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Mary Immaculate of Lourdes Parish

270 Elliot Street Newton, MA 02464

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Telephones

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www.maryimmaculateoflourdes.org

To contact the parish by internet, please access this new website.

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INC.

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rectory on 270 Elliot St, Newton Upper Falls and is
open Monday-Friday, 8 AM—5 PM.

Telephone: 781-235-1841 saintmaryscemetery.org

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM

Sunday: 7:30 AM & 9:00 AM, 5:30 PM

Traditional Latin High Mass: 10:30 AM

<u>Weekdays:</u> Mon.-Tues., Thurs.-Fri. 7:30 AM Traditional Latin Mass: Mon-Wed-Fri: 12:30

PM; Thu: 5:30 PM; Sat: 9:00 AM.

Holy Days: if Mon-Fri., 7:30 AM., 12:30, 5:30 & 7:30 PM.; if on Saturday, 7:30, 9:00 & 10:30 AM

Christmas Eve: 4:00 PM & 12 Midnight **Christmas Day:** 7:30, 9:00 & 10:30 AM **January 1st:** 7:30, 9:00 & 10:30 AM

SACRAMENTS

Baptism: Upon request. Please contact Father Higgins.

Penance (Confession):

Saturday 8:30-9:00 A.M. and 3:30-4:00 PM Sunday, before and after the 10:30 a.m. AM Mass, Weekdays, before and after the Latin daily Masses

Matrimony:

Engaged couples should make arrangements with the parish church so as to allow for adequate sacramental preparation (six months), including a Pre-Cana program.

Pastoral Care of the Sick

Anointing of the Sick (for those who are gravely ill or facing serious surgery); Communion of the Sick for the Homebound: Please contact Father Higgins.

May 26th, A.D. 2019

ABOUT OUR PARISH

Welcome, New Parishioners and Sunday Visitors:

Mary Immaculate of Lourdes Parish is a canonically open parish of the Archdiocese of Boston, which has a Traditional Latin Mass apostolate. Both the ordinary form of the Roman Rite (1970 Missal) and the extraordinary form (1962 Missal) are celebrated here with the blessing of His Eminence Sean Cardinal O'Malley, Archbishop of Boston. We encourage new parishioners to please register in the parish and to introduce yourselves to the Pastor. We are always glad to welcome Sunday visitors here to our beautiful, historic church. We look forward to your coming again.

> PLEASE TAKE THE TIME TO FILL OUT A PARISH REGISTRATION FORM.

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That the Church in Africa, through
the commitment of its members,

may be the seed of unity among her peoples and a sign of hope for this continent."

(PHOTO: (above) Pope Francis bestows a kiss on the forehead of Clement Pappin, son of parishioners Gladden and Jeannette Pappin, St. Peter's Square, 2015.)

Parish Mission Statement



"What then is a parish? It is the smallest section of the one universal flock which has been entrusted to Peter by the Lord. Under the authority of a responsible

priest who has received the care of souls from his bishop, the parish is, within the Church of Jesus Christ, the first community of Christian life; it is a community cut to human dimensions, in which the shepherd can know his flock and the flock can know their shepherd ... At the heart of this area, we find the parish church with its bell-tower, its baptistery, its confessional, its altar and tabernacle, a symbol of unity and the centre of community life."

(Pope Saint Paul VI, reigned 1964-1978)
Raised to the Altars October 14th, 2018

PARISH CEMETERY OF ST. MARY'S



We will hold our annual outdoor Memorial Day Mass at our parish cemetery of St. Mary's at 10 o'clock in the morning. All are welcome to attend.

Monday, May 27th, 2019, 10 AM: St. Mary's Cemetery Mass Military Remembrance Ceremony, 9 AM

(Refreshments served following the Mass.)

Pastor's Note

PHOTO ALBUM OF THE FIRST MASS OF THANKSGIVING OF FATHER BRIAN O'HANLON, **MARY IMMACULATE OF** LOURDES, SUNDAY, MAY 19th, A.D. 2019 (PHOTOS by Rod Phillips)





"GRATITUDE IS THE THING THAT BRINGS US THE MOST GRACE...I HAVE LEARNT THIS FROM EXPERIENCE; TRY IT AND YOU WILL SEE. I AM **CONTENT WITH WHATEVER** GOD GIVES ME, AND I SHOW HIM THIS IN A THOUSAND LITTLE WAYS."—ST. THERESE **OF LISIEUX (+1897)**









PHOTOS: 1) Entrance Procession at the 10:30 AM Latin Mass; 2) The three sacred ministers: Deacon Matthew Walter, Deacon of the Mass, Fr. Brian O'Hanlon, Priest Celebrant, Deacon David Wong, Subdeacon of the Mass; 3) Prayers at the Foot of the Altar; 4) Fr. O'Hanlon at the chanting of the Gospel, Fr. Juan Carlos Rivera, S.J. as the Archpriest of the Mass; 5) Fr. O'Hanlon preaches.







6) The Consecration of the Host; 7) Fr. O'Hanlon with his parents and grandmother. This day also happened to be James and Anne O'Hanlon's 35th Wedding Anniversary; 8) Fr. O'Hanlon's uncle Fr. Philip Mares, M.M., a Maryknoll missionary in Korea, was able to attend his nephew's Masses at Mary Immaculate.

May 26th, A.D. 2019

Fifth Sunday after Easter

Mary Immaculate of Lourdes, Newton/Needham, Massachusetts

COLLECTS OF THE ROMAN MISSAL



David Allen VIGIL OF THE ASCENSION: PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

Missale Romanum 1970 (MR '70)

This week, we are mindful of the approaching Holy Day of Our Lord's Ascension on Thursday. To that end, we will treat the Prayer over the Offerings for the Vigil of this feast in the MR'70:

"O God, whose Only Begotten Son, our High Priest, is seated ever-living at Your right hand to intercede for us, grant that we may approach with confidence the throne of grace and there obtain Your mercy. Through Christ our Lord. Amen."

This Collect makes direct reference to St. Paul's Epistle to the Hebrews, where we hear the following exhortation: "Since then we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast our confession. For we have not a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but one who in every respect has been tempted as we are, yet without sinning. Let us then with confidence draw near to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need" (Heb. 4:14-16, RSV).

This passage speaks to the critical importance of growing in faith and hope. These are two of the three theological virtues infused into our souls by God in Baptism, which enable us to enjoy friendship with Him. Faith has to do with the assent of our intellect to the truth God has revealed in Christ. It likewise involves a consequent act of entrustment of ourselves to the good God who has revealed Himself to man. Hope has to do with the fiduciary confidence in the good God to provide the graces we need for salvation in this life and for eternal life with Him in heaven. It is an act of our will which exercises a "confident expectation" in God's gracious will to fulfill what He has promised to give us in His

loving providence (cf. *Catechism of the Catholic Church* nos. 144-165, 1812-1821, 2090).

The Vulgate translation of the Greek original affirms these points regarding faith and hope, according to the sense indicated in the *Catechism*. In v. 14, we see "teneamus confessionem," that is, the confession of faith we make in Baptism (i.e., the Creed). In other words, St. Paul exhorts us to take hold of the content of our faith and hold onto it tenaciously. In v. 16, we see "adeamus ergo cum fiducia," that is, "let us approach with confident trust," i.e., the virtue of hope.

In what exactly do the virtues of faith and hope terminate? St. Paul tells us: "the throne of grace." This is a reference to the Israelite Ark of the Covenant, which was God's "throne" on earth, and the place where the High Priest sprinkled the blood of the sacrifice on the Day of Atonement to effect merely symbolic atonement. As we see throughout Hebrews, St. Paul shows us how Jesus is the true High Priest whose shed Blood on the Cross actually effects satisfaction for man's sin, and reconciles the world to the Father.

Thus, the "throne of grace" indicates the real heavenly throne room, where Jesus both reigns as King with the Father, and "permanently exercises His priesthood," interceding for us (cf. Catechism nos. 662-4). Likewise, the throne of grace may also refer both to Our Lord's Cross and the Altar, where atonement is effected.

Consider the following excerpt from Hebrews 9-10, which constitutes part of one of the optional readings for the Vigil of the Ascension: "For Christ has entered, not into a sanctuary made with hands, a copy of the true one, but into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God on our behalf.....Therefore, brethren, since we have confidence to enter the sanctuary by the blood of Jesus, by the new and living way which He opened for us through the curtain, that is, through his flesh, and since we have a great priest over the house of God, let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith.." (Heb. 9:24, 10:19-22, RSV).



REMINDER: ASCENSION THURSDAY, MAY 30th, 2018 HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

Masses at Mary Immaculate of Lourdes for the Holy Day will be at

7:30 AM (1970 Missal) 12:30 PM (Traditional Latin) 5:30 PM (1970 Missal) 7:30 PM (Traditional Latin)

Please do not forget to fulfill your important religious duty by attending a public Mass on Ascension Thursday.

Summer Book Study 2019: A Layman's Guide to the Liturgy of the Hours

David Allen, our Lay Pastoral Associate, will be leading a four week class on the Liturgy of the Hours, also known as the Divine Office. We will be using as our principal resource the newly published book, *A Layman's Guide to the Liturgy of the Hours*, by Fr. Timothy Gallagher, O.M.V..

When? The following Thursday evenings: June 6, 13, 20, 27

Where? The dining room in the rectory, next to the parish. Please enter the rectory through the front door.

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LATIN MASS PROPERS: FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER

INTROIT: Isaias 48: 20 Declare it with the voice of joy, and make it known, alleluia: declare it even to the ends of the earth: The Lord hath delivered His people, alleluia, alleluia. *Psalm* 65: 1-2 Shout with joy to God, all the earth, sing ye a psalm to His name: give glory to His praise. *V. Glory* be to the Father.

COLLECT O God, from whom all good things do proceed, grant unto Thy humble servants, that by Thy holy inspiration, we may think those things that are right, and under Thy guidance may perform the same. Through our Lord.

EPISTLE: James 1: 22-27 Dearly beloved, be ye doers of the word and not hearers only, deceiving your own selves. For if a man be a hearer of the word and not a doer, he shall be compared to a man beholding his own countenance in a glass: for he beheld himself and went his way, and presently forgot what manner of man he was. But he that hath looked into perfect law of liberty and hath continued therein, not becoming a forgetful hearer but a doer of the work: this man shall be blessed in his deed. And if any man think himself to be religious, not bridling his tongue but deceiving his own heart, this man's religion is vain. Religion pure and undefiled before God and the Father is this: To visit the fatherless and widows in their tribulation and to keep one's self unspotted from this world.

FIRST ALLELUIA Alleluia, alleluia. *V.* Christ is risen, and hath shone upon us, whom He redeemed with His blood. SECOND ALLELUIA: John 16: 28 Alleluia. *V.* I came forth from the Father, and am come into the world: again I leave the world and I go to the Father. Alleluia.

GOSPEL: John 16: 23-30 **A**t that time Jesus saith to His disciples: Amen, amen, I say to you: If you ask the Father any thing in My name, He will give it you. Hitherto you have not asked any thing in My name: Ask, and you shall receive, that your joy may be full. These things I have spoken to you in proverbs. The hour cometh when I will no more speak to you in proverbs, but will show you plainly of the Father. In that day you shall ask in My name: and I say not to you that I will ask the Father for you: for the Father Himself loveth you, because you have loved Me and have believed that I came out from God. I came forth from the Father and am come into the world: again I leave the world and I go to the Father. His disciples say to Him: Behold now Thou speakest plainly and speakest no proverb. Now we know that Thou knowest all things and Thou needest not that any man should ask Thee: by this we believe that Thou camest forth from God.

OFFERTORY: Psalm 65: 8-9, 20 O bless the Lord our God, ye peoples, and make the voice of His praise to be heard: who hath set my soul to live, and hath not suffered my feet to be moved. Blessed be the Lord, who hath not turned away my prayer, nor His mercy from me, alleluía.

SECRET Receive, O Lord, the prayers and sacrifices of the faithful, that by these offices of loving devotion we may attain to heavenly glory. Through our Lord.

Preface of Easter

COMMUNION: Psalm 95: 2 Sing unto the Lord, alleluia, sing unto the Lord, and bless His name: show forth His salvation from day to day, alleluia, alleluia.

POSTCOMMUNION Grant us, O Lord, who have been nourished and strengthened at the heavenly table, both to desire that which is right, and to gain that which we desire. Through our Lord.

May 26th, A.D. 2019

Music Programs for this Sunday's Mass

Mass of Pope Paul VI (1970 Missal)

4:00 PM (Vigil), 7:30 & 9:00 AM, 5:30 PM

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Prelude: Hail Mother of Compassion (Anonymous, Published: Codex Speciálnik, c.1500 A.D., Praha)

Entrance Antiphon: Isaiah 48:20

(SAINT MEINRAD booklet, page 37)

Proclaim a joyful sound and let it be heard; proclaim to the ends of the earth: The Lord has freed his people, alleluia.

Ordinary Prayers: Mass I "Lux et Origo"

Parish Book of Chant, no.28ff./pp. 60~62 (Kyrie, Gloria, Sanctus, Benedictus and Agnus Dei) Credo III, Music Issue, No. 941

Offertory Antiphon: Psalm 98:1-2

(SAINT MEINRAD booklet, page 31) Christ our Passover has been sacrificed; therefore let us keep the feast with the unleavened bread of purity and truth, alleluia.

Communion: John 14:15~16

(SAINT MEINRAD booklet, page 38)

If you love Me, keep my commandments, says the Lord, and I will ask the Father and He will send you another Paraclete, to abide with you forever, alleluia

Communion Meditation:

Hail, Holy Queen Enthroned (Contractus Hermannus)

Recessional Hymn:

The Strife Is O'er, the Battle Done (Worship II, **No. 273**)



Mass of St. Gregory the Great (1962 Missal)

10:30 AM

Fifth Sunday after Easter

Prelude: O Sancta Maria (Anonymous, Published Pre-1516) Vidi Aquam (Parish Book of Chant, pg. 35)

Processional: *Lapis Revolutus Est*, Parish Book of Chant (pg. 279) and *Regina Caeli Jubila* (pg. 283)

Introit: Isaias 48: 20, Vocem jucunditátis annuntiáte, et audiátur, allelúia: annuntiáte usque ad extrémum terræ: liberávit Dóminus pópulum suum, alleluia, allelúia. (Ps. 65. 1-2) Jubiláte Deo, omnis terra, psalmum dícite nómini ejus: date glóriam laudi ejus. Glória Patri et Fílio et Spíritui Sancto, sicut erat in princípio, et nunc, et semper, et in sæcula sæculórum. Amen.

Ordinary Prayers: Mass I "Lux et Origo"

Parish Book of Chant, no.28ff./pp. 60~62 (Kyrie, Gloria, Sanctus, Benedictus and Agnus Dei) Credo III: Parish Book of Chant pg. 114, No. 119

Paschal Alleluia Allelúja, allelúja. Surrexit Christus, et illúxit nobis, quos redémit sánguine suo. Allelúja. (John 16: 28) Exívi a Patre, et veni in mundum; íterum relínquo mundum, et vado ad Patrem. Allelúja.

Offertory: Psalm 65: 8, 9, 26 Benedícite, gentes, Dóminum Deum nostrum, et obaudíte vocem laudis ejus: qui pósuit ánimam meam ad vitam, et non dedit commovéri pedes meos: benedíctus Dóminus, qui non amóvit deprecatiónem meam, et misericórdiam suam a me, alleluia.

<u>Communion</u>: Psalm 95:2 Cantáte Dómino, allelúja: cantáte Dómino, et benedícite nomen ejus: bene nuntiáte de die in diem salutáre ejus, alleluja, allelúja.

Communion Meditation: Regina Coeli (Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrin, Published 1593)

Recessional Hymn:

The Strife Is O'er, the Battle Done (Worship II, **No. 273**)

Postlude: Haec Dies (Bordese)

Regina Caeli (Chant)

Calendar of Masses

Calendar of Masses (Intention of the Mass—Special Remarks—Requested by)					
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SUNDAY	4:00 PM	Celia Staunton	Memorial	Bennett Family	
May 26th	(Vigil) 7:30 AM	Pro Populo			
(FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER)	9:00 AM	Robin Carlson	Memorial	DeMatteo Family	
	10:30 AM	James & Thérèse Monahan		Monahan Family	
	1	Carlo Calisi	Memorial	Eva Calisi & Family	
	A CAME	Christine Nicoloro Caroline Noviello	Birthday Intention Memorial	Nicoloro Family James Noviello	
		Catherine & Nancy	Holy Land Pilgrim.	Catherine E. Dinon	
		Andrew Provencher	Special Intention	Provencher Family	
		Margaret Provencher	Special Intention	Provencher Family	
		Gloria Pazasis	Memorial	Mary Marcelonis	
	1	Helen Canty Murphy Anita Kimmerle	B/day Memorial Memorial	Mary Marcelonis Anthony & Victoria Angelucci	
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	20. 10.0	Jean Pierre/Dominique		, 8	
		Family	Trir C.D. 1		
A	7.20 PM	(Mothers & Godmothers)	Living & Deceased Memorial	Geraldine Jean Pierre	
	5:30 PM	David Hoyle	Wichioffat	Ron & Gerrie Goguen	
MONDAY May 27th	No 7:30 AM MASS ON MEMORIAL DAY: CEMETERY MASS AT 10 AM				
Rogation Mass	12:30 PM	Fred Gangi	Memorial	Dr. Joseph Arcidi & Family	
TUESDAY May 28th Easter Feria	7:30 AM	Purgatorial Society of Mary Immaculate of Lourdes Parish	Memorial		
WEDNESDAY	12:30 PM	Frs. Salako & Maccalli,	Special Intention	Laura Harvey	
May 29th Rogation Mass		S.M.A.			
THURSDAY May 30th	7:30 AM 12:30 PM	Pro Populo			
ASCENSION THURSDAY	5:30 PM 7:30 PM	PARISH INTENTIONS		EST. AS	
FRIDAY May 31st	7:30 AM Health of the Sick	Deceased Priests of the Archdiocese of Boston	Memorial		
May 31st Visitation/Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary	12:30 PM	Ernest & Pauline Nasif	Memorial		
SATURDAY June 1st	9:00 AM	All Souls (27) All Souls	Memorial Memorial	Donor Laura Harvey	

June 1st Immaculate Heart of Mary

First Saturday

All Souls Jan Paul & Lisa Von

4:00 PM

Wendt Mary Frances McManus Margaret Yong

Fr. Brian Peter O'Hanlon For All Our Nation's War-Dead

Memorial Special Intention Memorial

Laura Harvey

Claire Brassil

Rosary Group

Rosary Group

Memorial Special Intention

Memorial

May 26th, A.D. 2019

Fifth Sunday after Easter

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THE PUBLIC IS INVITED TO ASSIST AT ST. MARY'S CEMETERY ANNUAL OUTDOOR MEMORIAL DAY MASS

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