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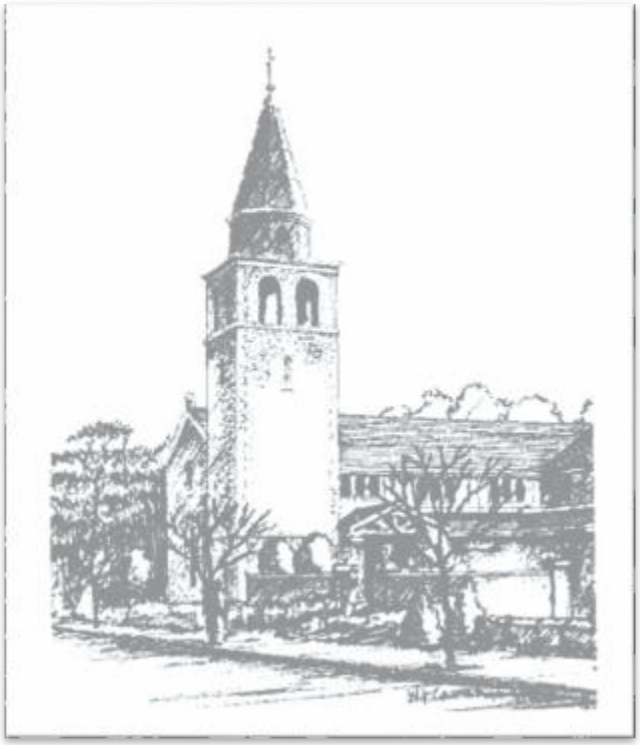

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Mrs. Julie Yenowskas, School Secretary
Mrs. Gina McCart, Director of Development and Admissions

Visiting Clergy
Fr. Charles Hughes
Senior Deacon Leo Martin

Mass Schedule

September- May Schedule
Saturday : 4:00 PM
Sunday: 7:30, 9:15, 11:30 AM & 5:00 PM
Daily: Wednesday-Saturday Mornings: 8:00 AM

Business/Tuition Office .....(781) 488-5444
Holy Days: As announced

Parish Offices.....(781) 488-5444
Parish FAX.....(781) 483-3375
School:.....(781) 483-3373
School FAX.....(781) 483-3097
Religious Education Office: .....(781) 483-1139

Development Office .....(781) 483-3554

website: www.saintraphaelparish.org

Confessions: Saturday: 3:00-3:45 PM or by request

Baptisms: One Sunday a month.
Please contact the Parish Office.

Weddings: By personal appointment with priest/deacon six months in advance of date sought. Marriage Preparation Course is required.

WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS
Please stop by and visit us at our
Parish Center located at:
514 High Street
Medford, MA 02155

Mission Statement

"Saint Raphael is a Catholic community committed, with God's grace, to living gospel values and sharing these with all people. As a Eucharistic people united in faith and worship, we affirm the gifts of the Spirit among us and celebrate the uniqueness of each of our members. Supporting one another in love, we strive to respect and use these diverse gifts in joyful service

MASS *Intentions*

Saturday, June 12, 2021
4:00 PM Richard Kacinski
3rd Anniversary

Sunday, June 13, 2021
8:00 AM
11:00 AM Alix Paul
Memorial

5:00 PM John O'Mahony
15th Anniversary

Wednesday, June 16, 2021
8:00 AM Mary Molinari
12th Anniversary

Thursday, June 17, 2021
8:00 AM Gaelle Pierre Louis
Memorial

Friday, June 18, 2021
8:00 AM Cavalieri & Busi Families
Memorial

Saturday, June 19 , 2021
8:00 AM Charles Rizzo
38th Anniversary

4:00 PM John Bova, Joseph & Lucy Santoro,
Rusty & Margaret Bova, &
Ann & Flo Carangelo
Memorial

Sunday, June 20, 2021
8:00 AM No Intentions
11:00 AM Happy Father's Day
5:00 PM

Kindly remember in your prayers the souls of:
Rita Phelan, Paul Nicewicz, Gino Petrivelli,
Msgr. Peter Hart & Fr. Vincent Piscitelli

CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATES:
Sincere congratulations to the eighth grade students who graduated this past Thursday evening. We salute you and extend our best wishes for your future!

Saint Raphael School Class of 2021

Marissa Aldebot
Genevieve Blot
Molly Corcoran
Mary Fallon
AJ Landry
Cathleen Lanergan
Grace Lawlor
Justin Marino
Anthony Messina
Joel Moura
Samantha Natale
Abby Royo
Stanley Sunwoo
Ryan Tarello
Lucas Toscano
Caitlin Conroy
Amaurys Cruz
Gioia DeFilippi
Isabella Eisenhauer
Asia Gaston
Owen Graham
Julia Hanratty
Bridget Heald
William Heald
Megan Matarese
Ryan McFadden
Coleman O'Neill
Shayla Polston
Ben Raftree

Father Paul

Gospel—Sunday, June 13

Mk 5: 21-42

When Jesus had crossed again in the boat to the other side, a large crowd gathered around him, and he stayed close to the sea. One of the synagogue officials, name Jairus, came forward. Seeing him he fell at his feet and pleaded earnestly with him, saying, “My daughter is at the point of death. Please, come lay your hands on her that she may get well and live.” He went off with him , and a large crowd followed him and pressed upon him.

There was a woman afflicted with hemorrhages for twelve years. She had suffered greatly at the hands of many doctors and had spent all that she had. Yet she was not helped but only grew worse. She had heard about Jesus and came up behind him in the crowd and touched his cloak. She said, “If I but touch his clothes, I shall be cured.” Immediately her flow of blood dried up. She felt in her body that she was healed of her affliction. Jesus, aware at once that power had gone out from him, turned around in the crowd and asked, “Who has touched my clothes?” But his disciples said to Jesus, “You see how the crowd is pressing upon you, and yet you ask, “Who touched me?” And he look around to see who had done it. The woman, realizing what had happened to her , approached in fear and trembling. She fell down before Jesus and told him the whole truth. He said to her, “Daughter, your faith has saved you. Go in peace and be cured of your affliction.”

While he was still speaking, people from the synagogue official’s house arrived and said, “Your daughter has died; why trouble the teacher any longer?” Disregarding the message that was reported, Jesus said to the synagogue official. “Do not be afraid”; just have faith.” He did not allow anyone to accompany him inside except Peter, James, and John, the brother of James. When they arrived at the house of the synagogue official, he caught sight of a commotion, people weeping and wailing loudly. So he went in and said to them, “Why this commotion and weeping? The child is not dead but asleep.” And they ridiculed him. Then he put them all out. He took along the child’s father and mother and those who were with him and entered the room where the child was. He took the child by the hand and said to her, “Talitha koum,” which means, “Little girl, I say to you, arise!” The girl, a child of twelve, arose immediately and walked around. At that they were utterly astounded. He gave strict orders that no one should know this and said that she should be given something to eat.

CALENDAR ITEMS

Friday, June 18—Last day of school

SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE

JUNE, JULY & AUGUST

Saturday: 4:00 PM
Sunday: 8:00 AM
11:00AM
5:00 PM

****Please note the elimination of the 9:15 Mass (which will return in September) and the time change for the Masses.**

Banns I Maria Corricelli & Vincenzo Cunsolo

Year of St. Joseph Pilgrimage

You are invited to travel to St. Joseph Shrine, Sterling, NJ on July 17, 2021 with Spiritual Chaplain Fr. Josemaria Barbin, FI. A Coach bus has been organized by the Legion of Mary, St. Joseph Church, Medford, through Catholic Footprints Pilgrimage. The bus will depart at 5:00 am from 2501 Mystic Valley Parkway, Medford and journey home at 5:00 pm arriving in Medford at 9:00 pm. The cost is $90.00 per person. Please brown bag your fare and refreshments. For more info, please call 781-391-1296 or email adoration24sj@comcast.net. Seating is limited.

Religious Education News and Notes

straphaelmedford@yahoo.com

A Firefighter's Prayer

"When I am called to duty, God,
whenever flames may rage,
give me the strength to save some life
whatever be its age.
Help me embrace a little child
before it is too late,
or save an older person from
the horrors of that fate.
Enable me to be alert and
hear the weakest shout,
and quickly and efficiently
to put the fire out.
I want to fill my calling and
to give the best in me,
to guard my every neighbor
and protect their property.
And if according to your will
I have to lose my life,
please bless me with your
protecting hand."

RELIGIOUS ED. Families:

Continue to finish-up the "grade" book by mid-June.. **Thank you all for your cooperation and support during the past year!!**

Registration forms for Fall 2021 will be mailed home—TH of next week. For planning purposes … please respond ASAP.

If your child is entering FIRST GRADE – please call for a form: 781-483-1139. Thanks!

NEW students are always WELCOME no matter what grade!!

Confirmation Registration: will be mailed out the week of the 21st. A reminder: Confirmation Program includes ALL parish high school students attending private or Catholic schools. It is the Parish that offers Confirmation Preparation NOT the school. Call: 781-483-139 for any questions. Thanks!

Confirmation Students:

Please call the Rel. Ed. Office: 781-483-1139 to schedule your **interview with Fr. Paul.** Thanks to all who have already completed this interview. ALL meetings are held in the COURTYARD outside the Main entrance to the Church.) Remember: meetings are 15 minutes – so if you get a ride – ask the driver to wait. Thank you all for your continued good work and positive "spirit".

Prayer Group: 2021

This group prays daily for ALL intentions listed in our Book of Prayer. Pray WITH us for our world community!!

Parishioners – please send your PRAYER REQUESTS to straphaelmedford@yahoo.com We will place them in the Book of Prayer for you.

Parish Offertory
June 6, 2021

Offertory:	**$.....7,601.50**
Online	**$.....3,378.21**
Total	**$.....10,979.71**
2nd Collection:	**$.....1,891.00**
(Brazil & India special collection)	
Grand Annual to date	**$.....110,671.53**

Thank you for your continued generosity!

Saint Raphael Senior Drop in Center Activities

Every Wednesday, the Saint Raphael Senior Center sponsors a Senior Chair Gentle Exercise Class at 10 AM and a Senior Yoga Class at 11:00 AM. Each class is $3.00 per person. For those taking both classes, a price break of $5.00 applies.
The first class will be on June 23, 2021.

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