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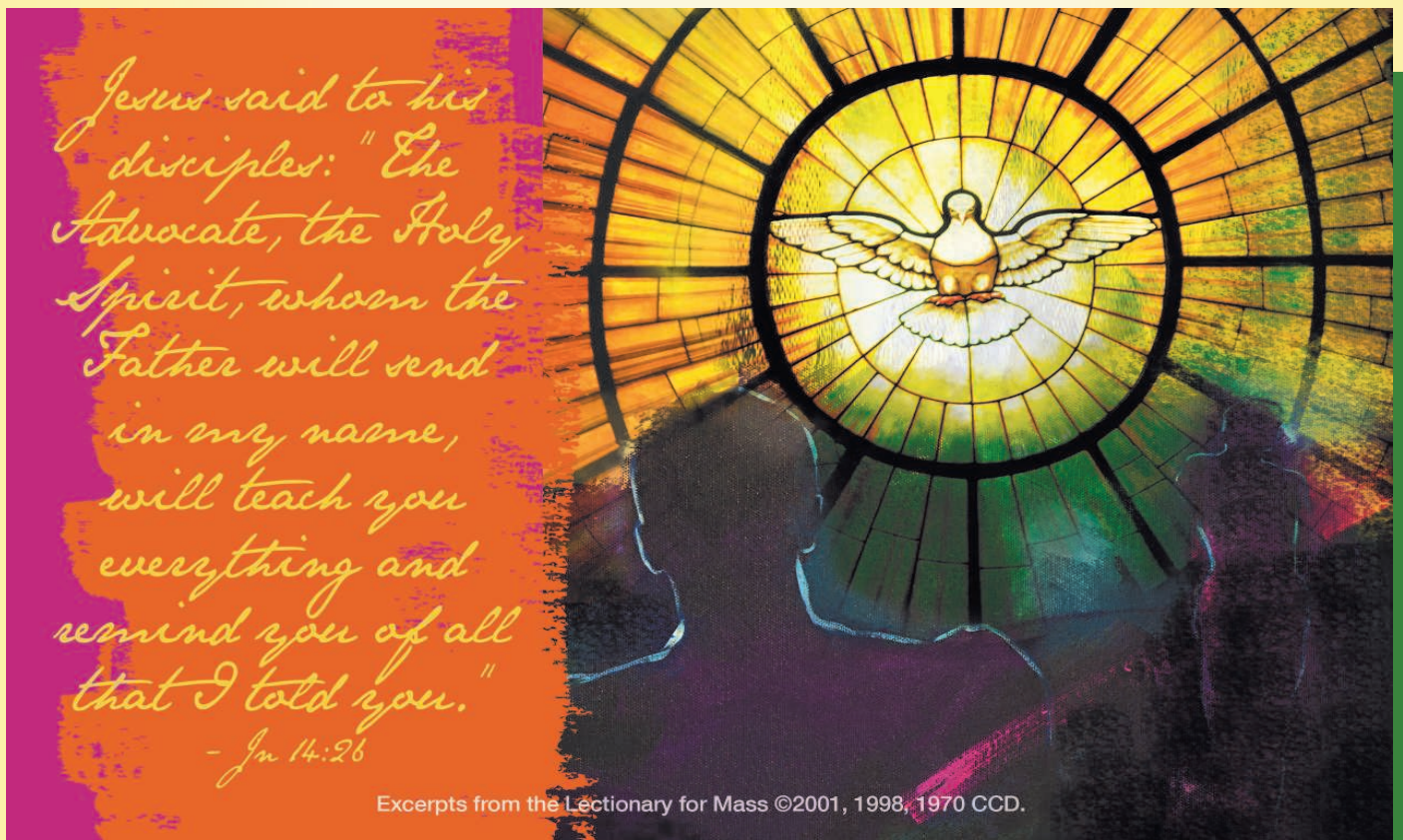
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WE WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!

Please introduce yourself to Fr. John and register at St. Mary's or Our Lady's
We want to get to know you and hope you become part of our community.

Confessions

Saturday, 3-3:30 pm at St. Mary's or by appointment.

Faith Formation

We share the Generations of Faith program-
for more information, call Donna DiGregorio at 781-284-5252

Sacrament of Baptism

Our Lady's: Second Sunday of the month at 2:30 pm.
St. Mary's: Third Sunday of the month at 12:30 pm.
Prep for Parents and Godparents- the previous Saturday at 11
am. Register three weeks in advance.

Care of the Sick

Please let us know of parishioners who are sick or in the hospital, that we may pray for, and when possible, visit them.
Anyone who is unable to celebrate Mass with us in church is urged to let us know, that we might bring them Communion at home. Please call us!

Sacrament of Marriage

Couples considering marriage must contact Fr. John at least six months in advance. Participation in a marriage prep program is mandatory.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, Sept 29 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time
9 AM

4 PM St. Mary Roy Buckellew by Marie Buckellew
Robert Scannelli 1st Ann by Wife & Children

Sunday, Sept 30

8 AM Our Lady Michael & James O'Connor

9:30 AM St. Mary Salvatore Alexander Castiello
(1st Ann) by family

11 AM Our Lady All the people in the parish

Monday, Oct 1 St. Therese of the Child Jesus

9 AM

Thursday, Oct 4 St. Francis of Assisi

9 AM

Friday, Oct 5

9 AM

Saturday, Oct 6 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9 AM

4 PM St. Mary Memorial Society
Tom Ridge by family
Barbara Mahoney (Month's Mind) by family
Bob Morse by wife and family

Sunday, Oct 7

8 AM Our Lady Dorothy Cruciolo
& Joseph Malachowski

9:30 AM St. Mary Memorial Society
Anita Travella by loving daughter & family
Harry Sargent by family

11 AM Our Lady For all the people of the parish

12:30 PM Our Lady

Get your stuff together!

**Our Lady of Grace St. Vincent de Paul:
WE'RE BACK!!!**

Winter, Spring, Summer or Fall-
we'll be happy to take all your clothes!

Pick up at OLG

Saturday 10/13 8 am- 3 pm

Sunday 10/14 8 am- 1 pm

Thank you!

MEMORIAL SOCIETY

John McGrath, Josephine Curcio, Charlie Perullo,
Fannie & John Cammarata, Betty & Michael Mercurio,
Mary & Benny Abbene, Nicholas DiMauro, Alice Fucci,
Adolfo & Adelina Cillo, Michael & Inez DeFronzo,
Jack Caprio, Ronald Piasecki, Carmella Bocelli,
David Lania, Emilio Federico

FROM BISHOP O'CONNELL

On Tuesday, Oct. 16 at 7 pm, St. Theresa Parish in No. Reading will be holding a **Rosary for Healing and Protection** to pray for victims of abuse including those abused by clergy. This event is in collaboration the Archdiocesan Office of Pastoral Support & Child Protection.

Bishop O'Connell will also have Q&A sessions. He is open and willing to discuss the current climate and issues in the Church. At these events, he will first listen to anything you need or want to say to him as a bishop about the crisis, and then he will answer questions about the crisis or the Church.

We get our analysis about so many issues too often from the wrong places. Our society is so antagonistic that the loudest voices are often the most extreme. Bishop O'Connell has a lot of experience dealing with these issues. Your comments, concerns and anger will help inform him for future important meetings. He values your questions and concerns and hopes that you can come.

Sessions that are scheduled are:

Tuesday, Oct. 9, 6:30 to 8 pm
at Immaculate Conception Parish, Everett.

Sunday, Oct. 28, 3 to 4:30 pm
at St. Theresa Parish, North Reading.

PLEASE JOIN US

*Please join us on **Thursday evening, Oct. 25 at 7 pm**
at **St. Mary's** for an evening of prayer and discussion to help us
all walk through our emotions and thoughts in these difficult days
with Vivian Soper, director of the Archdiocesan office
for the Protection of Children.*

*Let's continue to pray that the Church will listen and act humbly
to help ease the pain of those who are hurting.
Mary, Queen of Peace, pray for us.*

St. Mary's Coffee Hour

Thank you to Lillian and Linda for hosting last week's Coffee Hour. This week's will be hosted by Linda DeAngelo. If you're interested in hosting, please call the rectory at 781-284-5252!

STEWARDSHIP

COLLECTIONS

Our Lady of Grace

This week's Second Collection:
Our Brothers and Sisters in L'Asile, Haiti

St. Mary of the Assumption

Last week: **Offertory: \$1,663 Fuel & Maint: \$1,219**
Attendance: 339

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Holy Name 2nd Sundays at 10:30 am at St. Mary's Hall

Boy Scouts Tuesdays 6 pm at Our Lady's Hall

Narcotics Anon Wednesdays 7pm at Our Lady's Hall

My Brother's Table Fourth Wednesdays, 4 pm

St. Vincent de Paul Thursdays, 10 am St. Mary's Hall

Women's Club 1st Thursdays at 7 pm St. Mary's Hall

St. Mary's Bingo Fridays, 6:45 pm St. Mary's Hall

Alcoholics Anon Saturdays 10 am Our Lady's Hall

Blessing of the Animals

Join us **Saturday, Oct. 6th at 11 am** outside St. Mary's Church for the Blessing of the Animals!

Bring your cats, dogs, birds, fish (in water), hippopotamuses, stuffed animals, what-have-you, and we'll ask God's blessing on them!

*Please note: Fr. John will **not** perform exorcisms on cats.*

PRAYER REQUESTS

Gerry Foster	Beth Ann Fisher	Barbara Heinle
Linda DeCicco	Larry Heise	Anne Ciampa
Paula Zattoni	Elizabeth Raneli	Anne Cerere
George Daus	Dorothy Irons	Kevin D'Amelio
Kathy Irons	John Carroll	Bob Bourque
Ann McCarthy	Nathan DeRoache	Barbara Ostler
Virginia Resca	Diane Janvrin	Debbie Curcuro
Sheila Laliberte	Linda Carafa	Andres Frias
George Ostler, Sr.	Marie Ienello	

A New Opportunity!

Morning Star Catholic Collaborative Book Club

Rejoice and be Glad!

Gaudete et Exsultate

Please join us for four weeks

as we break open Pope Francis's latest Apostolic Exhortation, *Rejoice and be Glad*.

Through small faith sharing groups, discussion and focus questions, we will explore and deepen our faith from the teachings of our Holy Father.

You can register after Mass or call the rectory, (617-884-0030 or 781-284-5252).

We're asking a \$5 offering for the book.

Join us Monday evenings, 7- 8:30 pm,

at Our Lady of Grace (lower church)

Oct. 22nd, 29th, Nov. 5th & 19th.

For more info, see Linda DeCristoforo

In the Interest of Safety

I believe that children's voices are meant to be heard and welcomed, and in that light and for safety, the quiet room in the back of St. Mary's Church will remain open only for the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Other than that, the door will be locked.

If you have any questions, please ask me.

-Fr. John

Altar Servers!

We're looking for boys and girls, 4th grade and up, to serve at the Masses at Our Lady's and St. Mary's!

Watch this space!

"Start by doing what is necessary, then do what is possible, and suddenly you are doing the impossible."

-St. Francis of Assisi

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THE GLOBALIZATION OF THE TECHNOCRATIC PARADIGM

It is important to be aware that science and technology are not neutral, from the beginning to the end of a process, various intentions and possibilities are in play, and can take on distinct shapes.

Nobody is suggesting a return to the Stone Age, but we do need to slow down and look at reality in a different way, to appropriate the positive and sustainable progress which has been made, but also to recover the values and the great goals swept away by our unrestrained delusions of grandeur. #114

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