Saint Aloysius - Saint Jude Parish

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Telephone: (508) - 892 - 8296 (Rectory) (508) - 892 - 9950 (Parish Hall) Parish Fax #: (508) - 892 -9054 Parish E-mail address: aloysius-jude@charter.net Parish Internet website address: www.aloysius-jude-leicester.org ************************** MASS SCHEDULE: Monday – Thursday @ 9:00am; Saturday @ 4:00pm; Sunday @ 9:00am Confessions: Saturday @ 3:00pm 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: {FEAST OF JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE/THIRTY-FOURTH/ FINAL WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME/: NOVEMBER 23-DECEMBER 1, 2024} 4:00pm - Saturday, November 23 - deceased members of the Charron-Dupuis-Gagne-Rivard Families - req. by Jill and David Dupuis 9:00am - Sunday, November 24 - Margaret and Frederick Driscoll (anniv. remembrance) - req. by their daughter and son-in-law, Eileen and Paul Martin 9:00am – Monday, November 25 – Alan Tarkiainen (1st anniv.) – req. by Eileen and Paul Martin 9:00am – Tuesday, November 26 – monthly MASS for more priests and nuns (Diocese of Worcester, MA) 9:00am - Wednesday, November 27 - monthly MASS for the sick and their caregivers 9:00am - Thursday, November 28 - weekly MASS for our living and deceased Parishioners and loved ones Friday, November 29 – NO MASS 4:00pm – Saturday, November 30 – Father Peter White (4 months remembrance) – req. by Jill and David Dupuis 9:00am - Sunday, December 1 - John and Gloria Martin (anniv. remembrance) - req. by their son and daughter-in-law, Paul and Eileen Martin

<u>CHAPLET of DIVINE MERCY and the ROSARY</u> will be prayed on <u>FRIDAY</u>, <u>NOVEMBER 29 @ 3:00pm</u>.

<u>2025 MASS BOOK</u> – 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.

THIS WEEKEND'S MASS READINGS ARE ON PAGE 1209 IN THE RED 'WORSHIP' MISSAL-HYMNAL.

<u>'EMPTY CUPBOARD PROGRAM'</u>: November 24 (Pam & Buddy Richardson) December 1 (Margaret Shivick) December 8 (Judy & Andy Van Hook) December 15 (Paulette & Bob Beaudin) December 22 (Ellin Clifford)

<u>NOTICE:</u> '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.

<u>'OUR LADY OF HOPE'</u>: November 24 (Linda & Tom Buckley) December 1 (Ellin Clifford) December 8 (Pat & Dick Hammond) December 15 (Mary & Kevin Johnson) December 22 (Mary & Al O'Leary) December 29 (Pam

<u>NOTICE</u>: clean, decent clothing as well as soda/beer bottles/cans in clean trash bags can be placed on the <u>inside</u> <u>left area of the Rectory garage</u> to be brought to the 'Urban Missionaries' - Worcester on a weekly basis. Contact Parishioners Mary & Al O'Leary (a) (508)-892-4135 and Ellin Clifford (a) (508)-873-6665 to become a volunteer.

<u>'CHURCH FLOWERS'</u> – 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.

<u>'PARISH COUNCIL/FINANCE COMMITTEE'</u> – these <u>nine</u> individuals will serve with Father Jack Lizewski from September, 2024-May, 2026: James Archibald (finance advisor – Northbridge), Richard Cehon, Jill Dupuis, Leonard Harmon, Lucille Jacques, Pauline Lareau, Mary Mattei, Pamela Richardson and Madeline Stoskus. The third meeting for 2024-2025 will be held on <u>MONDAY, MARCH 3 @ 7:00pm</u>.

'KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS THANKSGIVING TURKEY SHOOT & RAFFLE' – SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24
(a) 12noon-4:00pm – 91 Mannville Street (off Route 9) – colored, informational posters at both Church doorways.

<u>'LADIES GUILD'</u> – bring all food items to the Parish Hall on <u>SATURDAY</u>, <u>NOVEMBER 23 before 3:00pm</u>. 'Thanksgiving Basket Raffle Tickets' will be sold at weekend MASSES on November 16-17-23-24; \$1.00 each - 6 @ \$5.00. <u>'BAKE SALE'</u> will be held on Saturday/Sunday, November 23-24 at both weekend MASSES. Your support is appreciated! The list of 'winners' will be listed alphabetically in next weekend's 'Parish Bulletin'.

<u>'FUEL OIL DELIVERY'</u>: Church + Parish Hall (1@312 gals); Rectory (1@140 gals.) @ <u>\$2.75 gal.</u> = <u>\$1,241.18</u>.

<u>LAST WEEKEND'S MONEY DONATIONS</u> – Weekly Offertory Collection: \$1,817.00 - THANK YOU! 'All Saints Day' holyday (1): \$5.00 BANK DEPOSIT: \$1,822.00

'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

<u>REALISTIC WEEKLY DONATION AMOUNTS - 2024 DOLLAR COSTS:</u> \$25.00 + (working couples/families) \$20.00 + (single, working individuals) \$15.00 + (retired couples) \$10.00 + (single, retired individuals)

*** Our Parish could use more altar servers, lectors (readers) and Eucharistic ministers at weekend/holyday/ Christmas/Easter MASSES; speak to Father Jack Lizewski about your willingness and availability to serve.