



**Saturday March 6 First Saturday**

4:00 P.M.—31st Anniv.—Soul of John McCool from his family

**Sunday March 7 Third Sunday of Lent  
Girl Scout Sunday**

8:00 A.M.—Soul of Robert Pelletier from Denise & Nil Cote  
10:45 A.M.—2nd Anniv.—Soul of Jeanne Laverdiere from Steve & Diane Wolf

**Monday March 8 St. John of God**

6:30 P.M.—Soul of Reynaldo Reyes from Puri & Manny Flores

**Tuesday March 9 St. Frances of Rome**

7:45 A.M.—Soul of Claire Lapine from Roger & Claire Fournier

**Wednesday March 10**

7:45 A.M.—Marissa Santos from Puri & Manny Flores

**Friday March 12**

7:45 A.M.—Soul of Doris Laplante from Marilyn Menard

**Saturday March 13**

4:00 P.M.—Soul of Adam Harvey from his family

**Sunday March 14 Fourth Sunday of Lent**

8:00 A.M.—Soul of Raymond Archambault from his parents  
10:45 A.M.—Soul of Josephine Krajewski from Flo Davidson



Fr. Peter Hamernik, Pat Anderson, Jim Convery, Thomas Rousell, Puri Geronimo-Flores, Hilda McCain, Nil Cote, Aaron Gaj, Josh, Patrick O'Roark, Arthur Giampolo, Nicholas Verne, Angelique LaPointe, Barbara Barry, Michael Beaulieu, Daniel Strain, Brian Laporte, Ivan Fabricius Sr., Joshua Archambault, Donald Paquette, Maryalice Boudreau, Angel Santana, Edward Nestor, Armandine Cote, Joey Wrona, Irene Sills, Pat Powers, Todd Dube, Marcelle Morrissette, William Buckley, Kim Knowles, Lucille Pellerin, Anita Hassenfratz, Yvonne Labrie, Ethan Rideout, Ann Marie Fortier, Anna Couture, Claire Fournier, Jewell Castro, Joseph Gendreau, Meg Kiely, Laurie Paquette/Klekotka, Joseph Collingwood III, Mary Polchlopek, Dorothy Snow, Michelle Brunelle, Louise Mehegan, Margaret Cox, Nancy Engelbrecht, Louise McGinty, Richard Klase, Patrick Corrigan, Donald Como, Kathleen Cole, Yvette Fattorini, Deidre Gogel, Eugene Blanchette, Sylvie Lamoureux, Frances Kiely, Jamie Humpfrey, Sarah Hastings, Edea Zimnoch, David Walker, Janice McDonald and all the sick of our parish family. **IN YOUR PRAYERS.....** remember all the deceased members of our parish family.

**Today's suggestion: Offer your day for someone who has fallen away from their faith.**

For our Altar Wine this week, we will try Chateau des Freres (White wine). We thank you for your input.

**LITURGICAL MINISTRIES**

**ALTAR CARE:** **March 11**  
Estelle Landry  
Maureen Bail

**LECTORS:** **March 13 & 14**  
Sat 4:00 PM Marilyn Menard  
Sun 8:00 AM Ann Royal  
Sun 10:45 AM Betty Desilets

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION:** **March 13 & 14**  
Sat 4:00 PM Deacon Paul Mazzariello  
Deanna Flynn  
Maureen Bail  
Sun 8:00 AM Denise LaPointe  
Robert LaPointe  
Michelle Tetrault  
Sun 10:45 AM Debbie Quinn  
Linda Robert  
Jeanne Gendreau

<b>PARISH STEWARDSHIP OFFERINGS:</b>	
<b>Total Budgeted Collection</b>	<b>\$ 4,000.00</b>
Total Actual Collection (191 envelopes)	\$ 2,994.00
Total Actual Collection (loose)	\$ 124.00
<b>Shortfall Amount</b>	<b>\$ -882.00</b>
<b>FYTD Budgeted Collection</b>	<b>\$ 136,000.00</b>
FYTD Actual Collection	\$ 125,367.00
<b>FYTD Shortfall Amount</b>	<b>\$ -10,633.00</b>

Please use your envelopes so that we can credit your giving. Thank you for your gifts of time, talent & treasure. **We have 953 families registered in our parish. Only approximately 250 families support.**

**LENTEN SCHEDULE THIS WEEK**

**Monday**  
Confessions: 6:00—6:30 pm

**Wednesday**  
Stations of the Cross: 6:00 pm  
"I Am There"

**Friday**  
Eucharistic Adoration: 8:15 am—6:00 pm  
(Sign-up sheets for each week are in the vestibule of the Church.)

Hour of Mercy and Chaplet of Divine Mercy:  
3:15 pm

**Weekly Reflection:** Jesus is the Way, the Truth and the Life. Through Him we can attain eternal salvation.



**INTENTIONS FOR OUR  
SANCTUARY LAMP**

This week, we will remember the intentions of our Sanctuary Candle:  
*In memory of Carol Laverdiere*

## **THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT**

For other calendar events, check our website at [www.ihmgranby.org](http://www.ihmgranby.org).

**The Finance Committee will meet on Tuesday, March 9th at 6:30 p.m. in the CCD Office.**

**The Building & Maintenance Collection** will be taken up at all Masses this weekend. The basket will be passed a second time to receive your offerings.

**The Catholic Relief Services Collection** (Bishop's Relief Fund) will be taken up at all Masses next weekend.

**VOCATIONS...** Moses heard God's call from a burning bush. What is your passion, your burning bush? Take time to know what God is sending you to do and be. (Exodus: 3-18, 13-15) If you think God is calling you, call Fr. Gary Dailey at 413-452-0816, or email at [vocations@diospringfield.org](mailto:vocations@diospringfield.org). Website: [www.myvocation.com](http://www.myvocation.com)



**Baptism**

**CONGRATULATIONS.....to** Madelyn Grace LaPointe and Lucas Michael Illuzzi baptized into the faith community of Immaculate Heart of Mary. We welcome them with prayers for their growth in the life of Christ.



**Third Week of Lent...  
The Burning Bush and  
the Call of Moses**

Today we hear the call of Moses to lead his people from oppression to freedom. God promises to be with them as they journey to a new life. Our participation in Catholic Relief Services' *Operation Rice Bowl* unites us in **prayer, fasting** and **giving** with the millions of people throughout the world who are oppressed by poverty, injustice, war, disease, and lack of education and other opportunities.

### **'SEASONS OF MARRIAGE'**

Offered for couples who seek to keep their relationship a priority. Presented by Ray & Beth Ginepro, presenters for Worldwide Marriage Encounter for 14 years.

**Sunday, May 16, 2010 2-5 pm  
Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish Center**

For more information or to register, call Kathryn at 467-3566. Please RSVP by May 7, 2010.

**Open House:** St. John the Baptist School, 217 Hubbard St., Ludlow, will be holding an **Open House for prospective parents on Thursday, March 18th from 6:30—8:00 pm**. Staff will be present and tours will be available. Limited openings are available in Grades K to 8. Please consider joining...you'll be glad you did!

**Come and listen** to an exciting presentation on the Canadian Rockies by Train at 6:00 pm on Tuesday, March 9, 2010 at the Pope John Paul II Hall at Immaculate Conception Church, 25 Parker St., Indian Orchard, Ma. Everyone is welcome to attend, sponsored by The Happy Louie/Julie Travel Club. The trip will take place in the fall of this year.

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### **CALLING YOU TO REVITALIZE THE WOMEN'S CLUB THIS WEDNESDAY....7:00 P.M.**

We extend a warm invitation to all women of the Parish to gather together on March 10, 2010 at 7:00 pm in the Parish Center.

What is the role of the Women's Club?

What is our goal?

To begin with, it should be twofold: spiritual and social. We all need spiritual gatherings such as an evening of reflection, spiritual enrichment services for the parish, a Communion break-fast, whatever you like. A social dimension to our group seems important too. Social gatherings, trips, mystery rides, holiday parties. Another important goal...how can we create fund-raising events to support our parish, such as a Holiday Bazaar, etc.

Such women groups have been an asset to every parish, and this is an opportune moment to revitalize our Women's Club here in our Parish. Please let your hearts be moved to respond to this invitation. **WE need you, WE are looking for you!**

Again, I extend a heartfelt welcome to all the women of the parish to attend. Let us revitalize an organization that has been in existence since the beginning of the parish, and together look to the future with new life and hope. Refreshments will be served.

**Let us pray for the women of the past, present and future.**

*Fr. Charles*

### **IHM Men's Club presents "IRISH NIGHT"**

**Corned Beef & Cabbage Dinner  
Saturday, March 13, 2010 — 5:30 p.m.  
IHM Parish Center  
Adults \$12 - Children \$6.00  
Only 175 tickets will be available.  
Dinner...Music.....Raffle.....Fun for all!!**

### ***Annual Catholic Appeal***

Did you know...the Montague Catholic Social Ministries provides programming geared toward strengthening families through Family Literacy projects, Domestic Violence recovery and support, and bi-weekly play groups for children from birth to 5 years old? Through your generous donations to the *Annual Catholic Appeal*, families are given the opportunity to participate in numerous programs centered in Catholic social teachings. Thank you!

**120 Club...**The winner of week #5 was Bob & Eileen

Sheehan, Granby. No drawing on March 6th. We will have two drawings on March 13th. Please join us.

**Holy Name School**, South St., Chicopee has openings in all Grades for the School Year 2010/2011. School is located between Holyoke Catholic High School and Elms College.



**Next Sunday, March 14th  
Daylight Savings Time begins.**

Please turn your clocks ahead one hour next Saturday before going to bed.