

**MASS INTENTIONS****SATURDAY, JULY 7**

5:15 PM John and Flora Lepore (Rem.),  
*By family*

**SUNDAY, JULY 8**

8:00 AM Jennie, Joseph & Linda Mosca  
(Rem.),

*By Sal, Cee and Chris*

10:00 AM Francis Toomey (Rem.),  
*By family*

Eleanor Kurtz (1<sup>st</sup> Ann.),

*By sister Agnes*

11:30 AM John Barattini (Birth.),  
*By family*

Paul Rioles (Ann.),

*By wife and family*

**MONDAY, JULY 9**

9:00 AM Kathy Izzo (Rem.),  
*By Rosemarie*

Jim Higgins (Birth.),

*By Pat*

**TUESDAY, JULY 10**

9:00 AM Deceased Members of the Raymond  
Family (Rem.),

*By Ella*

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 11**

9:00 AM Fr. Peter Scagnelli (Ann.),  
*By Fr. John*

**THURSDAY, JULY 12**

NO SCHEDULED MASS TODAY

**FRIDAY, JULY 13**

9:00 AM Marie Margaret Barkzak (Month's  
Mind),

*By cousin Lucille*

**SATURDAY, JULY 14**

5:15 PM Angelo Angelino (7<sup>th</sup> Ann.),  
*By Linda, George and brother Georgio*

William Kennen (4<sup>th</sup> Ann.),

*By family*

**SUNDAY, JULY 15**

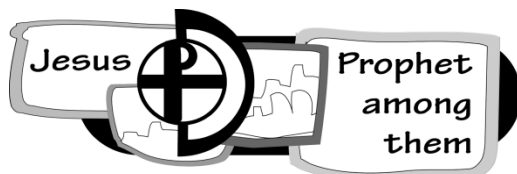
8:00 AM Angela Milano (Ann.),  
*By family*

10:00 AM Sal Ascioia, II (21<sup>st</sup> Ann.),  
*By family*

Louis Bourgeois (1<sup>st</sup> Ann.),

*By family*

11:30 AM Raymond & Carol Cianci (1<sup>st</sup> Ann.),  
*By family*



## Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 8, 2018

It is good to be confident in our God

### PASTOR'S COMMENTS

Borrowed from Paul Turner

#### Speaking When No One Listens

Whenever you have something to say, not everyone is going to listen. Some people will roll their eyes. Others will wait until you're done and then change the subject. You don't always get the admiring audience you want.

For some reason, this never stops God from putting passion into the human heart. Our faith becomes a part of us. We link our identity to it. When we see someone challenging something we believe in, we cannot keep quiet. We have to speak up.

It feels good to say what we think. It feels good to let the strongest beliefs inside us have voice and air. It feels good to have other people know what matters the most to us.

But some people don't listen. They do not heed the word we speak. They patronize us with kind looks or light applause.

But God keeps putting the word into the human heart.

When Ezekiel spoke God's word to people who were hard of face and obstinate of heart, God knew the word might not change them. But some good would come. "They shall know that a prophet has been among them."

Even if people do not listen to our words, they know that a prophet was there.

Fr. John

### MASS INTENTIONS

(Call for additional Weekday Mass availability)  
The following dates and times are available

WEDNESDAY	JULY 25	9:00 AM
TUESDAY	JULY 31 & AUGUST 7	9:00 AM
SATURDAY	AUGUST 4	5:15 PM
SATURDAY	AUGUST 11	5:15 PM



**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**  
 Office Hours: 9am to 4pm.  
 Monday – Thursday  
 Phone : 232-9321  
 E-mail – srbccd@aol.com

**Religious Education Classes**

Day	Grade	Time
Sun	9&10	No Class
Mon	7&8	No Class
Tue	1 thru 3	No Class
Wed	4 thru 6	No Class

Please get your registrations in early, it helps us know how many teachers we will need for the up coming year.

God Bless

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Because of staffing we are moving 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade to Monday nights from 6:30 to 7:45.

God Bless

“ I call upon you, my God, my mercy, who made me, and did not forget me, although I forgot you. I call you into my soul, which you prepare to accept you by longing that you breathe into it. Do not desert me now when I call upon you, for before I called upon you, you went ahead and helped me, and repeatedly you urged me on by many different words, so that from afar I would hear you, and be converted, and call upon you as you called upon me.”

*St. Augustine, p 302*

**MR. ROB MANZO**

**THIS WEEK**

**SUNDAY, ROSARY** FOLLOWING 8:00 **AM** MASS IN THE UPPER CHURCH

**WEDNESDAY, AAGROUP MEETING** AT 7:00 **AM** IN THE CHURCH HALL (EVERY WEDNESDAY)

**THURSDAY, NA GROUP MEETING** AT 7:00 **PM** IN THE SACRISTY

**FRIDAY, AA** AT 8:00 **PM** IN THE CHURCH HALL (EVERY FRIDAY)

**FRIDAY, NA GROUP MEETING** AT 10:00 **PM** IN THE CHURCH HALL

**DAILY READINGS**

**Sunday** Ez 2:2-5; 2 Cor 12:7-10; Mk 6:1-6a

**Monday** Hos 2:16, 17b-18, 21-22; Mt 9:18-26

**Tuesday** Hos 8:4-7, 11-13; Mt 9:32-38

**Wednesday** Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12; Mt 10:1-7

**Thursday** Hos 11:1-4, 8e-9; Mt 10:7-15

**Friday** Hos 14:2-10; Mt 10:16-23

**Saturday** Is 6:1-8; Mt 10:24-33



Call: Jan Zarrella (274-6576) or Charon Souza (231-3962) or Eileen Morrison (349-3601)



**PLEASE SUPPORT OUR FOOD SHELF!**

The Food Shelf is in need of these items:

- HOT/COLD CEREAL
- PASTA/ JAR SAUCE
- PEANUT BUTTER / JELLY
- CANNED VEGETABLES
- RAMEN NOODLES
- LAUNDRY DETERGENT

**\$10.00 STOP & SHOP OR PRICE RITE GIFT CARDS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME**

**Thank you for your generosity!**

**Mark Twain once said:**

**'The two most important days in your life are the day you are born; And the day you find out why.'**

**40-WEEK CLUB 2018**

OUR MAJOR FUND RAISER



Week #27 Ticket # 0163

\$35 : William T. NeroCaptain: Nancy Panciocco

Tickets are still available at the Rectory Office or call  
Ann @ 944-6792, Pat @ 647-7461 or Judy @ 232-3603

All payments must be Up-To-Date to be eligible – Thank you for your support!

**PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY**

Many beautiful prayer shawls have been donated and blessed. If you'd like to receive one for yourself or for a loved one, in need of comfort, please contact Carolyn 231-5864 or Margie 231-5376. Several pocket/purse shawls were blessed too and are available.

***Volunteering Opportunity for High School Youth***

The **Haunted Labyrinth** is a fundraiser the **Rejoice In Hope Youth Center** in Cranston has held for over 30 years. Youth in 8<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade are invited to volunteer (and earn community service hours) this summer, to assist building for this fall's event. Permission forms and details are available on our website at [www.hauntedlabyrinth.com](http://www.hauntedlabyrinth.com), email [rejoiceinhope@dioceseofprovidence.org](mailto:rejoiceinhope@dioceseofprovidence.org) or call 942-6571 for more information.

***St. Robert Bellarmine Church Blood Drive***

Wednesday, July 25, 2018

3:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Please consider giving the gift of life!!

**SAVE THE DATE!!**

We will be having our **Annual Appreciation Dinner on Saturday, July 14!!** Invitations have been mailed. If you volunteer and have not received your invite, please call the Rectory Office @ 232-5600.

The Rectory Office will be closed at 12 Noon on **Fridays** during the months of July and August

**FUN SEEKER UP COMING TRIPS**

We are taking reservations for anyone who would like to join us for two of our 2019 trips:

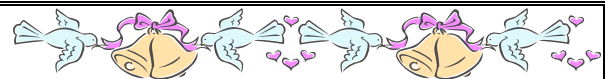
- 1) Fabulous 10 day **Winter Get-A-Way Cruise, March 18-28, 2019**. Depart from New York City to 5 Islands in the Eastern Caribbean.
- 2) **Italy and Greece Cruise, October 11-25, 2019**. Both flyers, listing all the exciting details, are available on the community table in the Church foyer.

We will be having an information night on August 30th for anyone who would like to know more about the 2020 Oberammergau Trip - so save the date, more info to come.

**For more information, call Buddy and Edyie Rapone at 401 231-7237.**

**Food Shelf Volunteers Needed**

We need **4** women to help out at the Food Shelf on Thursday mornings from 8:30 AM to 11:00 AM to aid the clients with their shopping. There is no heavy lifting. Call the Rectory Office for more information if interested.

**25<sup>th</sup>, 40<sup>th</sup>, 50<sup>th</sup> and Over****Wedding Anniversary Celebration**

The Office of Marriage Preparation and Enrichment of the Diocese of Providence is sponsoring the annual Wedding Anniversary Celebration on **Sunday, September 23, 2018 at 1:00pm, at the Cathedral of SS. Peter & Paul, Providence**. Married couples who are celebrating their 25<sup>th</sup>, 40<sup>th</sup>, 50<sup>th</sup> and Over wedding anniversary in 2018 will be honored at this celebration. Couples who would like to attend can register for this event through their parish before **August 12th**.

## HOW WILL YOU BE REMEMBERED ?

Steve Goodier has a collection of humorous and poignant epitaphs and tombstone verses. Granted, not all tombstone sayings are telling. Like the one for Lester Moore at Boot Hill Cemetery in Tombstone, Arizona:

HERE LIES LESTER MOORE  
FOUR SLUGS FROM A 44  
NO LES NO MORE

Or this grave marker from Uniontown, Pennsylvania:

HERE LIES THE BODY OF JONATHAN BLAKE  
STEPPED ON THE GAS  
INSTEAD OF THE BRAKE

Television celebrity and talk show host Merv Griffin penned his own:  
I WILL NOT BE RIGHT BACK AFTER THIS MESSAGE

These posthumous writings will often summarize a life. If accurate, they can point the reader to that which was most important to the deceased. Did this person enjoy life? Was she cared for? Did he make a difference? Did she leave a legacy?

### When you die, how will you be remembered?

Newspaper columnist Nick Clooney printed some epitaphs from people still alive, written by themselves. Some were humorous, some serious. Some hoped that their own original epitaph would be close to the way they might be remembered. One that I appreciate came from Charlie Mechem, former head of Taft Broadcasting. Charlie wished that this might be put on his tombstone: "Dear God, Thanks for letting me visit. I had a wonderful time."

All right; Not every day is a wonderful day. But as I look back over my life, the good and bad, the difficult and fun and exciting and dreadful, I would like to be able to say in summary: I had a wonderful time. There were friends and family, there were failures and even disasters, but there was also plenty of fun. And through it all, there was important work to do. When it's finally over, I want to honestly say I had a wonderful time. So I'm going to make sure I appreciate today. And I know that if I can look back on most days as being somehow worthwhile, and often times enjoyable, I know that if I will find a way to appreciate every day given to me, I will be able to say in all sincerity, "I had a wonderful time." I can't ask for more. ( Steve Goodier )