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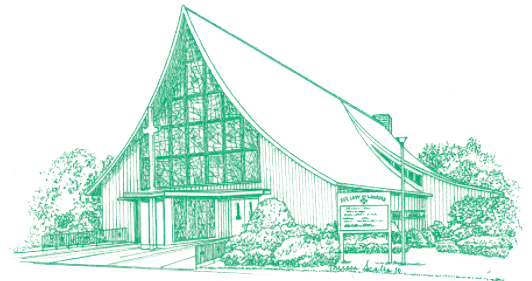
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PARISHES OF OUR LADY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil Masses

4:00 pm Our Lady of Loreto

5:15 pm Our Lady of Lourdes

3:30 pm - Confessions heard at both parishes

Sunday Lord's Day

7:30 am Our Lady of Lourdes

9:30 am Our Lady of Lourdes

10:30 am Our Lady of Loreto

Holy Day of Obligation

5:15 pm Vigil Our Lady of Loreto 8:00 am Our Lady of Lourdes

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

Mon., Tues., and Fri. at Loreto at 8:00 am

Mon. through Sat. at Lourdes at 8:00 am

NEW PARISHIONERS

We are happy to welcome new members to our parish family. Please introduce yourself after Mass. We invite you to stop at the parish office to register or to call the office and a form will be forwarded to you. Welcome!

ITS ALMOST HERE!!!

Join with us as Father Armeý celebrates a
Mass of Thanksgiving
to honor his 35 years of Priesthood and
his retirement

SUNDAY, JUNE 28, 2015

Mass at 10:30 AM

Father Armeý will concelebrate Mass with
Msgr. Stephen Pedone & Fr. James Caldarella

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Special Thanks to Kevin Mercadante for  
providing the Luncheon Buffet  
which will include baked ham, sandwiches,  
salads and pastries in the church hall

**11:30 AM—2:00 PM**

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Anyone wishing to bake may do so.

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Remember that you must be CORI  
checked if you are on the Planning  
Committee. Call Ginny Lelakis @508-792-2750  
for details.



*Happy Anniversary*

## **HAPPY FATHERS DAY**



*God our Father, we give you thanks and praise for fathers young and old.*

*We pray for young fathers, newly embracing their vocation; may they find courage and perseverance to balance work, family and faith in joy and sacrifice.*

*We pray for fathers around the world whose children are lost or suffering. May they know that the God of compassion walks with them in their sorrow.*

*We pray for men who are not fathers but still mentor and guide us with fatherly love and advice.*

*We remember fathers, grandfathers and great grandfathers who are no longer with us but who live forever in our memory and nourish us with their love. Amen.*

### **Our Lady of Loreto—Our Lady of Lourdes Collaboration**

As recently announced, Msgr. Pedone will be pastor of Our Lady of Loreto as of July 1, 2015 and Fr. O'Shea's retirement has been postponed until September 1, 2015 at which time an administrator will be assigned to Our Lady of Lourdes until January 1, 2016 when Fr. Brian O'Toole will become pastor. During this transition period, the bulletin for Our Lady of Loreto and Our Lady of Lourdes ("The Parishes of Our Lady") will continue to be shared until September 1, 2015. And the Religious Education program under the leadership of Joe Caforio will continue to serve the young people of Our Lady of Loreto and Our Lady of Lourdes for one more year. Be looking for Religious Education registration information for 2015-16, including 1st Communion, 1st Penance and Confirmation in upcoming bulletins.

### **Welcome Father James**

On Saturday, June 27 Our Lady of Loreto Parish will welcome Fr. James OSB from St. Benedict's Abbey in Still River, MA. Fr. James, a long-time friend of Fr. Armeý, will celebrate the 4 pm Mass

**Congratulations to Fedlert Alexis, Flavio Ribeiro, Robert Edouard and April Marsh who were confirmed by Bishop McManus at St. Paul's Cathedral on Sunday, June 7. May you be sustained by the seven-fold gifts of the Holy Spirit.**

### **LORETO'S ANNUAL PARTNERS IN CHARITY**

**APPEAL** We remain at \$28,620.00 from 122 donors.

**We have exceeded our goal of \$26,000 by 10%!!**

Thank you all for making this possible. There are, however, 20 or so families who did not receive a letter from the parish because a letter was sent to them directly from the chancery. If you have not contributed to this year's appeal and would like to do so before the campaign ends, please call the office. Thank you.

#### Loreto Financial Stewardship

For the week ending June 14, 2015

##### Income

|                     |            |
|---------------------|------------|
| Offertory           | \$2,123.00 |
| Maintenance         | 308.00     |
| Rental Income       | 250.00     |
| Religious Education | 62.00      |
| Donation            | 25.00      |
| Candles             | 12.00      |
| TOTAL               | \$2,780.00 |

Excluding monies restricted to specific needs, we paid the following bills with this week's deposit and from our reserve in the checking account:

##### Expenses

|                                       |            |
|---------------------------------------|------------|
| Lawn & Grounds (May)                  | \$1,275.00 |
| Clergy Benefit Plan (Partial Payment) | 1,000.00   |
| Salaries & Wages                      | 354.00     |
| Organists                             | 250.00     |
| Church/Rectory/Center Supplies        | 220.65     |
| Catholic Communications               | 143.00     |
| TOTAL                                 | \$3,242.65 |

*"The greatest honor we can give Almighty God is to live gladly because of the knowledge of his love."*

Julian of Norwich

## TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Readings for the Week of June 21, 2015

Sunday: Jb 38:1, 8-11/2 Cor 5:14-17/Mk 4:35-41

Monday: Gn 12:1-9/Mt 7:1-5

Tuesday: Gn 13:2, 5-18/Mt 7:6, 12-14

Wednesday: Vigil: Jer 1:4-10/1 Pt 1:8-12/Lk 1:5-17

Day: Is 49:1-6/Acts 13:22-26/Lk 1:57-66, 80

Thursday: Gn 16:1-12, 15-16 or 16:6b-12, 15-16/Mt 7:21-29

Friday: Gn 17:1, 9-10, 15-22/Mt 8:1-4

Saturday: Gn 18:1-15/Mt 8:5-17

Next Sunday: Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24/2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15/Mk 5:21-43 or 5:21-24, 35b-43

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### WEEKLY HYMNS AT LOURDES

June 21—Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

#844—Faith of Our Fathers (ST. CATHERINE) (S)

#857—Love Divine, All Loves Excelling (HYFRYDOL)

(2nd Reading; 2 Corinthians 5:17)

#868—I Am the Vine (S)

#985—Now Thank We All Our God (NUN DANKET) (S)

Mass of Creation:

#378—Holy, Holy, Holy

#379—Memorial Acclamation A

#380—Great Amen

#381—Lamb of God

### Fortnight for Freedom

Bishop McManus has announced that the Diocese of Worcester, along with Catholics throughout the country, will observe the fourth annual *Fortnight for Freedom* from June 21 through July 4. *Fortnight for Freedom* is a fourteen day period of prayer, education, and action to address the many current and grave challenges to our religious liberty. Bishop McManus invites us to join him on Friday, June 26 at 7 pm for a special Mass at St. Paul's Cathedral. A light reception with a presentation on this year's theme "Freedom to Bear Witness" will follow Mass downstairs in the Cenacle. The presenter is Sister Constance Veit, I.s.p.. Sister is director of communications for the Little Sisters of the Poor. Since refreshments are involved, we ask that you inform Fr. Arney, Deacon Paul or Fr. O'Shea of your intention to attend, so that reservations can be made.



### Rest in Peace

*We, the parish communities of Our Lady of Lourdes and Our Lady of Loreto extend our deepest sympathy to the family and friends of Michelle O'Connor. May God grant her peace forever and bring comfort to her family and friends.*

Pope Francis says...



In an interview with "La Voz del Pueblo," an Argentinian newspaper, Pope Francis covered a wide variety of topics. He never dreamed of being pope "nor of being president of the republic or general of an army." He sleeps well, going to bed at 9 and reading until about 10. He wakes up at 4 am without an alarm, but then needs a nap of 40 minutes to an hour. When he skips the nap, he feels it. The only newspaper the pope reads is the Italian daily "La Repubblica," a newspaper for the middle class. "I haven't watched television since 1990. It was a promise I made to Our Lady of Carmel on July 15, 1990. He talked about the "gift of tears." Dramatic human situations make him cry. "Like the other day when I saw what is happening to the Rohingya people (from Myanmar) who have piled onto boats seeking asylum. When they get close to shore, they are given something to eat, some water, then pushed back out to sea. Thousands of them have been on the seas for weeks." Sick children also bring the pope to tears, "especially those suffering from diseases provoked by inattention to the environment. This breaks my heart." Visiting juvenile detention centers and prisons also is emotional. Asked if he was afraid of anything, Pope Francis said: "I am fairly fearless; I act without thinking about the consequences. Sometimes this creates headaches because I'll say more than I should."

SHARING OUR BOUNTY, donated by Trader Joe's, continues every Sunday from 10:30 – 11:30 am downstairs in Our Lady of Lourdes church hall. Volunteers and donations are welcome. Only one bag of food per customer; NO EARLIER than 10:30 am

### Mark Your Calendar

Mon., June 22—10 am—4 pm—UMass Care Mobile @ Loreto  
3:00 pm—Prayer Group @ Loreto Mary House  
Tues., June 23—7:00 pm—Knights of Columbus @ Loreto

### LOURDES WEEKLY COLLECTION

Weekly Need \$ 4,250.00

For 6/13& 6/14 Offertory \$ 2,036.00

41 week average Offertory \$ 3,424.44

Maintenance Collection \$641.

Thank You!!

**JUNE 21, 2015**

**June 18, 2015**

**My dear brothers and sisters in Christ,**

*“This is how all will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.” (John 13:35)*

**Each year the Catholic Church invites parishioners to participate in the Peter’s Pence Collection in order to be “witnesses of charity” to our brothers and sisters around the world. Gifts to this annual collection help our Holy Father, Pope Francis, to support victims of war and natural disasters and others most in need of assistance.**

**In many places around the globe, the Catholic Church struggles to be a visible sign of Christ’s peace: in poor dioceses where many depend on the worldwide Church for social and pastoral support; in regions where Catholics are persecuted and must be helped discretely; and in nations overloaded with refugees or victims of various conflicts and natural disasters.**

**Pope Francis reminds us that true power lies not in amassing possessions and resources for ourselves but in giving. “We must never forget that true power, at any level, is service, whose bright summit is upon the Cross . . . it means entering the logic of Jesus who kneels to wash the Apostles’ feet,” he said. Your contributions to the Peter’s Pence Collection are tangible examples of Christ’s loving service by giving support to those in need.**

**I invite you to heed our Holy Father’s call to be a witness of charity throughout the world. Please be generous in the Peter’s Pence Collection to be taken up at all Masses on the weekend of June 28. In addition to your donations, your continued prayers and outreach will help spread the message of the love of Christ to those in need.**

**With every prayerful best wish, I remain**

**Sincerely yours in Christ,**

**Most Reverend Robert J. McManus  
Bishop of Worcester**

JUNE 21, 2015



# Mass Intentions for the Week

**SATURDAY, JUNE 20, 2015**

8:00 am—**Lourdes**—*Morning Mass*  
4:00 pm—**Loreto**—*Living & Deceased Parishioners*  
5:15 pm—**Lourdes**—*Father's Day Intentions*

**TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**JUNE 21, 2015**

7:30 am – **Lourdes** *Father's Day Intentions*  
9:30 am – **Lourdes** – *Father's Day Intentions*  
10:30 am – **Loreto** – *William Duke By Son, Steven And  
Margaret Doyle*

**MONDAY, JUNE 22, 2015**

ST. PAULINUS OF NOLA

STS. JOHN FISHER & THOMAS MORE

8:00 am –**Loreto**—*Evelyn Hadlow And Irene Hull*  
8:00 am –**Lourdes**—*John Kris By Zigmas & Juanna Dabrila*

**TUESDAY, JUNE 23, 2015**

8:00 am – **Loreto**—*William J. Jacobs And  
Terese Juskiene By Bill & Brone Visniauskas*  
8:00 am – **Lourdes**—*Souls in Purgatory*

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24, 2015**

THE NAVITY OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

8:00 am – **Lourdes**—*John Kris By Valentinas & Rita Simulis*

**THURSDAY, JUNE 25, 2015**

8:00 am—**Lourdes**—*Joseph Bianculli By  
The McDonald's Group*

**FRIDAY, JUNE 26, 2015**

8:00 am—**Loreto**—*Mary Kenific And Dorothea Lynch*  
8:00 am—**Lourdes**—*Mass for the People of Our Lady of  
Lourdes*

**SATURDAY, JUNE 27, 2015**

ST. CYRIL OF ALEXANDRIA

8:00 am—**Lourdes**—*John Kris By Valentinas & Rita Simulis*  
4:00 pm—**Loreto**—*Living & Deceased Parishioners*  
5:15 pm—**Lourdes**—*Lord's Day Mass*

**THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**JUNE 28, 2015**

7:30 am – **Lourdes** *Mass for the People of Our Lady of  
Lourdes*  
9:30 am – **Lourdes**—*Deceased Members of the Simkus  
Family By Family*  
10:30 am – **Loreto** – *Helen Lane, Mary J. Ross &  
Deceased Members of the Arme Family*

Members of the family requesting the Mass are asked to bring the gifts of bread and wine to the altar. Please make yourselves known to the Hospitality Ministers and position yourselves when it is convenient to join the Offertory Procession.



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