

*The Roman Catholic Parishes of
St. Ann, Lenox, MA and
St. Patrick, West Stockbridge, MA*

May 26, 2019



6th SUNDAY OF EASTER

“Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give it to you. Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid.” - Jn 14:27

ST. ANN CHURCH, LENOX

MASS INTENTIONS



Saturday	May	25	4:00 p.m.	<i>Barbara Gaherty, req. by Tom and family</i>
Sunday	May	26	9:45 a.m.	<i>Anne Farr, req. by the Amos Duval family</i>
			11:15 a.m.	<i>Virginia DeBlois, Birthday Remembrance, req. by her family</i>
Monday	May	27	10:00 a.m.	<i>Memorial Day Mass - For Those Who Gave their Life For Our Country</i>
Tuesday	May	28	7:00 a.m.	<i>Bill and Mary Kirby, req. by their daughters, Mary Anne and Carol</i>
Wednesday	May	29	7:00 a.m.	<i>Mass for the people of St. Ann, St. Patrick and St. Vincent de Paul churches</i>
<i>Vigil Mass</i>			5:30 p.m.	<i>St. Patrick - Ascension of the Lord</i>
Thursday	May	30	7:00 a.m.	<i>Holy Day Mass - Judith Pupo, req. by her family</i>
<i>Holy Day Mass</i>			5:30 p.m.	<i>St. Vincent de Paul - Ascension of the Lord</i>
Friday	May	31	7:00 a.m.	<i>Communion Service</i>
Saturday	June	1	4:00 p.m.	<i>Richard Hellowell, req. by Jim and Maryellen Tremblay</i>
			5:30 p.m.	<i>St. Vincent de Paul - Charlie Liston</i>
Sunday	June	2	8:30 a.m.	<i>St. Patrick Church - Frank C. Johnson</i>
			9:45 a.m.	<i>John J. Pignatelli, req. by The Nora O'Brien family</i>
			11:15 a.m.	<i>Phyllis Kiss, 1st Anniversary, req. by Sharon Lahart Popeo</i>

ST. ANN STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE
 "Month of February Collection" Summary

AS OF APRIL 2019

"LAST MONTH WEEKLY COLLECTIONS:"	\$ 16,607
APRIL WESHARE:	\$ 6,975
APR. TOTALS: WEEKLY COLLECTIONS:	\$ 23,582
AMOUNT NEEDED FOR MONTH OF APR.	\$ 32,499
TOTAL UNDER BUDGET	\$ 8,917
AMOUNT NEEDED JULY-APR.	\$ 232,916
AMOUNT RECEIVED:	\$ 236,197

Please consider using WeShare for your contributions
<https://stannlenox.churchgiving.com>

THANK YOU! WE DEPEND ON YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT

Please pray for the sick.

Weekly Envelopes:

This Weekend: Regular Weekly

Thu. May 30: Ascension

Next Weekend: Regular Weekly/Catholic
 Communication/Grounds & Maintenance

SAINT ANN'S MUSIC CORNER

Song of the Week:

" I HEARD THE VOICE OF JESUS SAY." #304

THIS WEEK OUR SANCTUARY CANDLE
 BURNS FOR

Grace and Mario Cimini

Religious Education: As we conclude another school year, I want to thank all of our teachers, students and families for a wonderful school year!!

~ Joan

The Parish Nurse Ministry invites you to their Wed., May 29th lecture series being held at St. Ann's Family Center. Dr. T. Menendez, a cardiologist at BHS, will do a program on Atrial Fibrillation at 7 p.m.

Following the presentation there will be a Q.&A for the audience. As always, invite a friend!

St. Ann will hold its **Annual Blood Drive** on June 6th in the church parking lot. BMC's Bloodmobile will set up and take people between the hours of 9-2:30. Walk-ins are welcome but if you prefer to make an appointment please call Dianne Romeo at 637-2684. Thank you for your generous donation of blood that can save lives.



SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

	<u>LECTORS</u>	<u>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS</u>	<u>ALTAR SERVERS</u>
WEEKEND OF MAY 25 & 26			
Saturday	4 p.m.	C. Meisberger	B. Bilyeu, R. Casey
Sunday	9:45 a.m.	B. Corby	G. McCormack, P. Archey
	11:15 a.m.	J. Coxon	L. Loring, T. Romeo
WEEKEND OF JUNE 1 & 2			
Saturday	4 p.m.	S Merlino	J. Chague, F. McClenachan
Sunday	9:45 a.m.	J. Hopper	G. Gallenberger, volunteer needed
	11:15 a.m.	J. Healy	A. & M. Antil
			M. & T. Léger E. Saupé Volunteer needed
			JT Novitsky Volunteer Needed Volunteer needed

COFFEE HOUR TEAMS FOR THE NEXT TWO WEEKS

June 2 — Team # 1 Captain Carol Kirby & Millie Kirby

Bakers: Tracy Reis, Sarah Williams, & Gina Kirchner.

June 9 — Team #2 Captain: Francine Shelhamer & Jeffrey Kane.

Bakers: Vicky May, Anne Sarkis, Michelle Colvin & Christine Manarchik

Our **2019 Summer Festival** will be here before you know it! Be sure to save the weekend of **July 13 & 14** so you can be here to enjoy all the events we have planned for you and your family.

It's not too early to start planning the theme of your basket for our **Theme Basket Raffle**. You are only limited by your imagination! Baskets can be dropped off anytime at the rectory during the month of June but the deadline is Monday, July 8th.

We are also looking for bakers to help make our Bake Sale a sweet success again this year. Talk to Carol Kirby if you can help volunteer during the festival or if you can donate a baked good for her table. 637-2188.

We need a few energetic volunteers to help us moved our tag sale items from the family center over to the tent on Friday morning. If you have an hour or two to help us, please call Debbie and let her know. 637-0157. If Friday isn't good, we could use a hand to clean up on Sunday afternoon as well. An hour of your time goes a long way! Look for sign-up sign sheets in the church coming soon.

**Church Office Closed
For Memorial Day Holiday**

The church office will be closed on Monday, May 27th in observance of the Memorial Day holiday. Money counters should plan to come in Tuesday morning. And on a related note, the church office will be closed at noon each Friday after Memorial day through Labor day.

Have a happy and safe holiday



Baccalaureate Mass

On Sunday, June 9th, at the 9:45 a.m. Mass, St. Ann parish will honor our high school graduates during our

Baccalaureate Mass.

Anyone graduating from other local high schools who are interested in participating in this Mass are asked to please contact Francie Sorrentino at 413-464-1877 right away.

Summer Festival Raffle Tickets will be going out soon. This is just a reminder that this year you will not be receiving the usual sheet of tickets that require you to cut them and fill them in and return the ones you want. This year we are trying a different kind of Raffle Ticket. You will still fill out the back of the top half and return that portion, keeping the bottom portion for yourself until the drawing on Sunday, July 14th. Be sure to print clearly or use your address labels!! And include a phone number. But these tickets are much smaller. If you need more, just call or stop by the church office!



MAY 26, 2019

Saint Patrick Church

West Stockbridge, MA

Please Pray for

Marguerite Johnsen

	<u>LECTOR</u>	<u>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER</u>	<u>ALTAR SERVER</u>
WEEKEND OF MAY 26 8:30 a.m.	J. Biggs	B. Biggs, V. D'Aniello	L. O'Gara
WEEKEND OF JUNE 2 8:30 a.m.	K. Davis	L. Fields, V. D'Aniello	L. O'Gara

ST. PATRICK STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Collection on May 19, 2019

Weekly	\$	1,168.00
Bldg. & Maint.	\$	160.00
Catholic Commun.	\$	30.00
Ascension	\$	22.00
Fuel	\$	30.00
Total	\$	1,410.00
Cemetery	\$	20.00

Thank you for your continued support!

UPCOMING EVENTS SCHEDULED FOR ST. PATRICK'S PARISH CENTER

SUN. MAY 26: Coffee Hour following Mass
SUN. JUNE 2: Coffee Hour following Mass
SUN. JUNE 9: Coffee Hour following Mass
TUE. JUNE 11: Parish Council Meeting: 6:30 p.m.
WED. JUNE 12: St. Francis Society, 1-4 p.m.
SUN. JUNE 16: Coffee Hour following Mass
SUN. JUNE 23: Coffee Hour following Mass
SUN. JUNE 30: Coffee Hour following Mass

WEEKLY ENVELOPES:

THIS WEEKEND: Regular Weekly
MAY 30th: Ascension
NEXT WEEKEND: Regular Weekly/Fuel/
Cemetery

First Friday Devotions — Feel free to join St. Ann Parish community for First Friday Devotions on Friday, **June 7th** in their parish Family Center. The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed following 7 a.m. Mass and conclude with Benediction at noon.

Short Excerpts

**Taken from *Pope Francis Speaks to Families
Words of Joy and Life***

The Power of a Grandparent's Prayer

In a special way, old age is a time of grace, in which the Lord renews his call to us: he calls us to safeguard and transmit the faith, he calls us to pray, especially to intercede; he calls us to be close to those in need. . . The elderly, grandparents, have the ability to understand the most difficult of situations: a great ability! And when they pray for these situations, their prayer is strong; it is powerful!

This excerpt was taken from the book, "*Pope Francis Speaks to Families Words of Joy and Life*" by the Word Among Us.

Sexual Abuse Hotline 1-800-842-9055

St. Patrick's email:
stpatricksws@verizon.net

MAY-JUNE MEETINGS & EVENTS

(All events held in St. Ann's Family Center unless otherwise noted)

- **GAME DAY:** Wed., May 29th, 1 p.m.—Final one until next fall.
- **TALK ON ATRIAL FIBRILLATION:** Wed. May 29, 7 p.m., This event is free and open to the public
- **BIBLE STUDY—THE GOSPEL OF JOHN:** Thu., May 30th from 6:30 to 8 p.m.
- **SUMMER FESTIVAL MEETING:** Monday, June 3rd, 6 p.m.
- **ANNUAL BLOOD DRIVE:** BMC Bloodmobile, Thu. June 6th, 9-2:30 St. Ann's Parking lot.
- **ST. ANN'S WALKING GROUP:** Tuesdays at 8:30 a.m.
- **ROSARY:** Tuesdays at 1 p.m.
- **EXERCISE CLASS:** Fridays from 9 to 10 a.m. (except the first Friday of the month)
- **BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKS:** 1st Sunday of the month between the 9:45 & 11:15 Masses.

ST. ANN SUMMER FESTIVAL TAG SALE

This year St. Ann's Summer Festival will be on July 13 & 14 and we will hold our popular large tag sale. **WE WILL ACCEPT TAG SALE DONATIONS THROUGH JUNE 30TH.** Items to be donated should be clean and in working order and should be left behind the family center. The following is a list of items we cannot accept.

A LIST OF ITEMS WE CANNOT ACCEPT FOR OUR SUMMER FESTIVAL TAG SALE

Cloth furniture (couches, stuffed chairs etc.)
Mattresses
Cribs
Electronic devices (TVs, computers, printers, stereos, etc.)
Microwaves
Skis/ski poles
Clothing (including shoes, belts, pocketbooks)
Artificial Christmas Trees
Large appliances

If you have questions about what you plan to donate, please give the rectory office a call between 8:30 and 3:30, Monday through Friday. When you drop off items at the top of the back stairs of the Family Center, please consider giving the office a call at 637-0157 so we can bring them in if it looks like rain. Thank you.

The Annual Memorial Day Parade in Lenox Dale, sponsored by the Lenox Dale Fire Company, will be Monday, May 27th.

The parade will begin at 8 a.m. at Veterans Memorial Park on Walker Street, proceed to St. Vincent dePaul Church for a Mass for our deceased and living veterans at 8:30, celebrated by Rev. Msgr. John Bonzagni, Pastor. Following the Mass, the parade will continue through the village ending at Veterans Memorial Park where concluding services will be held.



St. Ann's Annual Memorial Day Mass will be held at 10 a.m. on Monday, May 27, in our Cemetery. Feel free to bring a lawn chair. If the weather is inclement, we will hold Mass in our Church instead.

FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTIONS: Please feel free to join us **Friday, June 7th** for our First Friday Devotions. The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed following 7 a.m. Mass and conclude with Benediction at noon. If you would care to sign up for an hour and be present in the Family Center during that time, the sign-up book is located inside the Family Center.



If you have your cell phone with you today, please turn it off or turn it to vibrate during Mass. Thank you.

Check us out on Facebook. Like us at:
St. Ann Parish Lenox,MA

Weekend Mass Schedule:

Saturday 4:00 p.m. St. Ann's, Lenox
 Saturday 5:30 p.m. St. Vincent de Paul, Lenox Dale
 Sunday 8:30 a.m. St. Patrick's, West Stockbridge
 Sunday 9:45 a.m. St. Ann's, Lenox
 Sunday 11:15 a.m. St. Ann's, Lenox

Holy Day:

Holy Day: Vigil, 5:30 p.m. St. Patrick's
 Holy Day, 7 a.m. St Ann's, 5:30 p.m. St. Vincent de Paul

Sacrament of Reconciliation: every Saturday 3 to 3:30 p.m. at St. Ann Church

Sacrament of Baptism: Call the rectory of your choice to register.

Sacrament of Marriage: We welcome the opportunity to prepare and celebrate with couples the Sacrament of Marriage. Please call either rectory office at **least 8 months** before the wedding date.

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Pastoral Directory

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 Mr. Ron Ramsay, Director of Music Programs (St. Ann)
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 134 Main Street, Lenox, MA 01240-2395
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 30 Albany Road, West Stockbridge, MA 01266-9200
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Rectory Office (St. Vincent de Paul)
 P.O. Box 259, Lenox Dale, MA 01242
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KID'S CORNER

SPRING WORD SEARCH



- April
- Awaken
- Bark
- Bloom
- Blossom
- Born
- Bud
- Camp
- Celebrate
- Change
- Clean
- Circle
- Drops
- Enjoy
- Flow
- Flower
- Friends
- Frolic
- Fun
- Garden
- Grow
- Heat
- Hike
- March
- May
- Melt
- Month
- Mow
- New
- Play
- Rain
- Refresh
- Spring
- Sunny
- Sweet

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