

October 8, 2017 *Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time*

WEEKLY OFFERTORY



October 1, 2017 \$5,279.73

October 2, 2016 \$6,584.30

Saturday October 7 Vigil Mass
4:00pm **Raymond D’Arcangelo** req. by the family “14th Anniv.”

Sunday October 8 Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00am **Carolyn Mueller** req. by Franziska Manuel
10:00am **Laraine Leveillee** req. by the family

Monday October 9 Columbus Day
7:00am **No Mass Intention**

Tuesday October 10
7:00am **No Mass Intention**
11:00am **Mass at Cook Willow**

Wednesday October 11
7:00am **Catherine Thomas** req. by the Nicholson Family

Thursday October 12
7:00am **A Special Intention**

Saturday October 14 Vigil Mass
4:00pm **Gerald Grohoski** req. by Mary & Justin Moore

Sunday October 15 Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00am **Vincent Cammarata** req. by M/M Murray
10:00am **Elizabeth Reynolds** req. by the Parish Faith Gardeners

Thank you for your spiritual and financial commitment of our Parish.



Extraordinary Ministers Oct. 14/15

4:00pm: Jean Beck & Sue Chiovitti
8:00am: Emile & Marian Drillon
10:00am: Maryanne Marticello & Breia Pinette

Lectors Oct. 14/15

4:00pm: Barbara Grenier
8:00am: Marie Noonan
10:00am: Barbara Huber

SCRIPTURAL READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Is 5:1-7, Phil 4:6-9, Mt 21:33-43
Monday: Jon 1:1-2:2, 11/Lk 10:25-37
Tuesday: Jon 3:1-10, Lk 10:38-42
Wednesday: Jon 4:1-11, Lk 11:1-4
Thursday: Mal 3:13-20b, Lk 11:5-13
Saturday: Jl 4:12-21, Lk 11:27-28

WEEKLY CALENDAR

SUN. October 8
 NO Religious Education
 Legion of Mary Enrichment
 Table

TUES. October 10
6:30pm Legion of Mary Mtg.

WED. October 11
7:30pm Knights of Columbus Mtg.

THURS. October 12
6:30pm Cub Scout Mtg.

2018 MASS BOOK IS AVAILABLE

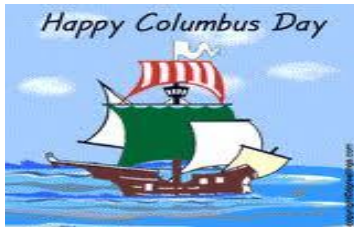
Please call the Parish Center **Mon. – Thurs. 9:00am – 2:00pm** to arrange any Masses you would like celebrated in 2018. The Mass offerings are:
Weekday: \$15.00, Weekends & Holy Days: \$20.00.

A Message from the Legion of Mary

The Legion will have The Spiritual Enrichment Table set up in the vestibule after all masses **this weekend**. Religious and inspirational articles such as rosaries, prayer cards, miraculous medals and books will be available for the taking. All items on the table are free and have been blessed. Please stop by and select something to take along with you after mass.

St. Maximilian Kolbe Parish Picnic Report

The St. Maximilian Kolbe Parish Picnic Committee would like to extend a very warm “thank you” to the many volunteers and attendees who participated in the 2017 Parish Picnic. The total income from the sale of food wristbands, raffle tickets, Straw Booth, basket raffles, and cash donations was \$13,312.31. From this total income we paid \$5,643.14 in total expenses; specifically food, advertising, tent, entertainment, raffle prizes and miscellaneous expenses. Thanks to the combined effort of all three churches, our final total Picnic and Raffle profit was \$7,669.17. Thank you to all for making our first annual St. Maximilian Kolbe Parish Picnic a great success! We are looking forward to the next Parish Picnic in September 2018!



Please Note: In observance of Columbus Day, Monday, October 9th the Parish Center will be closed.

It has been brought to our attention that mail is being left in the old parish office mailbox. Please **DO NOT** leave anything in the mailbox. Our office is located in the lower level of the former school now. Thank you.



Please remember those men and women who are serving.....God, keep special watch over these men and women serving in the Navy, National Guard, Marine Corps., Air Force, Army, & Coast Guard.

Emergency Collection

Our hearts and prayers go out to the families that have lost loved ones and to all who have lost homes and businesses along with their sense of peace and normalcy due to hurricane Irma. The Archdiocese of Hartford, along with archdioceses across the country, will take up an Emergency Collection **next weekend**. Thank you for your generosity and prayers.



There will be Blood Pressure **Screenings next Sunday after Mass.**

Sponsored by our Parish Nurse Program.

Nurse Scheduled:

8:00am: Diane Ryan & 10am: Mary Ann Hyres.

DO YOU LIKE TO KNIT OR CROCHET?

Calling all people who like to knit or crochet? Please consider joining St. Casimir's prayer shawl group. They will be meeting on **Monday, October 9th at 7:00pm in St. Casimir Church basement.** All yarn and patterns will be provided. Come join our outreach ministry. For more information please call Dorine Tennant at 860-584-5303.



Do you have a concern that causes you sadness that you wish to have lifted up in prayer? Do you have a joy that warms your heart and you want to have lifted up in prayer? Then contact the Saint Thomas Prayer Line. Allow your Church family to assist in the most powerful way we can, through Prayer. You can email your request to: prayerline@stthomasthomaston.org.



Discover why St. Paul Catholic High School has become the choice for more and more families for a truly great Catholic education experience! If you or someone you know has a prospective 6, 7, or 8th grade student, visit us at one of our Open Houses:

Saturday, October 14 at 10:00am

Saturday, November 4 at 10:00am

Tours of our building, meeting our faculty and visiting our family are all part of our open houses. **WELCOME HOME!** Pre-registration is suggested, but not required.

To pre-register please

visit www.spchs.com/openhouse. Also, on

Saturday, November 18, 2017 we will hold our Placement Exam for prospective 9th and 10th grade students. Visit our website for more information

@ www.spchs.com/admissions



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10th ANNUAL CONNECTICUT CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE

October 21, 2017!

The *10th Annual Connecticut Catholic Men's Conference* will be held at St. Paul Catholic High School in Bristol, CT. This year looks to be better than ever. We're calling all men of the parish to join us for a day of dynamic speakers, deep spirituality, incredible worship, and great food, fellowship, and fun!

The **ticket price is \$45** and includes lunch. Don't miss out on this wonderful event for Catholic men from all over Connecticut! **Tickets will be on sale this weekend also on October 14th. in the Vestibule after Mass.**

Women's Guild Polish Supper

The Women's Guild will host a Polish Supper on **Saturday, October 21, 2017 at 5:00 p.m. at the Lyceum**. The menu includes: chicken soup, golabki (stuffed cabbage), kielbasa & sauerkraut, cheese pierogi, mashed potatoes, green beans, dessert, coffee, and soft drinks. Ticket prices are: \$15 (ages 13+); \$5 (ages 6-12); children (ages 5 & under) are free. Tickets go on sale September 27th at the Parish Center, Beacon Pharmacy and Polsmak. Seating is limited to 200. **Tickets are also available at St. Thomas Parish Center Mon. – Thurs. 9am – 2pm.**

Workshop for Polish Supper: A pierogi-making workshop is being held on Sunday, Oct. 15th at the Lyceum, beginning at 8am, and on Friday, Oct. 20th, a golabki (stuffed cabbage) workshop will be held at the Lyceum at 8am in preparation for the Polish Supper.

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