

# 32<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 2005 NOVEMBER 6, 2005

The Readings for the 33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time are:

Prv. 31: 10-13

1Thes. 5: 1-6

Mt. 25: 14-30



## Please Pray for



### Sunday, November 6, 2005

8:00 Wanda & Stuart Eyneon (Living)  
10:00 Mass for the People  
Noon Joanne P. Stuart  
5:30 Catherine O'Donovan

### Monday, November 7, 2005

12:15 Jennifer Samich  
5:30 Joseph Hillman

### Tuesday, November 8, 2005

12:15 Adele L. McGovern  
5:30 Antione el-Khoury

### Wednesday, November 9, 2005

12:15 Ellen G. Hanley  
5:30 Jean Pierre Vu

### Thursday, November 10, 2005

12:15 Christopher Carbeti  
5:30 John E. Carbone (Living)

### Friday, November 11, 2005

12:15 Nancy Sbordone  
5:30 Thomas J. Sullivan

### Saturday, November 12, 2005

9:00 Wellington Mara  
4:00 The Faldetta Family

## LETTER TO OUR FELLOW PARISHIONERS FROM THE FINANCE COUNCIL THE 2006 ANNUAL PARISH SUPPORT PROGRAM

As Fr. Bob announced at the liturgies last weekend, we are now kicking off the 2006 Annual Parish Support Program, called "Pledge for the Greater Glory." **The Pledge program is the means by which parishioners make their normal weekly contributions**, which cover the routine operating costs of the parish (staff salaries and benefits, utilities, supplies, etc.). We are asking all parishioners to sign up for the Pledge program and use it to make your regular offerings to the parish. The program works as follows: You are asked to project, as best you can, how much you will contribute to the parish during 2006. Then you pick the method of payment that is most convenient for you: credit cards, automatic bank deductions, checks, etc.

The benefits of this program to our parish are numerous. Because we are able to better predict our annual income, we can develop and manage our budget more effectively. Additionally, due to the large number of participants who contribute by credit cards and automatic deduction, our cash flow is much more even, particularly in the summer and during weekends of inclement weather. Parishioners find the credit card and automatic deduction

options much more convenient than bringing cash on Sunday. All who participate are much more "intentional" about their financial support of the parish, regardless of the method of giving. We still have a 10% annual shortfall between our operating expenses and operating income. We strongly urge all parishioners to do their part to support our parish. **We parishioners are the only source of operating income for the parish. We do not receive operating income from Boston College, the Archdiocese or any other outside entity.**

Registered parishioners will soon receive materials in the mail. We ask new participants to return the pledge form by November 12. Current participants will be automatically re-enrolled in the program at their current levels of giving. If you are able to increase your current pledge amount or want to change your method of giving or some other detail, please fill out the card and return it to the rectory.

Thanks to all who have been so faithful in supporting this dynamic, nourishing parish. If you have not yet signed up to do your part, now is the time!

-St. Ignatius Parish Finance Council

## **GALA 25, A DANCER'S CHRISTMAS** - As most of you know, our pastor, Fr. Bob, is the choreographer



for the Boston Holiday Tradition, "*A Dancer's Christmas*." Although our pastor doesn't look that ancient, this year marks the 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. In celebration of this special event, we are planning GALA 25 at the Boston College Club, 100 Federal Street in Boston on **Tuesday, November 15<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 to 9:00 pm.** There will be special performances by Joel Cohen and Anne Azema (The Boston Camerata), Dominique Labelle and Mark Evans, Michael Burgo, Michelle Abadia, Timothy Zimmerman and members of the Company of "*A Dancer's*

*Christmas*." There will be cocktails and a light supper. We look forward to seeing you for a special evening full of the vibrant energy and holiday spirit that sustain "*A Dancer's Christmas*." The cost is \$100 per person. To make a reservation, please call Jamie Huggins at 617-552-6130 or fax to 617-552-6101. Please make checks payable to the Boston Liturgical Dance Ensemble,



## Upcoming - Ongoing



**BOOK FAIR - SUNDAY,  
NOVEMBER 20<sup>TH</sup> 9:00 –  
12:00 NOON - FRIARY**

**ROOM** – Come and do your holiday shopping early, as the Boston College Book Store once again hosts our Book Fair. We will have a great selection of best sellers, children's books, spiritual and theological titles and holiday books, all at 20% off the retail prices. (Sponsored by our Religious Education Commission)

### **WISH YOU KNEW MORE ABOUT THE CHURCH? NO TIME TO TAKE COURSES?**

Maybe some of the events at BC's "Church in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century" are for you. Events in

November include online courses, lectures, workshops and seminars, most of them free of charge. See <http://www.bc.edu/church21/> for details. If you want to see a past Church 21 program you have missed, try their archive of online webcasts <http://www.bc.edu/:8080/church21/resources/webcast/>

**BOOK DISCUSSIONS** – Please join us for a discussion of *Enduring Grace: Living Portraits of Seven Women Mystics* by Carol Lee Flinders on **November 27<sup>th</sup> at 11:15 am** in the rectory 2<sup>nd</sup> floor living room. For more information, contact Jane MacDonald 617-965-5615 or Mary Dailey 617-332-6987.

**"WITH OPEN ARMS"** – *With Open Minds, Arms and Hearts* – This Monday evening, November 7<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm in the Friary Room, we will continue our 8 week program on the essentials of the Catholic faith. The topic this week is "*So What Really Happened at the Milvian Bridge? 200 years of Christian History in Twenty Minutes*".

## **ADULT EDUCATION**



**GIFTS AND GRACES – A  
MORNING OF REFLECTION  
FOR GODPARENTS –**

**November 19<sup>th</sup> 10:00 – 1:30 pm – Rectory Chapel** – Being a godparent is a ministry of caring presence that is enriched by being in community and in prayer. If you are a godparent of a new baby, or if you have been a godparent for many years, this morning is designed for you to deepen your understanding of what it means to be a living reminder of Jesus in the life of your godchild. In a circle of caring presence, you will have an opportunity to name/affirm the gifts you bring to your life-long ministry of godparenting, to record sacred moments/graces you have experienced, and to pray for the needs of your godchild. Resources will be provided for your spiritual enrichment.

Lunch will be shared as a modeling of table fellowship. Bring a dish to pass. Register by calling the rectory at 617-552-6102.

**WORDS OF HOPE AND HEALING: 99 SAYINGS OF HENRI NOUWEN** – **Thursday, November 17<sup>th</sup>** - If you are seeking concrete ways to live from a hopeful and healing perspective in a Christ-centered life, give yourself the gift of an evening of Taize music, prayer, quiet and reflection in a caring circle of readers new and familiar with the writing of Henri Nouwen. The format of the Henri Nouwen Reflection Group Meeting is a faith-sharing that emanates from selections of writing with connections to our life experience. All are welcome. Copies of *Words of Hope and Healing: 99 Sayings of Henri Nouwen* will be available on November 6<sup>th</sup> at the rectory.



# Outreach Ministries



**THANK YOU...** to everyone who contributed to the Winter Clothing Drive last weekend. The response was outstanding!



## SENIOR PARISHIONERS: ALPHABET SOUP – THANKSGIVING STYLE

AN AUTUMN TIME OF PRAYER AND REFLECTION: Wednesday, November 16th



10:45AM Friary Room  
12:15PM Mass in the Lannon Chapel,  
with Anointing of the Sick  
12:50PM Lunch in the Friary Room

RSVP by Friday, November 11th  
Call Sr. Diane – 617-552-6107

### WHAT'S COMING UP??

**SHATTUCK HOLIDAY MEAL – Sunday, December 4<sup>th</sup>** is the day! Donation and volunteer sign-up sheets and reminder cards will be in the gathering space on weekends from November 12<sup>th</sup> - November 27<sup>th</sup>.

sister-parish in Jamaica. If you'd like to make a donation and will not be here on Thanksgiving Day, just drop off your donation in the Rectory or include it in the Sunday collection, noting that it's for St. Anne's.

**SATURDAY/SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19<sup>TH</sup>/20<sup>TH</sup> – CHRISTMAS GIFT DRIVE 2005 BEGINS.** Gift ornaments will be on the tree in the gathering space.

**WE'RE VERY LOW ON FOOD CARDS!** Help those who are experiencing hunger. Please pick up a gift card or two at Stop and Shop or Shaw's/STAR. \$10 gift cards are best. Bring your donation to the Rectory or drop it in the collection basket at Mass. It will be put to good use! Thank you so much!

**THANKSGIVING DAY** – We will designate our Thanksgiving Day collection for St. Anne's, our



## General Reminders



**LECTOR TRAINING** – There will be two training sessions for lectors in November. The first one will be on Tuesday, November 8<sup>th</sup> and the second will be on Sunday, November 13<sup>th</sup>. Both sessions will be at 7:00 pm.

**"LIVING WITH CHRIST"** – Anyone interested in obtaining the Sunday and Daily readings may wish to subscribe to "Living With Christ". A subscription is \$24.95 and a check may be sent to Living With Christ, P.O. Box 6001, Mystic, CT., 06355-6001 – Tel. 1-800-321-0411 – E-mail: [LWC@bayard-inc.com](mailto:LWC@bayard-inc.com) If this is not financially feasible for anyone, please let us know at the rectory and we will be glad to help.

**CHRISTIAN YOGA**, a way of wholeness and spiritual integration, will be offered by Dana Moore on Thursday evenings from 5:30 – 6:30 pm in the Friary Room. There will be a \$5.00 donation per class. Please call the office for more information. Dana will also be teaching a Christian Yoga class on Monday mornings from 7:30 – 8:30 am at the Brookline Academy of Dance. Contact Jamie Huggins at 617-552-6130 for more information.



**CATHOLIC GAY AND LESBIAN CONCERNS** In an effort to facilitate conversation for our Gay and Lesbian parishioners, as well as parents and family members of Gay and Lesbian Catholics, we are providing an informal context in which people feel free to talk about their questions and concerns. If you are interested in coming together for support, education and faith-sharing, please contact Fr. Bob at the rectory or [robert.vereecke@bc.edu](mailto:robert.vereecke@bc.edu)

## THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Sunday, November 6 <sup>th</sup>	Contemporary Music Ensemble – Upper Church	4:30 pm
Monday, " 7 <sup>th</sup>	"With Open Arms" – Friary Room	7:00 pm
" " "	Christmas Gift Drive (Cutting & Labeling Ornaments)–Rectory	6:00 pm
Tuesday, " 8 <sup>th</sup>	Parish Pastoral Council Meeting – Friary Room	7:15 pm
Wed., " 9 <sup>th</sup>	Children's Carol Choir – Choir Room	4:30 pm
" " "	Parish Choir Rehearsal – Friary Room	7:15 pm
" " "	Little Rock Bible Group – Lannon Chapel	7:15 pm
" " "	Young Adult Group Discussion – Rectory	7:30 pm
" " "	Christmas Pageant Meeting – Rectory Conference Room	7:00 pm
Thursday, " 10 <sup>th</sup>	Christian Yoga – Friary Room	5:30 pm
" " "	Henry Nouwen Program – Rectory	7:15 pm
Friday, " 11 <sup>th</sup>	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – Lannon Chapel	12:45 pm



## Music Ministry



**ST. IGNATIUS MUSIC MINISTRY NOW ON CD** *"Ten Psalms and a Magnificat"* is now available for \$15. This recording features some of our favorite vocalists and instrumentalists from the parish music ministry. This recording includes ten psalm responses composed by our Music Director, and the Buxtehude Magnificat recorded last December in concert. To hear a preview, go to our webpage: [www.bc.edu/bc-org/prs/stign-music-ministry.html](http://www.bc.edu/bc-org/prs/stign-music-ministry.html). The CD's are available in the rectory during regular hours.



## Religious Education News



Religious Education Office -- 617-552-6103  
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### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

- K-Grade 5 – 8:45 am – 9:55 am
- Grades 6-11 – 11:15 am – 12:30 pm
- **Please Note – Pre K classes will take place during the 10:00 am Liturgies**

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER TRAINING** will take place on Sunday, November 13<sup>th</sup> after the Family Mass. If you are interested in becoming a Eucharistic Minister (and we are in need!) please plan on attending this training.



**CHRISTMAS PAGEANT** – It's getting to be that time again! If your child is interested in participating in this year's pageant, which will take place

at the Christmas Eve Vigil Mass, please come to an informational meeting for parents on Wednesday, November 9<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm in the Rectory. The pageant is open to children in grades kindergarten through six. We ask students to remain at home for this meeting.

**CONFIRMATION – GRADE 10** - November 20<sup>th</sup> – 8:00 am – 6:30 pm – Retreat at the Espousal Retreat Center, Waltham to be followed by attendance at the 5:30 pm Liturgy at St. Ignatius. All candidates are expected to attend this essential component of their prep program. December 4<sup>th</sup> – 10:00 am – Rite of Acceptance – Upper Church.

**PARKING - PLEASE NOTE:** The parking lots adjacent to the church, across from the church and behind the new St. Ignatius dormitory, as well as the lot behind St. Thomas More Hall, are all available for parishioners from Saturday afternoon at 3:00 pm until Sunday evening. The university asks that the parish use these lots rather than parking on St. Thomas More Drive due to safety concerns. There is also parking in the lot behind the Archdiocesan Tribunal building in front of St. William's Hall off Lake Street.

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## THE CELEBRATION OF EUCHARIST

**SUNDAY** UPPER CHURCH 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 NOON, 5:30 PM

LOWER CHURCH (Sept.-June) 10:00 AM, Family Liturgy

**WEEKDAY** LOWER CHURCH 12:15 PM, 5:30 PM

**SATURDAY** LOWER CHURCH 9:00 AM, UPPER CHURCH 4:00 PM (Vigil)

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

LOWER CHURCH FRIDAYS 12:45 - 5:00 p.m.

## THE SACRAMENTS

### BAPTISM

Adults are baptized at the Easter Vigil as part of the Rites of Christian Initiation for Adults. Infant and child baptisms are by arrangement.

### FIRST EUCHARIST

Preparation occurs in Grade 2 and includes classes, retreat and home instruction.

### CONFIRMATION

Our Confirmation program begins in the 10th grade. Students are confirmed in the Spring of the 11th grade. Young adults who have been catechized but are not yet confirmed should contact the rectory for an alternative program.

### MATRIMONY

Must be registered as a parishioner six months prior to beginning Marriage arrangements.

### RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 3:15 - 3:45 PM Upper Church or by arrangement

Thursdays 11:45 - 12:15 Lower Church (during the Academic year)

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK** by arrangement