
St. John is a Stewardship Parish

**September 11, 2011
24st Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Saturday, September 10, 2011

4:00 – David F. Payton – 11th Anniversary

Sunday, September 11, 2011

8:00 – Mass for Victims & Families of 9/11

10:00 – Fr. Tom Flaherty, OSB – 10th

Anniversary

6:00 – William J. Orr – 1st Anniversary

Saturday, September 17, 2011

4:00 – Jennie Kucinski – 18th Anniversary

Sunday, September 18, 2011

8:00 – Lena R. Shepard – 9th Anniversary

Leonard J. Shepard – 19th Anniv.

10:00 – Mass for the People of St. John's

6:00 – Ann T. Little – 5th Anniversary

Important Dates

9/1 – Building & Finance Comm. Meeting -- 7 p.m.

9/7 – CCD Grades 6, 7, & 8 Trainings -- 7 p.m.

9/11 – 9th & 10th Grade Parent Meeting – 7 p.m.

9/14 – Catholic Women's Club Mass – 6 p.m.

9/17 – Ordination of Joseph Hopgood & Christopher Connelly

9/18 – 1st Mass & Recept. for Chris Connelly 10 AM

9/18 – Open House for RCIA – 7 p.m.

9/24 – CCD Classes begin 9/24 – 1st Mass & Recept.

For Joe Hopgood 4 PM

9/25 – 10:00 – Opening Mass for CCD Program,
(First children's Mass)

If you know someone who is in need of healing, physical, emotional, spiritual, marital and/or family prayers and has given you permission to place their name in the prayer list, please contact Debbie at the Rectory at 378-4207.

Please keep the following in your prayers:

Maureen Ronan, Diane Naughton, Tim Ayers, William F. Borden, Frances D'Arcangelo, Kristina D'Arcangelo, John D'Arcangelo, Charlene D'Arcangelo, Gianna & Joe Cuccarello, Donna Dvorak, Chip Langer, George Corr, Mary & Louis O'Donnell, Pam & Vince Adornato, Dorothy Howe, Margaret Rogerson, Nancy O'Connor, Brendan Handrahan, Janet Johnson, Mark O'Reilly, Christina Wedge, Brooke DiBon, John Vass, Jane & Michael Sheehan, Anthony Lambiase, Sam Ascii, Wayne & Louise Goodwin, Nelson Powers, Lana Thomas, Don Kitchell, Betty & Bill DiPietro, Bill Browne, Russell L. Clifford Jr. & Ruth Russell, Jack, Sheila, Joseph McElhiney Mary Ellen Johnson and Robert Small

**Our Shared Treasure
Sept. 4, 2011
Collection - \$6438**

2nd Collection Sept 18th – Rectory Maintenance

Please pray for the repose of the soul of James E. Spillane whose funeral Mass was celebrated Saturday, September 10th

**Teachers and Aides needed for
CCD Classes for 2011/2012**

We are in need of Teachers and Aides for the following:

Tuesday 4:30 - 5:30

Gr 1 – Teacher & Aide
Gr 2 -Teacher & (3)Aides
Gr 3 - Aide
Gr 4 - Aide
Gr 5 - Aide

Thursday 4:30 - 5:30

Gr 1 - (2)Aides
Gr 2 - Aide
Gr 3 - (2) Aides
Gr 4 - Teacher & Aide
Gr 5 - Teacher & Aide

**Wednesday 4:30 - 5:30
7:00**

Gr 2 - Aide
Gr 3 – (2)Aides
Gr 4 – Teacher & Aide
Gr 5 - Teacher & Aide

Thursday 6:00 -

Gr 8 – Teacher & aide

Wednesday 6:00 - 7:00

Gr 6 – (3) Teachers & Aides

Wednesday 7:15 -8:15

Gr 8 - (3)Teachers

As you can see we need many teachers and aides and cannot run our program without the help of volunteers. Please consider sharing your time and talent with the children of our parish. We will train you and give you all the materials you will need. Classes begin the last week of September!

If you would like to teach or help out in any way, please call Lorraine or Nancy at 508-378-1521

*******CLEANERS NEEDED*******

Thank you to Angela McDevitt for volunteering

******USHERS DESPERATELY NEEDED******

**FOR THE 6 PM MASSES
INTERESTED PEOPLE PLEASE FR. WALLY**


Adult Confirmation Class for Catholics who have received all the Sacraments except Confirmation!

The schedule of classes for the Adult Confirmation Class in the Fall is as follows. Classes will begin at 7:30 in the Rectory.

Wednesday	Thursday
Oct 5th	Oct 6th
Oct 12th	Oct 13th
Oct 19th	Oct 20th

RCIA

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is an outreach to baptized Catholics who were not raised in the faith, did not receive First Communion and would like to return to the Catholic faith. It is also designed for non-Catholics who seek communion with the Catholic Church. Classes for this program will be **held most Monday evening at 7:30, beginning September 26th after the Open House on Sunday, September 18th.** Please call the Rectory (508-378-4207) if you are interested.



St. John the Evangelist Parish celebrates the Ordination to the Order of Deacon for Joseph Hopgood and Christopher Connelly. The Ordination is September 17th at 10 am at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross. Deacon Chris's first Mass will be September 18th at 10 am and Deacon Joe's first Mass will be September 24th at 4 pm. Both Masses will be followed by a reception to congratulate and celebrate with these newly ordained Deacons.

300 Club Winners

July — Irene Andrews, Catherine Burns, Janet Delp & Annette Hussey

Aug -- Alice Keymont, John & Anne Kaiser Mary McKinnon & Elaine Salvucci

**Blood Pressure Screening Dates
For 2011-2012**

**9/24, 10/29, 11/26, 12/31, 1/28, 2/25,
3/31, 4/28, 5/26, 6/30
(following 4 pm Masses Saturdays)**



Dear Friends,

I am sure that just about everyone is home after the summer break. School has begun and before you know it CCD will begin as well, that is, if we get the teachers that we need. I can assure you that the hall will be clean and newly painted. I can assure you that the children and young adults will have the proper text books for class. I can assure you that the hall will be quieter and warmer as I have just replaced the windows in the hall. But only YOU can assure the children and young adults that there will be CCD by volunteering to be a teacher or aide. It is the parent's responsibility to pass on the faith. I and the staff will help you do it but we can't do it for you. So please call the CCD office and offer to help.

As you all know by now, Fr. Kani has been with us since the end of June. Those of you who have gotten to know him know that he is a wonderful priest and eager to be involved in the ministry here. I am not in EB on Monday and Tuesday, as they are my days off, and also the days that I check in on my Mom and Dad who live on the Cape. Because Fr. Kani is here, funerals are able to be celebrated on Monday and Tuesday. Because Fr. Kani is here there is a priest available to anoint the sick on those days as well. Father does much more that celebrate funerals and anoint the sick as he is involved in the overall ministry of the parish. Furthermore, it is also nice to have someone else living in the rectory. However, his salary and health insurance needs to be paid. Therefore, I am asking every parishioner to increase their contribution by \$2.00. If enough people do that then the parish budget will continue to be in balance.

The preliminary designs, there are four of them, have been presented to the Building and Renovation Committee and will be presented to the Parish Pastoral Council at their next meeting. The B and R committee has recommended design 3 or 4, depending on the cost. Design 3 and 4 leave the church exactly as it is with a new addition put on the parking lot side of the church. This would increase the seating capacity from 336 to 577. I will leave a copy of the plans in the chapel for anyone to look at. In the next week or so, the cost for each of the four designs will be presented to the committee.

Finally, I want to recognize my Administrative Assistant, Debbie Conrad who has just completed her first year as a member of the staff. Debbie does a wonderful job and has been a great addition to the staff. Well done Debbie!

God bless,
Fr. Wally