

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ JUNE 12, 2016

Sunday Scripture Meditation:

Second Book of Samuel 12:7-10,13; Letter of St. Paul to the Galatians 2:16, 19-21; Luke 7:36-8:3

*In today's first reading, David committed adultery with Bathsheba. God was merciful to King David and He is merciful to us. He is merciful to everyone who comes to Him! So whether your sin is large or small, don't be afraid to confess it. **Let God's mercy wash over you and set you free.***

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CELEBRATION OF MASSES THIS WEEK

Sat.	June 11	4:30 PM	+ANDREW MARCINOV ~ <i>Daughter, Marge</i>
Sun.	June 12	7:30 AM	+IN MEMORY OF FRANCES PUCCI ~ <i>Betty Pucci and Family</i>
		9:00 AM	+CASPER A. SCALZI ~ <i>The Family</i>
		11:00 AM	+LAURA VIETRI ~ <i>Patricia Secchiaroli and son, Lawrence</i>
Mon.	June 13	7:30 AM	+JOHN KMETZ, SR. ~ <i>The Leszczynski Family</i>
Tues.	June 14	7:30 AM	+VERONICA AND +ANDREW CHARNITSKI ~ <i>Daughter, Cathy</i>
Wed.	June 15	7:30 AM	+HELENIA SZARMACH ~ <i>Dottie Millo</i>
Thurs.	June 16	7:30 AM	IN HONOR OF THE SACRED HEART FOR A FAVOR RECEIVED ~ Catherine Ciacci
Fri.	June 17	7:30 AM	+MARY KARWIN ~ <i>Daughter, Gertrude Balamaci</i>
Sat.	June 18	8:00 AM	+DOUGLAS GUYDAN ~ <i>Agnes Papin</i>
		4:30 PM	+MARGE ROBINSON, <i>Anniversary ~ Cousin, Dolores Mihalik</i>
Sun.	June 19	7:30 AM	+JENEATH QUICK ~ <i>Diem Tran</i>
		9:00 AM	+MARY MARGONIS, <i>50th Anniversary ~ David Margonis</i>
		11:00 AM	+FRANK AND +ELIZABETH KRAJCIK ~ <i>Daughter, Mary Ann</i>

FINANCIAL SUPPORT OF OUR PARISH ~ WEEK OF 6-5-2016

Operating Costs – Weekly amount needed to meet expenses of all five buildings ----	\$8,800
Sunday Collection	\$ 4,668
Other Collections: Annual, Monthly, Holy Day...	\$ 1,955
TOTAL WEEKLY INCOME.....	\$ 6,593
SHORTFALL	\$ <u>2,207</u>
<u>FISCAL YEAR TO DATE OVERVIEW</u> Operating Costs Year to Date -\$8,800 x 49\$431,200	
	Actual Weekly Income Year to date \$408,927 Shortfall \$22,273



PRAYER CORNER: Your prayers are requested for the sick and the suffering, those in ongoing treatment and/or rehabilitation and those whose lives are heavily burdened. If you are a parishioner or know of a parishioner who would like to be included in the Prayer Corner, please call the parish office 203-375-5815. Please pray for the good health of Eileen McCoy, Dottie Millo, Helen Mino, David Petreycik, Jo-Ann Petreycik, T.J. Recupido, Jennie Tesla

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM
REGISTRATION FOR 2016-2017**

All parish children are expected to attend religion classes every year from K through 8. Registration forms will be sent out to all those who are currently involved our program within the next two weeks. New students are always welcome and information and forms may be obtained by calling 203-378-7407 or email Sr. Joseph Therese dreholynname@gmail.com If you know of anyone who may have children entering kindergarten or first grade please pass on this information and ask them to call or email Sister Joseph Therese. She will then send them the Registration forms.

We welcome to the Saturday, 4:30 PM Mass, members of the St. John Nepomucene Grade School Class of '66 who are celebrating their 50 year reunion this weekend.



Banns of Marriage are announced for Katelyn Farrell and Richard Jackson. 3rd Call.

We wish to express our gratitude to the Senior Choir and Youth Choir for their beautiful singing and enhancement of our Eucharistic Celebration during the year. We thank Michael Petreycik and Nina DeMasi for their dedication and outstanding direction of the choirs which makes our music ministry possible. The choirs are on summer break and will resume in September.

The Lord's Kitchen – Schedule Update

Fellow parishioners, we are pleased to announce a new church participant in the effort to feed the needy through the Lord's Kitchen. With the addition of Stratford Baptist Church there are now 9 different church's of different Christian faiths involved in this worthy cause. In order to “make room” for this church **We are Moving our Next Date from June to JULY 13th**. Donations can be sent to our Parish office or placed in the collection basket during Mass. Please mark the envelope, Attn: Lord's Kitchen. Checks should be made payable to, *Holy Name of Jesus Church*. Please continue to pray for all those involved in the Lord's Kitchen. *Thanks, Armand.*

Black Rock Concerts on St. Ann Field

The Black Rock Concert series will be returning every Tuesday at 6:30 PM on St. Ann Field, beginning June 21 (rain date will be on Wednesdays). It is a great time for adults and children! Admission is \$5, children under 12 are free. If necessary, concerts will be postponed/cancelled via a home-page announcement on our website:
www.stannblackrock.com

Minecraft Summer Lego Camp: St. James School will hold a Summer Lego Camp with Minecraft characters in the school cafeteria the week of August 15 through the 19. Please go to our website at stjamesstratford.org to download an application. If you have any questions, please call the school at 203-375-5994.

Strength Training for Teens, of the Spiritual Sort. Holy Family Retreat Center, West Hartford on Friday – Sunday, June 17-19. **Weekend retreat for high school age teens.** \$175. Call 860-760-9705 or visit www.holyfamilyretreat.org



EVANGELIZATION CORNER

Our Lord grants forgiveness to even the greatest sinners. In today's first reading David is forgiven for killing Uriah the Hittite. If God forgives even the sins of murder, let us not fail to confess our sins and gain forgiveness. Each one of us is special to the Lord.

9th Annual Classic Car Show Saturday, June 18 from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM.

Rain date is Saturday, June 25.

All Cars Welcome!!

Car donation is \$10.00 and free admission for walk-ins. There will be music and food. In honor of our veterans we will be making a donation to the “Wounded Warrior Project”. We will also have a **Rent a Table Tag Sale** from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM. \$25 per table, paid in advance. For more information call Larry Wells 203-375-2836 or lawman56@optonline.net



PARISH RAFFLE: We will be having our next Parish Raffle drawing on Saturday, June 25.

Tickets are available in the vestibule of the Church. Please be sure to take the envelope marked with your name and return them as soon as possible through the collection basket. If you do not see an envelope with your name or if you would like additional tickets please take an envelope from, the box marked “Extra Raffle Tickets”. Your cooperation in returning the tickets will help us to continue to see our debt go down and the financial health of our Parish continue to improve. To date this Fiscal Year, our raffles have brought in \$6,080. Thank you for your continued support of Holy Name of Jesus Parish. May God continue to bless you and your families.

St. Ann Church, Bridgeport, is offering Marriage Preparation sessions.

The program is the same as the one used by the Diocesan Office of Faith Formation, but in a different format: the Diocese offers it in one 12-hour conference; our program runs Friday evening and half of Saturday. Our remaining dates for 2016 are August 12 and 13 and October 14 and 15. Couples may register online at www.stannblackrock.com or contact Angela Mantero, parish secretary at 203-368-1607.