



MASS INTENTIONS AND CHURCH SCHEDULE

Saturday, October 13
 5:00pm (O) Anna Trudell

Sunday, October 14
 8:00am (S) Edward Carey
 10:30am (O) Robert Gray (10th Anniversary)
 Clifford Greenman Sr. (35th Anniversary)
 Christine Pembroke (6th Anniversary)
 12:00 noon Baptism
 5:00pm (O) St. Lucy's Parishioners

Monday, October 15
 9:00am The Soares Family

Tuesday, October 16
 9:00am Joseph Macedo

Wednesday, October 17
 9:00am Jean Calise
 ASA School Mass

Thursday, October 18
 9:00am Communion Service

Friday, October 19
 9:00am (S) The Betty and Spooner Families
 5:00pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
 7:00pm Rosary, Divine Mercy Chaplet,
 Litany to Mary
 7:50pm Benediction

Saturday, October 20
 2:00pm Mass at Royal Middletown
 5:00pm (O) Joseph and Mary Macedo
 Joseph V. Macedo

Sunday, October 21
 8:00am (S) William C. Spooner
 10:30am (O) Virginia Dosouto
Mass of Anointing of the Sick
 5:00pm (O) St. Lucy's Parishioners

In the above celebrations:
 O = Rev. John O'Brien
 S = Rev. Saji Joseph

A Communal Anointing of the Sick will be held next week during the **10:30am Mass on Sunday, Oct. 21**. This is an opportunity to receive the sacrament of the sick.

Handwritten sign found on the wall of Mother Teresa's room:

People are often unreasonable, illogical, and self centered;
forgive them anyway.

If you are kind, people may accuse you of selfish, ulterior motives; *be kind anyway.*

If you are successful, you will win some false friends, and some true enemies; *be successful anyway.*

If you are honest and frank, people may cheat you;
be honest and frank anyway.

What you spend years building, someone could destroy overnight; *build anyway.*

If you find serenity and happiness, others may be jealous;
be happy anyway.

The good you do today, people will forget tomorrow,
do good anyway.

Give the world the best you have, and it may never be enough;
give your best anyway.

For you see, in the final analysis, it is between you and GOD.
 It was never between you and them anyway.

Formed: Catholic Faith on Demand. Recommended viewing for October is the movie *Francis: The Knight of Assisi*. Although a children's movie, all ages will enjoy watching this. Not registered for **Formed** yet? Simply go to formed.org and use the Parish code **B84KHM** to start listening, watching, and reading today.

Bible Study: Every Tuesday in the family room immediately after 9am Mass there is a study of the Scriptures that will be read the following Sunday. All are welcome.

Visiting the Sick: Please notify Sr. Sheila Murphy at 847-6153 (x205) when a family member is in the hospital.

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.

The Children's Homily is offered for our young Parishioners during the 10:30 Mass on the following Sundays: 10/14, and 10/21. At the start of the Liturgy of the Word, the children are called forward to the Altar to receive a blessing, after which they proceed to the Parish Center where they learn about the Sunday Scriptures with their Catechist. The children rejoin their families to worship together.

Soup Kitchen Needs
Tuesday, October 16, 2018

Assorted finger desserts (cupcakes, cookies, brownies, etc.)
 4 bags oranges 4 bottles pasta sauce
 4 loaves bread 200 paper napkins

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 Tuesday, Oct. 16. Thank you all for your support.

CHURCH SUPPORT – October 6/7, 2018

Weekly Collection	\$5156.00
Weekly Electronic Giving	\$1033.00
Seminary Collection	\$2086.00

The Second Collection this weekend will be the Parish Debt Collection.

Thank you for your support!!

As an adult, **do you want to become Catholic?** Do you know someone who does? Do you want to complete your initiation into the Catholic Church with Confirmation? It's never too late to begin a new journey! For information or to ask questions, contact Jane Parrillo at jjparrillo@yahoo.com.

A Bereavement Support Group offered through the Diocese of Providence Office of Life and Family continues at St. Lucy Church Parish Center on Thursday, October 25 from 7:00-8:30pm. For registration/information, contact Peter Magnotta of the Office of Life and Family at 421-7833 (x217).

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** also 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.

Coming soon: Saturday, November 10 - St. Lucy's Dinner Dance, 6:00-11:00pm in St. Lucy's Parish Center to benefit St. Lucy's Church. It will include a prime rib dinner, music, dancing, raffles, and surprises. Tickets are available by calling Sr. Sheila Murphy at 847-6153 (x205) or Fely at 849-1692. Don't miss out! Please bring any raffle prizes you wish to donate to the Rectory during the week or the Sacristy on the weekend. Please mark the prizes with **"for the dinner dance."**

Pennies for Prescriptions Each October, the Community Action Committee collects "Pennies" for the prescription needs of the residents of Lucy's Hearth. We are asking for your support once again. All money collected supports the moms and children who need essential medications and do not yet have health insurance. Containers are in the foyer of the Church for you to deposit your pennies. So...check your coat pockets and raid your piggy banks! **Many thanks for your generosity.**

Helping Hearts♥♥♥
 The Annual Memorial *Mass of Remembrance* for deceased members of St. Lucy's Parish Family will be held on Sunday, Nov. 4 at 10:30am. This special Mass is for all Parishioners who died from October 16, 2017 through October 15, 2018. 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, Oct. 31. We will be happy to include them in this Memorial Mass.

First Sunday is a respite program designed to support caregivers of loved ones with Alzheimer's disease and other progressive memory disorders. This program allows caregivers to spend an afternoon to themselves while their loved one enjoys an afternoon of activities at St. Clare-Newport Adult Day Health Program. The program will be staffed by St. Clare-Newport employees who are skilled in providing care to those with memory impairments. Activities may include: music, gardening, crafts, baking, Wii sports, art, tai chi or yoga. This program is offered in partnership with Catholic Social Services of RI and St. Clare-Newport at no cost with funding from the National Family Caregiver Support Program. Pre-registration is required one week in advance. Space limited to 25 people. The next sessions are Nov. 4 and Dec. 2 from 1 to 4:30pm.. Call 849-3204 (734).

St. Gabriel's Call Baby Shower will be held on Saturday, Nov. 3 from 1 to 3pm at St. Joseph's Parish Hall in Newport to assist St. Gabriel's Call Mission at Jesus Saviour Church. Please assist by buying baby clothing: onesies, sleepers, P.J.'s, play outfits, sweaters, socks, and fleecy sweatshirts (sizes infants to 4T, diapers infant to size 6, larger sizes are greatly needed). Also needed are bedding and towels, receiving blankets, crib blankets, crib sheets, mattress pads, wash clothes, and gift cards to purchase cribs and large items. Please bring unwrapped items to the Baby Shower on Nov. 3 and stay to enjoy musical entertainment and light refreshments. **(If you are unable to attend the shower at St. Joseph's, donation baskets for the baby gifts and checks will be available at St. Lucy's.)**

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31-5:1/Lk 11:29-32
Tuesday:	Gal 5:1-6/Lk 11:37-41
Wednesday:	Gal 5:18-25/Lk 11:42-46
Thursday:	2 Tm 4:10-17b/Lk 10:1-9
Friday:	Eph 1:11-14/Lk 12:1-7
Saturday:	Eph 1:15-23/Lk 12:8-12
Sunday:	Is 53:10-11/Heb 4:14-16/Mk 10:35-45

St. Philomena School in Portsmouth will hold an Open House on Sunday, Oct. 21 from 12 noon to 2pm. Call 683-0268 (x118) or visit their website for more information.