

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

Sept. 29, 2019



# *26<sup>th</sup> Sunday*

I N O R D I N A R Y T I M E

Abraham said, 'If they will not listen to Moses and the prophets, neither will they be persuaded if someone should rise from the dead.'" - Lk 16:31

# MASS INTENTIONS



Saturday	Sept.	28	4:00 p.m.	<i>Philip J. Grady, Jr., req. by George &amp; Geraldine Turkington</i>
Sunday	Sept.	29	9:45 a.m.	<i>Mary Loretta Duval &amp; Mildred Duval, , req. by the Duval family</i>
			11:15 a.m.	<i>Mass for the People of St. Ann, St. Patrick &amp; St. Vincent de Paul parishes</i>
Monday	Sept.	30	7:00 a.m.	<i>Al &amp; Dot Paud, req. by their friends at St. Ann</i>
Tuesday	Oct.	1	7:00 a.m.	<i>Margaret O'Brien, her friends at St. Ann</i>
Wednesday	Oct.	2	7:00 a.m.	<i>Hope &amp; Dominic Cimini, req. by their family</i>
Thursday	Oct.	3	7:00 a.m.	<i>Richard C. &amp; Katherine M. Gilson, req. by their children &amp; families</i>
Friday	Oct.	4	7:00 a.m.	<i>Communion Service</i>
Saturday	Oct.	5	4:00 p.m.	<i>Ed Kennedy, req. by his wife Sue</i>
			5:30 p.m.	<i>St. Vincent de Paul - Maureen &amp; Bill Sheehan</i>
Sunday	Oct.	6	8:30 a.m.	<i>St. Patrick Church - Linda DiVirgilio, req. by her family</i>
			9:45 a.m.	<i>Deceased Bishops of our Diocese</i>
			11:15 a.m.	<i>Deceased Sisters of our Diocese</i>

## ST. ANN STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE "Month of June Collection" Summary

### AS OF AUGUST 2019

"LAST MONTH WEEKLY COLLECTIONS:"	\$ 16,627
AUGUST WESHARE:	\$ 5,391
AUG. TOTALS: WEEKLY COLLECTIONS:	\$ 22,018
AMOUNT NEEDED FOR MONTH OF AUG.	\$ 23,731
TOTAL UNDER BUDGET	\$ (1,713)
AMOUNT NEEDED JULY-AUGUST	\$ 53,394
AMOUNT RECEIVED:	\$ 44,598
Amount over/under budget	\$ (8,796)

Please consider using WeShare for your contributions

Please pray for the sick.

### Weekly Envelopes:

**This Weekend:** Regular Weekly/Catholic  
Mirror

**Next Weekend:** Regular Weekly/Grounds &  
Building Maintenance

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

### PLEASE SAVE THE DATE:

Grades 6, 7 and 8

**MANDATORY MIDDLE SCHOOL RETREAT**

**MONDAY, September 30, 2019**

4:30-8:30 p.m.

St. Ann Family Center

Please send an email to [stannccd2@gmail.com](mailto:stannccd2@gmail.com)  
to register for this retreat.

Grade K-1 and 3-4 CCD parent meeting will be held in the  
church after the 9:45 a.m. Mass on Sunday, Sept. 29, 2019.


*Thank you ~ Joan Hymanson*

Web site: [Stannlenox.org](http://Stannlenox.org)  
E-mail: [stannlenox@verizon.net](mailto:stannlenox@verizon.net)

## SAINT ANN'S MUSIC CORNER

**Song of the Week:** "All Are Welcome" #248

If you are interested in joining one the choirs this  
year, please see Ron or Sam in between Masses.



*St. Ann's has finally purchased a beautiful set  
of handbells. Ron spent many hours and  
weeks and months! searching for them and we  
have finally located the perfect set. They will  
serve us for many, many years to come and allow us  
to grow into them. Ron couldn't be happier with  
them. Thank you again, to everyone who donated  
toward them over the past few years They will not  
disappoint!*

## OUR SANCTUARY CANDLE

**BURNS FOR**

**JEAN KERARAVAT**



***TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME***

		<u><b>LECTORS</b></u>	<u><b>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS</b></u>	<u><b>ALTAR SERVERS</b></u>
<b>WEEKEND OF SEPTEMBER 28 &amp; 29</b>				
Saturday	4 p.m.	J. Tremblay	M. Tremblay, C. Kirby	M. & T. Léger
Sunday	9:45 a.m.	B. Corby	N. Armstrong, Vol. Needed	E. Saupé
	11:15 a.m.	M. Wilser	M. Wilser, L. Loring	<b>Volunteer need</b>
<b>WEEKEND OF OCTOBER 5 &amp; 6</b>				
Saturday	4 p.m.	R. Casey	F. McClenachan, C. Meisberger	JT Novitsky
Sunday	9:45 a.m.	J. Hopper	C. Gallenberger, J. Lane	I. & J. Cooney
	11:15 a.m.	E. Bride	T. Romeo, D. Zola	<b>Volunteer needed</b>

**COFFEE HOUR TEAMS FOR THE NEXT TWO WEEKS**

**Oct. 6: Team #1 Captain: Carol Kirby & Millie Kirby**  
Bakers: Tracy Reis, Sarah Williams, & Gina Kirchner

**Oct. 13: Team #2 Captain: Francine Shelhamer & Jeffrey Kane.**

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

**Hospice of Western & Central MA**, Invites you to take part in a **GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP** on Thursdays, from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m., at 55 Church St., Pittsfield, with Chaplain Dennis Castella.  
Please call the office to register 413-442-0045.

**St. Ann's 2020 Calendars** are in. Feel free to take one on your way out of church this weekend.  
Thank you to Roche Funeral Home for sponsoring them again this year.

**COLLECTION COUNTING TEAMS FOR  
SEPTEMBER—OCTOBER**

**Mon. Sept. 30:** Joanne L., Rete B. & Kathy P.

**Mon.. Oct. 7:** Carol K. & Judi K.

**Tue. Oct. 15:** Sherry W., Nancy C., & Bernie M.

**Mon. Oct. 21:** Barbara B. & Pat J.

**Mon. Oct. 28:** Joanne L., Rete B., & Kathy P.

**St. Ann Lector Workbooks Are In** - If you are a lector at St. Ann parish, and haven't already picked up a copy of the 2020 workbook for Lectors, please stop in to the Priest's Sacristy before or after Mass and pickup your copy.

**FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTIONS:** Please feel free to join us **Friday, Oct. 4th** 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.



**Winter Address Update:** If you are planning to return to a warmer climate for the winter months, please drop a

note to your church office regarding an address change so that we can adjust your mailings and envelopes. Be sure to let us know when you plan to return, too!

If you would like to reserve our Parish Center for your meeting or event, please start with a call to the parish office and speak to Debbie at 637-0157 for availability.

Time spent outside starts to dwindle as chores finish up and it gets dark earlier, so now there is time to enjoy lunch with old and new friends.

St. Ann's **Monthly Monday Ladies Luncheons** will begin on Oct. 7th at noon. All you need to bring is either a little lunch for yourself, or if you'd like, you can bring a pot luck lunch to share. Beverages will be provided. Rides to and from can be arranged if you need one.

Other dates to circle on your calendar for the remainder of this year are Nov. 4th and Dec. 2nd. All are welcome and if you have a friend, please have them join us!

SEPTEMBER 29, 2019

## Saint Patrick Church

West Stockbridge, MA

September 29, 2019

Please Pray for:

**Jason Morandi, req. by his family**

### LECTOR

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER

### ALTAR SERVER

#### WEEKEND OF SEPTEMBER 29

8:30 a.m. J. Biggs

B. Biggs, V. D'Aniello

L. O'Gara

#### WEEKEND OF OCTOBER 6

8:30 a.m. K. Davis

L. Fields, V. D'Aniello

L. O'Gara

### ST. PATRICK STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

#### Collection on Sept. 22, 2019

Weekly \$ 904.00

Building & Grounds \$ 140.00

**Total \$ 1,044.00**

Cemetery \$ 100.00

**Thank you for your continued support!**

### WEEKLY ENVELOPES:

**THIS WEEKEND:** Regular Weekly

**NEXT WEEKEND:** Regular Weekly/Fuel/  
Cemetery/Catholic Mirror

### Short Excerpts

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

### Sharing the Story of Life

It is significant how—even in the individualistic culture which distorts bonds and renders them ephemeral—in each person born of woman, there remains alive an essential need for stability, for an open door, for someone with whom to weave and to share the story of life, a history to belong to. The communion of life embraced by spouses, their openness to the gift of life, the mutual protection, the encounter and the memory of generations, educational support, the transmission of the Christian father to their children . . . With all this the family continues to be a school unparalleled in humanity, an indispensable contribution to a just and supportive society (cf. *Evangelii Gaudium*, 66-68). And the deeper its roots, the more possible it is in life to go out and go far, without getting lost or feeling a stranger in a foreign land.

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

### UPCOMING EVENTS SCHEDULED FOR ST. PATRICK'S PARISH CENTER

**SUN. SEPT. 29:** Coffee Hour following Mass

**SUN. OCT. 6:** Coffee Hour following Mass

**TUE. OCT. 8:** Parish Council Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

**WED. OCT. 9:** St. Francis Society, 1-4 p.m.

**SUN. OCT. 13:** Coffee Hour following Mass

**SUN. OCT. 20:** Coffee Hour following Mass

**SUN. OCT. 27:** Coffee Hour following Mass

**FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTIONS** — Feel free to join St. Ann Parish community for First Friday Devotions on Friday, **Oct. 4th** in their parish Family Center. The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed following 7 a.m. Mass and conclude with Benediction at noon with Deacon Zick. Come at any time.

**St. Patrick's email:**

stpatricksws@verizon.net

## SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER MEETINGS & EVENTS

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

- **NEW SPIRIT RETREAT:** Monday Sept. 30th, Grades 6-8, 4:30-8:30 p.m.
- **NEW GENESIS MEETING:** Wednesday, Oct. 9th, 1 p.m.
- **SHAWL MINISTRY:** Thursday, Oct. 10, 1:30 p.m. Church on the Hill Chapel
- **PROM DRESS COLLECTION:** Saturday, Oct. 12 & 26, 3 to 3:30 p.m.
- **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:** Monday, Oct. 14, 7 p.m.
- **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)



### PAINT & SIP BENEFIT PLANNED



A Paint & Sip event will be held on Thursday, Oct. 10<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m. at Berkshire Paint and Sip, 305 North St., Pittsfield, to benefit the Irish Sister City Committee Exchange Program.

Come learn to paint the seasonal Holly Branch Cardinal on a slate tile. Cost is \$35 and includes all painting materials, professional instruction, a light snack and a donation. BYOB.

Reservations are required by calling 413-205-8346 or at [www.berkshirepaintandsip.com](http://www.berkshirepaintandsip.com). All are welcome.



### Hall Walking in Lenox Public Schools With Berkshire SuperGenarians

Join Lenox residents and Lenox school staff from Oct. 16th through April 30th on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays at LMMHS and Morris from 3 to 5 p.m. and 3:45 to 5, respectively, for some indoor exercise. Rubber soled shoes are required. This group meets only when school is in session. For more information, contact Sally Vincent or Suzanne Pelton at [berksuperg@gmail.com](mailto:berksuperg@gmail.com)



**Clergy Appreciation Day is the Second Sunday in October.** Oct. 13 is a time to recognize the work of ministers, pastors and priests in the United States. This national day also falls in National Clergy Month, which is observed each October. If you have a priest in your life that you are thankful for, be sure to let him know!

### To the Prom:

Every young woman should be able to go to and dress beautifully for her prom. With your help and generous donations of gowns and "bling," I want to make this dream come true by offering a variety of dresses in different sizes, styles and colors!

I am respectfully requesting donations of clean, gently used gowns, appropriate glamorous shoes and costume bling. We are accepting these donations at the Family Center every other Saturday. **Next collection will be will be Oct. 12th, from 3 to 3:30 p.m.** If you put your name & address on a 3x5 card, I will send you a tax deductible receipt.

Then, on April 18th from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. we invite all the young ladies that plan to attend their prom this coming year, to come by our Family Center, where the gowns will be sold for \$10 each, the shoes \$2 a pair and one set of bling free, to select a dress and accessory. I will provide cold water and snacks to fete the young ladies.

All money collected will be donated to the Food Pantries that serve the Berkshires.

Thank you very much for helping me make dreams come true. I hope this becomes a yearly endeavor.

*Carolyn Jeffrey, 413-528-9048*

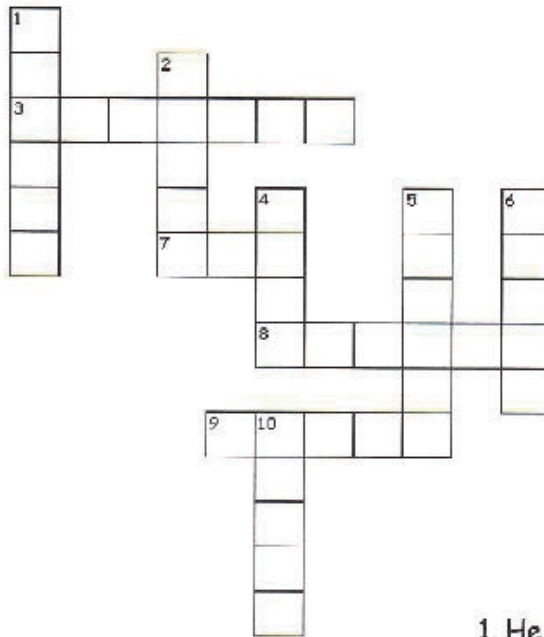
### Vince Ambrosetti Returning To St. Mary's, Longmeadow

The parish of St. Mary, 519 Longmeadow St., Longmeadow, invites you to join them for four unforgettable nights of faith-filled song and prayer beginning Sunday, Oct. 20, at 7 p.m. in the church. Vince Ambrosetti will offer a concert to launch the Mission that he will give over the next 3 days, concluding Wednesday, Oct. 23 at 7 p.m. Questions: 413-567-3124.

**Sexual Abuse Hotline 1-800-842-9055**

## KID'S CORNER

# What do you do everyday?



### Across



3. I \_\_\_\_\_ my pajamas every morning.



7. He wants to \_\_\_\_\_ the dentist.



8. My father \_\_\_\_\_ a red car.



9. He \_\_\_\_\_ the curtains every morning.

### Down



1. He \_\_\_\_\_ everyday at 7 o'clock.



2. He \_\_\_\_\_ his shirt in the car.



4. I \_\_\_\_\_ comic books at night.



5. My father \_\_\_\_\_ his beard every morning.



6. I \_\_\_\_\_ my teeth every morning at 8.A.M.



10. I \_\_\_\_\_ my pajamas before going to bed.