

Church of St. Sebastian
January 17, 2016 - Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Scheduled Masses For This Week

Saturday, January 16, Vigil: 2nd Sunday in Ord. Time
 5:00 pm Raffaella (Ralph) Ciunci

Sunday, January 17, 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am David McCahan
 -requested by Cummings family

11:00 am Mary Lou Calcagni, 2nd anniversary
 -requested by her husband and children

Monday, January 18, Weekday

7:00 am Nicholas Comando and Monteverde Family

Tuesday, January 19, Weekday

7:00 am Edoardo, Ida, and Edward Russo
 7:25 am Novena Prayers to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Wednesday, January 20, Feast of Saint Sebastian

7:00 am Dr. Joseph Loferski, 19th anniversary
 -requested by his wife Sylvia

Thursday, January 21 St. Agnes, Virgin and Martyr

7:00 am Laura Carabiniero
 -requested by Vincent and Lucille Lupino

**Friday, January 22, Day of Prayer for the Legal
 Protection of Unborn Children**

7:00 am Marilyn Bucci

Next Weekend's Masses

Saturday, January 23, Vigil: 3rd Sunday in Ord. Time

5:00 pm In Thanksgiving to the Lynch Family,
 -requested by Sally Ann Diorio

Sunday, January 24, 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am Mass

11:00 am Helen V. Lawlor, anniversary
 -requested by daughters Regina and Patricia



THIS WEEK AT ST. SEBASTIAN CHURCH

Sunday	1/17	NO CCD THIS WEEK	
		Adult Choir	10:00 am
Monday	1/18	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day	7:00 am
			Mass
Tues.	1/19	Prayer Shawl Ministry	7:00 pm

ATTENTION ALL MOTHERS AND CAREGIVERS!

Please save the date for a special Lenten Retreat right here at St. Sebastian's. Saturday, February 27th we will gather at the church from 8:30-12:00 with the Dominican Sisters of St. Cecilia and our own Monsignor Montecalvo to prepare ourselves spiritually for Lent. Keep an eye on the church bulletin for further details. To reserve your space now, sign up on the sheet posted in the church vestibule, or contact Grace at dugan@dugancustomjewelers.com or 401.277.1028

BABYSITTING AT THE 9:00 AM MASS

The parish provides BABYSITTING during the 9:00 am Mass on Sunday mornings. This babysitting service is free and is meant to help parents to attend Mass. Your child(ren) will be cared for in a secure environment with approved caregivers. Please take your child(ren) to the Church Hall. You will find the nursery on the stage. If you would like to give a helping hand, please call Karin Schrott at 401-465-7444.



Morning Mass on Monday, January 18th, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, will be held at the regular time of 7:00 am to accommodate those who are not given the holiday off from their job.

MONTHLY PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Names of friends, family, and fellow parishioners for whom prayers are asked will be listed monthly. If you would like a person included in this month's Prayers for the Sick please call the rectory. *Maureen Kenner, Sandy C., Sylvia Loferski, Carl Robert Dahm, John Haddad, Bob, Bob K., and Deborah Bessette.*

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HAT AND MITTEN TREE

You are invited to decorate the tree in the vestibule with new Hats, Mittens, Gloves and Scarves for women, men and children through January. All proceeds will be distributed to Mary House at St. Patrick's Church in Providence. Thank you for your generous spirit and kindness.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY will meet on Tuesday January 19th at 7:00 pm in the Fr. Randall Room to create prayer shawls and small Baptism blankets. Call Pat Capece 274-8632 or Elaine Kehoe 273-4259 with ideas or questions. Please join us in this lovely way to spread joy to others.

PARISH BOOK CLUB

The next meeting of the Parish Book Club takes place Wednesday, February 17th at 7:00 pm in the Fr. Randall Room to discuss **Main Street** by Sinclair Lewis. **New members are welcome!**

TAX LETTERS will be mailed by January 31, 2016 to registered parishioners who donated \$250 or more in 2015. If you donated less than this amount and require a letter for tax purposes please contact the rectory at 751-0196. Thank you



WEEKLY SACRIFICIAL GIVING REPORT

January 10, 2016

# of Budget Envelopes Used This Week	67
# of Online Contributors This Week	27
Contributions-Budgets and Checks	\$ 2,784.00
Online Parish Giving	\$ 3,927.00
Loose Contributions	\$ 623.00
Total Offertory	\$ 7,334.00

Please consider enrolling in **Parish Giving**, our electronic stewardship program for parish contributions. You can register online at www.Parishgiving.org or on our parish website at www.stsebastianri.org.



Annual Potluck Supper—January 30th, 2016

In honor of St. Sebastian, whose Feast Day is January 20th, all parishioners are invited to a Potluck Supper to be held in the Church Hall on Saturday, January 30th at 6:00 pm.

This is a Family Event so we will have the Babysitting Room (with a couple of babysitters!) in the Church Hall open that evening.

Sign-up sheets are in the vestibule. Mark your calendars now and plan to attend!



Thank You

The Community Outreach Committee would like to thank our fellow Parishioners for their overwhelming generosity and support of our recent Holiday projects.

Thanksgiving Collection for Mary House at St. Patrick's Church: \$898

Annual Buy Nothing Day Winter Coat Exchange: Approximately 75 coats collected and delivered.

Embrace A Family: Parishioners "embraced" 14 Individuals from AccessPoint RI and 20 Students and their Families from San Miguel School.

Toy Collection: Several large bags of toys were delivered to Mary House at St. Patrick's Church.

Mitten & Hat Tree: will continue through January for the benefit of Mary House.