

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

Mr. Kurt A. Blomstrom – Parish Organist

Mrs. Jill A. Dupuis – Parish Ladies Guild President

Mr. Richard P. Cehon – Parish Website Coordinator

Mr. Shaun M. Stewart – Parish Custodian

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE: {FIFTEENTH WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME: JULY 13 – 21, 2024}

4:30pm – Saturday, July 13 – ‘healing blessings’ for Jimmy Pierce – req. by Judith and James Ferdella

9:00am – Sunday, July 14 – Philip Mondor – req. by his daughter and son-in-law, Suzanne and Michael Casey

9:00am – Monday, July 15 – {Saint Bonaventure, bishop} – weekly MASS for our living Parishioners/loved ones

9:00am – Tuesday, July 16 – {Our Lady of Mount Carmel} – weekly MASS for all of our beloved dead

9:00am – Wednesday, July 17 – monthly MASS for vocations to the priesthood and religious life (*Worcester*)

9:00am – Thursday, July 18 – ‘month’s remembrance MASS’ for Bishop Daniel Reilly – Father Jack Lizewski

Friday, July 19 – **NO MASS**

4:30pm – Saturday, July 20 – Robert Charron (*40th anniv.*) and Arthur Charron (*34th anniv.*) and Carol Rivard (*2nd anniv.*) – req. by Jill and David Dupuis

9:00am – Sunday, July 21 – Philip Mondor – req. by his daughter and son-in-law, Suzanne and Michael Casey

CHAPLET of DIVINE MERCY and the ROSARY will be prayed on FRIDAY, JULY 19 @ 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: **SEPTEMBER 21** (Saturday) and **AUGUST 11/18** (Sunday).

THIS WEEKEND’S MASS READINGS ARE ON PAGE 1152 IN THE RED ‘WORSHIP’ MISSAL-HYMNAL.

'EMPTY CUPBOARD PROGRAM': July 14 (Eileen & Paul Martin) July 21 (Pam & Buddy Richardson)
July 28 (Margaret Shivick) August 4 (Judy & Andy Van Hook) August 11 (Paulette & Bob Beaudin)

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': July 14 (Pat & Dick Hammond) July 21 (Mary & Kevin Johnson) July 28 (Mary & Al O'Leary) August 4 (Pam & Buddy Richardson) August 11 (Paulette & Bob Beaudin) August 18 (Linda & Tom

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.

'PARTNERS IN CHARITY APPEAL' – Parish 'goal': \$31,400.00 – Current pledges/donations: \$26,175.00
Donation envelopes are placed at the ends of all Church pews – kindly write check to: 'Partners in Charity Appeal'; some people who have either left the Parish or have died during the past year, \$3,375.00 still needed.

'WORCESTER DIOCESE WOMEN'S CONFERENCE' – SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5 @ 8:30am – 5pm – Saint Joseph's School - Webster, MA with MASS @ 4:00pm in Saint Joseph's Basilica with Bishop McManus. For tickets/registration call: Corinne Dahm @ (508)-277-3969 or www.wcwconference.com.

'LADIES GUILD' - \$10.00 annual dues paid by AUGUST 20 – 'new members' are always welcome to join! Drop your payment (check made to 'LADIES GUILD') in the weekend MASS collection basket or mail to: Jill Dupuis – 12 Paxton Road – Spencer, MA 01562. The 2024-2025 information directory will be printed.

'KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CHICKEN BARBECUE' – SUNDAY, AUGUST 11 @ 12noon-4:00pm – 91 Mannville Street off Route 9 – tickets @ \$15.00 – served from 12noon-3:00pm – for advance tickets call: (508)-892-4528 or available at the door – complete details on the colored posters at both Church doorways.

'MISSIONARY APPEAL' – SATURDAY/SUNDAY, JULY 13-14 – to help a Catholic Parish in INDIA – the only weekend during the entire year when the collection basket is passed-around for a second collection.

LAST WEEKEND'S MONEY DONATIONS – Weekly Offertory Collection: \$2,558.00 - THANK YOU!
'Catholic Communications Appeal' (1): \$5.00 'Peter's Pence'/'Pope Francis Appeal' (1): \$5.00
'Haiti' (July collection): \$122.00 **BANK DEPOSIT: \$2,680.00**

'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: \$3,000.00

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)

'NEEDED: MORE EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS AT WEEKEND MASSES TO SERVE 'PRECIOUS BLOOD'
Speak to Father Jack Lizewski about your availability and willingness to serve in this role so that our Parish can offer Holy Communion in both ways since its interruption because of the 'COVID-19' virus in March, 2020.