



HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC PARISH

Sunday, June 21, 28 & July 5, 2009

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE HOURS

Monday through Thursday
9:30 A.M. - 4:30 P.M. and by appointment

SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE

June 20/21 through September 5/6

5:00 P.M. Saturday Vigil
St. Theresa Church

Sunday Masses
8:00 A.M. St. Francis Xavier Church
10:00 A.M. St. Theresa Church

Weekday Liturgical Schedule

9:00 A.M. Mass:
Monday & Tuesday at St. Theresa Church
Wednesday at St. Francis Xavier Church

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Mondays 9:30 - 10:00 A.M. St. Theresa Church
Wednesday 9:30 - 10:00 A.M. St. Francis Xavier Church

Holy Day Masses

9:00 A.M. St. Theresa Church
7:00 P.M. St. Francis Xavier Church

CONFESSIONS AT ST. THERESA CHURCH

Saturdays 3:00 - 4:00 P.M. and by appointment any time

BAPTISMS

Please call the Rectory to make arrangements.

MARRIAGES

Arrangements *one year* prior to the wedding

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday through Thursday 9:30 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.
Father Dennis' days off are Thursday and Friday.

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Pastoral Center

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Saint Theresa, The Little Flower Church

17 Still River Road
Harvard, MA 01451
www.st-theresas.org

Mission Statement

Nourished by the Word of God and the Eucharist, we create a fully-engaged Catholic community of faith, hope and love. Inspired by the Holy Trinity, we use our time, talent and treasure to carry out Christ's mission by doing small things with great love and big things with great courage.

Saint Francis Xavier Church

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>CELEBRANT</u>	<u>INTENTIONS</u>
Sunday, June 21	8:00 A.M.	Father Dennis	Stanley Johnson (19th Anniv.) req. by his wife, Teresa & family; Denny & Nancy Mahoney's 40th Wedding Anniversary
Sunday, June 28	8:00 A.M.	Father Julius	Father Joseph Adamo
Sunday, July 5	8:00 A.M.	Father Julius	The People of Holy Trinity Parish



Saint Theresa, The Little Flower Church

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>CELEBRANT</u>	<u>INTENTIONS</u>
Saturday, June 20	5:00 P.M.	Father Dennis	Charlotte Dove
Sunday, June 21	10:00 A.M.	Father Dennis	For all deceased fathers & grandfathers
Saturday, June 27	5:00 P.M.	Father Julius	Tony DiPietro req. by his wife, Loretta & family
Sunday, June 28	10:00 A.M.	Father Julius	Robert Falvey; Anthony, Emma & Anna Mancini req. by the family
Saturday, July 4	5:00 P.M.	Father Julius	Independence Day
Sunday, July 5	10:00 A.M.	Father Julius	The McCarthy family

Weekday Liturgical Schedule 9:00 A.M.

<u>DATE</u>		<u>MASS INTENTIONS</u>	<u>FEAST</u>
Mon., June 22	St. Theresa	Steven Hayes	St. Paulinus of Nola
Tues., June 23	St. Theresa	Joel McNamara	
Wed., June 24	St. Francis	Marie Wall	The Nativity of John the Baptist
Mon., June 29	St. Theresa	Robert Osper	St. Peter & St. Paul
Tues., June 30	St. Theresa	Carol Shaw	The First Holy Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church
Wed., July 1	St. Francis	Jean M. Slovak	Blessed Junipero Serra
Mon., July 6	St. Theresa		St. Maria Goretti
Tues., July 7	St. Theresa	Roger Brule	
Wed., July 8	St. Francis	George Sontag	



FINANCIAL REPORT

June 7	
Loose Contributions	\$1,782.00
122 Envelopes	\$4,841.00
Total:	\$6,623.00
June 14	
Loose Contributions	\$1,194.00
136 Envelopes	\$4,249.00
Total:	\$5,443.00
Parish Improvement	\$1,979.00

Thank you for your faithful support of our operational budget. The second collection the weekend of June 28 is Peter's Pence.

Father Dennis will be attending a workshop on "Demystifying Mysticism" (www.ost.edu) in San Antonio Texas on June 22-24. He will then make his annual retreat at the New Camaldoli Hermitage, (www.contemplation.com.) Big Sur, California.

Father Julius from Uganda will be saying Mass for us the two weekends that Father Dennis will be away, as well as the weekday morning Masses. Father Julius was here with us two years ago.

R.C.I.A - The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adult

Looking for a relationship with Jesus Christ? Interested in learning more about the Catholic faith? Baptized Catholic and never received any sacraments? The Community of Holy Trinity Parish would like to extend an invitation to you. Come and ask questions. Come and see what RCIA is all about! We can meet at your convenience. Inquiry sessions are held year round. Please call the Parish Center at 978-456-3563 Or contact Janet Hammonds at janet.hammonds@gmail.com.

TWELFTH, THIRTEENTH & FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SAFE ENVIRONMENT

As a reminder, our parish follows the guidelines of the national Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People approved by the US Bishops and the policies of the Diocese of Worcester in screening those who work with children in our care and in helping victims of abuse find healing. If you or someone you know has been sexually abused by a Church employee or volunteer in the past, please contact Frances Nugent, Victim Services Coordinator for our diocese at 508-929-4363 (direct line & confidential voicemail). If you are concerned about a current case of abuse, please contact the local civil authorities immediately.

Holy Trinity Parish Safe Environment contacts are: Loretta DiPietro and Marianne Dilworth at 978-456-8807.

Energy Jesus goes cool!

A suggestion from Laura Kischitz in the Bolton Common last week: When it finally warms up, instead of turning on the air conditioning, try a Yankee solution of putting a gallon jug of water, filled $\frac{3}{4}$ full, in the freezer. Once it is frozen, put the gallon ice block in a large baking pan and set it in front of a fan blowing into the room. You'll be amazed at how cool it will make your room. Honest!

Remember, wash you laundry in cold water to save 85% of the cost of washing, and then hang the clothes outside to dry, for another large savings. For instructions on how to build a simple clothes line for your yard, write to Sharon at sashepela@aol.com, subject line—clothes line plans. Remember to send your KWH savings to EnergyJesus@gmail.com



HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!

Thank you!!!

A special thanks to our parishioners who did so very much to make our celebration for Deacon Court, Mary Ellen, and their family so wonderful!!! The array of food...outstanding...thanks also to the Knights...for setting up and taking down the tables and chairs and for providing the cold drinks and the marvelous barbecue on the patio...and to the girls that helped in the kitchen...Ginger, Jane, and Karen. It was a wonderful day for our Holy Trinity Family!!!

Susan Starr & Mary Ellen DeSantis

Thanks from the lasagna-making duo!

The 50+ Lasagna Dinner was a great success! Thanks to all who provided us with bountiful appetizer and dessert tables. Special thanks to those who made the hall so inviting and for their help in the kitchen which made everything flow smoothly. We look forward to another event in the fall.



Registration Forms for Religious Education for 2009-2010 have been mailed to every family. Please return these forms as soon as possible.

Religious Education classes are offered on Sunday morning from 8:45 – 9:45 A.M. for children in **PreK and Kindergarten**. These classes are open to all the children in our parish and are held at Saint Theresa's. Parents who wish their children to participate should call the Religious Education Office (978-456-8807) for more information.

Parents who wish their children to be enrolled for **Grade 1** should also call the office for registration information. Classes for first graders are held at both Churches.

It's Not Too Late to Plant

Want to be part of our **Grow a Row for the Neighbors** project? It's not too late to plant seedlings, or even seeds. The Bird House Nursery in Boxboro on Rt 111 is offering a significant discount on their vegetable seedlings. We've just put three tall branches from the winter storm into fairly tall pots on our deck, tied them together at the top, and planted Italian pole beans around the bottom. Voila! Decorations, and beans for the neighbors. Recruit your family, friends and neighbors for this great project. Let the kids decide what they would like to plant and tend.

Worried about what will happen when you go off on vacation? Let us know, and we will arrange to water your **Grow a Row** veggies, or pick them if necessary.

SUN., SEPT. 13, 2009
PARISH MASS & PICNIC
SAVE THE DATE!



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BEGINNING THE WEEKEND OF

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Please remember in your prayers...

Danielle LaPlante, Ed Newman, Steve Sonia, Jameson Arruda, Kristen Barrett, Joanne Kincaide, Fr. William McGovern, Betsy Peterson, Abbot Gabriel, Paul Johnston, Daryl Pelland, Joe Lawrence, Pat Peer, Kat Duffey, Paul Leger, Ernie Stackpole, Rachel Pasqua, Austin Mahoney, Michael Martin, Missy Pelletier, Len and Eric Staats, Kevin Riordan, Betty Connolly, Dave Dakin, Kathy Baltzer, Sharon Hardaway, Joseph Tower, Avallana Rogeth, Jenny Sroka, Tyler Tierney, Mary Mullen, Ruth Gallagher, Don Ginty, Brandon Brazeau, Josephine Wood, Carole Belleville, Emilia Benzoni, Evelyn Millani, Scott Holt, Mary Allen, Mary Harris, Kurt Walter, Greg Vrettos, Ian MacLellan, Liza Prowley, Joseph Cormier, Helga Palmatier, Joe E. Mitchell, Lauren Holt, Fiona Kennon, Judy Dempsey, Mary McHugh, Ruth Diego, John James O'Keefe, Bob and Dave DeMilia, Paul Athaide, April Dreschmeyer, Diane Anderson.

Pray for the safety of ...1st Lt. Elizabeth Suhecki and 2nd Lt. Matt Garrick who are both serving in Iraq



Condolences ...to Bruce and Mary Halvey-Dove and family on the death of his mother, Charlotte Dove;
...to Marianne and Bill McNamara and family on the death of his father, Richard McNamara and her father Robert Bulger.
May they rest in peace.

Congratulations ...to Denny and Nancy Mahoney on their 40th wedding anniversary!

Babysitter Needed... Robyn and Peter Smith are looking for someone to care for their two and a half year old son 2 days a week in their Bolton home. If you're interested please call 978-779-9803

James 2:15 Kitchen - Wed., June 24

A spaghetti and meatball lunch is served on the last Wednesday of every month at this soup kitchen in Clinton. If you would like more information about this ministry, please contact Bob Walrath at 978-897-9088 or RobertWalrath@aol.com.



MUSTARD SEED - Thurs., June 25

Volunteers: Jim and Pat DeZutter, Mark Morin, Sy and Kathy Brule
SIGN-UP SHEETS FOR MUSTARD SEED FOR JULY THROUGH DECEMBER ARE IN THE BACK OF BOTH CHURCHES.



Independence Day
Celebrate
Freedom!



MASSACHUSETTS INTERFAITH POWER & LIGHT

INVITES YOU

Join friends, family and others in the Community of Faith

Go On a Lo-Carb Diet

Host a

Global Warming Café

at your Home or Congregation

Call Tom Nutt-Powell at 617-821-6107 or email at nuttpowell@MIPandL.org

What is a Global Warming Café?

A gathering in a friendly setting to acknowledge the reality of global warming and to learn how we can act personally and in our communities to Reduce our Carbon Footprint.

What is a Carbon Footprint?

A Carbon Footprint is the impact one has based on daily activities, including use of non-renewable energy (electricity, gas, oil, purchase steam), fuel for travel (ground and air), and garbage. These activities generate CO₂, contributing to global warming. CO₂ is measured in lbs.

What is a Lo-Carb Diet?

A Lo-Carb Diet is a set of actions to “lose CO₂ pounds” for the sake of the health of the earth.

What will I learn?

You will learn specific steps to take in your home and your life to lower your carbon footprint.

How can I be a host?

Contact MIP&L. There is a guide for “How To” prepare and host.

And don't wait. Take these actions now, yourself! In your home, at your workplace, in schools and community, encourage ...

- **Clean Energy Use** - go to · <http://www.cleanenergychoice.org/>. Buy *Green Electricity*. Every \$ you spend will generate a \$2 match for your community and low-income communities in Massachusetts.

- **Monitor Energy Use and Cost** - click on the Energy Use and Efficiency links to obtain an Excel spreadsheet to track use of gas, oil, electricity and water, with automatic calculations providing comparisons to the same month in prior years. Knowing what we use is a terrific way prompt “going on a diet”!

- **Home Energy Audit** - Go to · <http://www.masssave.com/> Get an audit and implement the findings!!!! Save money and reduce pollution.

- **Everyday Environmental Stewardship** - click on the EveryDay Stewardship link to get practical “How To” information on interior storm windows, paint, carpets and other topics.

If We Don't, Who Will?

THANK YOU TO ALL WHO CONTRIBUTED TO THE MERCY MINISTRIES COLLECTION.

TO DATE WE HAVE RECEIVED A TOTAL OF \$1,716.00.

IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO GIVE A DONATION TO THIS MINISTRY THAT PROVIDES
BAGS OF GROCERIES FOR 250 MEXICAN FAMILIES.

\$10 BUYS A BAG OF GROCERIES FOR ONE WEEK FOR EACH FAMILY.

RECENTLY A GIFT OF \$2,000.00 WAS DONATED TO THE LORD'S ACRE AWARD FUND.

WE ARE VERY GRATEFUL FOR ALL CONTRIBUTIONS TO THIS AWARD AND
THE FR. NORMAND GAUMOND AWARD.



ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP 1-2-3

Here are three things that are fundamental to helping you put together your
Environmental Stewardship approach,
Starting Today

1. **Know what you are doing** – Get the *Utility Use and Cost* form. It provides a simple, efficient way to assemble the information on your gas, electric, oil and water/sewer use, so that you can know, and change, your use patterns. The Excel form is available at www.MIPandL.org, together with an *Everyday Environmental Stewardship* (“EES”) brief that provides an explanation of how to use it. The *UU&C* form automatically calculates your **Carbon Footprint**. Use it, and encourage your friends to do the same.
2. **Get help to change** — Have an Energy Audit done. They’re free. Go to www.MassSave.com to arrange it. You can get an EES on how to prepare for the audit. It’s like getting ready to visit the doctor. You want to know, then describe, your condition! When the audit is done, **implement the findings**. You’ll save money and reduce environmental impact. *What's not to like!*
3. **Buy Clean Energy** — Now that you've done 1 & 2, you'll have all the more reason to go 100% green, easily. Go to www.CleanEnergyChoice.org and sign up now for Clean Energy. And of course there are EES briefs to help explain this too.

For more help on other *Everyday Environmental Stewardship* possibilities, go to...

www.MIPandL.org

Click on the *Everyday Stewardship* link (upper right corner of Home Page).

You’ll find many short pieces on all sorts of actions.

Remember, it really isn’t rocket science! It’s faithful action.