

Church of St. Sebastian
July 3, 2011—Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Scheduled Masses For This Week

Saturday, July 2, Vigil: 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 pm Mass

Sunday, July 3, 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am Mass

11:00 am For the Parishioners

Monday, July 4, Weekday

~~Holiday Schedule~~Independence Day~~

9:00 am Mass

Tuesday, July 5, Weekday

7:00 am Mass

Wednesday, July 6, Weekday

7:00 am Wendell MacKintosh, anniversary

Thursday, July 7, Weekday

7:00 am Angelo DiMario

-requested by his family

Friday, July 8, Weekday

7:00 am Mass

Next Weekend Masses

Saturday, July 9, Vigil: 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 pm Mass

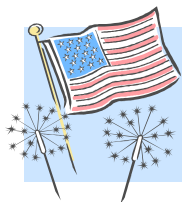
Sunday, July 10, 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am For the Parishioners

11:00 am Mass

Please keep our fellow parishioners and friends in your thoughts and prayers:

Rosemary Wynne, Maureen Baker, Bob R., Mary P., and Carmella Cardillo.



NEW PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Being July 1, parish office hours have changed. Mary Brennan, the Parish Secretary, will be available as follows:

Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri. 10 AM – 2 PM

Wednesday 10 AM – 4 PM

THE PASTOR'S CORNER

We return this Sunday to Ordinary Time in the Church Year. The color is green, the color of life and hope. Life at the parish is anything but ordinary! You and I celebrated our first anniversary together on July 1. Today's Gospel reassures us that the Lord gives us rest and peace on the journey. So be it, Amen!

Life at the parish grows very quiet in the summer, but there is much going on behind the scenes. Greeting those preparing for marriage and baptisms, needed renovation meetings and consultations, and ideas for small group meetings to welcome people into the parish are all taking place during this summer season. The restoration of the sun porch which faces the Church, (aka *Casa Blanca*), is nearly complete. Rumors abound that cigar smoke allegedly has seen wafting from the windows! Really!??

Bishop Tobin has appointed Fr. Ernest Berthelette (USAF Ret.) as a priest in residence. Fr. Ernie is a retired Catholic Chaplain in the US Air Force. We have known each other for over 30 years, and he is very much looking forward to living among us. He works with the Diocesan Office of Youth Ministry and is the Chaplain at Yawgoog Scout Camp this summer. We welcome him to the parish effective August 1st.

On this holiday weekend, we pray for our nation. We face many challenges as a free people. Take a moment to give thanks for our freedom and especially for the men and women in uniform serving around the world. May God protect and bless America!

Enjoy the holiday week.
Msgr. Darcy



WELCOME TO ST. SEBASTIAN'S PARISH

The parish welcomes our new parishioners who have registered at our parish:

Jessica Pasquarelli

Michael and Flor Furia

Philip and Jennifer Karr

Andrea Hunt Denby

Daniel and Sheila Judkins

Vu Duc and Ann Marie Nguyen

Welcome to all of you. We look forward to you sharing your time, talent, and treasure as active members of the parish

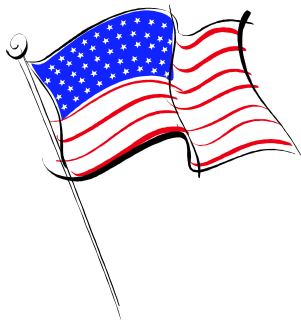
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WEEKLY SACRIFICIAL GIVING REPORT

June 25/26, 2011

# of Budget Envelopes Used	57
Contributions-Budgets and Checks	\$ 1,812
Loose Contributions	\$ 470
Total Offertory	\$ 2,282

As we begin the summer, our parish charitable giving needs to be maintained. **Last summer our checking account at one point was at \$7.00.** Please remember our joint stewardship responsibility to support the parish during the summer. You may consider Parish Giving, our electronic stewardship program for parish contributions. Even I could set it up! You can register online at www.Parishgiving.com



NEWLY COMMISSIONED EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

The following parishioners have been commissioned recently as Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion for a term of three years. They are:

Sal Annarummo	Rachel Sousa Baxter
Marie Brito	Mary Cappelli
Ann Carnevale	Laura Cavanaugh
Joe Cianciolo	Mary Clare
James Daly	Elliot Fleming
Joan Fleming	Ann Galligan
Sarah Garcia-Mata	Dan Knight
Patricia Knight (Sick only)	Margie Pettibone
Joe Rabatin	Catherine Taylor
Joan Tracey	Nicholas DiLello
Toni Dumville	Richard Evangelista
Dennis Fagan	Jeffery Giguere
Mindy Penney	Robert Penney
Gregory Pizzuti	Clarke Philip
Kay Philip	Margaret Pleasants
Carmen Songwe	Robert Whelan

Thank you for your ministry at the Eucharist.

PARISH COOKOUT- SIGN UP TODAY!!

Looks like it's a go...rain or shine!! A simple summer cookout will be held after the 5 PM Mass on Saturday, July 16 on the parish lawn. The usual summer menu: *Hot dogs, potato salad, coleslaw, pasta salad, watermelon, dessert, and soft drinks...\$3 per person.* Bring a lawn chair; let's celebrate summer! Sign up sheets are in the front entrance of the Church...join us and bring a new parishioner or friend!!

HAPPY BAPTISM DAY

The parish welcomes Mia Judkins, daughter of Daniel and Sheila Judkins, baptized last Sunday surrounded by family and friends from as far away as Great Britain! Congratulations to you, Mia, as you begin your new life in Christ!

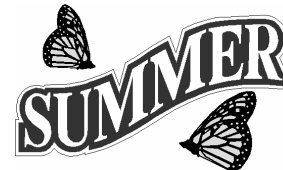
CONGRATULATIONS TED AND CATHERINE

A recent new parishioner, **Ted Scholhamer**, and **Catherine Rodero** were wed on June 26th at St. George's School, Middletown where Catherine teaches. Our parish extends our congratulations to you as you begin your married life.

SICK CALLS AND VISITS

Please inform the rectory if a relative would like a Communion visit during their hospital visit or recuperation. You are **not** imposing. I am very eager to visit the sick of the parish.

~ Msgr. Darcy



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Registrations for Religious Education Classes will be taking place throughout the summer. The registration forms may be found on our website: www.stsebastianri.org Please download the form you will need and send it along with the registration fee to 67 Cole Avenue, Providence, RI 02906. Attn: Ms. Marie. New registrations must be accompanied by a copy of the student's Baptismal Certificate only if the student was not baptized here at St. Sebastian's. You will use the re-registration form only for students who are returning to Religious Education classes. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at msmarie06.stseb@gmail.com and I will get back to you. Thank you.