

ST. MARY'S PARISH

Corner of Main & Summer Streets, Shrewsbury, Mass. 01545 • Website: www.stmarysparish.org

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Mass

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 pm.

Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:00 am, 11:00 am
& 5:30 pm.

Weekdays & Saturday: 8:30 am.

Holy Days: 8:30 am., 12:00 pm. & 7:00 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:30–4:00 pm.; anytime by appointment

Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesday: 6:00–9:00 pm, Church

Friday: 9:00–1:00 pm, Pastoral Ctr. Chapel

PARISH STAFF

Rev. Msgr. Michael F. Rose, *Pastor*

Rev. Juan Escudero, *Parochial Vicar*

Philip E. Devine, *Deacon*

Jeannie MacDonough, *Principal*

Gina Kuruvilla, *Director of*

Religious Education & Youth Ministry

Kathy Canfield, *Gr. K–4 Rel. Ed. Coord.*

Laura Osborne, *Gr. 5–8 Rel. Ed. Coord.*

Richard Vacca, *Director of Liturgical Music*

Viola Jefferson, *Parish Nurse*

Juan David Parra, *Seminarian Intern*

CONTACT US

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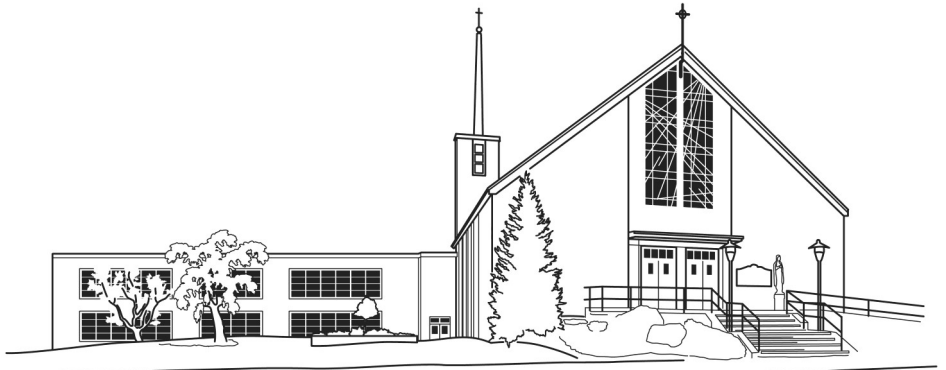
Religious Ed. Office508-925-7801

Youth Ministry508-925-7801

Parish Health Ministry508-925-7647

Our Parish Mission

We, the people of St. Mary's, strive to be a community united with God, dedicated to continuing growth in knowledge and faith, giving witness to Christ through love, worship, education, and service. So that we may fulfill this mission and integrate spirituality with life, we shall reach out to all peoples within and beyond our faith community.



NEW PARISHIONERS: We are always happy to welcome new people into our parish family. Please contact the Pastoral Center to register or for more information.

BAPTISMS: Baptisms at St. Mary are held on the first and third Sundays of the month at 12:30 PM. Parents may also schedule to have their child baptized during one of the Sunday Masses. A preparation session for parents preparing for the baptism of their first child is held on the second Monday of the month in the Pastoral Center. Call the Pastoral Center for more information.

MARRIAGES: The policy for the Diocese of Worcester requires a period of one year preparation for the Sacrament of Marriage, which includes sessions with the parish priest and participation at either the pre-cana conferences or the Engaged Encounter weekend. Contact one of the priests for arrangements.

PASTORAL CARE: Arrangements for the reception of the Sacraments for homebound parishioners can be made by contacting the Pastoral Center. Please also notify the Pastoral Center when a parishioner is in the hospital or otherwise confined. Emergency sick calls at anytime.

PASTORAL COUNCIL

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Susan Zybert 508-842-7554

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Finance: Maria Lemieux..... 508-845-8732

Respect Life: Kurt Brenner..... 508-842-0322

Seniors Jet Set: Evelyn Baroni..... 508-845-3511

Social Justice: Gina Kuruvilla..... 508-925-7801

Outreach: Mary Daly..... 508-845-6819

Stewardship: Kelly Paulina 508-845-8557

ST. MARY'S SHREWSBURY

MASS INTENTIONS

| Date | Time | Intention |
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| Saturday, June 9 | 8:30 pm | † Katherine Nash 1st Anniversary by the family |
| | 4:30 pm | † Ann and Al Warfield By the family |
| Sunday, June 10 | 7:30 am | † Peter Margelony By the family |
| | 9:00 am | † Sophie Williams 21st Anniversary by the family |
| | 11:00 am | † Augusto Trigo By the Trigo family |
| | 5:30 | † Gasper "Gus" Olivieri 10th Anniversary by the family |
| Monday, June 11 | 8:30 am | † Martin and Jean Keaveney By St. Mary Parish |
| Tuesday, June 12 | 8:30 am | † Beth Johnson By Joan Barry |
| Wed., June 13 | 8:30 pm | † Pam Cawley By St. Mary Parish |
| Thursday, June 14 | 8:30 am | † Mike and Mark Campaniello By Ursula Arello |
| Friday, June 15 | 8:30 am | † Daniel Collins By the family |
| Saturday, June 16 | 8:30 am | † Henry Sullivan By the Sullivan family |
| | 4:30 pm | † Mr. Edwin B. Coghlin, Sr. By the family |
| Sunday, June 17 | 7:30 am | † Paul O'Dell Jr. By Mom and Dad and family |
| | 9:00 am | † Jose & Theresa Fernandez, Manny Chaves, Alipio Martins, Hilda Corriea, Armando Sousa, Filomena Sousa, Paul Dirth, Ruth Foley, Pam Cawley, Carol Singh By Joe and Elisa Sousa |
| | 11:00 am | † Rev. Joseph and Robert Carey † Frances G. Carey By the family |
| | 5:30 pm | † Frank Gravlin By Gayle, Glenn, Linda & Jane |



PRAY FOR . . .

Repose of the souls of Christensen Agnant and Ryan Holmes; for PD, in hospital, to recover; a smooth transition to new housing for a family; improved health and wellness for Robert; Michael S. living with Parkinson's disease; Robin's cancer regimen to be helpful; G's employment quest; safe travel for Joseph, hauling his worldly goods to a new job in CA; Joe, for a full recovery after open heart surgery; full healing for a woman going through chemotherapy; Hannah C. a young woman just diagnosed with Leukemia, for full healing; CY for inner strength and peace of mind, and that she may continue to grow in her relationship with Jesus Christ; an older couple facing illness, for hope courage and peace; Doug; MKC's health and discernment; two special intentions; Keenan Hart; CO's health; full healing of Judy's knee; and peace around the world especially in Korea.

Continued prayers for: Tim; Ethan; Spenser; Shayna; all those seeking employment; LS; Christine; E's pregnancy; John; two women; Sarah's and Elizabeth's pregnancies; Cindy; Paul; Matt; Jeff; Lois; Ian; Jamie; L.; Jennifer; Janice; Karen; Lori; three Moms; Esther; Ted; Susan; M.; Noah; John; Valerie; Susan and John; Nancy G.; Rick; FE; Kevin; Ron; Rebecca; Beverly; Jack; Martin; Donna; Allison; Dean; Susan; Nancy; AP; Chrissy; Julia; Maddie; Chico; DP; Wayne; and Neil.

Thanksgiving for: sacred work; the 32nd annual Optimism Walk benefiting research and programs for the Massachusetts Chapter of the American Parkinson Disease Association; Kim's skills; Melissa's aid; God's Little Children's Preschool contribution to Fisher House in Boston; Ann's improved health; garden produce; Lisa's presence; and all answered prayers.

Prayer Line: Tracy at 508-450-0137 or Susan at 508-479-4667 or susanbk@townisp.com



Rest in Peace

Robert Murray



IN THE HOSPITAL

CARE FOR THE HOMEBOUND AND HOSPITALIZED

Each week Msgr. Mike and Fr. Juan go to the Worcester hospitals to visit St. Mary's parishioners. Depending on how patients are admitted into the hospital, we do not always have an accurate list. Please call the Pastoral Center (508-845-6341) if a family member or a neighbor who lives alone has been hospitalized so that we may visit them.

Liturgical Ministry Schedule June 16-17


| Date | Lector | Eucharistic Minister | Server | Sacristan |
|-----------------|--------------|---|---|-------------|
| Saturday 4:30pm | B. Van Atten | M/M Nelligan, M. Damico, H. Reynolds, K. Van Atten, C. Engdahl, S. Goodwin | C. Jarry, J. Karam, E. Siciliano N. Podlipec | L. Nelligan |
| Sunday 7:30am | P. Caouette | M. Lemoine, M/M Holland, P. Caouette, T. Keegan, M. Gulino, R. Mungovan | P. Hastings, R. Brenner | M. Gulino |
| Sunday 9:00am | S. Landry | J. Barry, F. St. Pierre, M. Coghlin, P. Pennucci, S. Landry | N. Daley, A. Harasim, A. Kerekon B. Kerekon | B. Godek |
| Sunday 11:00am | M. Page | J. McDonald, D. Malo, E. Korpi, S. Howard, J. Sousa, J.M. Carey, E. Baroni J. McAdam | J. Malo, E. Arsenault, M. Flores M. Johnson | J.M. Carey |
| Sunday 5:30pm | A. Eda | M.L. Nevins, G. Joubert, A.M. Blute, J. Srnka, S. Blanco, N. Duquette | N. Srnka, A. Pisano-Stratton E. Chillo, S. Damle | |

Congratulations!

CONGRATULATIONS FR. JUAN ESCUDERO

Bishop Robert McManus has named Fr. Juan Escudero, our Associate Pastor for the past three years, the new Administrator (“Pastor”) of St. Denis Parish in Douglas effective on July 1, 2018. He will succeed Fr. Ernie Allega who will be retiring.

While we are proud and happy for Fr. Juan who has been entrusted with the pastoral care of the people of St. Denis, we will surely miss him here at St. Mary’s. Grateful for all he has been to us and all he has done for this parish community, we invite you to join us for a FAREWELL RECEPTION for FR. JUAN on Sunday, June 17th from 12:00 – 2:00 pm.



Sunday, June 10
3:00 Girl Scouts-Hall

Monday, June 11
9:15 Weight Training-Large Meeting Room
6:30 Webelos Den 9-Hall
7:00 Baptism Class-Mary’s Room
7:00 Boy Scout Troop Meeting-St. Luke

Tuesday, June 12
6:00 Eucharistic Adoration-Church
7:00 PRAE-Large Meeting Room


Wednesday, June 13
4:15 Children’s Choir- Church
6:30 Cub Scout Den 9-St. John
7:00 Parish Pastoral Council-Large Meeting Room

Thursday, June 14
9:15 Weight Training-Large Meeting Room
6:30 Gentle Yoga-Large Meeting Room
7:00 Boy Scouts-Hall
7:00 Pure In Heart-Mary’s Room/Chapel

Friday, June 15
9:00 Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament-Chapel
2:30 Mass at Shrewsbury Nursing Home
6:00 Girl Scouts-Gathering Space


Saturday, June 16
10:00 Westpoint Hail & Farewell-Hall/Gathering Space

Sunday, June 17
9:00 Children’s Choir
11:00 Fr. Juan’s Farewell Reception-Hall/Gathering Space
12:30 Baptisms-Church




**Franciscan Mission Service
Propagation of the Faith Mission Appeal
2018**

This weekend we welcome, Sam Hardwick Development Associate and former St. Mary Parishioner, who will speak at all the Masses and share about his experience doing service and Franciscan Mission Service’s work internationally and in the United States. FMS relies on the prayers and financial support of U.S. Church communities to serve communities in Latin America, South America and here in the United States. In anticipation of their visit, Franciscan Mission Service invites parishioners to reflect on Pope Francis’ words from *Evangelii Gaudium*: “Every Christian is challenged, here and now, to be actively engaged in evangelization; indeed, anyone who has truly experienced God’s saving love does not need much time or lengthy training to go out and proclaim that love.” How might you be called to be engaged in evangelization? Some give by going on mission, and some go by giving—both prayers and donations. To find out more, visit www.franciscanmissionservice.org and look for Sam after Mass on June 9th and 10th . A second collection will be taken up at all of the Masses on June 9 & 10.



MARY’S FLOWERS
The flowers adorning the statue of our Blessed Mother are in Memory of

Gasper “Gus” Olivieri
In Honor of his 10th Anniversary
Donated lovingly by the family



**PARTNERS IN CHARITY
CONGRATULATIONS & THANKS**

The Partners in Charity Appeal will continue through the summer months in the hopes that all the parishes will help reach the diocesan goal of \$5 million. If you have not had the opportunity to make your gift of pledge this year, please take one of the envelopes on the window sills or go online to www.Partners-Charity.net.

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| St. Mary’s Goal | \$180,500 |
| Amount Collected/Pledged | \$202,096 |
| Number of gifts | 473 |

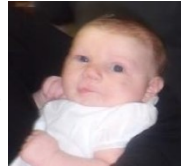
Dear Father Mike,

Once again, you have remembered the Marie Anne Center in your charitable giving program. This year your check arrived as we are planning our Summer Recreation Program. It will be put to good use in July. We are truly grateful to you and to your parish. You are helping us in our work with neighborhood children. Please convey my gratitude to your parish community.

We are so dependent on the generosity of others to continue our ministry. May God bless you and your parish for your generosity toward our people.

Sincerely and gratefully,
Sister Michele Jacques, SSA
Director

**Happy Birthday
Spiritually Adopted Baby!**



Congratulations, I am here-71/2 pounds and 20 inches long! As you know though, my birth was not the beginning of my life. My life began nine months ago when my parents contributed the genetic materials to form this unique human being. At that miraculous moment I also received my soul from God, making me an immortal being. God's plan for me is to live my life on earth then join Him in my heavenly home forever. Thank you on behalf of all the babies and their mothers for your loving prayers that helped to bring us to birth "so that they might have life and have it to the full!" John 10:10

MARCH FOR LIFE

The Massachusetts March for Life is on Father's Day, June 17, 2018! Help raise money for pregnancy help groups! Let the public and legislature know that 1.4 million babies have died in Massachusetts since Roe v Wade! And celebrate a pro-life Fathers' Day!
Where: Boston Common, Rally begins at 1:00 PM, March starts at 2:30 PM. For more information : www.masscitizensforlife.org or 617-242-4199



After the Masses on Father's Day, June 17th, the Respect Life Committee will be having a candy bar sale. The Hebert bars are milk, dark, and white chocolate - 1.00 each. The proceeds will go to help our ministry. Contact Kurt Brenner for more information at 508-842-0322.

St. Mary's Jet Set



Our next trip will be to the Lakes Region Summer Music Theater to see Show Boat with lunch at the Hart's Turkey Farm. Choice of Roast Turkey, Sirloin of Beef, or Baked Haddock. The date is July 19th and the cost is \$91. Reservations must be made by June 29th. Call Evelyn at 508-845-3511.



The Prayer Shawl Ministry of St. Mary Parish offers you a source of comfort and God's love. If you or someone you know would like to receive a shawl, please contact Deborah at 508-842-8653 and she will make arrangements to deliver a "hug from God."

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

"Everything indeed is for you, so that the grace bestowed in abundance on more and more people may cause the thanksgiving to overflow for the glory of God." Learn what graces God bestows on your marriage by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Weekends are Sep 15-16, 2018 in Medway, MA and Dec 7-9, 2018 in Duxbury, MA. For more information, call Stephen & Michelle O'Leary at 800-710-9963 or visit them at <https://wwmema.org/>.

**Job Opening –
Office Manager
Saint Mary School,
Shrewsbury, MA**



Saint Mary School has a current opening available for an organized and proactive individual. The responsibilities of this position include:

- * Basic office tasks such as answering phone calls, greeting visitors, maintaining office inventory, making bank deposits, filing documents and paperwork, etc.
- * Bookkeeping tasks including Payroll, A/R, A/P, and monthly reconciliations.
- * Updating confidential student reports.
- * Providing monthly and annual financial reports.
- * Supporting the school administrators as requested throughout the year.

The ideal candidate will have a working knowledge of Microsoft Office (including MS Access, Word & Excel) and previous experience with accounting software (QuickBooks preferred). Additionally this position requires excellent communication skills, the ability to multi-task and attention to detail.

Hours are Monday through Friday, 24 hours per week during the school year and 2 days per week during the summer.

Interested applicants, should submit a cover letter and current resume to Mrs. Jeannie MacDonough, Principal, St. Mary School, 16 Summer Street, Shrewsbury, MA 01545 or Jeannie.macdonough@stmarysparish.org by June 13th.



**Saint Mary School
2018 - 2019 School Year**

Saint Mary School is now accepting applications for our Preschool, Kindergarten, and Grade 1 through 8 classrooms for the 2018 – 2019 school year.

Schedule a tour to see how Saint Mary School is making a difference for our students, our community and our world as you witness our commitment to faith, academic excellence and authentic examples of service.

Our After-School Program is available for Kindergarten through Grade 8 students from 2:30 – 5:30 pm. Saint Mary School welcomes students and families from all faiths and ethnic backgrounds.

For more information, please contact our Admissions Director, Cheryl Dolan at Cheryl.Dolan@stmarysparish.org or 508 842-1601.

Visit our website to complete an application and learn more about Saint Mary School: <http://school.stmarysparish.org>



**Adult Faith Formation Movie Nights –
Save the Dates!**

June 20th – God's Not Dead 2

July 18th – Movie TBD

All movies are shown in the large meeting room, and begin at 7:00 p.m. Call Rita St.Pierre for more information: 508-373-2678.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL ELECTIONS

With three seats open and three candidates we are happy to announce that the three open seats on the Parish Pastoral Council have been filled.

MATTHEW HASTINGS

My name is Matt Hastings and I am running for reelection to the St. Mary's Pastoral Council. I am a 35+-year resident of the town of Shrewsbury where I have either been a member of St. Anne's Church or, presently, of St. Mary's Parish. My education is rooted in the teachings of the Catholic Church as I am a graduate of both St. John's High School and Assumption College. Professionally, I am currently completing my 17th year as a member of the faculty at St. John's High School.

In this ever-changing and seemingly ever-turbulent world, we need the stability and the guidance of our Catholic faith. Being a husband and the father of 2 teenage children, this fact becomes even more relevant. The specific objectives of the St. Mary's Pastoral Council include "pastoral planning for the good of the entire parish by appraising its spiritual and physical needs" and "to develop goals, objectives, and assign priorities." Being a present member of the Pastoral Council has given me the ability to have a direct hand in this stability and in this guidance, and I am seeking to maintain my part in this for the next 3 years.

I appreciate the opportunity to have served on the Council for the past 3 years, and I look forward to the hopeful opportunity to serve another 3 years.

MARILYN BLANCHARD

My name is Marilyn Blanchard. I am running for election to the Pastoral Council after a hiatus of one year. I served on the Council from July 2011 through June 2017, acting as Vice-chair from July 2016 through June 2017. During my time on the Council, I became very involved and was responsible for procuring two signs for our church. One is on the right outside wall as you enter the front of the church. The other is the sign on the front lawn that advertises to the public all the important events that take place at St. Mary's during the year. I have been a part of St. Mary's since 1966 and am married to a life long member of St. Mary's. Both my husband and daughter received their sacraments here. My husband and I were married in our church in 1969. I am presently a member of the Liturgy Committee, serving as a member on the Arts and Environment sub-committee, a Eucharistic Minister and a member of the Respect Life Committee. I have taught CCD, been a member of the Administrative Team at St. Mary's School, as Curriculum Co-ordinator and the 4th-6th grade Language Art and Social Studies teacher. I have also served as a Catholic School Principal in the Diocese of Worcester. My daughter was a student at St. Mary's, Venerini Academy, Notre Dame Academy, St. Peter-Marian, and Assumption College for both her under graduate and graduate degrees. My husband and I received our graduate degrees from Assumption also. I would say that I believe in and am a strong supporter of Catholic education!

My faith is a very important and living part of my life, which I have shared with both children and adults. I would like to continue serving and spreading the good news by being a member of the Pastoral Council once again. I thank you for your vote of confidence and appreciate your support.

KELLY PAULINA

My name is Kelly Paulina. My husband, Mike, and I have three adult children who all attended St. Mary School. I love our Catholic faith and care deeply about our parish family and faith community that we have called home for 20 years. Growing up in Rochester, NY my parents' involvement and dedication to our parish taught me the importance of service and what it means to be an active member of a community. I have carried that with me throughout my life and believe through involvement in our parish I have connected with people I wouldn't have otherwise met who have taught me, inspired me, and helped me to strengthen my relationship with God.

Over the years, I have been involved in several ministries and have served as a Lector, Eucharistic Minister and server for funeral Masses. I have also coordinated parish events such as our annual Day of Service and Lenten Soup Suppers and have been a member of the Family Festival committee focusing on recruiting and organizing the hundreds of volunteers that participate each year. I also enjoy creating and sending out parish communications from our communication platform, Flocknote and exploring different ways we can leverage media and technology to evangelize and keep parishioners informed and connected.

I feel my involvement has given me a well-rounded understanding and appreciation of the many different ways each ministry and event contributes to the spiritual growth, education, and enrichment of our parish family. I look forward to sharing what I have learned and working with the Pastoral Council to explore additional ways we can continue to build up and grow our parish community.

WITH GRATITUDE

We also express our gratitude to Mike Nelson and Tim Rivard who have completed their second term as members of the Council. They have both been valued members of the Council and have supported the work of the Council and many ways over the past six years.