

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, August 27 th ,	5:00 PM	Birthday Remembrance – Raymond Colonero
Sunday, August 28 th ,	10:00 AM	Anniversary – Thomas & Irene Landry
Monday, August 29 th ,	9:00 AM	In Memory – Bernard & Bridget Kelly
Tuesday, August 30 th ,	9:00 AM	In Memory – Cathy Hare & Family
Wednesday, August 31 st ,	9:00 AM	In Memory – Karen Vendetti
Thursday, September 1 st ,	9:00 AM	In Memory – Augustus Friel
Saturday, September 3 rd ,	9:00 AM	In Memory – Rev. Thomas H. Driscoll
	5:00 PM	In Memory – Dr. Francis Burke
Sunday, September 4 th ,	10:00 AM	Special Intention – Members of the Military

St. Veronica Chapel

Saturday, August 27 th ,	4:00 PM	In Memory – Tina St. Onge, Mary Watershouse & Ruth Nash
Sunday, August 28 th ,	7:30 AM	In Memory – Jesse , Carmella & Louie
	9:00 AM	3 rd Anniversary – Robert Cawley
	11:00 AM	In Memory – James & Elizabeth Creighton
	8:00 PM	11 th Anniversary – Frank Gallashaw
Tuesday, August 30 th ,	8:00 AM	In Memory – G. Edward Martin
Thursday, September 1 st ,	8:00 AM	In Memory – Mary Beth Holland
Friday, September 2 nd ,	8:00 AM	Pro Populo
Saturday, September 3 rd ,	4:00 PM	Anniversary – Raymond “Bud” Pariseault
Sunday, September 4 th ,	9:00 AM	Birthday Remembrance – Robert Menard
	11:00 AM	Anniversary – Leo Sheridan
	8:00 PM	5 th Anniversary–LanceCorp. Eric P. Valdepeñas,USMC



*"What profit would there be for one to gain the whole world and forfeit his life? Or what can one give in exchange for his life? For the Son of Man will come with his angels in his Father's glory, and then he will repay everyone according to his conduct.
" -Mt 16:26-27*

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Each Saturday at 7:30 A.M. in the Parish Hall, Men's Prayer Group meets to reflect on Sunday scriptures. All men are welcome.

DR-ORPHANAGE MISSION MEETING

The next meeting is this Tuesday, August 30th - 6PM at St. Thomas More Parish Hall, This meeting is for those who are going on our mission trip to the orphanage. Please bring a parent or guardian with you.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!

Fr. Jeremy Rodrigues will be at Thomas More on Tuesday, September 6th from 6:30-7:30PM to speak on *"The Coming Changes in Translations at Mass"*. The new edition of the Roman Missal will begin being used the First Sunday of Advent in English speaking world. Come and hear the why's and reasons for the update!!

DINNER & DANCING!!



St. Thomas More *"Irish Night"* – Amalfi at the Village Inn, on Thursday, October 6th. The cost is \$25.00p/p and includes hors d'oeuvres, buffet dinner, dancing, live entertainment by the *"Irish Rogues"*. A fantastic evening for all!! Tickets will go on sale in September.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION



Registration forms are available at the Church Entrances, the Parish Office or on our website at www.stthomasmoreri.org. The registration fee is \$25.00 per child or a maximum of \$75.00 per family. Please bring forms to the Parish Office as soon as possible. For more information, please call Missie Antone at 783-2113.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

We are pleased to announce that **Children's Liturgy of the Word** will begin soon. It is



during the 11AM Mass at St. Veronica Chapel. Children ages 4-10 are invited to participate. Parents and teens are needed for this special ministry!! Please call Missie Antone at 782-2113.

ALTAR SERVER APPRECIATION MASS

The Diocese of Providence will be hosting the 2nd annual Altar Server Appreciation Mass on Saturday, October 1st - 10:00AM at the Cathedral of SS. Peter & Paul, Providence. Refreshments to follow. Please call Jan at 212-9171 by September 15th.

FOOD COLLECTION

Next weekend is our monthly Food Collection. Items needed are: juice boxes, cans of juice, cereal, cookies, crackers, peanut butter, jelly and packages of cheese slices, coffee, pasta, pasta sauce, spaghetti, baked beans, soups, canned fruit, canned meats/tuna fish, personal hygiene products, diapers, dish & laundry detergent and gift certificates. Please deposit items in the bins located at the Church entrances.



A special "Thank You" to all those who cooked and served the recent "mercy meal" following a funeral for a parish family - your time and efforts are a great sign of God's love for the grieving!

RCIA

(Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)
Full reception into the Catholic Church - Baptism, Holy Eucharist and Confirmation
If you are an adult, not baptized, or are interested in becoming a full member of the Catholic Church, then RCIA is for you. If you are interested, or know someone who might be interested, call Fr. Taillon or Fr. Fisette at 789-7682.

Wedding Banns

- III Richard Audette, Jr. & Meagan Carey
- II David McDonough & Jennifer Warner
- I Ronald Dunn & Nancy Fogarty
- I Earle Sharpe & Brenna Rheinberger
- I G. Michael Amante & Amy Johnson
- I Christopher Schelsa & Melanie Jordan

Welcome to the Newly Baptized:

Joseph McDonough Cichon
son of Christopher & Karen

Lillian Estelle Jenks
daughter of Randall & Alicia

Taylor Crafton White
daughter of Neal & Julie

Congratulations!!

9/11 - 10TH ANNIVERSARY MASS

All are invited to the Cathedral of SS. Peter and Paul on Sunday, September 11, 2011 at 1:00 PM as we remember those we lost on 9-11-2001, ten years ago, and honor those who still serve and protect us in Police, Fire and Military positions. Come and pray for those who perished and for their families and pray for the protection of those who still risk their lives for the safety and security of us all. May God Bless America and those who serve. For more information please contact, Fr. Robert Marciano, FrMarciano@aol.com.

AUGUST 28, 2011

This and That....

Thanks to all who helped make our blood drive such a blessing and success! The RI Blood Center reported that a total of 23 donors each were accepted to give a pint of blood. Since one pint can save up to three lives that means 69 people personally benefited from the drive. Summer is especially difficult for the blood center to collect so it is especially appreciated.

Our all day confessions was an amazing grace-filled day! Literally hundreds came to receive the Lord's mercy, some after many years away from the sacraments. Thanks to Frs. Fiset, Nixon and Msgr. Halloran for assisting and serving throughout the day. Our *In His Presence* holy hour was also well-attended. Thank you to our music ministry and the Beaudreau family for providing our Eucharistic miracle displays and to seminarian Brian Bennett for providing day-long hospitality.

On a more mundane note the new gutters were installed this past week on St. Thomas More Church. This is the last piece (outside of bit a landscaping and signage) that the church needs to complete our restoration. Apparently, it is quite providential that the gutters are put in as remnants of Irene are forecast for a visit this weekend.

On October 1st our parish will be sponsoring a local 5K road race "Run for the Orphans" here in Narragansett. This race will hopefully raise a great amount of funds to help our special needs orphans in the Dominican Republic. We will be looking for some volunteers for this Saturday morning event as well as providing opportunities for sponsorship, not to mention some runners and walkers.

Thanks to all who donated to our special second collection last weekend for the mission. The collection netted a total of \$7,572.00. As we prepare to serve the children on Thanksgiving week we would be grateful for your prayers for us and for the children.

We are less than 100 days from the update to the Roman Missal taking effect. Please make every effort on Tuesday, September 6 at 6:30pm at St. Thomas More to attend a presentation by Fr. Jeremy Rodrigues about the context, reasons and beauty as well as the process of how this all has come to be.

Blessings in Christ Jesus!

Fr. Taillon