

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 EASTER: APRIL 6 - 14, 2024}

4:30pm – Saturday, April 6 – ‘*birthday blessings*’ for Father Jack Lizewski – req. by Madeline Stoskus

9:00am – Sunday, April 7 – Zoel Richard (*‘birthday remembrance’*) – req. by his son, Donald Richard

2:00-3:00pm – ‘DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY’ – Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament’ – Homily – Anointing of the Sick (and ‘healthy’) – Chaplet of Divine Mercy Prayers – Benediction Blessing – everyone is welcome!

9:00am – Monday, April 8 – {*‘Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary’*} – ‘*blessings*’ for newborn infant, John Patrick Martin, req. by his grandparents, Eileen and Paul Martin

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

9:00am – Wednesday, April 10 – Karen McGrath (*‘re-scheduled’ from April 4*) – req. by her husband, David

9:00am – Thursday, April 11 – {*Saint Stanislaus, bishop/martyr*} – monthly MASS for *Pope Farncis*

Friday, April 12 – **NO MASS**

4:30pm – Saturday, April 13 – for the deceased family members of James and Sharon Rivelli

9:00am – Sunday, April 14 – Robert Dupuis (*10th anniv.*) and Andre Rivard (*2nd anniv.*)
– req. by Jill and David Dupuis

CHAPLET of DIVINE MERCY and the ROSARY will be prayed on FRIDAY, APRIL 12 @ 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: JUNE 1 (Saturday) and JULY 21 (Sunday) and weekdays in JUNE.

THIS WEEKEND'S MASS READINGS ARE ON PAGE 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. Fifteen refund checks from the Diocese to the Parish totaled \$42,567.00 and used to pay Parish bills.*

'PARTNERS IN CHARITY APPEAL' – *assigned Parish 'goal': \$31,400.00 – will be held until MAY 31 – envelopes at the end of all Church pews for those who did not donate last year or do not receive weekly support envelopes. 3,500.00 is already lacking because of lost donors because of death, left Parish, etc. Kindly write check to: 'PARTNERS IN CHARITY APPEAL' (not the Parish) and place in the weekend MASS collection basket.*

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

'FUEL OIL DELIVERIES' – (Oct. -Mar.): Church + Parish Hall (1,743gals.) Rectory (490 gals.) = \$7,575.00

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