

February 11th & 12th 2017

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS

- 2/11 4:00 PM Jack Collins - 16th Anniv.
 2/12 9:00 AM People of the Parish
 Noon Patrick M. Williams - Mem.
 2/14 9:00 AM Rebecca Delory - 6th Anniv.
 Robert & Marjorie DeMaso - Mem.
 John Doherty - Mem.
 2/15 5:30 PM Bonnie Madden - 10th Anniv.
 2/16 5:30 PM End of Abortion/Respect for All Life
 2/18 4:00 PM George Mullen - 23rd Anniv.
 Mary Mullen - 10th Anniv.
 Joseph D. Norris - 49th Anniv.
 Anthony DeMonte - 2nd Anniv.
 2/19 9:00 AM Marion McGrath - 1st Anniv.
 Noon Olinda Goncalves - Month's Mind

Presider's Mass Schedule for February 18th & 19th		
	OLOL	SJTW
Saturday		
4:00 PM	Fr. Lee	Fr. Hobson/Dcn Booker
Sunday		
7:30 AM	Fr. Lee/Dcn Booker	
9:00 AM		Fr. Schatzel/Dcn Winn
10:30 AM	Fr. Hobson/Dcn Winn	
12:00 NOON		Fr. Lee

2017 Catholic Appeal - Recently, many of you received a letter from Cardinal Seán requesting your support of the 2017 Catholic Appeal. Our parish directly benefits from the 50 ministries supported by the Appeal. If you have not already done so, please prayerfully consider making an early pledge. You may mail your pledge or visit <http://www.bostoncatholicappeal.org/> to give online. Thank you!

Parish Prayer Line - 781-293-7592 or 781-447-3247. Your intentions, needs and petitions will be remembered prayerfully and confidentially.

PARISH CALENDAR

- Every Mon 6:00 PM - Teen Pizza & Prayer in Halifax
 Every Tues 7:00 PM - RCIA
 Every Wed 6:00 PM - Confessions heard
 6:00 PM - Adoration for one hour
 Every Thurs 3:45 PM - Youth Choir
 6:00 PM - Adoration for half hour
 7:00 PM - Adult Choir
 7:00 PM - Gamblers Anonymous
 Every Sat Noon - Rosary for Trad. Marriage
 1st Sun 10:00 AM - Donut Sunday after Mass
 2nd Wed 6:30 PM - Sodality of Our Lady
 1st & 3rd Thurs 6:30 PM - Prayer Shawl Ministry
 1st Fri 8:00 PM - Youth Movie Night
 3rd Friday 7:30 PM - Baptismal Preparation Class
 alternating with Our Lady
 2nd Sat 1:00 PM - Monthly Baptism
 4:00 PM - Anointing of the Sick Mass

Offertory Collection: The February 4th & 5th collection amounted to \$7,057.00. Thank you.
 Facilities Maintenance Fund amounted to \$2,436.00
Upcoming Collections:
 2/19 - Fuel
 3/1 - Ash Wednesday -St. Vincent de Paul
 3/5 - Church in Central & Eastern Europe
 3/12 - Facilities Maintenance Fund

Ash Wednesday Mass Schedule
 9:00 AM & 7:30 PM at Our Lady of the Lake
 Noon & 5:30 PM here at St. Joseph the Worker
 (Collection at SJTW is for St. Vincent de Paul)
 Confessions will be heard every Wednesday in Lent from 6:00 - 8:00 PM beginning Ash Wednesday.

Steubenville East Youth Conference: Plans are underway for youth of our parishes to attend the Steubenville East Youth Conference to be held at UMass Lowell this summer from July 14-16. There will be an informational meeting this **Wednesday, February 15** at 7 pm in the upper hall. The weekend focuses on meeting Christ in the midst of our world, and consists of national speakers, workshops, music, worship, reconciliation, Eucharistic adoration and Mass. Students currently in grades 8-11 are eligible to attend, and the cost is \$230 with a \$50 non-refundable deposit. This promises to be a powerful event so we look forward to seeing you on the 15th!

Follow Me: Meeting Jesus in the Gospel of John: Jesus want you to be more than just a believer -- He wants you to be his disciple and friend. *Follow Me* invites you to experience the joy of a renewed friendship with Christ. This eight-part bible study will be held on Thursday evenings from 7-8:30 p.m. in SJTW parish hall beginning March 2 and concluding on April 20. The fee is \$20. Registration forms are available in the gathering area or you may contact Kevin Mossman or Mary Lewek @ 781-293-1293 or reled.sjtw@comcast.net

Corned Beef & Cabbage Dinner ~ Come one, come all ~ Saturday, March 11th from 5:15 to 7:30 p.m. in the upper hall. Dinner provided by *Fork in the Road* catering. Dessert & beverages will also be provided. Tickets are \$12 a person ~ 12 & under are free. Tickets will be on sale every weekend until March 5th, after all the Masses Do you have a favorite Irish Bread recipe? Make a loaf and bring it along for our *Irish Bread Contest*. Winner announced during the dinner. A night of Irish Entertainment also comes with the meal including Irish Step Dancers and a big Irish Sing-A-Long. Don't be left out...get your tickets early.

Lenten Tri-parish Mission scheduled for March 12th, 13th and 14th. More information to follow.

Father/Daughter Dance, Saturday, April 8th here at St. Joseph the Worker from 6:30 to 8:30 PM. Tickets are \$20 per family. For more information or to purchase tickets, please email sjtwcl@gmail.com or call John Barata at 617.645.6076

Plymouth Philharmonic - Spring Pops with Livingston Taylor - St. Joseph the Worker Church's Adult Social Committee is offering a night out at the Plymouth Philharmonic on Saturday, May 13 at 8:00 p.m. The concert is Spring Pops with Livingston Taylor. Tickets are \$25 (balcony seats with limited legroom) or \$50 seats (mezzanine area) Ticket sales are limited based on availability with the Plymouth Philharmonic. If you are interested in attending, please give a deposit of either \$10 or \$20 per ticket by Feb. 12th. Ticket deposits can be made after all the Masses on Jan 28/29 or Feb. 4/5 ~ or at the Faith Formation Office. Don't miss this wonderful opportunity. Those attending must provide their own transportation. Any questions, contact Maureen O'Neil at maureen335@comcast.net.

HANSON FOOD PANTRY at 228 High Street. Hours are Tuesday 10 AM - Noon, and 6 - 8 PM. **February - shampoo, deodorant, toothpaste, adult toothbrushes, disposable razors, etc.** These items may be left in the Food Pantry baskets in the gathering area. *Your donations are always greatly appreciated.*

When donating food items, please be sure to check the expiration dates. The Food Pantry is not able to give away food that has expired. Thank you!

FAITH FORMATION OFFICE

2016-2017

STATIONS OF THE CROSS SIGN-UPS

Any student, in grades 6-12, who would like to help lead the Stations of the Cross at 6:30 pm during Fridays in Lent, can sign up in the gathering area after Masses this weekend.

Families may also sign up at this time to help with our Lenten Friday pizza dinners which follow the Stations at 7 pm. Thank you.

CLASS SCHEDULE

Grade 8 February 12 -- 9 am Mass followed by class 10-11:30 am in upper hall

No classes Saturday, February 18 through Saturday, February 25 -- School Vacation Week

Grade 9 February 26 -- 9 am Mass followed by class 10-11:30 am in upper hall

Grade 6 Monday, Feb. 27 @ 5:15-6:45 pm

Grade 7 Monday, Feb. 27 @ 7:00-8:30 pm

Souper Bowl of Caring

Many thanks for your continued generosity to those in need. Through your donations last weekend, in the amount \$872.00, we are able to provide funds to both the Hanson and Pembroke food pantries.

Holy Father's Prayer Intention for February

That all those who are afflicted, especially the poor, refugees, and marginalized, may find welcome and comfort in our communities.

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