

*The Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*



**SAINT JOSEPH CHURCH & SAINT PATRICK CHURCH**

***BURRILLVILLE, RI***

**July 12, 2020**

## PASTOR'S PAGE



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

The parable of the Sower is a rich teaching by the Lord that helps us to reflect on how we are receiving the Word of God. The Word of God is to be planted in our whole being. With the Word of God planted we become more and more like Christ. Our thoughts, actions and words are transformed as we practice the life of virtue.

The Lord reminds us, as well, that there are moments when we do not allow the Word of God to take root in our whole being. Let us become more aware of those influences in our lives, spiritual or material, that distract us from the Word of God taking root in our lives. Let us leave those distractions at the Altar of the Lord and ask the Holy Spirit to root us in the Word made flesh, Jesus Christ. He is our Savior, Redeemer and friend. Let us recognize the blessings we have in knowing the Lord.

As the state enters into another phase of reopening, let us not be overwhelmed with fear or anxiety. The Scripture is filled with the greeting: "Do not be afraid". When we face fear, worry, stress or anxiety in any circumstance of our lives, let these words comfort and strengthen us as we persevere in faith, hope and charity.

Thank you all for your continued financial support to both parishes during this pandemic. The generosity of the members of any parish community is the source of income for the operating account of each parish. To meet all the financial responsibilities of each parish we rely on your generosity. Thank you for giving. If you are unable to attend Mass for whatever reason and would still like to make your financial gift, you can sign up for online giving by visiting either website and click on ParishGiving tab. You can also mail in your donation to either church. You can also drop your envelopes at either rectory by placing them in the mail slot of the rectory door. Thank you again for your continue financial support and prayers as we navigate through this pandemic.

We have been able to accomplish many projects at both parish locations and cemetery over the last few

months. The next big project for each church building is to address water damage from leaks in the roof. These are big projects for both communities. Your continued generosity is much appreciated as the Trustees and Financial Councils make arrangements to accomplish these tasks.

May the Lord continue to pour out His blessings upon us. Let us give thanks to God for His many gifts. May the Blessed Virgin Mary intercede for us and our families.

First Communion has been reschedule for August 9th. Please keep our Second Grade children and their families in prayer as they prepare to receive First Holy communion.

Sincerely in Christ,  
Father Scott

**5 FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS** - Requested by Our Lady of Fatima, 5 First Saturday Devotions (8-10 am) are being held at Saint Joseph & Saint Patrick — to include Confession, Mass, Adoration, recitation of the Holy Rosary, meditation and Benediction. The remaining schedule for devotions is as follows: August 1<sup>st</sup> – St. Patrick – September 5<sup>th</sup> – St. Joseph – October 3<sup>rd</sup> – St. Patrick and November 7<sup>th</sup> – St. Joseph.

### **SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

MON Is 1:10-17; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23;  
Mt 10:34 - 11:1  
TUE Is 7:1-9; Ps 48:2-3a, 3b-4, 5-6, 7-8;  
Mt 11:20-24  
WED Is 10:5-7, 13b-16; Ps 94:5-6, 7-8, 9-10,  
14-15; Mt 11:25-27  
THU Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19; Ps 102:13-14ab and  
15, 16-18, 19-21; Mt 11:28-30  
FRI Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8; Is 38:10, 11,  
12abcd, 16; Mt 12:1-8  
SAT Mi 2:1-5; Ps 10:1-2, 3-4, 7-8, 14;  
Mt 12:14-21  
SUN Wis 12:13,b 16-19; Ps 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-16;  
Rom 8:26-27; Mt 13:24-43 or 13:24-30

**TIME/TALENT/TREASURE** – “The one who has faith in me will do the works I do, and far greater than these,” Jesus tells his disciples. That’s quite an assignment for us as Christian stewards!

**ST. JOSEPH CHURCH**



The **MISSION** of the parish communities of Saint Joseph and Saint Patrick is to "Go into the whole world and proclaim the gospel."

Our **VISION**: As a Catholic faith community, we invite all to experience the saving grace

of Jesus Christ. We strive to grow and sustain by offering ministries that meet and nurture the Sacramental, spiritual, material and emotional needs of our greater community.

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**July 11** Vigil Mass;  
**Sat 4:00** 15<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Intention of the Priest

**July 12** 15<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
**Sun 8:00** In Memory of Emile Guilbault  
(Birthday Remembrance)  
by his Family

**Jul 13** St. Henry  
**Mon 8:00** Intention of the Priest

**Jul 15** St. Bonaventure, Bishop and  
**Wed 8:00** Doctor of the Church  
Intention of the Priest

**Jul 18** Vigil Mass;  
**Sat 4:00** 16<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Intention of the Priest

**Jul 19** 16<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
**Sun 8:00** In Memory of Herb McCombs  
(24<sup>th</sup> Anniversary) &  
Jim Murphy (5<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)  
by their Family

**SANCTUARY/TABERNACLE LAMP**  
will burn this week in loving memory of **Jim Murphy** (5<sup>th</sup> Anniversary), by his Wife and Family.



**FINANCIAL UPDATE**

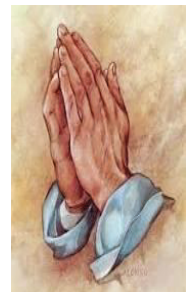
	06/28/20	07/05/20
Regular Collection	\$1,464.00	\$2,169.00
Mail-Ins	\$1,256.00	\$444.00
Monthly Collection	\$52.00	\$607.25
Fuel	\$42.00	\$20.00
Mass Stipends	\$	\$75.00
Donation	\$	\$25.00
Holy Day – Ascension	\$	\$15.00
Electronic Giving	\$167.60	\$282.37
Total Operating	\$2,981.60	\$3,637.62
Mission Co-Op Appeal		\$16.00
Peter’s Pence		\$16.00
Easter for CCA		\$20.00
Communications Camp.		\$10.00
Rice Bowl		\$10.00

Each week, our parish requires a **minimum Total Operating Revenue of \$3,850.00** to meet our budgeted expenses. If you miss Mass for any reason, we kindly ask you to make up your missed budget envelopes. Thank you for your generosity.

**UPCOMING SECOND/SPECIAL COLLECTIONS**

Aug 2	Peter’s Pence
Aug 9	Monthly Parish Collection
Aug 15/16	Mission Co-Op Appeal

**PRAYER MINISTRY** - Would you like to join the “prayer warriors”? Do you know someone who could use a special prayer? Or, would you like someone to pray for you? If so, please call Pauline at 401-568-5644.





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**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Jul 12 15<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**Sun 10:00 Intention of the Priest**

**Jul 14 St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin**  
**Tue 8:30 In Memory of**  
**Br. Shawn McEnany, S.C.**  
 (3<sup>rd</sup> Anniversary)  
 by Dennis & Elaine Auger

**Jul 16 Our Lady of Mount Carmel**  
**Thu 8:30 Intention of the Priest**

**Jul 19 16<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**Sun 10:00 In Memory of Sandra Houle**  
 by Jennifer Hilton

**SANCTUARY/TABERNACLE**

**LAMP** will burn this week in loving memory of **ROBERT LEVEILLEE** (Birthday Remembrance) by Kenneth & Cora Bostic.



*Thank you to all the generous donors who support St. Patrick's Food Pantry, especially during the pandemic. Your donations help provide food and necessary household items to the less fortunate in our community.*

*Currently, between 35 and 60 families receive help through this important community program. We sincerely thank you for remembering the Food Pantry!*

**FINANCIAL UPDATE**

	06/28/20	07/05/20
Regular Collection	\$916.00	\$1,651.00
Mail-Ins	\$965.00	\$
Monthly Collection	\$43.87	\$387.65
Mass Stipends	\$30.00	\$
Donation	\$	\$25,000.00
Electronic Giving	\$105.79	\$251.79
Father's Day		\$5.00
Total Operating	\$2,060.66	\$27,295.44
Food Pantry Donations		\$9,265.00
Communications Camp.		\$5.00
Cemetery Donation		\$7,000.00

Each week, our parish requires a minimum Total Operating Revenue of \$2,820.00 to meet our budgeted expenses. If you miss Mass for any reason, we kindly ask you to make up your missed budget envelopes. Thank you for your generosity.

**UPCOMING SECOND/SPECIAL COLLECTIONS**

Aug 2	Peter's Pence
Aug 9	Building & Maintenance Fund
Aug 15/16	Mission Co-Op Appeal

**St. Patrick's Cemetery – Pre-Arrangement**

The numerous decisions that must be made following the death of a loved one can prove burdensome, especially in planning a funeral and burial in a short span of time. Please consider pre-arrangement to ease the burden in the midst of grief.

The following is a current price list of cemetery plots:

Single Grave	\$ 950.00
2 Burial Plots	1,700.00
3 Burial Plots	2,500.00
4 Burial Plots	3,300.00

For further information regarding the purchase of cemetery burial plots, please call the inter-parish office at 568-2411. Office hours are Monday through Thursday from 9:00 to 3:00.

**MASS & CONFESSION SCHEDULE AT AREA CHURCHES**

CHURCH	MASS	CONFESSIONS
<b><u>ST. JOSEPH</u></b> 183 Sayles Avenue, Pascoag (401) 568-2411 (Interparish Office) <a href="http://www.stjosephri.org">www.stjosephri.org</a> <a href="https://youtu.be/vjbsQcG027E">https://youtu.be/vjbsQcG027E</a>	Saturday 4:00 pm Sunday 8:00 am Monday, Wednesday 8:00 am Holy Days/First Friday/First Saturday see bulletin for days, times, locations	Saturday 3:15 pm – 3:45 pm or by appointment
<b><u>ST. PATRICK</u></b> 45 Harrisville Main Street, Harrisville (401) 568-2411 (Interparish Office) <a href="http://www.stpatrickri.org">www.stpatrickri.org</a> <a href="https://youtu.be/vjbsQcG027E">https://youtu.be/vjbsQcG027E</a>	Sunday 10:00 am Tuesday, Thursday 8:30 am Holy Days/First Friday/First Saturday see bulletin	By appointment
<b><u>ST. EUGENE</u></b> 1251 Putnam Pike, Chepachet (401) 568-5102 <a href="http://www.steugeneschurch.com">www.steugeneschurch.com</a>	Saturday 4:00 pm Sunday 8:00 am and 10:15 am Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, & Friday, 7:30 am Holy Days – see bulletin <u>Prayer Service and Rosary</u> Thursday 6:30 pm	Saturday 3:15 pm – 3:45 pm or by appointment
<b><u>OUR LADY OF GOOD HELP</u></b> 1063 Victory Highway, Mapleville (401) 568-5272  AND  <b><u>ST. THERESA SHRINE</u></b> 35 Dion Drive, Nasonville (401) 568-8280  <a href="http://www.burrillvillecatholic.org">www.burrillvillecatholic.org</a>	<u>Church:</u> Sunday 8:00 am AND 10:00 am  <u>Shrine:</u> Saturday 4:30 pm Sunday 11:30 am (thru 8/30/20) OUTDOOR ALTAR (weather permitting) Monday-Thursday 8:30 am	<u>Shrine:</u> Saturday 3:30 pm – 4:15 pm
<b><u>ST. PHILIP</u></b> 622 PutnamPike, Greenville (401) 949-1500 <a href="http://www.saintphilip.com">www.saintphilip.com</a>	Saturday 4:00 pm Sunday 8 am 9:30 am 11:30 am 6 pm Monday-Saturday 8:00 am Holy Days – Vigil 5:30 pm Holy Day 8:00 am 12 noon 7:00 pm	Saturday 8:30 am -9:00 am and 3:00 pm -3:45 pm First Friday of the Month 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
<b><u>ST. JOSEPH</u></b> 151 Danielson Pike, North Scituate (401) 647-2255 <a href="http://www.saintjosephchurch.net">www.saintjosephchurch.net</a>	Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 8 am 9:30 am 11:00 am and 5 pm (Labor Day to Easter) Monday-Friday 8:30 am	Saturday 4:00 pm -4:45 pm or by appointment
<b><u>ST. PAUL THE APOSTLE</u></b> 116 Danielson Pike #A, Foster (401) 647-3664 <a href="http://www.stpaulsfoster.org">www.stpaulsfoster.org</a>	Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 8:00 am 10:00 am Mon, Wed, & Fri 9:00 am Holy Days 8:00 am 10:00 am	Saturday 4:00 pm – 4:30 pm or by appointment
<b><u>ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST</u></b> 63 Church Street, Slatersville (401) 762-0946 <a href="http://www.stjohntheevangelistweconnect.com">www.stjohntheevangelistweconnect.com</a>	Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 8:00 am 10:30 am Mon, Tue, Wed, Fri 9:00 am Thursday 7:00 pm Saturday 8:30 am	

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