

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: {SECOND WEEK OF LENT: FEBRUARY 24 – MARCH 4, 2024}

4:30pm – Saturday, February 24 – Madeline Charron (15th anniv.) and Grace Charron (17th anniv.)
– req. by Jill and David Dupuis

9:00am – Sunday, February 25 – Father Walter Riley (2 weeks remembrance) – from Father Jack Lizewski

9:00am – Monday, February 26 – weekly MASS for our living Parishioners and loved ones

9:00am – Tuesday, February 27 – weekly MASS for our deceased Parishioners and loved ones

9:00am – Wednesday, February 28 – monthly MASS for our nation and the world

9:00am – Thursday, February 29 – monthly MASS for the sick and their caregivers

Friday, March 1 – **NO MASS**

4:30pm – Saturday, March 3 – for the deceased friends at the ‘Leicester Housing Authority’ – req. by Rita Smith

9:00am – Sunday, March 4 – Esther Mazzone (8th anniv.) – req. by the Richardson Family

CHAPLET of DIVINE MERCY and the ROSARY will be prayed on FRIDAY, MARCH 1 @ 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: **MARCH 17/30/31, 2024** and weekdays beginning in MARCH, 2024.

THIS WEEKEND’S MASS READINGS ARE ON PAGE 1031 IN THE RED ‘WORSHIP’ MISSAL-HYMNAL.

'EMPTY CUPBOARD PROGRAM': February 25 (Pat & Ed Faron) March 3 Pat & Dick Hammond) March 10 (Eileen & Paul Martin) March 17 (Margaret Shivick) March 24 (Pam & Buddy Richardson) March 31 (Judy &

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': February 25 (Pat & Dick Hammond) March 3 (Mary & Kevin Johnson) March 10 (Mary & Al O'Leary) March 17 (Pam & Buddy Richardson) March 24 (Paulette & Bob Beaudin) March 31

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.

'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.** Fifteen refund checks from the Diocese to the Parish totaled **\$42,567.00** and used to pay Parish bills.

'MONTHLY COLLECTION FOR HAITI' – next weekend – donation basket will be on table in back of Church.

'FUEL OIL DELIVERIES' – (Oct. -Feb.): Church + Parish Hall (1,161gals.) Rectory (324 gals.) = **\$5,038.00**

'LADIES GUILD' – **WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13 @ 7:00pm** – 'hostesses' are: Patricia Faron and Madeline Stoskus; Father Jack Lizewski will present a DVD reflection talk for the season of 'LENT'.

'PARISH COUNCIL/FINANCE COMMITTEE' – **MONDAY, MARCH 4 @ 7:00pm** – Members (2022-2024): Father Jack Lizewski, James Archibald, Richard Cehon, Jill Dupuis, Leonard Harmon, Pauline Lareau, Mary Mattei, Pamela Richardson and Madeline Stoskus. Voice any concerns, questions, suggestions, etc. to them.

'KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS DINNER – THURSDAY, MARCH 14 @ 6:00pm – 91 Mannville Street, Leicester (off Route 9, near Saint Joseph's Church) Menu; Baked Fish of Pulled Pork with mac/cheese; salad dessert. Cost: **\$15.00** – contact 'Grand Knight' Donald Gillette @ (508)-[615-8434-ohno7g7@yahoo.com](tel:615-8434-ohno7g7). by **MARCH 8.**

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 - 2024 DOLLAR COSTS: **\$25.00** + (working couples/families) **\$20.00** + (single, working individuals) **\$15.00** + (retired couples) **\$10.00** + (single, retired individuals)