps. 77:29,30 "Manducaverunt, et saturati sunt nimis, et desiderium eorum attulit eis Dominus: non sunt fraudati a desiderio suo."

> **Communion Hymn:** Sicut Cervus (Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina) Adoramus Te, Christe (Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina)

Recessional Hymn: Thou, Whose Almighty Word (Worship II Hymnal, No. 279) Noon Angelus (Chant)

LATIN MASS PROPERS: QUINQUAGESIMA SUNDAY

INTROIT: Ps. 30. 3-4 Be Thou unto me a God, a protector, and a place of refuge to save me: for Thou art my strength and my refuge: and for Thy name's sake Thou wilt lead me, and nourish me. *Psalm* In Thee, O Lord, have I hoped, let me never be confounded: deliver me in Thy justice, and save me. *V.* Glory be to the Father. **COLLECT** We beseech Thee, O Lord, mercifully hear our prayers, that being loosed from the bonds of our sins, we may be defended by Thee against all adversity. Through our Lord.

EPISTLE: I Corinthians 13. 1-13 Brethren: If I speak with the tongues of men and of angels, and have not charity, I am become as sounding brass or a tinkling cymbal. And if I should have prophecy, and should know all mysteries, and all knowledge; and I should have all faith so that I could remove mountains, and have not charity, I am nothing. And if I should distribute all my goods to feed the poor, and if I should deliver my body to be burned and have not charity, it profiteth me nothing. Charity is patient, is kind; Charity envieth not, dealeth not perversely, is not puffed up, is not ambitious, seeketh not her own, is not provoked to anger, thinketh no evil, rejoiceth not in iniquity, but rejoiceth with the truth; beareth all things, believeth all things, hopeth all things, endureth all things. Charity never falleth away; whether prophecies shall be made void, or tongues shall cease, or knowledge shall be destroyed. For we know in part, and we prophesy in part. But when that which is perfect is come, that which is in part shall be done away. When I was a child, I spoke as a child, I understood as a child, I thought as a child. But when I became a man, I put away the things of a child. We see now through a glass in a dark manner; but then face to face. Now I know in part; but then I shall know even as I am known. And now there remain faith, hope and charity, these three; but the greatest of these is charity.

GRADUAL: Ps. 76. 15-16 Thou art the God that alone dost wonders: Thou hast made Thy power known among the nations. *V*. With Thy arm Thou hast delivered Thy people, the children of Israel and of Joseph. TRACT: Ps. 99. 1-2 Sing joyfully to God, all the earth: serve ye the Lord with gladness. *V*. Come before His presence with exceeding great joy: know ye that the Lord He is God. *V*. He made us, and not we ourselves: but we are His people and the sheep of His pasture.

GOSPEL: Luke 18. 31-43 **A**t that time Jesus took unto Him the twelve and said to them: Behold, we go up to Jerusalem, and all things shall be accomplished which were written by the Prophets concerning the Son of Man. For He shall be delivered to the Gentiles, and shall be mocked and scourged and spit upon: and after they have scourged Him, they will put Him to death, and the third day He shall rise again. And they understood none of these things, and this word was hid from them, and they understood not the things that were said. Now it came to pass, when He drew nigh to Jericho, that a certain blind man sat by the wayside, begging. And when he heard the multitude passing by, he asked what this meant. And they told him that Jesus of Nazareth was passing by. And he cried out, saying: Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me. And Jesus standing, commanded him to be brought unto Him. And when he was come near, He asked him, saying: What wilt thou that I do to thee? But he said: Lord, that I may see. And Jesus said unto him: Receive thy sight, thy faith hath made thee whole. And immediately he saw and followed Him, glorifying God. And all the people, when they saw it, gave praise to God.

OFFERTORY: Ps. 118. 12-13 Blessed art Thou, O Lord, teach me Thy justifications: with my lips I have pronounced all the judgments of Thy mouth.

SECRET May these sacrifices, we beseech Thee, O Lord, cleanse our offenses, and sanctify the bodies and minds of Thy servants for the celebration of this sacrifice. Through our Lord.

COMMUNION: Ps. 77. 29-30 They did eat and were filled exceedingly, and the Lord gave them their desire: they were not defrauded of that which they craved.

POSTCOMMUNION We beseech Thee, almighty God, that we who have received this heavenly nourishment, may be strengthened by it against all adversities. Through our Lord.

Calendar of Masses

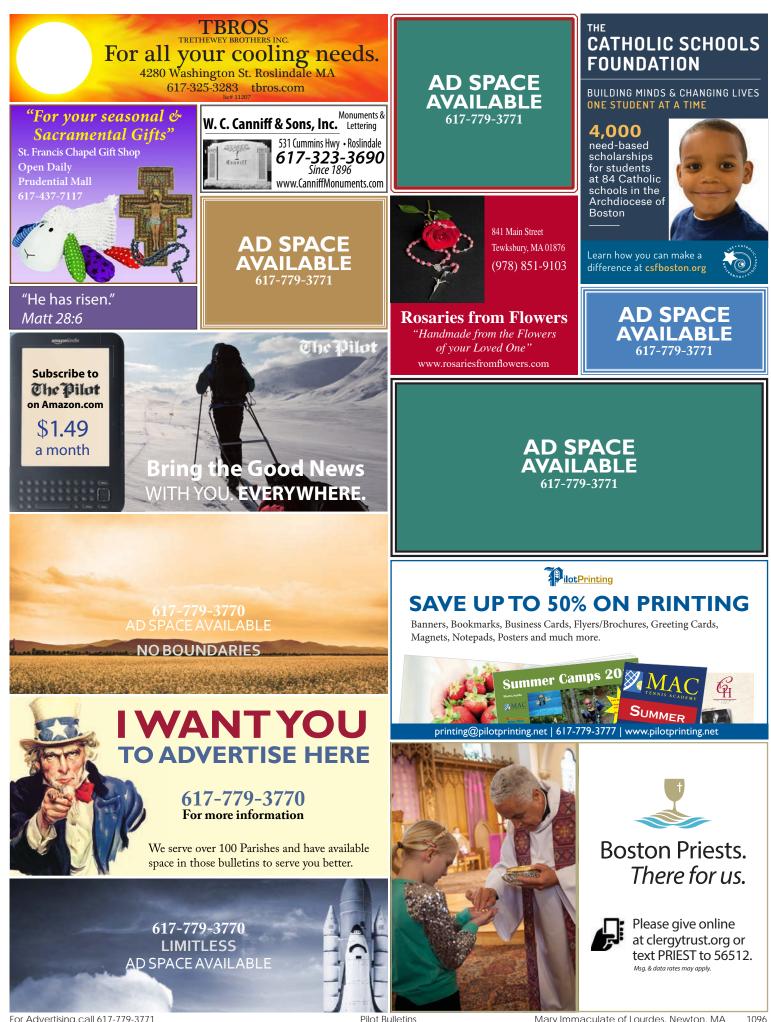
(Intention of the Mass—Special Remarks—Requested by)

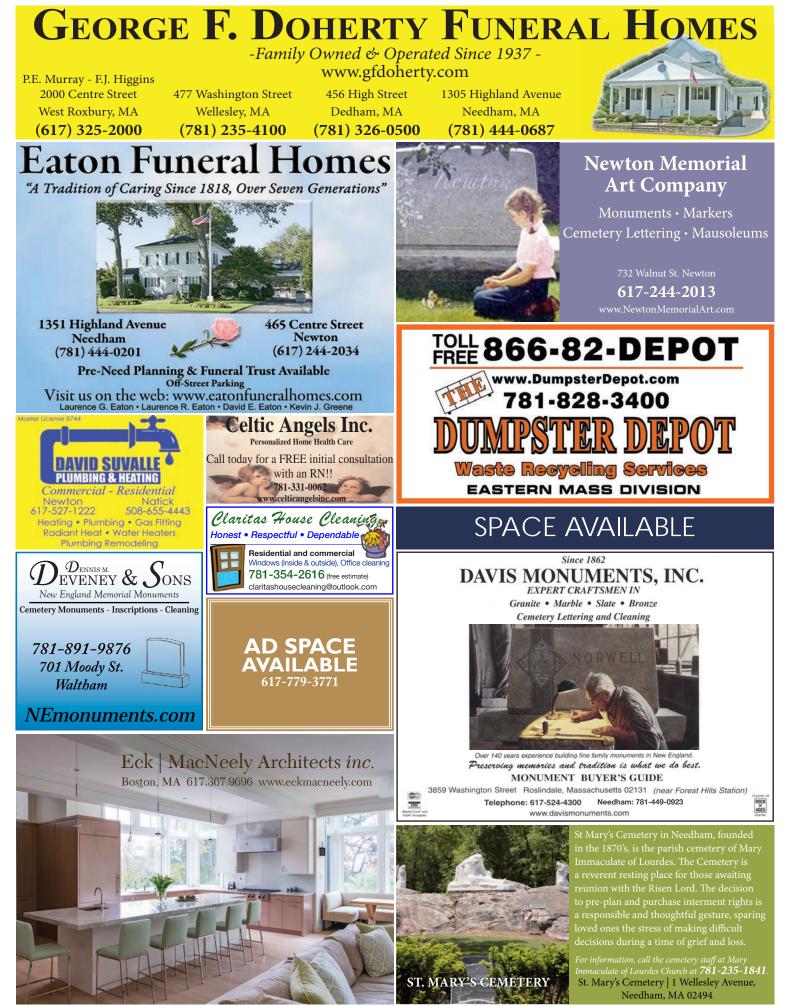
SUNDAY February 26th QUINQUA- GESIMA SUNDAY & THE EIGHTH OF THE YEAR	4:00 PM (Sat) 7:30 AM 9:00 AM 10:30 AM	Joyce Higgins Pro Populo Maria Emilia Gaviria Jeff & Kelly Bernard Fam. Arline Covalli Millicent Harvey Mary Elizabeth Hood Catherine Blake Barbara Nyhen Jerry Barbato Martha & Rod Phillips Agnes Szulborski Fr. Nelson Marilag Ernest & Pauline Nasif Intention of the Donor Patty Doyle	Memorial l6th Anniversary Special Intention Memorial Special Intention Health of the Sick Health of the Sick Memorial Special Intention Health of the Sick Memorial Memorial Memorial	Davulis Family Lázaro Peña Gaviria Paul & Annette White Laura Harvey Laura Harvey Anthony & Victoria Angelucci Kathy Blake Catherine Dinon Patti Strom Monahan Family Monahan Family Reynolds Family Paul Eldridge Denise Botsolis
MONDAY February 27th Feria/St. Gabriel of Our Lady of Sorrows	7:30 AM 12:30 PM	Purgatorial Society of Mary Immaculate of Lourdes Maria Centofanti	Memorial Special Intention	Susan Goeller
TUESDAY February 28th Feria WEDNESDAY March 1st ASH WEDNESDAY	7:30 AM 7:30 AM 12:30 PM 5:30 PM 7:30 PM	Walter & Kathleen Burke Intentions as applied by the Pastor	Memorial	Walter J. Burke
THURSDAY March 2nd Thursday after Ash	7:30 AM 5:30 PM	Josephine Sorrachi Arline Covalli	Special Intention Memorial	Provencher Family Catherine Dinon
FRIDAY March 3rd Friday after Ash Jirst Jriday	7:30 AM Health of the Sick 12:30 PM	Melvin John Stang Robert DaRosa	Memorial Health of the Sick	Thomas Mulhern Annie & Mike Procopio
SATURDAY March 4th Saturday after Ash Jfirst Saturday	9:00 AM	All Souls Monte Ferris, Jr. Robert Goeller Pro-Life	Memorial Special Intention	Susan Goeller Annie Procopio
	4:00 PM	Mary J. Kerr Penzo William J. Kerr	5th Anniversary 75th Anniversary	Tony Penzo

"Each Mass has an infinite, immense value that we can never fully understand." —St. John Marie Baptiste Vianney, Curé d'Ars

February 26th, A.D. 2017

017 Quinquagesima Sunday and the Eighth of the Year Mary Immaculate of Lourdes, Newton/Needham, Massachusetts





For Advertising call 617-779-3771

Mary Immaculate of Lourdes, Newton, MA 1096