

## THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

November 6, 2016

### MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, November 5 - 4:30 pm, Holy Cross

Sunday, November 6 - 7:45 am, Holy Cross

**Sunday, November 6 - 9:15 am, St. Martin's  
Joe Dembek by the family**

Sunday, November 6 - 10:45 am, Holy Cross

Monday - 8 am at Holy Cross, 9 am at St. Vincent de Paul

Tuesday - Holy Day - 8 am at Holy Cross, 9 am at St. Vincent

Wednesday - 8 am at Holy Cross, 9 am at St. Vincent de Paul

Thursday - 9 am at St. Vincent de Paul

Saturday, November 12 - 4:30 pm, Holy Cross

Sunday, November 13 - 7:45 am, Holy Cross

**Sunday, November 13 - 9:15 am, St. Martin's  
Raymond Bushey by Doris Geyster**

Sunday, November 13 - 10:45 am, Holy Cross

**Weekly Offering:** \$652

**Second Collection This Week is for Fuel.**

**Second Collection Next Week is for Repairs & Maintenance**

Thank you to all who make up their envelopes for weekends missed due to vacation, illness or inclement weather.

### PRAY FOR THE SICK AND SHUT INS

Please pray for Ruth Alie, Bob Young, Janet Clark, Marie Quader, Marie Jacques, Trey Niles, Margaret Murdock, Connie Hamel, Sandy Kulvete, Alice Ostrowski, Deb Nichols, Mary Amistadi, Dylan Murray, Anne Marie Beliveau, Rachel Catlow, Alicia Wieszorek, Bob Brown, Claudette Yackowski, Emma Blais, Angela Martin, Michelle Smith, Mason Jandris, Michael Theriault, Doug Young, Tim Wilson, Joe Barrett, George Yackowski, Donald Leblanc.

### PRAY THE ROSARY

Come early, and join in praying the Rosary 20 minutes before Mass each Sunday.



## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

There will be a meeting for Gr. 2 Parents after the 7:45 Mass next Sunday, Nov. 13.

### ALL SOULS

During the month of November, we observe the **Commemoration of the Faithful Departed**. We honor those who have gone before us in faith, those who have shared their faith with us, especially our relatives and friends. The special envelope in your packet has space for you to list the names of those you wish to remember. These envelopes will be placed on the altar for a special remembrance at every Mass celebrated here this month.

*Eternal Rest Grant Unto Them. O Lord,  
and Let Perpetual Light Shine Upon Them.*

### BABY BOTTLE "SPARE CHANGE" DRIVE

The Pro-Life Committee will be collecting the baby bottles this weekend Nov. 5 & 6. The spare change to be given to the Care Net. Thank You!

### RESPECT LIFE

"To women with an unplanned pregnancy, a woman who has experienced this said, 'This is survivable. Have hope.'" —*Accompanying Expectant Mothers Considering Adoption, USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities*

### INTENSIVE TRAINING FOR CATHOLIC EVANGELIZATION

Six Saturdays training sessions over 5 months of Intensive Training for Catholic Evangelization to share God's Mercy and Message, will begin Jan. 21, 2017, from 9 am - 2 pm at St. Ann Parish Hall, 130 Boston Turnpike, Shrewsbury, \$60 per person. Sessions include prayer, presentations, readings, small group sharing, skills-training, practice and "people" homework. Presenters are John and Therese Boucher. Registration and payment due by Jan. 6, 2017. For more information call Kathy Barrett 508-929-4335 or email [kbarrette@worcesterdiocese.org](mailto:kbarrette@worcesterdiocese.org). See online [www.catholic-evangelizer.com](http://www.catholic-evangelizer.com) and [worcesterdiocese.org/intensive-training-for-catholic-evangelization](http://worcesterdiocese.org/intensive-training-for-catholic-evangelization).

### MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

"But the Lord is faithful' he will strengthen you and guard you from the evil one." Let us strengthen our marriages in faithfulness by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter on December 2-4, and January 20-22. For more information call Steve and Michelle O'Leary at 1-800-710-WWME, visit our webpage at [www.wwme.org](http://www.wwme.org) or at <https://www.facebook.com/Wwmema>.

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*Jesus said to them, "The children of this age marry and remarry; but those who are deemed worthy to attain to the coming age and to the resurrection of the dead neither marry nor are given in marriage. They can no longer die, for they are like angels; and they are the children of God because they are the ones who will rise." - Lk 20:34-36*

### ST MARTIN'S HOLIDAY FAIR

Our parish Holiday Fair will be held from 9 am to 3 pm on Saturday, December 3, and 9 am to 1 pm on Sunday, December 4, at the American Legion in Baldwinville.

**Donations of new items for the Chinese Auction are appreciated.** Volunteers for the weekend of the Fair — to set up during the day on Friday, to work tables during the fair, and to clean up on Sunday afternoon — are still needed - please see Linda Columbus.

### CRAFT GROUP

The Craft Group meets at the rectory at 2 pm on Wednesdays to create items for St. Martin's Holiday Fair. All women are invited to attend. Crafting skill is not needed, but your ideas are always welcome!

### 120 CLUB

Last week's winner was #92, Pat Gronroos..

### BALDWINVILLE NURSING HOME FAIR

Baldwinville Skilled Nursing & Rehabilitation Center will hold its annual fair from 10 am - 3 pm on Saturday, November 12. Crafts, raffles, Chinese auction, baked goods. A Lane Rocker Recliner will be raffled. Lunch available.

### HOLY CROSS - SODALITY FAIR

The Holy Cross Church Holiday Fair will be held on Saturday November 19th from 9 am to 3 pm at the Church Hall at 25 Lake Avenue, E. Templeton. Tables include Grandma's Kitchen, Upper Crust, Crafter's Delight, Basketville, Clever Hands, Chinese Auctions and Children Only Room. The Tea Room will serve refreshments and a Thanksgiving Basket will be raffled off. A man in a red suit will also be there.

### WINTER COAT DRIVE

Our Winter Coat Drive, honoring St. Martin of Tours — who cut his own cloak in half to share it with a poor man — runs through this weekend. Collected coats will be delivered to the CAC around November 11, the Feast Day of our patron saint.

### 24 HOURS OF PRAYER

An ecumenical 24 Hour Prayer Vigil to "Heal Our Land" is being sponsored by the New Hope Bible Chapel in Templeton. **People of all faiths are invited to dedicate one hour to prayer for our country on election day, November 8.** Copies of a Prayer Point Guide which suggests 12 areas for which to pray are available in the vestibule, along with a sign-up sheet for anyone interested in committing to an hour of prayer at home, church, or any convenient location.

### CHRISTMAS IN ACADIA

St. Cecilia's "Christmas in Acadia" Fair: Friday, Nov. 11 from 5-9 pm and Saturday Nov. 12 from 11 am-7:30 pm. Enjoy traditional French-Canadian foods featuring Poutines, Rapee, Fricot and meat pies. Theme baskets, homemade crafts, auction, games, baked goods, raffle, flea market and more. "Twin City Fiddlers" will perform Saturday 5:30 to 7:30 pm. 188 Mechanic St, Leominster.



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#### Rosary

20 minutes before weekend Masses

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Confessions are heard at 3:45 pm on Saturdays at Holy Cross Church during the fall/winter season, or by appt.

#### Sacrament of Christian Marriage

Plans may be made by contacting the Pastor at least one year prior to the intended wedding date.

#### Ministry to the Sick and Elderly

Please notify us when a parishioner is homebound or hospitalized so that we may visit the confined person and offer the sacraments of the Church.

#### Parish Registration

If you are new to the area, we welcome you to join our parish family. Please introduce yourself after Mass and register in the parish. We want to know and serve you.