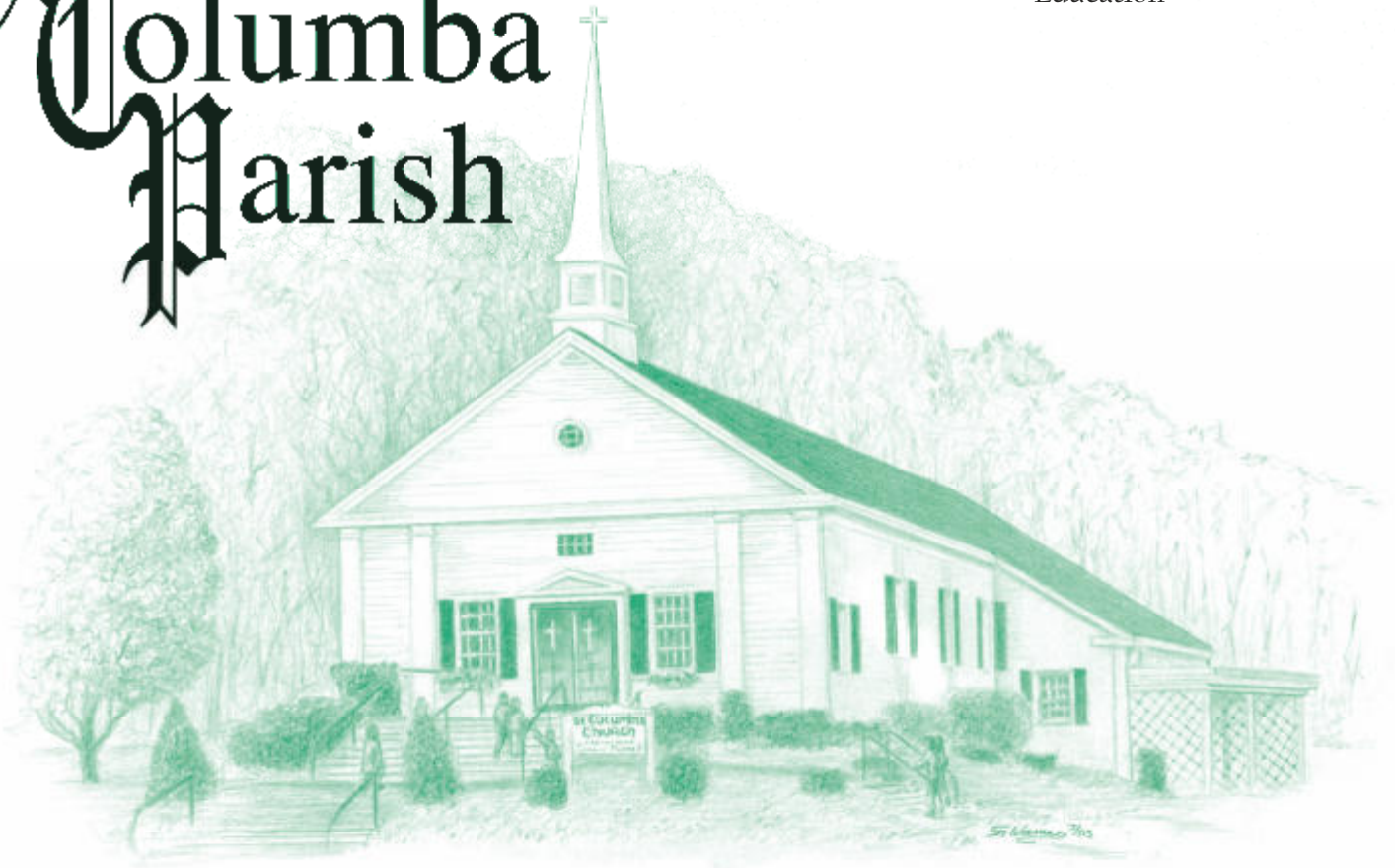


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SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Evening 4:00PM, Sunday Morning 8:00 AM and 10:00 AM

WEEKDAY MASSES

7:30AM (Tuesday—Friday)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Confessions are heard on Saturday at 3:15PM

Any other time is by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please call the office for instructions and a Baptismal date

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Monday 9:00 AM

WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS

Please introduce yourselves. We want to know and serve you.
We hope you become an active part of our Parish Community.

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

SATURDAY - JANUARY 26TH

9:00a.m. -Rosary

4:00p.m. -Mass

SUNDAY - JANUARY 27TH

8:00a.m. -Mass For Sandra Orszulak
1st Anniversary

Requested by the Family

10:00a.m. -Mass For Elton Schlegel
Requested by the Family

MONDAY - JANUARY 28TH

NO MORNING MASS

TUESDAY - JANUARY 29TH

7:30a.m. -Mass

WEDNESDAY - JANUARY 30TH

7:30a.m. -Mass

THURSDAY - JANUARY 31ST

7:30a.m. -Mass

FRIDAY - FEBRUARY 1ST

7:30a.m. -Mass

SATURDAY - FEBRUARY 2ND

9:00a.m. -Rosary

4:00p.m. -Mass For Anne Giangregorio
3rd Anniversary

Requested by the Family

SUNDAY - FEBRUARY 3RD

8:00a.m. -Mass

10:00a.m. -Mass



"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me,
because he has anointed me
to bring glad tidings to the poor...
and to proclaim a year acceptable to the Lord."

- Lk 4:18a, 19

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LITURGICAL ROLES

1/26-1/27

4:00p.m.

D. Doyle (L)

8:00a.m.
R. Bedard (L)

10:00a.m.
P. Stephens (L)

2/02-2/03

M. Power (L)

L. LeFave (L)

M. Reardon (L)

The offering of the Holy Cup during Mass will be
suspended in awareness of the active cold and flu
season.

TV DAILY MASS

Daily mass can be seen on Charter TV channel 193
Monday through Friday at 9:00a.m.

ALTAR SERVERS

1/26-1/27

4:00p.m.

Matthew Tomasino

8:00a.m.

Logan Domineck

10:00a.m.

Liam Daly

Luke Putney

2/02-2/03

Liam McDonnell

Logan Domineck

Caleb Rocha

Aiden Rocha

TV MINISTRY SCHEDULE

1/27/2019 Liam McDonnell

2/03/2019 Tim Murphy

2/10/2019 Pat Stephens

The 10a.m. mass is recorded each week and shown on
channel 192 at 4:00p.m., 6:00p.m. and 8:00p.m. on
Sunday and Monday.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

Don't ever question the value of
volunteers. Noah's Ark was build by volunteers;
the Titanic was built
by professionals.

Submitted by Dave Gynn, Coleman
Professional Services, Ohio, USA

**PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK
AND IN A SPECIAL WAY FOR**

Bob Mattson, Dan Daignault
Debbie Lyons, Doris Metilly
Mellissa Angiolillo, Julie Dix,
Jackie Cook, Blake George Murawski
Barbara Englander, Ginny Bean
Aline Riedle, Robert & Rita Mertig
Patricia Jones, Jim Cavanaugh
Alice Falcone, Patrick Remington

WEEKLY OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Our parish budget requires \$4,000 weekly to meet our expenses. On the weekend of January 19th-January 20th we received \$1743. Thank you for your continued and generous support of our parish.

For anyone who prefers the convenience of using on line banking, you can arrange with your bank to have your weekly contribution sent to: St. Columba Church, 10 Richards Ave., Paxton, MA. 01612. All such payments are promptly deposited and recorded in the church records.

HIGH SCHOOL SPECIAL EVENT

The Youth Ministry Office of the Diocese of Worcester is offering a special program called "Amplify" on Sunday, February 10th from 5:30p.m.-8:00p.m.

The event is being held at St. Joseph's Parish Center, 68 Central St., Auburn. The program is open to all youth in grades 9-12.

The evening will include dinner, a speaker, followed by music, Eucharistic Adoration and Reconciliation.

Youth should contact Mrs. Nummelin to register, 508-755-0601; terrynummelin@gmail.com.

The Rosary

*The Rosary is recited every Saturday at 9a.m. in the church.
All are invited and encouraged to attend.*

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASS SCHEDULE

THERE ARE NO CCD CLASSES ON THE FOLLOWING DATES:

SUNDAY, 1/20, MONDAY 1/21 & TUESDAY 1/22

Sunday Gr. 1 & 2 8:50a.m.-9:50a.m. 1/27/2019

Sunday Gr. 9 & 10 11:00a.m.-12:00p.m. 1/27/2019

Monday Gr. 3 & 4 3:00p.m.-4:15p.m. 1/28/2019

Monday Gr. 7 7:00-8:00p.m. 1/28/2019

Tuesday Gr. 5 & 6 3:00p.m.-4:15p.m. 1/29/2019

Tuesday Gr. 8 7:00p.m.-8:00p.m. 1/29/2019

Sunday Gr. 1 & 2 8:50a.m.-9:50a.m. 2/03/2019

Sunday Gr. 9 & 10 11:00a.m.-12:00p.m. 2/03/2019

CLASS MASS SCHEDULE



Grade 5 & 6 Class Mass

Sunday, January 27th at 10:00a.m.

Students should arrive at the church by 9:45a.m.

Alpha!

The Alpha afternoon get-away retreat will be held at St. Columba on January 27th from 2:00p.m. - 7:00p.m.

Thank You

The Pro-Life Committee thanks you for your generous donations of \$1692 during our recent Baby Bottle Drive in support of Visitation House helping pregnant women in need.

Men's Conference

The 19th Annual Diocesan Catholic Men's Conference will be held on Saturday, April 6th at Assumption College

1/27/2019

Summary of the January Parish Council Meeting

- Sincere THANK-YOU to all parish volunteers who helped to make all the Christmas events successful and meaningful – specifically for the Christmas Pageant, Caroling to home-bound parishioners and all Christmas Masses.
- New Volunteers are needed to serve as Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers & Altar Servers. Please help our parish by giving us a bit of your time to share these important duties.
- The final session of Alpha will be on Sunday January 27th from 2:00-7:00 pm.
- Finance Committee reports the parish budget is on target for this time of the year as planned for.
- Facilities Committee has contracted to have some tree trimming service performed and will do some finish work in the choir loft; boxing in air-conditioned lines, cleaning & painting.
- Prolife Committee reported \$1692 was collected through the Baby Bottle drive for Visitation House. St. Columba is in the top ten for ongoing donations to this service.
- Haitian Sewing Ministry is back to work on Wednesday mornings and welcomes new and former volunteers.
- Election for three new Parish Council members will occur in February as Sheila Massarelli, MariAnn Paladino and Jack Crowley complete their 3-year terms. We are most appreciative of your contributions.

Hope for Housing Food Card Sale

Food cards to benefit the Hope for Housing Program sponsored by the Interfaith Coalition To Prevent Family Homelessness will be available next weekend. Your continued support of this project is appreciated. Sales will remain the first and third weekend of each month. Thanks to all who volunteer and support this project. Next sales date is February 2 and 3, 2019 and followed by February 16 and 17, 2019. The weather caused reduced sales, hopefully we can make up on the weekend of February 2 and 3, 2019.

Cursillo Dates for 2019

The first 2019 Cursillo weekend for Men will be March 21-24. The first 2019 Women's Cursillo weekend is May 2-5.

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3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Go, eat rich foods and drink sweet drinks, and allot portions to those who had nothing prepared...” (Nehemiah 8:10) Ezra’s instructions to the people show us that God does not forbid us from enjoying the good things in life. He wants us to be happy! However, God expects us to be grateful for all that He has given us and to generously share our blessings with those who are in need without expecting anything in return.

OUTREACH MINISTRY

For several years we have had numerous parishioners who bring Communion on the weekend to our homebound or hospitalized parishioners. By bringing Communion to our homebound you show how valued they are as members of the parish. Please contact the rectory at 508-755-0408 to let us know if there is someone who would benefit from these visits or if you would like to join this ministry. Training is provided.

Haitian Sewing Ministry

The Haitian Sewing Ministry meets on Wednesday morning in the church hall from 9am until noon. We welcome new volunteers all year long. Volunteer tasks include sewing, cutting fabrics, pressing fabrics and assembling kits for those who wish to sew at home. Light refreshments and coffee are always available during our sessions. Please feel free to drop in and join us, or drop in to pick up kits any time on Wednesday mornings until noon. For more information, please contact Marianne Girouard at 508-798-8330, mcgirouard@hotmail.com.

SNOW REMOVAL ALERT

Please do not park in the First Congregational parking lot while attending the 8:00a.m. mass at St. Columba when there is snow. This prevents them from adequately plowing their lot for their 10:00a.m. service.

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