



All Scripture is inspired by God and is useful for teaching, for refutation, for correction, and for training in righteousness, so that one who belongs to God may be competent, equipped for every good work. 2Timothy 3:16-17

**MASS INTENTIONS AND CHURCH SCHEDULE**

Saturday, October 15  
 5:00pm (O) Aurelio (Amang) Villacorta (Birthday Remembrance)

Sunday, October 16  
 8:00am (O) Matt Siravo  
 10:30am (O) Mauricio and Maria Machado  
 5:00pm (O’N) St. Lucy’s Parishioners

Monday, October 17  
 9:00am (O) Thomas V. Silvia (9<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)

Tuesday, October 18  
 9:00am (O) Dennis Patrick Crowley, Str.

Wednesday October 19  
 9:00am (O) William E. Lesky

Thursday, October 20  
 9:00am Communion Service

Friday, October 21  
 9:00am (S) St. Lucy’s Parishioners  
 5:00pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament  
 7:00pm Devotions  
 8:00pm Benediction

Saturday, October 22  
 2:30pm Wedding: Sheila Donahue and Michael McCarthy  
 5:00pm (O) Robert J. Griffin, Kathleen H. Griffin (Anniversary)

Sunday, October 23, **World Mission Sunday**  
 8:00am (O) Edward Carey  
 10:30am (O) Jose, Victoria, and Adilia Machado  
 James Redgate (16<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)  
 Geraldine Bowler (30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)  
 5:00pm (O’N) St. Lucy’s Parishioners

In the above celebrations:  
 O = Rev. John O’Brien  
 O’N = Rev. Tom O’Neill  
 S = Rev. Saji Joseph

**A Children’s Homily will be offered today, Sunday, Oct. 16 at the 10:30am Mass as well as Sunday, Oct. 30.**

**In honor of Our Lady, The Rosary** for all intentions will be prayed directly after the 8 and 10:30am Masses each Sunday for the month of October. Cindy Killavey will lead the Rosary after the 8am Mass and Denise Betz will lead the Rosary after the 10:30am Mass.



**LIFE (Learning In Faith Experiences)**  
 With our LIFE theme of *Sacraments...transforming everyday life,* I’ve been more focused and on the “lookout” for occasions, places and ways of connecting with and learning more about the outpouring of God’s grace in our lives. God’s love for us is so great that he wants to continually share it with us – and does, through grace! Grace is a participation in the life of God. As I was praying the daily readings, one of them especially caught my attention with the line that read *“the riches of his grace that he lavished upon us.”* (Eph. 1:7-8). Here’s a reflection from Sr. Joyce Rupp, OSM, take from Living Faith on that very phrase. *“Two words, ‘riches’ and ‘lavished’ leap out of this passage in which St. Paul refers to grace, the gift of active, divine love flowing through every pore of our life. Those two words evoke a sense of abundance, unreserved treasure and a copious outpouring of spiritual wealth. What a contrast this spiritual generosity portrays amid a world that leans toward scarcity and a concern of not having enough. Ephesians assures us that a plenitude of virtues awaits our reception – courage, patience, strength, confidence, refuge, openness, forgiveness, generosity – whatever we most require to live the day well in union with our Grace Giver. All this is at our bidding if we turn toward this lavish source of grace and open our inner being to receive what is offered.”* God is always generously giving to us. Are our hands and hearts open and ready to receive and celebrate these gifts from God?  
 Written by: Colette Savaria, LIFE Coordinator

**LIFE** celebrations will be held on Sunday, October 23 (11:30-2:00pm) or Monday, October 24 (5:30-8pm) in the Parish Center where we will focus on the Sacrament of Confirmation while developing our overall theme: *Sacraments...transforming everyday life.* Please call the Rectory if you haven’t yet signed up to participate in this on-going Faith Formation opportunity that’s open to ALL parishioners! **\*\*Note:** If you have a child(ren) in grades K-10, this is the Parish Religious Education program.

First Reconciliation classes continue on Thursday, Oct. 20 from 3:30 to 4:45 for previously registered children.

**Save the Date:** A Communal Anointing of the Sick will be held during the 10:30am Mass on Sunday, Oct. 30.

**SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK**  
 Monday: Eph 2:1-10/Lk 12:13-21  
 Tuesday: 2 Tm 4:10-17b/Lk 10:1-9  
 Wednesday: Eph 3:2-12/Lk 12:39-48  
 Thursday: Eph 3:14-21/Lk 12:49-53  
 Friday: Eph 4:1-6/Lk 12:54-59  
 Saturday: Eph 4:7-16/Lk 13:1-9  
 Sunday: Sir 35:12-14, 16-18/2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18/Lk 18:9-14

**CHURCH SUPPORT – October 8/9, 2016**  
 Weekly Collection **\$6316.00**  
 The Second Collection next weekend is for **World Mission Sunday.**  
*Thank you for your continuing generosity.*

**Community Action Committee (CAC)**  
**Pennies for Prescriptions** continues during October when “Pennies” for the prescription needs of the residents of Lucy’s Hearth are collected. All donations support the moms and children who need essential medications and do not yet have health insurance. Containers will be set out at the entrance of the Church for you to deposit your pennies. So...check your pockets and raid your piggy banks!  
**The Martin Luther King Center is in critical need of donations for their food pantry.** The Center does not have enough food on hand to last through the next two months. Donations of food will be accepted Monday – Friday at the MLK loading dock on Marcus F. Wheatland Blvd. from 8:30am – 5:30pm.  
**Many thanks for your past and present generosity.**

**Soup Kitchen Needs**  
**Tuesday, Oct. 18, 2016**  
 4 bags oranges 4 loaves bread  
 100 paper plates (heavy duty, 10inch)  
 4 cans powdered juice (lemonade)  
 6 cans whole kernel corn  
 Assorted finger dessert (cookies, cupcakes, brownies)  
 If you would like to help with any of the above items, please call Sylvia Bunker at 683-0320. You may drop off your donations at the Rectory anytime before 3pm on Tues., Oct. 18.  
**We served 93 meals in Sept. thanks to your generosity.**

Please **pray** for all the men and women who have served and who currently serve in the armed forces, and the military commanders who lead them. **Pray** for our homebound Parishioners and the sick of the Parish (including those in hospitals and nursing homes). **Pray** for the unborn, the premature, and the fragile among us so that we may deepen our respect for life at all stages.

The **RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)** meets every Wednesday at 7pm in the Family Room in the Church. Please email Jane Parrillo (jpparrillo@yahoo.com) for more information.

**Helping Hearts♥♥♥**  
 The Annual Memorial **Mass of Remembrance** for deceased members of St. Lucy’s Parish Family will be held on Sunday, Nov. 6 at 10:30am. This special Mass is for all Parishioners who died from October 15, 2015 through October 15, 2016. If anyone has a loved one who passed away during this period and is not from St. Lucy’s, please contact Sr. Sheila at 847-6153 (x 205) with the name and date of death of your loved one by Wednesday, Nov. 2. We will be happy to include them in this Memorial Mass.

**Local Catholic High Schools – Open House**  
**October 16, 12-3pm: Bishop Hendricken High School** for young men located at 2615 Warwick Avenue, Warwick. Admissions Office: 739-3450 x162 or www.hendricken.com.  
**October 23, 1-4pm: The Prout School** at 4640 Tower Hill Road, Wakefield. Admissions Office: 789-9262 x 514 or visit www.theproutschool.org.  
**October 30, 12noon: La Salle Academy,** 612 Academy Avenue, Providence. Admissions Office: 351-7750 x 122.

**Tuition assistance** is available to qualified applicants for students attending a **Catholic elementary school.** Please call Colleen at the Rectory for details at 847-6153 (x 206).

**The Haunted Labyrinth 2016** at the Rejoice in Hope Youth Center in Cranston is open on weekends through the end of October. For more information, call 943-8686 or go to [www.hauntedlabyrinth.com](http://www.hauntedlabyrinth.com).

The Diocesan Office of Life and Family Ministry is offering a **Rachel’s Vineyard Retreat** from Friday, Oct. 28 – Sunday, Oct. 30. The Retreat provides post-abortive participants an opportunity to process their pain and sorrow. For more information, call 421-783-3218.

The RI Catholic Medical Society invites all Physicians, Health Care Professionals and Workers, their families, and patients to **The 2016 White Mass to ask the Lord’s blessings upon those called to share His work of healing** on Wednesday, October 19 at 7pm at the Our Lady of Fatima Hospital Chapel, 200 High Service Ave., No. Providence.

**A 2016 Seasonal Flu Clinic** for ages 3 and older will be held on Sunday, Oct. 30 at St. Lucy’s from 9am to noon. You must pre-register at [www.thewellcomp.com](http://www.thewellcomp.com) (click on flu-click:community and log in is stlucy) or pick up the necessary paperwork on the table in the entrance to the Church. Please bring your insurance card to this event.

**A Catholic School Alumni Mass** will be celebrated on Sunday, Nov. 6 at 10am at the Cathedral of Saints Peter and Paul in Providence. This is a way to reconnect with family and friends and also to remember the souls of deceased principals, teachers and fellow alumni. Music will be provided by the Prout School Choir. For more information, call 278-4610.

**Open Door: Ongoing Grief Support.** is available every week on Wednesdays, 12:30pm-2:30pm at Hambly Brick House, 30 Red Cross, Newport. Community Connections events are free of charge. A Program of Memorial Funeral Homes.

**The Changing Table,** at 30 Spring Street in Newport, is a community resource for diapers and wipes serving families in crisis in Newport County since 2011. There are no requirements for identification or financial need. A basic parenting class will start in late October. For more information on The Changing Table, please call 847-3210.