

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

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St. Veronica Chapel

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"After a long time the master of those servants came back and settled accounts with them. The one who had received five talents came forward bringing the additional five. He said, 'Master, you gave me five talents. See, I have made five more.'" Mt 25:19-20

DR-MISSIONARIES

Please pray for us as we are sent by our parish community, November 19th-26th to Hogar Emmanuel Orphanage in the Dominican Republic. Watch our blog on our parish web-sited. Pray for us and those we will serve! Thank you for your support!

DR-ORPHANAGE MISSION MEETING

The last meeting is this Tuesday, November 15th - 6:00PM at St. Thomas More Parish Hall, This meeting is for those who are going on our mission trip to the orphanage. Please bring a parent or guardian with you.

MOTHER-DAUGHTER GINGERBREAD HOUSE DECORATING/POTLUCK LUNCH -

St. Veronica Msgr. Halloran Hall, Saturday, November 19th from 12Noon-3:00PM. All women of the parish are welcome. not just mothers and daughters. Enjoy a potluck luncheon while you decorate a gingerbread house to take home. You can share decorating a house with others in your group, or each person can decorate their own house. It's up to you! The cost is \$20 per Gingerbread House. Please bring a luncheon dish to share - casseroles, salads, appetizers, soup, etc., are welcome. No pizza or desserts, please - those items will be provided. RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED. Please call Susan - 368-8830 to reserve your seats and your gingerbread house(s).

KNITTING MINISTRY

The Knitting Ministry's next meeting is this Wednesday, November 16th - 12:30PM at the St. Thomas More Parish Hall. Please call Pat Wesselhoeft for more information - 783-1956. All are welcome.

Religious Education Schedule

November 2011

SUN. AM: NOV. 13TH & 20TH
GR. 1-4 10:05-10:55AM @ ST. V

MON. PM: NOV. 14TH & 21ST
GR. 1-4 4:10-5:00PM @ STM

GR. 5 & 6: WED., NOV. 16TH
4:10-5:00PM @ ST. V.

GR. 7 & 8: WED., NOV. 16TH
7:00-8:00PM @ ST. V.

CONF. I: SUN., NOV. 13TH
7:00 – 8:15PM @ ST. V.

CONF. II: SUN., NOV. 13TH
7:00 – 8:15PM @ ST. V.

1ST COMMUNION - PARENTS MEETING

There is an important meeting for First Communion (Grade 2) parents this Sunday, November 13th - 12Noon at St. Veronica. **At least one parent must attend!** Babysitting will be provided.

MARINER MARKETPLACE

The Narragansett High School PTO invites you to our Christmas Shopping Event on Saturday, November 19th from 10AM-4PM in the high school gymnasium. There will be fantastic gifts from local artisans, savory samplings from local gourmet shops & restaurants. Live entertainment, auctions, something for everyone on your gift list!! Proceeds from this event will go towards enriching the educational experience at NHS.

PROJECT UNDERCOVER

Narragansett Girl Scouts and Project Undercover need your help to collect as many undergarments as possible for South County's children living in poverty. Project Undercover collection boxes will be placed at one of the entrances at St. Thomas More and St. Veronica Chapel through November 14th to accept donations of unopened packages of socks, underwear and diapers for local children in need. Thank You!!

SECOND COLLECTION

The second collection next weekend is for the annual Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD). Your gifts become the tools of self-sufficiency and self-determination for people working to break the cycle of poverty in America. You can trust that CCHD will use your donations well, channeling them to communities in the United States where the need and the will to create change are both great.

ADVENT WREATH MAKING

(Family or Individual Activity)

Prepare for the Birth of Jesus!!!

Date: Sunday, November 27th beginning at 12Noon at Msgr. Halloran Hall

Reservations: Gloria Roman 782-6653

Cost: \$12.00 per wreath - All supplies are included, you may bring some extra fresh evergreens. Walk-ins are welcome or buy a kit to make one at home.

CAN YOU HELP?



Fr. Jaime Garcia, Pastor of St. Charles Borromeo, Providence, asked if we could prepare food baskets for Thanksgiving. If you are able to help, please notify the parish office by e-mail or call 789-7682. The deadline to drop off baskets is this Friday, November 18th.

Welcome to the Newly Baptized:

Jordan Neili Saris-Baglana
daughter of James & Renee

Christopher Paul Valliere
son of Ernest & Barbara

Congratulations!!

RCIA

The next class is this Tuesday, November 15th, at 7:30PM.

Wedding Banns

I Benjamin Leger & Kaelyn Ulrich

NOVEMBER 13, 2011

So..what is NOT changing with the New Missal?

Hopefully, by now you know that the words we use at Mass will be changing starting November 27th. The priest parts actually change the most. Be patient with us as we also learn to pray the new words.

But with all this talk of what words will change perhaps it is good to think of what hasn't changed. You will still hear all your favorite hymns. You will still hear the three year cycle of scripture readings in the Liturgy of the Word. Lectors and Extraordinary Ministers will continue their duties and service. The homilies will continue to reflect the Word of God and the Prayers of the Faithful, the ever changing petitions of the wider community. There is no change to the vestments, the candles and decorations. There is no change to posture, gestures and the sign of peace. No change in the reception of Holy Communion or what is required to be able to receive the Lord in the Eucharist. The offertory collection and bread and wine will still be taken in the same manner.

The Mass will sound different but look and taste the same, so to speak. It is a good time to ask good questions about why we say what we say at Mass and what the words mean. If you are interested in a dialogue discussion after our changes, come in please let me know and we can arrange for that for sure!

The foundation of the Mass is Jesus Christ and He certainly has stayed the same! May the New Roman Missal be an opportunity for us to grow in grace, theology and understanding for all of us.

St. Thomas More....pray for us!

Fr. Tailon