



Saint John the Evangelist Parish

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A Summer Prayer

Blessing of discovery be yours
and blessing of rest.

Blessing of scenery be yours
and blessing of sleep.

Blessing of friends and family be yours
and blessing of solitude.

Blessing of fun be yours
and blessing of thought.

Blessing of change be yours
and blessing of homecoming.

(From Celtic Prayers for Life Today Ray Simpson, K Mayhew)



SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday:

7:00 a.m.; 5:00 p.m. (Vigil)

Sunday:

7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.;

Weekday:

7:00 a.m. (Monday-Saturday)

Holy Day: (As announced)

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 3:30-4 p.m., Chapel
(or by appointment)

The Mission Statement of St. John Parish

*Baptized into Christ,
we are a community of believers,
bonded by our desire to learn and to live
the Gospel message.*

*As a Eucharistic people,
we share a commitment to foster
our personal and communal growth in faith
and to witness to Christ's presence
by our service to those in need,
both within and beyond our parish community.*

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

REGISTRATION: Religious Education registration packets are available for download on the Parish website found at www.stjohnwellesley.org. As a reminder, all 10th grade Catholic school students planning to be Confirmed in 2013 must fully participate in the second year of the Parish Religious Education Program.

We are always looking for teachers who are willing to teach grades 5, 7 and 9. If you are interested, please contact the religious education office at 781.235.5337 (grade 5) or 781.237.0141 (grades 7 and 9).



THE GOOD SAMARITAN IS *YOU*.

Thank you to all supporters of the 2012 Catholic Appeal. St. John Parish has raised \$50,650 (or 75% of our goal of \$68,853). 106 families have responded.

Please know that every gift matters.

Consider making your pledge this weekend.

Information packets with pledge forms are at the Church entrance. For more information you may call (617) 779-3700 - or visit Catholic_Appeal@rcab.org.

Assumption of Mary - Wednesday, August 15, 2012
Holy Day of Obligation

Please contact the Rectory if you know someone who is homebound, sick or hospitalized.

ATTENTION: St. John Parish now has hearing equipment which may be borrowed during Mass for those who have a need. Please see our pastoral staff for more information.

JOIN OUR EMAIL LIST!

Go to www.stjohnwellesley.org to sign up for email updates and keep up on everything that's happening here at St. John's - just click the Join Our Email list button.

KINDLY REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Florencia Ramirez and Kathleen Miller who have gone home to God. May the souls of all our faithful departed share in the fullness of life and peace with God.

STAY IN TOUCH WHILE TRAVELING!

Keep up with all the news posted to our website via RSS feed or email updates - just visit our website and look for the **FOLLOW US!** links.



MARIAN MOVEMENT *Continues*

throughout the summer. Every **Tuesday**, all are invited to pray the Rosary, 7 p.m., in the Chapel.

†**ST. KATHARINE DREXEL FOODPANTRY:** Collection of non-perishable items to assist our sister parish in Roxbury will take place **next weekend** (and every second Sunday), **August 12**. Please bring your donations to our Glen Road entrance to benefit Saint Katharine Drexel Food Pantry. You may contact Angela Spinale at 781-431-0008 with questions.



WE OFFER OUR PRAYERS

for members of our Parish who are ill, remembering especially

Ann, Brian, Elizabeth, George, Hamilton, Jim, JoAnne, Kay, Mary and Moira.

SACRAMENTAL AND DEVOTIONAL SERVICES

Anointing of the Sick: First Saturday, following 5 p.m. Mass

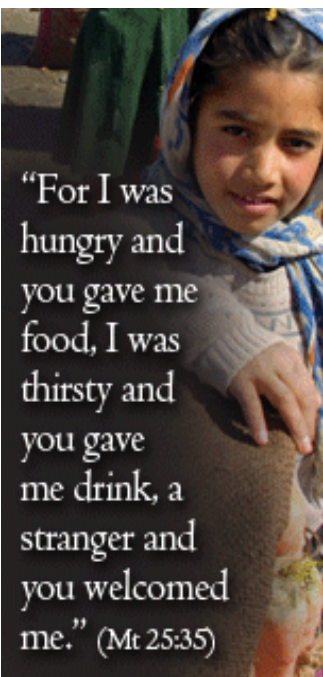
Baptism: Schedule with Priest

Funeral: Contact Parish

Marriage: Arrange six months prior

Penance: Saturday 3:30-4 p.m., Chapel (or by appointment)

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA): Contact Parish



"For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink, a stranger and you welcomed me." (Mt 25:35)

This weekend's second collection is for the Catholic Relief Services. This collection supports emergency relief, human development, and peace initiatives in 99 countries around the world, where nearly half the population lives on less than \$2.00 a day. The collection funds the ministries of five Catholic Church organizations: Catholic Relief Services (CRS), Catholic Legal Immigration Network, Inc. (CLINIC), Migration and Refugee Services (MRS), Social Development and World Peace (SDWP), and The Holy Father's Relief Fund. For more information, please visit www.usccb.org/crscollection.

When traveling within the United States, call **1-800-MASSTIME** or visit **www.masstimes.org** for the location and schedule of a nearby church for Mass. To keep up with what's happening here, you can get all the news posted to our website via RSS feed or email update – just click the FOLLOW US! Links below.

SECOND COLLECTION: *Next* weekend will be our **Special Monthly** for St. John the Evangelist Parish. As always, your continued generous support is most appreciated.

ST. JOHN PARISH Business Office
MONDAY-FRIDAY, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK



Saturday, August 4	7:00 a.m.	Memorial	† Frances Connors
	5:00 p.m.	Memorial	† Thomas & Mary Frazier
Sunday, August 5	7:30 a.m.	Memorial	† Regina Scannell
	9:00 a.m.	Memorial	† Sean Mohan
	11:00 a.m.	Memorial	† Pedro Rampolla Dejesus
		Memorial	† Sheila Young
		Memorial	† E. Joseph Fontaine
		Memorial	† Eileen Doherty
Monday, August 6	7:00 a.m.	Memorial	† Margaret Hostage
Tuesday, August 7	7:00 a.m.	Memorial	† For the Parish
Wednesday, August 8	7:00 a.m.	Memorial	† Mildred Green
Friday, August 10	7:00 a.m.	Memorial	† Frank McBride
Saturday, August 11	7:00 a.m.	Memorial	† Susan C. Sanderson
	5:00 p.m.	Memorial	† James H. Walsh III
Sunday, August 12	7:30 a.m.	Memorial	† Arthur Johnson
	9:00 a.m.	Memorial	† Kara Kennedy
	11:00 a.m.	Memorial	† Henry Russell
		Memorial	† Ann Reynolds
		Memorial	† Patricia Peters
		Memorial	† Enos Mubiru

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