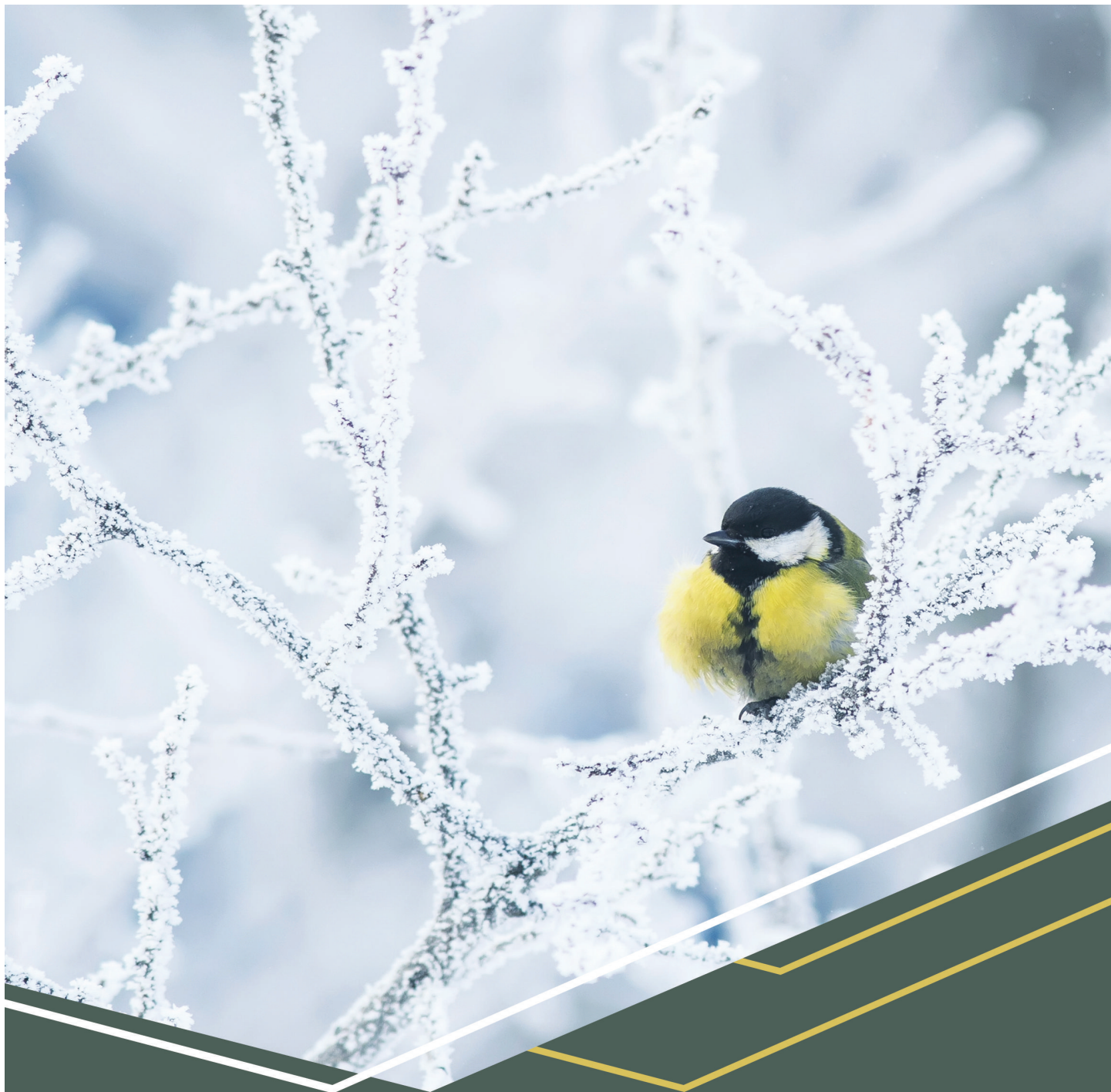


*The Roman Catholic Parishes of  
St. Ann, Lenox, MA and  
St. Patrick, West Stockbridge, MA*

Jan. 19, 2020



**2<sup>nd</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

“Now I have seen and testified that he is the  
Son of God.” - Jn 1:34

ST. ANN CHURCH, LENOX



# MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday	Jan.	18	4:00 p.m.	<i>Mary Asselta DeFazio, req. by her husband, Richard</i>
Sunday	Jan.	19	9:45 a.m.	<i>Dr. David Poutasse, req. by his wife and family</i>
			11:15 a.m.	<i>The People of St. Ann, St. Patrick and St. Vincent de Paul parishes</i>
Monday	Jan.	20	7:00 a.m.	<i>Arthur Sternby, req. by the Parish of St. Ann</i>
Tuesday	Jan.	21	7:00 a.m.	<i>Joseph A. &amp; Helen J. Mik, req. by Joseph G.V. Maciora</i>
Wednesday	Jan.	22	7:00 a.m.	<i>Mary G. Maciora-Jacobs, req. by Joseph Maciora</i>
Thursday	Jan.	23	7:00 a.m.	<i>Jim Prince, Birthday Remembrance, req. by Marge and family</i>
Friday	Jan.	24	7:00 a.m.	<i>Communion Service</i>
Saturday	Jan.	25	4:00 p.m.	<i>Claude Grosjean, req. by his family</i>
			5:30 p.m.	<i>St. Vincent de Paul - Matthew F. Kostyun, req. by the Sheehan family</i>
Sunday	Jan.	26	8:30 a.m.	<i>St. Patrick Church - Lia Balardini</i>
			9:45 a.m.	<i>Harriet &amp; William LaPlante, req. by the Joseph &amp; Saupé families</i>
			11:15 a.m.	<i>Katherine M. Gilson, 43rd Anniversary, req. by her children</i>

**ST. ANN STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE**  
**"Month of September Collection" Summary**

**AS OF DECEMBER 2019**

"LAST MONTH WEEKLY COLLECTIONS:"	\$ 17,615
DECEMBER WESHARE:	\$ 5,914
NOV. TOTALS: WEEKLY COLLECTIONS:	\$ 23,529
AMOUNT NEEDED FOR MONTH OF DEC.	\$ 29,664
TOTAL UNDER BUDGET	\$ (6,135)
AMOUNT NEEDED JULY-DECEMBER	\$ 154,251
AMOUNT RECEIVED:	\$ 133,391
Amount over/under budget	\$ (20,860)

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

**THANK YOU! WE DEPEND ON YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT**

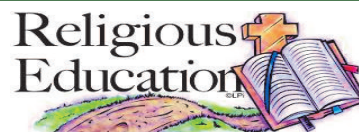
Please pray for the deceased, including **Arthur Sternby and Audrey Boudreau**, and the sick.

**Weekly Envelopes:**  
**This Weekend:** Regular Weekly  
**Next Weekend:** Regular Weekly/Latin America

**SAINT ANN'S MUSIC CORNER**

Song of the Week: "Prayer of St. Francis" M-291

**OUR SANCTUARY CANDLE**  
**BURNS FOR**  
**MARY ASSELTA DEFazio**



**Grades K-4:** Next class is Sun. Jan. 19th in the Family Center, during the 9:45 a.m. Mass. Next Class is Jan. 26th.

**Grades 5-8:** Next Class is Sun. March 1st

**Grades 9-10:** Next Class is Sun. March 1st

The Knights of Columbus Bishop Conaty Assembly #395 and Msgr. Eugene F. Marshall Knights of Columbus Council #103 is sponsoring an 11:30 a.m. Mass for the Unborn on Sunday, Jan. 26, at St. Joseph Church, Pittsfield. Followed by a March for Life from the Church around St. Joseph High School to the Parish Center (weather permitting), then a light reception in the Parish Center. All are welcome to join us for this worthy event supporting all Life

**PAINT AND SIP**

Sat. Feb. 23, at 1:30 p.m., at St. Joseph's Parish Center, Pittsfield, \$35 includes all painting materials, professional instructions, wine, light snacks. To reserve please call Michelle at 413-205-8346. Don't miss an opportunity to paint "Starry Night" by Van Gogh. Proceeds go to benefit St. Joseph's Church.

**SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

	<u>LECTORS</u>	<u>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS</u>	<u>ALTAR SERVERS</u>
<b>WEEKEND OF JAN. 18 &amp; 19</b>			
Saturday	4 p.m. J. Tremblay	M. Tremblay, M. Moran	JT Novitsky
Sunday	9:45 a.m. B. Corby	K. MacKenzie, G. McCormack	I. & J. Cooney
	11:15 a.m. E. Bride	M. Wilser, L. Franzoni	<b>Volunteer Needed</b>
<b>WEEKEND OF JAN. 25 &amp; 26</b>			
Saturday	4 p.m. R. Casey	P. Scarsi, B. Bilyeu	<b>Volunteer Needed</b>
Sunday	9:45 a.m. G. Prescott	N. Armstrong, J. Lane	E. Saupé, & M. Blair
	11:15 a.m. L. Dietrich-Conry	A. & M. Antil	M. & T. Léger & L. Face

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

**Jan. 26: Team #4 Captain: Andrew & Melissa Minkler**  
 Bakers: Penny Saupé, Jeanne Schnackenberg, Jen Jaehnig,  
 Mark & Molly Elliot, Maren Jacobs

**Feb. 1 & 2: Team #1 Captain: Carol Kirby & Millie Kirby**  
 Bakers: Tracy Reis, Sarah Williams, & Gina Kirchner

**2020 & 2021 MASS BOOKS ARE IN!**

The church office has received the 2020 & 2021 **Mass Books**. If you are interested in booking Masses or reserving the **Sanctuary Candle** for 2020 or 2021, please call 637-0157 or stop in and talk to Debbie in the office.

**COLLECTION COUNTING TEAMS FOR JAN. & FEB.**

**Tue. Jan. 21:** Joanne L., Rete B., & Kathy P.  
**Mon. Jan. 27:** Sandy & Paul M.  
**Mon. Feb. 3:** Sherry W., Nancy C., & Bernie C.  
**Mon. Feb. 10:** Carol K. & Barbara B.

**Dining To Donate at Patrick's Pub on Feb 4 to Benefit Irish Sister City Cultural Exchange Program**

On Tuesday, Feb 4<sup>th</sup>, between 11:30 a.m. and 10 p.m., Patrick's Pub in Pittsfield, will participate in the Dining To Donate program to benefit the Irish Sister City Committee Cultural Exchange Program.

To participate, you must bring this coupon or a photo copy of it, and present it to your waiter/waitress. 20% of your check before taxes will be donated to the exchange program.

**St. Joseph Cemetery**, Pittsfield, is looking to hire a new part-time Administrative Assistant to oversee the cemetery office. Candidates should have strong experience in office work and be skilled in bookkeeping, record keeping and computers, especially Word and Excel. Candidates must be able to work effectively with the public, be organized, self-directed and understand budgets. This is a 25 hour a week position, five-days, five hours a day. Please email a resume to St. Joseph Cemetery at: [stjoecem@verizon.net](mailto:stjoecem@verizon.net)



**Game Day Returns**

Join us for Game Day in St. Ann's Family Center at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, Jan. 22nd. Feel free to bring a favorite game to share and a friend!

**Ireland Tour – Information Session.** The Irish Cultural Center (ICC) is sponsoring a 10-day Fall Tour to Ireland Oct. 17–27, 2020) visiting Kinsale, Dingle and Ennis. Tour includes roundtrip airfare, and bus from the ICC to Boston's Logan Airport, all breakfasts and 8 dinner meals, top rated hotels, optional day trips and attractions. Cost of the tour is \$2,950 per person sharing. An Information Session is planned for Saturday, Jan. 25 at 1 pm at the ICC, 429 Morgan Road, West Springfield. For more information, call Pat Baker at 413-348-3263 or [pkbaker@verizon.net](mailto:pkbaker@verizon.net) or Rose Baker at 413-519-2135 or [rbaker2811@yahoo.com](mailto:rbaker2811@yahoo.com) or visit [www.irishcenterwne.org](http://www.irishcenterwne.org) Tour is limited and will be filled on a first come, first serve basis.

St. Ann's is collecting used eyeglasses to donate to the **Lions Club**. There is a container in the back of the church so that if you have eye glasses that you don't use any longer, and would like to, you may bring them to church and donate them to this wonderful cause. We will make sure to get them to the Lions Club.





JANUARY 19, 2020

# Saint Patrick Church

West Stockbridge, MA

Jan. 19, 2020

Please Pray for:

**Glenn Girdler, req. by his family**

LECTOR

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER

ALTAR SERVER

WEEKEND OF JANUARY 19

8:30 a.m.

J. Kujawski

T. Fasano, V. D'Aniello

WEEKEND OF JANUARY 26

8:30 a.m.

J. Biggs

B. Biggs, V. D'Aniello

ST. PATRICK STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Collection on Jan. 5, 2020

Weekly	\$	781.00
Fuel	\$	30.00
	\$	<b>811.00</b>

Cemetery	\$	7.00
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*Thank you for your continued support!*

UPCOMING EVENTS SCHEDULED FOR  
ST. PATRICK'S PARISH CENTER

- SUN JAN. 19: Coffee Hour following Mass
- SUN JAN. 26: Coffee Hour following Mass

Annual St. Patrick/UNICO Polenta  
Chicken-Sausage Dinners

The Annual St. Patrick/UNICO polenta/chicken-sausage dinner will be held on **Feb. 9th** at 2 p.m. Salad, homemade desserts and beverages will also be served. Cost is \$20 per person. Tickets are available after Mass or by calling the rectory at 232-4427. Please leave a message if the office is closed when you call. We will return your call.

WEEKLY ENVELOPES:

NEXT WEEKEND: Regular Weekly/Bldg.  
Maintenance

NEXT WEEKEND: Regular Weekly/Latin  
America

**Prayer Line:** St. Patrick's parish has a prayer line network for anyone needing prayers. To request a prayer be said or if you would like to be a volunteer on the prayer network please call **Karen Zick at 413-232-0137.**

INFORMATIONAL MEETING  
TRIP TO AUSTRIA & SWITZERLAND  
SEPTEMBER 2020

Join Msgr. Shershanovich on Jan. 26th at 2 p.m. in the North Chapel at St. Joseph's Church, Pittsfield, for an informational meeting regarding the Sept. 27 to Oct. 6, 2020 trip to Austria & Switzerland. **Price is \$2,950 double occupancy.** Additional \$495 for single room. Includes airfare, taxes, most meals. Sites include Vienna, Salzburg, Lucerne, Zurich and more.

## JANUARY MEETINGS & EVENTS

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

- **BIBLE STUDY WITH DEACON DAN:** Tue. Jan. 21, 6:30 - 8 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)
- **BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKS:** 1st Sunday of the month between the 9:45 & 11:15 Masses.

### PLEASE JOIN US IN A LOCAL MARCH FOR LIFE

Pro-Life of Pioneer Valley along with Pope Francis High School will be sponsoring a "Local March for Life" on January 22, 2020 on the anniversary of Roe v Wade. The March will begin with a Mass at 10:30 a.m. with Celebrant Father Ryan Rooney at St. Michael's Cathedral followed by the march down State Street to City Hall, Springfield. After, a light lunch will be served in the Bishop Marshall Center. This march is in solidarity with the Washington, D.C., March for Life.

For more info. email: [prolifepioneervalley@gmail.com](mailto:prolifepioneervalley@gmail.com).

**Please join us to defend the right to life of unborn children**

### NEW GENESIS BAKE SALE

The New Genesis Committee is seeking your participation in its Bake Sale to support its mission to bring dignity, respect and wholeness to individuals with disabilities and their families within our parish communities. Please support this mission by providing baked goods for the sale which will be held in the rear of the church at St. Ann after all masses on Feb. 8 and Feb. 9, as well as in the Family Center during Coffee Hour on Sunday. This is a great way to get your Valentine's goodies!!!

At St. Ann baked goods can be dropped off on the back porch of the rectory on Friday, Feb. 7, or in the rear of the church behind the curtain on the left on Saturday, Feb. 8.

At St. Patrick baked goods should be dropped off before 8:30 Mass in the Parish Center on Sunday, Feb. 9, and will be available for purchase there, after 8:30 Mass.

Thank you to all who choose to participate in this event. When you open your hearts, the joy is yours!

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

### Short Excerpts

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

#### The Gift of Wisdom

Think of a mother at her home with the children; when one does something, the other thinks of something else, and the poor mother goes to and fro with the problems of her children. And when mothers get tired and scold the children, is that wisdom? Scolding children—I ask you—is this wisdom? What do you say: is it wisdom or not? No!

Instead, when the mother takes her child aside and gently reproves him, saying, "Don't do this, because. . .," and explains with great patience, is this the wisdom of God? Yes! It is what the Holy Spirit gives us in life! Then, in marriage, for example, the two spouses—the husband and wife—argue, and then they don't look at each other, or if they do look at each other, they look at each other with displeasure: is this the wisdom of God? No! Instead, if one says, "Ah well, the storm has passed, let's make peace," and they begin again and go forward in peace: is this wisdom? . . . Now, this is the gift of wisdom. May it come to our homes; may we have it with the children; may it come to us all!

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

The Rectory office will be closed on Monday, Jan. 20th in observance of the Martin Luther King Jr. holiday. Our office will open on Tuesday morning at 8:30 a.m.

Our weekend collection counting team should plan to come in on Tuesday morning.



Feel free to join us this weekend after the 9:45 Mass in St. Ann's Family Center for coffee, tea, light snacks and some good conversation. Come meet up with friends you haven't seen in a while or meet some new ones.

**Pastoral Directory**

Msgr. John J. Bonzagni, Pastor  
 Deacon Dan Romanello  
 Deacon John Zick  
 Mrs. Deborah Kuni, Administrative Assistant (St. Ann)  
 Mrs. Margot Towl, Administrative Assistant (St. Patrick)  
 Mr. Ron Ramsay, Director of Music Programs (St. Ann)  
 Mr. Art DeVlyder, Director of Music (St. Patrick)  
 Deacon John Zick - DRE (St Patrick) (413) 232-0137  
 Mrs. Joan Hymanson - DRE (St. Ann) (413) 637-4027  
 Dianne Romeo, R.N., Parish Nurse — 637-2684

Rectory / Cemetery Office (St. Ann)  
 134 Main Street, Lenox, MA 01240-2395  
 Tel. (413) 637-0157 • Fax (413) 637-2945

Rectory / Cemetery Office (St. Patrick)  
 30 Albany Road, West Stockbridge, MA 01266-9200  
 Tel / Fax (413) 232-4427

Rectory Office (St. Vincent de Paul)  
 P.O. Box 3, Lenox Dale, MA 01242  
 Tel (413) 637-0157

**Daily Mass:** Monday - Friday 7 a.m. in St. Ann Family Center

**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

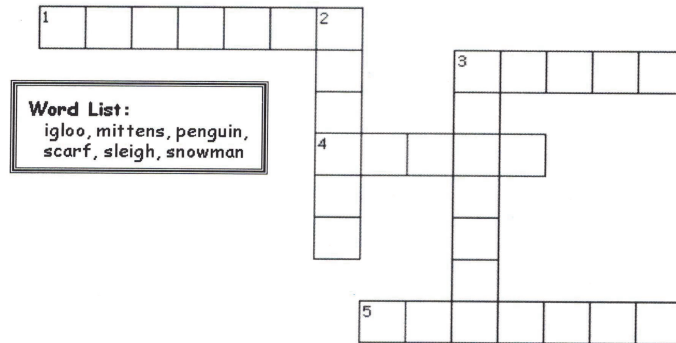
**Sacrament of Baptism:** Call the rectory of your choice to register.

**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.

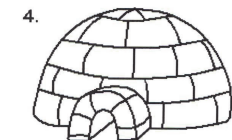
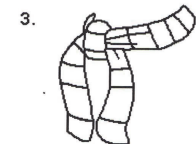
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**KID'S CORNER**

**Winter Crossword**



**Across**



**Down**

