

NOVEMBER 1, 2015
ALL SAINTS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2015

4:00 John Miggins, 5th anniversary – req. by the Miggins Family

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2015

8:00 Marion Kuzma – req. by Bernice & Jack Czertak

10:00 Jacky Welsh & Jane Wheatall – req. by the Family

11:45 Deceased Members of the St. Valentine Society – req. by the St. Valentine Society

2:00 **Mass of Remembrance**

5:00 Arlene A. & Wilson Da Silva – req. by Carlos Costa

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2015

7:00 For Catherine's Place Ministry

8:00 For Our Parishioners

12:05 Deceased Members of Our Lady of Grace Society – req. by Our Lady of Grace Society

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2015

7:00 Concetta Gianni – req. by the Family

8:00 Intentions of Maureen Fenton – req. by her Mother & Father

12:05 Hank Martyn

6:00 **Vespers**

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2015

7:00 For Franciscan Center Ministry

8:00 For Catherine's Place Ministry

12:05 Javier Torres & Aceneth Llanos – req. by their Son

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2015

7:00 William & Angeline Speziale – req. by Daughters Joanne & Donna

8:00 For Our Parishioners

12:05 Stephen G. Kristofak, Sr. – req. by the Family

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2015

7:00 For Franciscan Center Ministry

8:00 For Catherine's Place Ministry

12:05 Conrad Rosal & Family – req. by Maria Rosal

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2015

4:00 Salvatore Gianni – req. by the Family

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2015

8:00 Tina & Charles Vella; Lucille Vella Konstandaras – req. by Charlie Vella

10:00 Jane Wamester – req. by Mimi Sanford

11:45 Harold W. Adams – req. by Daughters Marilyn & Doreen

5:00 William Brown – req. by the Family

SANCTUARY LAMPS – WEEK OF NOVEMBER 1,
2015

In loving memory of Salvatore Bellardo, Doreen Rubacha & Cheryl Gervascio – req. by Wife & Mother.
In loving memory of Fr. Jim Hynes, ofm – req. by Susan Ahearn.

Please Remember The Deceased In Your Prayers:

John Lilly

TODAY WE PRAYED FOR: All ministers of the news of God's great love – in our community, the city of Hartford and the world.

REMINDERS

- The monthly collection will be taken up next weekend.
- Blood Pressure Screenings will be done in the Franciscan Center for Urban Ministry next Sunday after the 8:00, 10:00, and 11:45 a.m. Masses.
- Fair-Trade coffee and donuts will be served after the 8:00, 10:00 and 11:45 a.m. Masses next Sunday.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Weddings

DANIELLE HEBERT AND ADAM BROWN

SISTER PARISH UPDATE



Proverb: *Men ale, men vini fè zanmi dire.*
"A hand going out, a hand coming back makes a friendship last."

September was a busy month in Z'oranje. The parish had a special Mass to celebrate St. Genevieve's 12th anniversary as a parish. Four doctors including dentists spent a Saturday at the clinic and they saw over 80 patients. They plan to return once a month. This was the first time that doctors have come to the clinic.

The next meeting of the Sister Parish Committee is November 9, 2015 at 6:30 p.m. in the Franciscan Center.

Stay tuned, more updates will be shared. God bless you.

Peace and All Good

Sister Parish Committee

Please help in our November 21-22

Thanksgiving Turkey Drive

The parish will be having our 7TH ANNUAL TURKEY DRIVE the weekend of November 21-22. Please bring the following items to church with you that weekend to help us feed the hungry for the holiday:



Frozen Turkeys (no fresh or live turkeys)

Bags/Boxes of Stuffing Mix

Canned Vegetables (large cans)

There will be a collection point outside the Franciscan Center before and after each Mass that weekend. Please be alerted that due to a lack of storage these items will be collected ***ONLY*** on the weekend of Nov. 21-22. Our collection is being sponsored by our Men's Fellowship Group. Items collected will benefit the House of Bread. Thank you for your support in feeding the hungry.

Dear Parishioners and Friends at
St. Patrick-St. Anthony and St. Genevieve,

May the Lord give you peace.

This weekend we celebrate the eve of all hallows, Halloween, All Saints, and All Souls days. It is a three-day tribute to the memory of the all who have shared our lives and the vast communion of saints into which we were baptized. We are in communion with all who have gone before us. So there are costumes and candy as we consider the ways in which life is fickle, "trick or treat", the solemn remembrance of holy men and women, and the particular remembering of those men and women who have revealed God's face to us through our shared lives and stories. At all of the Masses this weekend, we will attend to the names of those who have died in the last year. I invite you to be seated for this remembrance and prayer.

We will also have a Mass for those who have lost someone in the last year on Sunday at 2:00 p.m. While families and friends have been specifically invited, all are welcome.

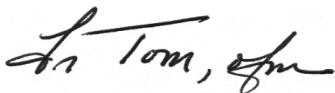
I thank you for your prayers and support of last weekend's retreat day for parents who have lost a child. We had an exhausting but blessed day of prayer, stories, tears, and grace. Your prayerful presence was a great support for all who were a part of the day. I thank you.

We also host some of our friars who will ask for our support of the sick and elderly friars of our province together with the men who are just beginning our way of life and the support of our missions among communities that struggle financially. We welcome our friars, David Convertino, Richard McFeely, and Robert Frazzetta. I invite your attention to their presentation as well as inviting you to come to the Center after Mass for donuts, coffee, and conversation. The friars will be available with more information. Brothers Richard and Robert work directly with our elderly and infirm friars. It is good of them to visit. I thank you for your support.

Next weekend we are privileged to have Bishop Matthew Clark, Bishop Emeritus of Rochester, NY, visit. Bishop Clark will engage us in a discussion of the recent Synod from his pastoral perspective. I encourage you to join us on Saturday evening for his presentation.

We have not forgotten the refugee crisis. We are working in coordination with Catholic Charities, the Berlin Mosque, Senators Blumenthal and Murphy to discover ways of our concrete and specific response to the need. I thank you for your support.

Peace and all good,



- The **Committee for Social Justice** is seeking items for use at the Hartford Day of Sharing and Caring on November 20. We are collecting **until November 8** winter items such as hats,

scarves, gloves, mittens, travel size shampoo, soap, toothpaste and toothbrushes. Please plan to bring these items to the bin in the church marked "Day of Sharing". Thank you!

- Help is needed for **Thanksgiving at Catherine's Place**. Please contact Trudi for more information.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

Today's Psalm makes clear that we and everything we think we own actually belong to God instead. "The Lord's are the earth and its fullness, the world and those who dwell in it." We are stewards, not owners, of our lives and all we possess!

LIVING STEWARDSHIP

We are grateful this week for all stewards in our parish who recognize that all good gifts come from God, to be used in service to our neighbor.

CATHERINE'S PLACE

AT THE FRANCISCAN CENTER FOR URBAN MINISTRY IN
COLLABORATION WITH MERCY HOUSING AND SHELTER
CORPORATION

WE CONTINUE TO NEED ITEMS FOR CATHERINE'S PLACE:

Coffee...Butter...Juice...Cereal...Bread (wheat)
Paper Towels...Toilet Paper...Sugar
1 gallon ziplock bags

Please bring your donations to the plastic bin marked
"Catherine's Place" at the back of the church.

Thank you for your generosity!

COMMUNAL ANOINTING AT WEEKEND MASSES

We invite you to celebrate communal anointing with us at the weekend Masses on **Nov. 21-22**. We invite and encourage anyone who is seriously ill, with prolonged or chronic illness or disease (heart, cancer, respiratory ailments, diabetes, etc.) those with the disease of alcoholism or other addictions, those who suffer from mental illness and disorders, anyone facing exploratory surgery with its uncertainty and anxiety and those experiencing aging with its limitations, its fears and isolation together with caregivers and family members to join us at any of those weekend Masses.

WRITER SEARCH

Fr. Cid is looking for assistance in a writing project. If you are interested, please contact Fr. Cid in the parish office.

NOVEL IDEA: FICTION DISCUSSION GROUP

A group of parishioners and friends gather once a month at the Urban Ministry Center to discuss works of fiction with a wide appeal. We invite and welcome new participants. Feel free to join us when the book announced in the bulletin is of interest to you or become a regular participant and help us choose the selections. For more information, contact Marybeth Walsh (860-523-7034) or Sara Zagorski (860-721-1814).

Upcoming Selections:

- Nov. 19** *The Invention of Wings* by Sue Monk Kidd
- Dec. 17** *Lila* by Marilynne Robinson
- Jan. 21** *The Archivist* by Martha Cooley
- Feb. 18** *My Brilliant Friend* by Elena Ferrante
- Mar. 17** *The Narrow Road to the Deep North* by Richard Flanagan

Date/Time: Thurs., Nov. 19 – 7 to 8:30 p.m.

Place: Franciscan Center for Urban Ministry

OPEN HEARTS

GAY & LESBIAN MINISTRY

Next meeting: November 8, 2015 at 6:00 p.m.

Families & Friends of the Gay & Lesbian Community

Next Meeting: TBD

Sr. Ginny and individual parents are available for one-on-one visits. Please call the church office for further information.

CLARE GALLERY

Artist Reception & Lecture

"Seeking a Path": Works by Diane Cadrain
Thurs., Nov. 12; 6:30-8:00 p.m. Artist Talk begins at 7 p.m.

Clare Gallery Workshop: Seeking A Path...With Your Fingers - Sat., Nov. 14; 10:00-11:30 a.m.

Inspired by Diane Cadrain's exhibit in the Clare Gallery, *Seeking a Path* (Nov. 12-Dec. 27), discover your own path through the twists and turns of a finger labyrinth – no compass required! Under the direction of fiber artist Robin McCahill, learn the art of needle-felting and take part in a journey that could last a lifetime.

Artist Facilitator: Robin McCahill

Suggested Offering: \$20.00 for program and art supplies

READINGS –NOVEMBER 2-8, 2015

- Mon. Wis 3:1-9; Rom 5:5-11; Jn 6:37-40
- Tues. Rom 12:5-16b; Lk 14:15-24
- Wed. Rom 13:8-10; Lk 14:25-33
- Thurs. Rom 14:7-12; Lk 15:1-10
- Fri. Rom 15:14-21; Lk 16:1-8
- Sun. 1Kgs 17:10-16; Heb 9:24-28; Mk 12:38-44



Soup Kitchen and Day Shelter

It's Meatloaf Madness! Cooked and frozen meat loaves will be collected next week. Bring home cooking to our clients at the House of Bread!

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Much needed are razors, socks, spray deodorant and other toiletries for the Day Shelter. Non-perishables for the Soup Kitchen of 39 gallon trash bags, dish detergent, bleach, salt & pepper.

Thank you for your generosity.

www.hobread.org...more than just soup!

The Ladies Guild

The Ladies Guild is sponsoring a Bake Sale and Christmas Corner after all Masses on **Sun., Nov. 8 (note correction from Nov. 15)**. Your support will assist the Guild in its many ministries, in particular, our scholarship fund. Bring home a delicious cake or pie, bread or cookies...AND don't forget to take a chance on the Christmas Corner. Prizes include Gift Cards to Toys 'R Us, D&D, Stop and Shop, our traditional Italian Basket and other surprises. Prize drawing will be held at the Ladies Guild December 13th Christmas Party at DeNovellis Restaurant.

YOUTH ROSARY GROUP

Please join us for the next Youth Rosary Group in Our Lady of the Angels Chapel on Sundays at 11:00 – 11:30 a.m. (right after the 10:00 a.m. Mass). Our group will be meeting **once per month** to learn about the gifts of the rosary prayer. The next three classes are scheduled as follows:

Nov. 22: The Our Father, Part 3

Dec. 27: The Apostles Creed

Please contact Assistant Level 2 Catechist, Gina Ghirardi at gmdurante@yahoo.com if you would like to join the class

Check the bulletin for more classes to come!

COLLECTION AMOUNTS

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| Weekly – Oct. 24/25 | \$13,229.00 |
| On-line Giving –Oct. 19-- 25 | \$ 2,415.50 |
| On-line Giving Monthly | \$ 751.00 |
| Total available for operating budget | \$16,395.50 |



To register for Online Giving, please visit our website: WWW.SPSACT.ORG

Need help signing up for Online Giving? Our Sunday Visitor Support is available at 1-800-348-2886, option 4

Thank you for your continued generous support to St. Patrick-St. Anthony Church.