


# 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

## MASSES June 12, 2010 - June 20 2010

Sat	4:00pm	Molly & Josephine Leventon John Brennan Ralph Santo & Amelia Panarese Patricia A. Sansevero	Fri	7:00am	Timothy J. McCormick Donald J. & Christine MacIsaac Martina MacNeil
Sun	8:00am	In Honor of San Antonio Josephine Jasset	Sat	4:00pm	John Boardman Louis & Sarah Gilbert Joseph F. & Mary Ellen Marchand
	10:00am	Domenico Bianchi, Jr., Hugo & Lucia Bianchi Ronald Palkey Wilfred "Frank" Sampson	Sun	8:00am	Luigi Russo, Christopher & Aurelio G. Polci David Bryant Antonio & Amalia Barreto Father's Day
Mon	6:00pm	Michael Annis		10:00am	For all Fathers
Tues	7:00am	For all Men & Women Serving in the Military		6:00pm	For all Fathers
Wed	7:00am	Anna Mary Gentile Cedrone			
Thurs	7:00am	The Sick of the Parish			
		Benefactors of Our Lady's			

In your prayers please remember Eleanor Antonellis, Gladinora "Gladly" Cedrone, Victoria Bolle, Mary Lichwala, Gertrude Barry, and all who have died. May they experience the new life promised by Christ's Paschal victory.



Please note that effective June 21st through Labor Day, the parish office hours will be 7:00am-3:00pm, Monday-Friday.

### Our Lady's Is Pleased To Announce These Upcoming Marriages:

Nicole Shutt	&	Kevin Magni
Paula Grady	&	Jeremy Webb
Nicole Walter	&	Troy Turick

#### Scripture Readings can be found at [www.usccb.org](http://www.usccb.org)

Sun. June 13	2 Sm 12:7-10,13; Gal 2:16,19-21; Lk 7:36-8:3
Mon., June 14	1 Kgs 21:1-16; Mt 5:38-42
Tues., June 15	1 Kgs 21:17-19; Mt 5:43-48
Wed., June 16	2 Kgs 2:1,6-14; Mt 6:1-6,16-18
Thurs., June 17	Sir 48:1-14; Mt 6:7-15
Fri., June 18	2 Kgs 11:1-4,9-18,20; Mt 6:19-23
Sat., June 19	2 Chr 24:17-25; Mt 6:24-34
Sun. June 20	Zec 12:10-11;13:1; Gal 3:26-29; Lk 9:18-24
Sun. June 27	1 Kgs 19:16b,19-21; Gal 5:1,13-18; Lk 9:51-62

### Offertory Collection Update

The Offertory Collection for May 29th-May 30th  
\$7,695.00

The Offertory Collection for June 5-6th  
\$8,319.00

## **A Word from Father John about the Helping Hands Ministry...**

I hope this finds you well and enjoying the month of June! Last weekend, I mentioned in my homily that the Newton Food Pantry could use our support, especially during the summer. I am writing this note on Wednesday, and people have brought food to the parish already. I am grateful to all who (will have) brought food for the Food Pantry to Mass this Sunday.

Since my homily last week, I learned that our own Helping Hands Ministry experiences a bit of a strain in the summer when members of the ministry are away on vacation. As you know, Helping Hands is a parish ministry, coordinated by Jo-Anne Vergilio and Robin McManus. They connect parishioners, who are willing to provide a hot meal or offer food shopping assistance, with other parishioners who are unable to do these tasks because of illness, family difficulties or other long term or short term situations. So – perhaps you have a little more time in the summer months and could assist Helping Hands on an interim basis. Perhaps you've always felt drawn to do something like this – now might be the moment when the Lord is making His call to you known with clarity. Maybe you are not sure you could ever commit to participation in this ministry, but could do it on an interim basis for the summer. If you can help in any way, some of our senior parishioners and parishioners in need would be very grateful. If you have any questions, or would like to volunteer, you can contact Jo-Anne and/or Robin through the parish website: [www.ourlady.com](http://www.ourlady.com) – click on Outreach Ministries on the left side of the home page; click on Helping Hands, and then click on either Jo-Anne Vergilio or Robin McManus and you can email them directly. If you don't have access to email, call the Parish Office and Ed will be able to put you in touch with either Jo-Anne or Robin. Thanks for your desire to assist other members of our Community!

**The Moms, Pops & Tots Playgroup** meets every Wednesday morning. An email is sent out every Tuesday with information about our Wednesday play destination. Please contact Carla: [cpuzzell@yahoo.com](mailto:cpuzzell@yahoo.com) or call 617-504-5940 with any questions. Come join the fun!

**Liturgical Ministry Opportunities:** Would you consider becoming more involved in the liturgical ministries at Our Lady's? We are currently in particular need of Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers at the Masses on Saturday at 4:00pm and Sunday at 8:00am, Eucharistic Ministers on Sunday at 10:00am, and adult Altar Servers on Sunday at 6:00pm. Please contact Maribeth Scott at [mbskis@yahoo.com](mailto:mbskis@yahoo.com).

**Our Lady's Scripture Study and Faith Sharing Group** generally meets every other Tuesday from 7:00pm-8:30pm in the Colella Room of the Parish Center. The upcoming meeting dates are June 15th and 29th. During the Easter Season the group discussed the Acts of the Apostles and during the summer we will follow up by a study of the Gospel of John. On June 1st we will discuss the first chapter of John's Gospel which begins with the prologue and the ends with the calling of the first disciples. The full text of the daily readings and the entire bible may be found at <http://www.uscb.org/nab/>.

**HELPING HANDS could use some more HELPING HANDS during the summer months ... are yours available?** If you are able to cook and deliver meals about once a month to people in our parish community who are in need, please contact Jo-Anne Vergilio at [vgilio2@yahoo.com](mailto:vgilio2@yahoo.com) or Robin McManus at [robinhelpinghands@gmail.com](mailto:robinhelpinghands@gmail.com). You can also call the parish office for more information. Many thanks to all who help in this important ministry!

**Caring For The Earth: Green Grilling** Outdoor grilling is a summer rite of passage around here. Fourth of July is the biggest grilling day of the year. It has been estimated that the barbecues held on the Fourth of July consume enough energy to power 20,000 households for a year. Your choice of grill can make a difference. The cleanest type of grill for the environment is gas. Wood and charcoal grills produce clouds of sooty particles that can irritate respiratory problems. Carcinogenic compounds like benzene are released. By comparison, gas burns cleaner and more efficiently and isn't as bad for air quality as wood and charcoal grills.

## **PLEASE SPREAD THE WORD!**

**REGISTRATION FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION classes for 2010-2011 BEGINS JULY 1ST!**  
At that time, new students can download a registration form from our website @[www.ourlady.com](http://www.ourlady.com).  
**REGISTRATIONS FOR RETURNING STUDENTS WILL BE MAILED HOME!**

Sunday morning classes will begin September 12th, the same day as the parish picnic!

**CATHOLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS ENTERING GRADE 2**, who expect to celebrate their First Holy Communion here next Spring, and **Grade 9 & 10 Catholic School Students** who will be preparing for Confirmation, are required to register **NO LATER THAN OCTOBER 1ST.**

**Yoga Prayer Retreat For Women: A Sacred Time for Rest and Renewal:** As we prepare for summer and the ending of many activities, you may desire an opportunity for spiritual rest and renewal. On Saturday, June 19th, 9:30am - 1:00pm come join Gretchen Daggett (certified yoga and mindfulness instructor) and Carolyn Kingston (professional singer and artist) in this special program to provide women with a variety of spiritual practices to calm the mind, open the heart, and renew your deep connection with God. Gretchen will guide you with compassion through yoga warm-ups and postures, meditation and visualization, spiritual readings, journaling and prayers. Carolyn will share the centering power of creating mandala art and singing sacred chants and rounds, providing the perfect transition to a quiet time of meditation and prayer at the close of the session. The program cost is \$40 (or what your means allow), and will be held in the Youth Center of the Church. For more information and to register, contact Gretchen Register early! Checks may be mailed to Gretchen Daggett, 339 Bishops Forest Drive, Waltham, MA 02452

**If You are Looking for a Catholic Education for Your Child,** consider Trinity Catholic High School. There are a few openings in 9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th grade for the fall. Please visit the website to download an application. [www.trinitycatholic.com](http://www.trinitycatholic.com).

**Help Build an A+ Environment:** Trinity Catholic High School is seeking materials for the upcoming academic year. To assist some of our financially struggling students and families, donations of school supplies, binders, notebooks, etc. are welcomed and appreciated. If interested, please contact Melanie Piendak at: [mpiendak@trinitycatholic.com](mailto:mpiendak@trinitycatholic.com).

**Support the Newton Food Pantry**

With lots of people away in the summer, one organization that can suffer is the Newton Food Pantry. When they suffer, poor families and elders with very limited resources also suffer. Therefore, in collaboration with all the Faith Communities of Newton, we are asking you to bring staple food items with you to Mass this weekend, June 12th and 13th. Pasta, pasta sauce, canned goods and any nonperishable items will be gratefully received. Food will be delivered to the food pantry on Wednesday morning, June 16th. Please contact Dan Foley if you can help, at [danfoley1@rcn.com](mailto:danfoley1@rcn.com) or at 508-272-0017. The Newton Food Pantry is located at 1608 Beacon Street at the corner of Beacon and Woodward Street in Waban Square. Food is distributed every Wednesday from 1:30pm-3:30pm EXCEPT the third Wednesday of the month. The pantry is open on the 3rd Saturday from 11:00am to 12:00pm. The pantry provides a three day supply of food, one time per month, for eligible Newton residents. If you are away next weekend, but would like to make a donation directly to the Newton Food Pantry, you can deliver food items to them. Non-perishable donations may be brought to the Newton Food Pantry every Wednesday from 9:30am -10:30am and on the 3rd Saturday from 10:00am-11:00am. In addition, non-perishable items may be donated anytime during office hours (6-7 days per week) at Hammond Residential Real Estate, 1631 Beacon Street, Waban, across from the Food Pantry. Thank you for your generosity to those in need in our own city!

**HELP US REACH OUR GOAL! SPONSOR A WORKCAMPER!**

This summer, 54 teenagers and adults will be going to Group Workcamp, June 27th - July 3rd, in Scranton, Pennsylvania. They will be helping to repair homes of the elderly, handicapped and the underprivileged. This is a wonderful way for our youth to put their faith into action. They will join with hundreds of youth from all over the country to share fellowship and goodwill. Please help our youth to help those in need by making a pledge of support. It takes \$424 for each camper, but, of course, no pledge is too small. They say it takes a village to raise a child. In the same way, it will take our faith community to help shape the social conscience of our youth. Thank you for your continued generosity.

**WORKCAMP PLEDGE FORM**

I would like to pledge:    \$424 \_\_\_\_\_    \$250 \_\_\_\_\_    \$100 \_\_\_\_\_    \$50 \_\_\_\_\_    \$25 \_\_\_\_\_    \$10 \_\_\_\_\_    Other \_\_\_\_\_

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Check should be made payable to Our Lady's Parish Workcamp Program. Please return completed form and check to: Our Lady Help of Christians Parish, Attn: WORKCAMP, 573 Washington Street, Newton, MA 02458.