

Church of St. Sebastian
August 15, 2010—Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

**25TH, 40TH, 50TH AND OVER
WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION**

The Office of Marriage Preparation and Enrichment of the Diocese of Providence is sponsoring the Fourth Annual Wedding Anniversary Celebration on *Sunday, October 3, 2010, 1:00 pm, at the Cathedral of SS. Peter and Paul, Providence*. Married couples who are celebrating their 25th, 40th, 50th and Over wedding anniversaries in 2010 will be honored at this celebration. Couples who would like to attend can register for this event through their Parish Office before SEPTEMBER, 3RD.

The Wedding Anniversary Celebration will include Mass, renewal of marriage vows and a personalized certificate for each couple. Following the Mass, the Office of Marriage Preparation and Enrichment will host a reception for the couples and their families. Bishop Thomas J. Tobin will be the main celebrant and homilist.



All will
be made
alive in
Christ

1 Cor 15:22

WEEKLY SACRIFICIAL GIVING REPORT

08/08/2010

# of Budgets Used	78
Checks and Budget Envelopes	\$2,563
Loose	\$ 438
Total Offertory	\$3,001
Monthly Maintenance	\$ 834

Going Away on Vacation?

Please remember to forward your weekly financial support for St. Sebastian Church and parish ministries. Our parish expenses extend for all 52 weeks per year and their timely payment depends upon our parishioners' continued commitment to be sacrificial givers.

TEACHER NEED AND START OF CLASSES!

The need for teachers for our religious education program is great. The needs are as follows: One teacher for each grade 1, 2, 3, and 4. There is also a need for a ninth grade teacher and a tenth grade teacher. If you or anyone you know is interested in joining this very fulfilling parish ministry please contact Ms. Marie Brito, Religious Education Coordinator at 401-272-6062 or at msmarie06.stseb@gmail.com.

Religious Education classes will be starting after Labor Day. Grades 1-5 meet on Mondays from 3:30pm-5pm, grades 6, 7, & 8 meet on Sunday mornings from 10am-11am, and grades 9 & 10 meet every other Sunday from 6:30pm-7:30pm(this time may change). Further information will follow.

THE GABRIEL PROJECT

The next Gabriel Project workshop will be held on Saturday, August 21st at Project Hope, 474 Broadway, Pawtucket. The program agenda will include: Call to Prayer...Our Cup of Life, An Overview of Gabriel, and Boundaries: The Need, How to Communicate, How to be Consistent. The Program will be presented by Carol Owens, Coordinator and Peter Magnotta, L.S.W. from the Life and Family Office of the Diocese of Providence. The Gabriel Project is an outreach program for women in a crisis and unplanned pregnancy. For more information, to register, and for directions: call Carol at 421-7833 x118.

2ND ANNUAL

“CELEBRATE MARRIAGE AND FAMILY DAY”

On Sunday, August 15th at 2:30 pm, the 2nd Annual “Celebrate Marriage and Family Day” will be held on the scenic grounds at the Aldrich Mansion in Warwick. Families, Couples, and Singles of all faiths from the RI and surrounding areas will gather in celebration of traditional marriage. Great food, concessions, entertainment, and children’s activities are planned. Bring your own picnic lunch or purchase tickets for great traditional barbecue food and side dishes. In the late afternoon a special blessing will be bestowed upon all families followed by a free ice cream social. Please visit the National Organization for Marriage website for more information. www.nomri.org