

ST. BARTHOLOMEW, CAPE ELIZABETH



"But it shall not be so among you. Rather, whoever wishes to be great among you will be your servant; whoever wishes to be first among you will be the slave of all. For the Son of Man did not come to be served but to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many." - Mk 10:43-45

Readings for the Week of October 18, 2009	
Sunday:	Is 53:10-11/Heb 4:14-16/Mk 10:35-45 or 10:42-45
Monday:	Rom 4:20-25/Lk 12:13-21
Tuesday:	Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21/Lk 12:35-38
Wednesday:	Rom 6:12-18/Lk 12:39-48
Thursday:	Rom 6:19-23/Lk 12:49-53
Friday:	Rom 7:18-25a/Lk 12:54-59
Saturday:	Rom 8:1-11/Lk 13:1-9
Next Sunday:	Jer 31:7-9/Heb 5:1-6/Mk 10:46-52

Faith Formation Question of the Week
Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time
"Quiet Sacrifice"

Key Passage Jesus said, "Whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all." March 10:44

Adult Why is it hard to do good works if you will not be acknowledged for them?

Child Are you willing to do a good deed even if no one knows that you did it? Why?

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FINANCE & ADMINISTRATION

..... Jim Russell, chairman 767-4398

Sunday, October 4, 2009

Offertory Collection	\$5,332
Weekly Electronic Giving	<u>877</u>
TOTAL	\$6,209

Total Offertory Collection Budgeted \$6,432.00

Year to Date Offertory Collection – Actual	\$86,622
Year to Date Offertory Collection – Budgeted	<u>96,480</u>
Net	(\$9,858)

Fuel Fund \$606.00

Sunday, October 18th is World Mission Sunday. This collection gathers support for the pastoral and evangelizing programs and needs of more than 1,150 mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and remote regions of Latin America.



Small Blessings

Parents with their infants and preschool children are invited to attend our **Halloween gathering on Monday, Oct. 19th 10:00-11:00 a.m.** Our leader will be Julie Halter. If you want to join our group, please contact Emily Garvin at esgarvin@yahoo.com or just come to one of our gatherings!



Chester's Kids Children's Liturgy of the Word

October 25 – 30th Sunday in OT (B)
9 AM Prayer & Reader: Beth Pellegrini
Homilist: Stephanie Bowe
11AM Prayer & Reade: Anya Staszko
Homilist: Lynn Blank



Faith friends Grades 2, 3, & 4. Oct. 20

Gr. 2 Ch. 10 The Church
 Gr. 3 Ch. 10 The Communion of Saints
 Gr. 4 Ch. 10 The People of God



GOOD NEWS DISCIPLES Grade 5 & 6 Oct. 20
 Leah and Rachel **PERMISSION SLIPS ARE DUE FOR THE CORN MAZE**



JrYM (Edge) and YM (Lifeteen):
 Due to the YM Fall event at St. Peter's on Saturday, **YM will NOT be meeting on October 18th.**

JrYM will be having a meeting on October 18th - we'll be discussing "Jesus and Family." Jr YM is invited to check out the bulletin board outside Heidi's office for regular updates, pictures, and recaps of session topics - keep your eye on this board! You never know what may show up!!

On October 25th Jr. YM and YM should plan to attend the Celebrate Youth Mass at 11 am followed by a luncheon. Our service project that night will be to help at the Soup Kitchen. Everyone should meet back here 5 pm to travel together.

PLEASE CHECK THE GLASS ENCASED BULLETIN BOARD IN THE NARTHEX AND THE BULLETIN BOARD IN THE CLASSROOM HALL FOR ITEMS OF VARIOUS INTEREST.

CORRECTION: There will not be a Prayer Shawl Ministry luncheon after the 11 Mass on Oct. 18. It will be rescheduled to sometime in February. Sorry for any confusion.

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Fall Fest on Sunday, October 25th 2-4 pm

Starting at 2:00 in the church hall we will be making apple crisp for the St. Bart's soup kitchen shift that night.

- Families welcomed
- Pumpkin painting and games for the kids
- Halloween movies

No cost..... come and have fun !!!!! Please signup in the narthex. We want to make sure to have enough pumpkins! FMI call Mary Takach 767-4924.

My Sister's Keeper (MSK), a mentoring program for women in transition from corrections, will facilitate an orientation session for interested mentors and community volunteers from 6 to 8 p.m. on Thursday, October 22nd at the Cape Elizabeth United Methodist Church (CEUMC).

Mentor training sessions will follow on three consecutive Thursdays, Oct. 29th, November 5th and November 12th from 6 to 8 p.m. at the church.

My Sister's Keeper provides mentors for women transitioning from incarceration to the community. Mentors strive to empower women to make positive choices for their spiritual, physical, emotional and mental health needs. Working collaboratively with faith groups, community groups and government agencies, My Sister's Keeper assists women with the resources they need and provides mentors with direction, through training, practical and emotional support.

To register or get more information, please contact Kelly Dell'Aquila, director of services, at 712-5962 or kcoggs@aol.com.

Cape Elizabeth United Methodist Church is located at 290 Ocean House Rd.

ADULT EDUCATION

Little Rock Scripture Study: Parables through Holy Cross/St. John beg. Dec. 2. Contact 772-7489.

Protecting God's Children Workshops Mon. Oct. 19th at 6-8:30 pm at St. John register with laurie.kelly@portlanddiocese.org or 773-8710



LIBRARY NEWS

The St. Bartholomew Children's Library is **MISSING** the following books. Please check your children's rooms. When returning books, please just place them on the table for check in. **Do Not** file them in the bookcases.

Love You Forever by Robert Munsch
A Prayer Book for Catholic Families
Picture Book of Saints: Illustrated Lives of the Saints for Young and Old by Rev. Lawrence G. Lovasik, S.V.D.
Small Acts of Kindness by James Vollbracht
Someday Heaven by Larry Libby
The Story of Saint Patrick by James Janda
Waiting for Wings by Lois Ehlert
Winter Saints: Stories for the Days of Advent and Christmas by Melissa Musick Nussbaum
Illustrated Book of Saints by Fr. Thomas J. Donaghy

Continued from Oct. 11th bulletin: Our ongoing adult education focus presents a glossary of Catholic Words from the Catechism of the Catholic Church which has been composed with reference to the language of the Catechism itself: the numbers in parentheses refer to the number(s) in the Catechism where the term or concept is explained.

COLLEGIALITY: The principle that all the bishops of the Church with the Pope at their head form a single "college," which succeeds in every generation the "college" of the Twelve Apostles, with Peter at their head, which Christ instituted as the foundation of the Church. This college of bishops together with, but never without, the Pope has supreme and full authority over the universal Church (861, 880, 883).

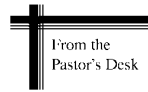
Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time -- October 18 YEAR FOR PRIESTS 2009 ~ JUNE 19 ~ 2010

"Who is going to save our Church? Not our bishops, not our priests and religious. It is up to you, the people. You have the minds, the eyes, the ears to save the Church. Your mission is to see that your priests act like priests, your bishops act like bishops and your religious act like religious." **Abp. Fulton J. Sheen**



Time is running out to register for the 3rd Annual **Harvest Ball**, an evening of entertainment, dining and dancing scheduled for **Friday, October 30 from 7p.m. to 12 midnight at the Holiday Inn by the Bay, Portland.** This fundraiser, hosted by Bishop Richard Malone, features the Tony Boffa Band, a delicious meal, door prizes and a silent auction. The auction includes New England Patriot tickets, jewelry, weekend getaways and more. Proceeds will benefit *Harvest Magazine*, the diocesan bi-monthly magazine which is distributed free of charge to 40,000 Maine households. The cost for the Ball is \$60 per person or \$100 a couple (you and your spouse, friend, neighbor or relative). Call 773-6471 and ask for Sue Bernard or Matt Sanfacon to register, make your dinner selection and arrange payment (checks or credit cards accepted).


Feast of "All Souls"



Those who use budget envelopes will find an envelope in their packet for All Souls Day, on November 2. On the back of the envelope are lines to enter the names of deceased friends and relatives you wish to commend for our prayers. As we have done in past years, **the envelopes collected will be placed on the altar in the Chapel and we will remember those whose names are listed on them throughout the month at daily Mass.** (Parishioners who do not choose to use budget envelopes, are welcome to submit names on a plain envelope.)

The income obtained through this collectin will be used during the coming year for expenses related to our liturgical celebrations. In recent years we have used the money to buy new altar cloths, vestments, a new incenser, other liturgical items not budgeted and for the trees and plants in the sanctuary.

OCTOBER 18, 2009

Mass  for the
Intentions  Week

INSERT MORNING CONNECTION

Monday, October 19

8:30 AM Eucharistic Service

Tuesday, October 20

8:30 AM †Joan Connors

Requested by Bernard and Nancy LaCroix

Wednesday, October 21

8:30 AM Eucharistic Service

Thursday, October 22

8:30 AM †John Delaney

Requested by Bill Davis and family

Friday, October 23

8:30 AM Eucharistic Service

Sunday, October 25

9:00 AM †Lawrence Gaudreau

Requested by Skeet Gaudreau

11:00 AM †Marie Vittori

Requested by Caroline Carroll

Servers

Sunday October 25

	<u>9:00 AM</u>	<u>11:00 AM</u>
Altar Ser	H.Bauman	L.Grassin-Drake
	A.Conrad	C.Kelley
Euch Min	G.Atkins	B.Pesirla
	E.Dunfey	M.Pesirla
	D. Maddaleni	M.Rauth
	D.Miley	K. Williamson
	B.Miley	C.Reid
Lector	L.Bauman	G.Pavloff
Ushers	J.Meschinelli	M.Staszko



**COFFEE AND DONUTS
IN THE PARISH HALL**

Coffee and donuts are served each week after Sunday Mass during the school year. Please stay. catch up with old friends, and meet new ones.

Coffee Servers

Oct. 18	9 Mass	Mary Ann Lynch and Gregg Ginn
	11 Mass	VACANT
Oct. 25	9 Mass	Vozzelli family
	11 Mass	Sarka family

FLU CLINICS AT ST. BARTHOLOMEW

Tuesday, October 27th from 9:00-11:00 am

Thursday, October 29th from 3:00-5:00 pm

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

DISCIPLES IN MISSION TEAM MEETING

Please attend the team meeting at St. Max on Oct. 27th at 6:30 pm to plan for the third and last year of this program.



THE SANCTUARY LAMP WILL BURN THIS
WEEK October 18-24
For the soul of John "Chip" Lippoth
Requested by Kate and Joe Shevenell



Holy Cross School Special Collection

There will be a second collection on the weekend of October 24 and 25 for the purpose of support for Holy Cross School.

Holy Cross School is our Cluster 22 school. It provides an excellent Catholic education that focuses on academic achievement, Christian values, self-discipline, and service to others. The proceeds from this special collection will go directly to Holy Cross School to support ongoing expenses of providing a Catholic education to the students that attend the school. Please show your support for local Catholic education by being as generous as you can. Thank you in advance for your support. Rev. Msgr. Michael Henchal, Pastor

National Custodian's Day

The Holy Cross School community celebrated and thanked our two wonderful custodians, **Mr. Dennis Evans** and **Mr. Paul Halvorsen**, on Friday, October 2, which was National Custodian's Day. Right after the middle school lunch, the school gathered in the lunchroom to thank them and give them cards from all the children. In addition, the school presented them with two gifts of appreciation. Perhaps an even better gift was that the children were making a special effort to keep everything as neat and clean as possible to lessen the work that needed to be done over the weekend. Thank you to Dennis and Mr. Halvorsen for all their hard work. The school looks great!

CATHERINE McAULEY OPEN HOUSE

Catherine McAuley High School, Maine's only college-preparatory school for young women, will be hosting its annual Open House for prospective students and their parents on **Sunday, October 25, 2009 at 2pm**. Young women of all faiths are invited to our campus at 631 Stevens Avenue, Portland, for a program that will feature student and alum speakers. After the formal presentation, information on financial aid and scholarship programs will be available, guided tours will be offered and students will have the opportunity to meet faculty members, coaches, student athletes, and enjoy refreshments.

CHEVERUS INFORMATIONAL TEA

The Day family of Scarborough, including Kevin, Class of 2013 and Ceile, Class of 2012 invite families interested in learning more about a Cheverus High School education and in meeting Rev. Fr. William Campbell, S.J., President of Cheverus to their home at 3 Schooner Rd on Oct., 27th at 7:00 pm. Please RSVP to Kate Luke-Jenkins at 774-3826. Any questions contact Gina Day at 883-0333.

The sanctuary candle will burn for one week as a continuous prayer before God. If anyone would like to schedule the Sanctuary Lamp for an upcoming week, please call the parish office at 799-5528. Donation is \$10.

The **Women's Group** will have a Pot Luck Luncheon on Tuesday, Oct. 20th. All ladies of the Parish are welcome. Bring whatever you wish. Meet in the Church at 11 a. For information phone Charlene Hagen 883-1645 or Mary Jane Mullen 767-3452



Sunday, October 25th is St. Bartholomew Parish's turn to serve dinner at the Wayside Evening Soup Kitchen at the corners of Preble and Oxford Streets in Portland. Cooks should arrive at 4 pm and servers at 5:30 pm. We will no longer be having sign-up sheets in the narthex. Just come and help feed the poor. FMI John Koller at 885-5236 or Jim Huebener at 767-1754

FOOD CUPBOARD

The Annual Report is available in all churches for your review. Copies are on the table in the classroom hall at St. Bartholomew.

Our neighbor Bet Ha'am conducted a huge food drive for us before the high holidays. It contained well over 250 bags of specifically requested food items. It was probably one of the biggest food drives in our 13 years of existence! What a gift! One of their members, **Jill Epstein**, is a volunteer for the Cupboard and knew first hand of our needs. She organized this for us. Our thanks to Jill. Our volunteers come from many faiths but all have the same desire to "HELP" those in need. We are truly blessed with these women and men.

Jordan's Farm in Cape Elizabeth is donating fresh produce to us weekly. The growing season was slow this year but they have not forgotten us. To have fresh, healthy produce to offer clients is a plus! We also purchase weekly from Native Maine Produce, (at special pricing) apples, bananas, eggs, potatoes and onions.

November is sneaking up on us and as we are seeing over 50 different families each week we expect a very busy month. Next week we will be asking for very specific items. We thank you all for your constant support.

ADORATION

Please join us at St. Max for a Holy Hour before the Blessed Sacrament every Wednesday morning immediately following mass (from 8:30-9:30). The first ten minutes consists of a led vocal prayer for vocations and the remainder of the hour is for quiet prayer and reflection. We invite you to join us as we adore our Lord.