



Mass Intentions

Intentions For This Weekend

Saturday – October 1st

In Memory of Joseph Daher
 Requested by Orlando Pereis
 In Memory of Michael J. David
 Requested by The Family

Sunday – October 2nd

In Memory of Joseph Daher
 Requested by Helen Pittsley and Beshara Thomas
 In Memory of George Morad

Weekday Liturgies

Tuesday – In Memory of Theresa David
Wednesday – In Memory of Theresa David
Thursday – In Memory of Amelia Bramwell
Friday – In Memory of Ann Thomas

Intentions For Next Weekend

Saturday – October 8th

In Memory of Joseph Daher
 Requested by The Fraternal Order of DAV #7

Sunday – October 9th

Dec. Members of the Kenyon and Daher Families
 Requested by Joseph and Marie Kenyon

Stewardship – A Way of Life

Budget Amount Needed Weekly	\$1,500.00
Received:	
Tithes & Offerings	\$ 704.00
Devotions	\$ 22.00
Total Collection	\$ 726.00

“Don’t give until it hurts; rather, give until you feel good!” Please remember, no one takes your place when you are not here!

FOR THOSE WHO NEED OUR PRAYERS

At Home: Tabitha Saadi, Sophie Moujabber, Eugene Daher and Leo Roderick.

In Nursing Homes: Helen Pittsley, Bea Howe, Sophie Daher, Barbara Thomas, Ann Abraham and Cecilia Attallah.

In Assisted Living: Mary Sadeck and Ann David.

UPCOMING EVENTS

October 2nd – St. Joseph Sodality meets at 9:45.

Lectors

October 1st Carol Maslanka (Phil. 3: 17 – 4:1)
 October 2nd Joan Thomas-Mello & Hiba Chedid
 October 8th Janet Charron (1Thes. 5: 1-11)
 October 9th Ann Dupre and Elie Boukheir
 October 15th Subdeacon Joe (Phil. 2: 12-18)
 October 16th Sarah Chedid and Joumana Chedid
 October 22nd Janet Charron (Galatians 6: 1-10)
 October 23rd Joan Thomas-Mello and Zakhia Chedid
 October 29th Carol Maslanka (Romans 12: 9-21)
 October 30th Mae Dickinson and Elie Boukheir
 Nov. 5th Janet Charron (Hebrews 9: 1-12)
 Nov. 6th Mae Dickinson and Gaby Baroody

PRAYER ZONE



Please, be mindful of those who want to use our Church for prayer. We should all be friendly; but, we can be friendly with a smile, a nod, a quiet how are you, or a hug. Let us do our best to encourage one another to use our Church for prayer. We may all greet one another and share fellowship following the Liturgy.

CONFESSIONS

Confessions are heard one half hour before the scheduled Liturgies or by appointment.

PRAYER CHAIN

If there is someone you know who is in need of special prayers, please speak with Subdeacon Joe or Carol Maslanka at (508) 984-7025 and the petitioner’s name(s) will be added to our prayer chain. Prayers are needed, heard and answered!

BIRTHDAY CORNER

Congratulations to Louise Tibbals, Rosemary Dupre, Ann Dupre, Bruce David, Elizabeth Reynolds, Joan Thomas-Mello. Joe Barckett and Norma Thomas who are celebrating a birthday this month!

RESPECT LIFE CORNER

Jesus, Mary, and Joseph, I love you very much. I beg you to spare the life of the unborn child that I pray for who is in danger of abortion.

Prayer of Bishop Fulton J. Sheen

FOOD FOR THOSE IN NEED

Please continue to donate non-perishable food items for those in need. This is just one way we can make a difference in our community. Or, if you prefer, Janet Charron will accept monetary donations and shop for you.

GIFTS OF THANKSGIVING

The Altar Bread, Wine, Candles and Incense for the month of September are offered in loving memory of John Lalor as requested by the Family.

UPCOMING EVENTS

October 23rd – Cleaning of the Pews
December 16th – Sodality Christmas Party
March 10th - St. Maron Hafli

30 CLUB NEWS

Our 30 Club drawings will begin this weekend. The good news is our numbers are increasing which will enable us to offer larger prizes! Your \$35.00 membership enrolls you in a weekly \$25.00 drawing and pays for your end dinner at our gala Annual Banquet. Good Luck!

PATRIARCH'S VISIT

On Tuesday, October 18, 2011, our Patriarch, His Beatitude Bechara Peter Rai will celebrate the Divine Liturgy at St. Anthony's Church in Fall River at 6:00 p.m. – all are invited to attend this his first visit to our area. Following the Liturgy, there will be a reception and gala banquet at the Venus DeMilo Restaurant. Tickets are \$100.00 per person – sign-up sheets are available in the sacristy.

HOLIDAY BAZAAR

Our Holiday Bazaar is the weekend of November 12th and 13th. We need Caravan items – I am told gift cards in any amount are welcome. Sittoo is going to open her attic and is asking for donations of "valuable items" that you may have in your house. Please, Sittoo will accept only items that are CLEAN and saleable - no electrical items unless they are new!

WEBPAGE

Please remember to visit our parish website that Deacon Jean has designed for our parish and tell your friends and relatives about it, too!
www.ourladyofpurgatory.org.

GOOD ADVICE

"People are often unreasonable, illogical, and self-centered; Forgive them anyway.
If you are kind, people may accuse you of selfish, ulterior motives; Be kind anyway.
If you are successful, you will win some false friends and some true enemies; Succeed anyway.
If you are honest and frank, people may cheat you; Be honest and frank anyway.
What you spend years building, someone could destroy overnight; Build anyway.
If you find serenity and happiness, they may be jealous; Be happy anyway.
The good you do today, people will often forget tomorrow; Do good anyway.
Give the world the best you have, and it may never be enough; Give the world the best you've got anyway.
You see, in the final analysis, It is between you and God; It never was between you and them anyway."

Blessed Teresa of Calcutta

THE YELLOW LIGHT

The traffic light turned yellow, just in front of the driver who did the right thing; stopping at the crosswalk, even though he could have beaten the red light by accelerating through the intersection. The tailgating woman was so furious and honked her horn, screaming in frustration, as she missed her chance to get through the intersection and dropping her cell phone and makeup. As she was still screaming, she heard a tap on her window and looked up into the face of a very serious police officer. The officer ordered her to exit her car with her hands up. He took her to the police station where she was searched, fingerprinted, photographed and placed in a holding cell. After a couple of hours, a policeman approached the cell and opened the door and she was escorted to the booking desk where the arresting officer was waiting with her personal effects. He said, "I'm sorry for this mistake. You see, I pulled up behind your car while you were blowing your horn, flipping off the guy in front of you and cussing a blue streak at him. I noticed the "Choose Life" license plate holder, the "What Would Jesus Do" and "Follow Me to Church" bumper stickers and the chrome-plated Christian fish emblem on the trunk, so naturally I assumed you had stolen the car."

THOUGHTS FOR THE WEEK

The unknown is feared by weak souls.
Prayer is a wish turned upward.

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