

Saint Aloysius - Saint Jude Parish

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MASS SCHEDULE: Monday – Thursday @ 9:00am; Saturday @ 4:30pm; Sunday @ 9:00am

Confessions: Saturday @ 3:30pm or by personal appointment with Father Jack Lizewski

Rev. John M. Lizewski – Parish Priest/Pastor

Mr. James D. Archibald – Parish Finance Advisor

Mrs. Jill A. Dupuis – Parish Safe Environment Coordinator/Parish Ladies Guild President

Mr. Richard P. Cehon – Parish Website Coordinator

Mr. Shaun M. Stewart – Parish Custodian

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE: {FOURTH WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME: JANUARY 2 –FEBRUARY 4, 2024}

4:30pm – Saturday, January 27 – Mary Bonci (3 months remembrance) – offered by Father Jack Lizewski

9:00am – Sunday, January 28 – Emma Soriano Espinoza (3rd anniv.) – req. by Tarin and Sergio Flores

9:00am – Monday, January 29 – weekly Mass for our living and deceased loves ones and Parishioners

9:00am – Tuesday, January 30 – monthly MASS for our nation and the world

9:00am – Wednesday, January 31 – {Saint John Bosco, priest} – monthly MASS for the sick and caregivers

9:00am – Thursday, February 1 – Gail Ryan ('month's mind MASS') – req. by David McGrath

Friday, February 2- {'Presentation of Jesus in the Temple'} – **NO MASS**

4:30pm – Saturday, February 3 – Kathleen Conner – req. by Rita Smith

9:00am – Sunday, February 4 – Gail Ryan – offered by Father Jack Lizewski

CHAPLET of DIVINE MERCY and the ROSARY will be prayed on FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2 @ 3:00pm.

2024 MASS BOOK – weekend/weekday MASSES can be scheduled on a 'first-reserve'/ 'no-limit' basis for your living and deceased personal intentions; mark any 'anniversary death dates' if you want them to be listed here. The next available weekend MASSES are: February 17-18, 2024 and weekdays beginning in February, 2024.

THIS WEEKEND'S MASS READINGS ARE ON PAGE 1119 IN THE RED 'WORSHIP' MISSAL-HYMNAL.

'EMPTY CUPBOARD PROGRAM':

NOTICE: *'non-perishable 'food items are always welcome to support those less fortunate at 'Jeremiah's Inn' – Worcester; two wicker baskets in the back of the Church are for this purpose. Contact Parishioner Pamela Richardson @ (508)-987-1000 for more details or to become a member of this social outreach service.*

'OUR LADY OF HOPE':

NOTICE: *clean, decent clothing as well as soda/beer bottles/cans in clean trash bags can be placed on the inside left area of the Rectory garage to be brought to the 'Urban Missionaries' - Worcester on a weekly basis. Contact Parishioners Mary & Al O'Leary @ (508)-892-4135 and Ellin Clifford @ (508)-892-5661 to become a volunteer.*

'CHURCH FLOWERS' – *your flower donations from florists and supermarket floral departments are always welcome to add beauty to the high altar and statues of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Saint Joseph, Saint Aloysius Gonzaga and Saint Jude Thaddeus. Kindly leave your 'marked water containers' in the Church or the Rectory breezeway and Father Jack will arrange them in vases and return your water containers at weekend MASSES.*

'LEGACY OF HOPE' – *Diocese of Worcester fundraising campaign (2019-2024); kindly make your check or credit card payable to: 'LEGACY OF HOPE' and not to Saint Aloysius-Saint Jude Parish. Our assigned 'Parish goal': \$187,143.00 – current donations/pledges: 56 @ \$103,472.00 – 40% of all money donated remains in this Parish. Fourteen refund checks from the Diocese to the Parish totaled \$41,992.00 and used to pay Parish bills.*

'2024 PARISH CALENDARS' – *featuring traditional Catholic art and sponsored since 2013 by Morin Funeral Home, Leicester and Cornerstone Bank, Leicester are now available on the tables at both Church doorways.*

'MONTHLY COLLECTION FOR HAITI' – *this/next weekend – donation basket on table in back of Church.*

'FUEL OIL DELIVERIES' – *(October-January) Church+Parish Hall (885 gals.) Rectory (255 gals.) = \$3,873.00*

LAST WEEKEND'S MONEY DONATIONS – *Weekly Offertory Collection: \$ - THANK YOU!*

BANK DEPOSIT: \$

'MANY THANKS' *to everyone (85%) donating according to their 'financial blessings' and in '2024' dollar costs.*

MINIMUM WEEKLY OFFERTORY DONATION AMOUNT NEEDED TO PAY PARISH BILLS: \$2,500.00

REALISTIC WEEKLY DONATION AMOUNTS - 2023 DOLLAR COSTS: \$20.00 + (working couples/families)
\$15.00 + (single, working individuals) \$10.00 + (retired couples) \$5.00 + (single, retired individuals)