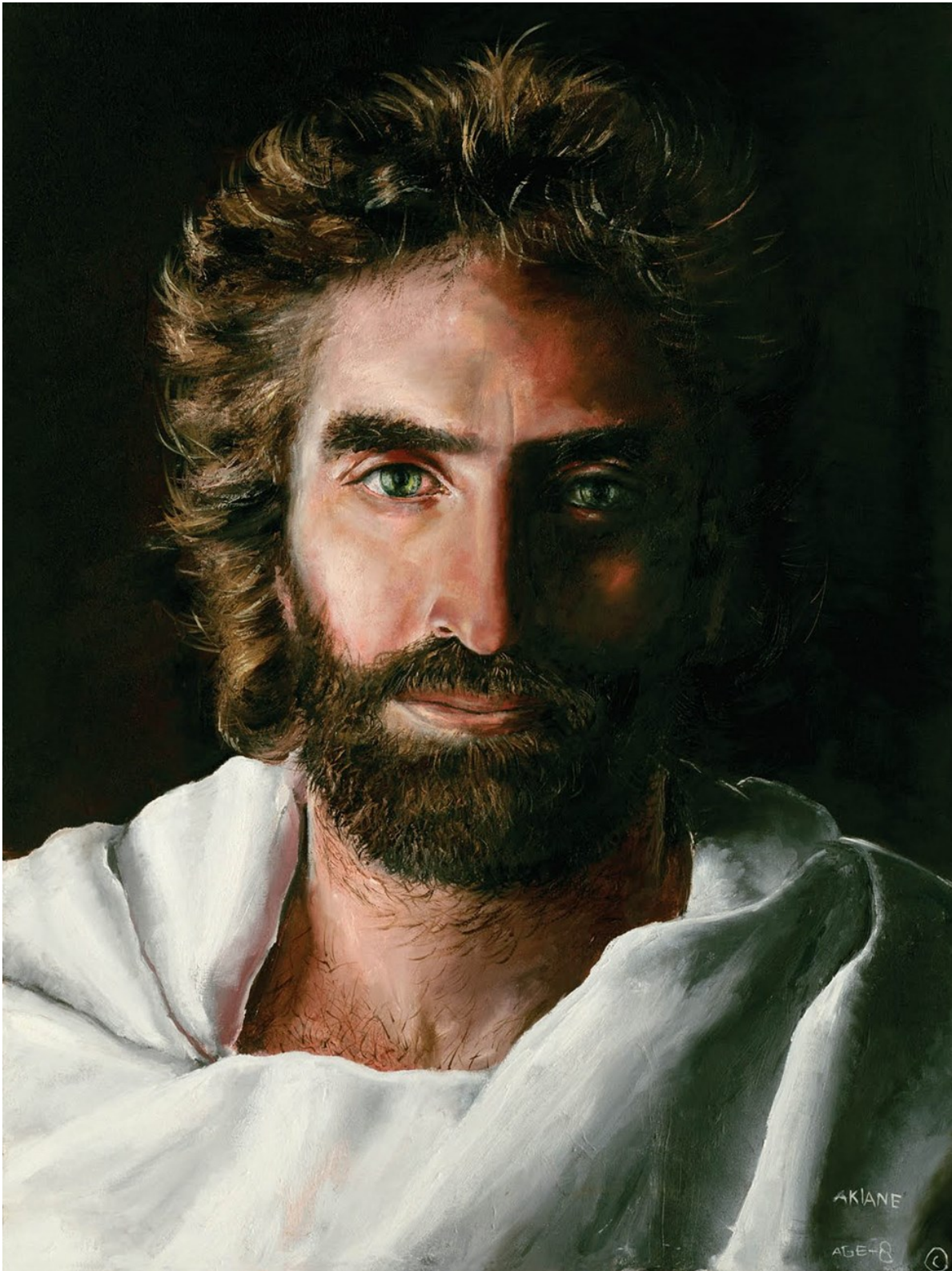


Our Lady Comforter of the Afflicted

July 24, 2016



JESUS, PRINCE OF PEACE

OUR LADY COMFORTER OF THE AFFLICTED

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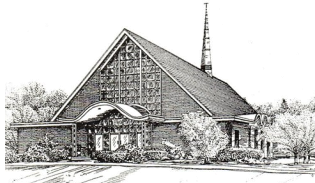
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Parish Office Hours—Monday-Friday 8:00AM-4:00PM

Academy Office Hours—Monday-Friday 7:45AM-2:45PM



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MASS

Monday, Wednesday, Friday	8AM
First Friday Mass	9AM (only)
Saturday (Vigil)	4PM
Sunday	9AM, 11AM
Holy Day	As Announced

BAPTISM—12:15PM

During Mass or on selected Sunday each month. To schedule a Baptism, call 781-894-3481 x7 and leave your information.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Arrangements six months-one year in advance by appointment. Please contact the parish office.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION (RCIA)

Anyone interested in journeying in faith to receive the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist, please contact John Barry in the parish office.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE AND RECONCILIATION

Every Saturday from 3:15 - 3:45 PM in the new Confessional located just inside the back of the church on the school side entrance. Other scheduled opportunities throughout the year, as well as by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK

The Sacrament of The Sick will be administered on the last weekend of each month after the 4PM and 11AM Masses. Who can receive this sacrament? Those who are aged, chronically ill, are having treatments or will be having surgery. We invite you to come receive the Sacrament of the Sick, a source of strength, healing and grace.

HOMEBOUND MINISTRY

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion bring Holy Communion to those unable to attend Sunday Mass. Please contact John Barry in the parish office to make arrangements.

For more information on the Catholic Faith visit www.usccb.org

Mass  *for the*
Intentions *Week*

Saturday July 23

4:00 pm For the Continuing Recovery
of Sharon Micco

Sunday July 24

9:00 am Paul J. Logue 5th Anniversary

All Members of Our Lady's—Living and Deceased

11:00 am Mary L. Meli and Salvatore Meli Memorial

Monday July 25

8:00 am Pray for Responsible Leadership

Wednesday July 27

8:00 am Pray for the End of Senseless Violence

Friday July 29

8:00 am Jude St. Germaine 5th Anniversary

Saturday July 30

4:00 pm Antonia Caramazza Memorial

Sunday July 31

9:00 am Maria and Salvatore Caci Memorial
Stefania Gracetta Memorial

All Members of Our Lady's—Living and Deceased

11:00 am Vincent Morreale Birthday Memorial

COLLECTION INFORMATION

July 16/17 \$5192.00

UPCOMING COLLECTIONS

July 23/24: Regular Collection

July 30/31: Regular Collection

August 6/7: Regular and Catholic Relief
Services Collection

August 13/14: Regular Collection

1000 CLUB—JOIN TODAY!

Thank you to all the members who belong and who have purchased gifts for others. A 1000 Club number is the PERFECT GIFT for that hard to buy for person, it only costs \$55 per year. **Next drawing is Sunday, August 14 at 12:30pm in the school cafeteria.**

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

Please note that the parish office hours for the summer are 9:00am-3:00pm.

THIS WEEK'S BULLETIN COVER

Prince of Peace (who is Our Lord, Jesus), a painting by artist Akiane Kramarik, graces our bulletin cover this week. Akiane painted this beautiful portrait of Our Lord, Jesus when she was just 8 years old. Her description of seeing visions of Jesus, Heaven, Angels and Creation started when she was 4 years old and became constant inspiration for her drawings, paintings and writings which now total over 200 published art pieces, 800 literary creations and 2 bestselling books. All of Akiane's work is influenced by her faith and has a meaning of spirituality. "I want my art to draw people's attention to God....I am a self-taught painter....God is my teacher," says Akiane. ***Prince of Peace*** is one of her most popular paintings capturing the light, love and compassion of Jesus. Akiane explains, "Love and Truth are represented on the light side of Jesus' face, the other is of darkness and suffering—yet there's light in His eye. This light is a reminder that He is ALWAYS with us."

Friday, August 26th

Our Lady's Church

**6:30 pm Mass followed by
Healing Service with Frank Kelly**



***All Night Eucharistic Vigil at
Our Lady's Church***

***Friday, August 5th through
Saturday, August 6th***



The monthly all night Eucharistic Vigil in reparation to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary will begin with 9:00 pm Mass of the Sacred Heart celebrated by Reverend Dermot Roache S.M.A., Chaplain of the Family of Divine Mercy Apostolate. Prayer Cards of the Family of Divine Mercy Apostolate will be distributed. Intentions for the Vigil are for Pope Francis, Cardinal O'Malley and for all the priests and religious of the Archdiocese of Boston. Various spiritual exercises such as recitation of the Rosary, Way of the Cross for priests (St. John Paul II), and Divine Mercy Chaplet will be held throughout the night. Refreshments will also be served. The vigil will end with Mass of the Immaculate Heart of Mary at 5:00 am celebrated by Reverend Michael Adebote S.M.A. For information please contact helentherese@comcast.net or 978-453-7446. National website address is www.therealpresence.org.

Monday, August 29

**Tour of the Cathedral of the Holy Cross
RESERVATION DEADLINE 8/18**

Our itinerary will be:

- 8:00 am Mass at Our Lady's
- 9:00 am Bus departs from Our Lady's
- 10:00 am Arrival at Cathedral
- 11:00 am Lunch at
Maggiano's Restaurant
- 1:00 pm Cappuccino at Café Victoria &
leisurely stroll through historic North End
- 3:00 pm Bus departs for return to
Our Lady's

*\$65 per person includes Motor Coach,
Lunch & Cappuccino*

PAYMENT IS DUE UPON RESERVATION



***Checks payable to
OLCA (Our Lady's)
& to the attention of
Marian McGovern in
the Parish Office***

25th and 50th Wedding Anniversary Mass

His Eminence, Sean Cardinal O'Malley, OFM invites all couples celebrating their 25th or 50th Wedding Anniversary in 2016 to the Silver and Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross. The Mass will be celebrated on September 25th at 11:30 am and will include a renewal of vows. Family members and friends are welcome to attend. For more information and to register, please visit bostoncatholic.org/WeddingAnniversaryMass. Please register by September 2 to have your name included in the printed list of anniversary couples. A formal invitation and more information will be mailed to each registered couple in September.



PROFESSIONAL ROOFING

Replacing Roof of School Building

We are pleased to report on the ongoing progress of our roof replacement project. Work is continuing very well with replacing the original roof from 1964 on the main school building, necessitated by the expected aging process. Six tons of material was removed from the roof which included ballast rocks. Two tons of new material will be used in the updated rubber roof, which will also incorporate needed New England insulation. We are grateful to members of the School Community and Religious Education Parents who contributed to this important effort to help defray the cost.

LOUIS PASQUALUCCI & SONS

Replacing Front Walkway of Church

The front steps of the Church as well as the front walkway will be replaced by a gradual decorative cement walkway, enabling the front entrance of the Church to be handicap accessible. This project was announced as part of our Restricted Parish Fund from donations of parishioners collected during the Spring of 2015. This portion of the project completes our Church sidewalk work that was begun last Summer. Any further donations to this important fund are appreciated.



CARDINAL'S CATHOLIC APPEAL

The 2016 Catholic Appeal Campaign is well underway at Our Lady's Parish. We have raised \$43,049 of our assessed goal of \$46,751, which is 92%! Your generosity will benefit hundreds of pastoral, charitable, and educational programs at work within the Archdiocese of Boston, and at Our Lady's. Thank you to all who already have participated. If you have not yet done so, please prayerfully consider making a contribution. Your support is greatly needed and appreciated to continue the good works of the Archdiocese under the leadership of Cardinal O'Malley. It helps to demonstrate our commitment to the overall Church.

EPISCOPAL ORDINATION OF BISHOP-ELECT ROBERT PHILIP REED BISHOP-ELECT MARK O'CONNELL, JCD

The Archdiocese of Boston will celebrate the Episcopal Ordination of Bishop-Elect Robert Philip Reed, Titular Bishop of Sufar, Auxiliary Bishop of Boston and Bishop-Elect Mark O'Connell, JCD, Titular Bishop of Gigit, Auxiliary Bishop of Boston, on Wednesday, August 24, 2016, The Feast of St. Bartholomew, at 2:00 PM at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross, 1400 Washington Street, Boston.



July 24th—Seventeenth Sunday
in Ordinary Time

It's all about relationships. God was no stranger to Abraham. Abraham's faithfulness and closeness to the Lord made him comfortable enough to bargain back and forth. This conversation wouldn't happen between strangers. Now, look at what Jesus tells us, "ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you." *Keep the lines of communication open between you and God through daily prayer. Prayer and frequent confession and Eucharist will deepen your relationship with Jesus.*

Scripture for the week of July 24, 2016

24 SUN Gn 18:20-32/Col 2:12-14/Lk 11:1-13
25 Mon 2 Cor 4:7-15/Mt 20:20-28
26 Tue Jer 14:17-22/Mt 13:36-43
27 Wed Jer 15:10, 16-21/Mt 13:44-46
28 Thu Jer 18:1-6/Mt 13:47-53
29 Fri Jer 26:1-9/Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42
30 Sat Jer 26:11-16, 24/Mt 14:1-12

**VIRTUS: Protecting God's Children
Training Session at Our Lady's**

Sessions will be held at Our Lady's on:

Thursday, August 25 at 6:00 pm

Saturday, August 27 at 10:00 am

All who teach or volunteer with children at Our Lady's Parish or Our Lady's Academy are required to attend ONE Virtus: Protecting God's Children Training Session that will focus on the prevention of abuse and the protection of children. Please call the parish office for more information.

Monthly Mass for the Sick

Monthly Mass for the Sick, sponsored by Faith-Based Cancer Support Group of Sacred Heart and Our Lady Help of Christians Church, Newton, will be on Monday, July 25th at 6:30 pm at Our Lady's Church in Newton. Fr. Bob Blaney, Parochial Vicar of the collaborative, will celebrate the Mass and Anointing of the Sick. Following refreshments, Michael Palliola will speak about "The Beauty of the World: In Pictures, Stories and Service." Mike works in the biotech field for a local company specializing in oncology, and volunteers around the world. Because of his love of travel, people, photography, languages, and the service he has offered to people in poor communities, Mike will offer us a different perspective on the beauty in our world. The evening is designed to bring joy, hope and peace to those who are affected by illness, including family and friends. The Mass and program both will be held downstairs at Our Lady's Church, located at 573 Washington Street in Newton. For questions or more information, please contact Gretchen Daggett at 781-642-7678 or gvdaggett@comcast.net, or Lorraine Higgins at 617-244-0267 or higlor1@msn.com or the parish offices. All are welcome!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS

Our Lady's Council was chartered in February 2009, and has a membership of over 60 men. We are men of faith and men of action, and invite you to learn more about us. There are brochures at all the entrances to the Church. Better yet, ask one of us for more details. Look for the KofC name badges.