

Mother, mother & group ORATORIO S. GIOVANNI People climbing on their knees.

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March 26th, A.D. 2023

Passion Sunday

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Mary Immaculate of Lourdes, Newton/Needham, Massachusetts



Parish Cemetery of Saint Mary's, Needham GUARDIAN ESTATE MANAGEMENT INC.

Mr. Ron Goguen, Superintendent .

Guardian Staff on-site for service hours Mon.-Fri.,
9 AM—3 PM, April through November.

The Cemetery Office is located at the parish
rectory on 270 Elliot St, Newton Upper Falls and is
open Monday-Friday, 8:30 AM - 3:30 PM

Telephone: 781-235-1841

saintmaryscemetery.org

Mass Schedule

Sunday:

Novus Ordo

4:00 P. M. (*Saturday Vigil*), 7:30 & 9:00 A. M.

Traditional Latin

11:00 A.M. & 5:30 P.M.

Weekdays:

Novus Ordo

Mon-Tue-Thu-Fri 7:30 A. M.

Traditional Latin

Mon-Wed-Fri 12:30 PM; Thu 5:30 P. M.

Sat 9:00 A. M.

Holy Days

*Ascension Thursday (40 days after Easter);
Assumption of Our Lady (August 15th); All
Saints Day (November 1st); December 8th
(Immaculate Conception of Our Lady)*

If falling on Mon-Fri—

Novus Ordo, 7:30 A. M. & 5:30 P. M.

Traditional Latin, 12:30 & 7:30 P. M.

If falling on Saturday—

Novus Ordo, 7:30 A.M.

Traditional Latin, 9:00 & 11:00 A. M.

(Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, and
January 1st, as announced)

ABOUT OUR PARISH

Welcome, New Parishioners and Sunday Visitors:

Mary Immaculate of Lourdes Parish is a canonically open parish of the Archdiocese of Boston, which has a Traditional Latin Mass Apostolate within its parish mission. The *Missale Romanum* of 1962 is celebrated here with the blessing of His Eminence Sean Cardinal O'Malley, Archbishop of Boston. We encourage new parishioners to please register in the parish and to introduce yourselves to the Pastor. We are always glad to welcome Sunday visitors here to our beautiful, historic church. We look forward to your coming again.

PLEASE TAKE THE TIME TO FILL OUT A PARISH REGISTRATION FORM, EITHER ON-LINE OR BY USING THE PAPER REGISTRATION FORM IN THE PAMPHLET RACK IN THE FRONT VESTIBULE OF THE MAIN CHURCH.



Parish Mission Statement

“What then is a parish? It is the smallest section of the one universal flock which has been entrusted to Peter by the Lord.

Under the authority of a responsible priest who has received the care of souls from his bishop, the parish is, within the Church of Jesus Christ, the first community of Christian life; it is a community cut to human dimensions, in which the shepherd can know his flock and the flock can know their shepherd ... At the heart of this area, we find the parish church with its bell-tower, its baptistery, its confessional, its altar and tabernacle, a symbol of unity and the centre of community life.”

(Pope Saint Paul VI, reigned 1964-1978)
Raised to the Altars October 14th, 2018

Mary Immaculate of Lourdes
(Formerly St. Mary's Parish, 1870-1910)
Newton/Needham, Massachusetts
Newton & Needham's Oldest Roman
Catholic Parish

Immaculate Conception
Chaldean-Rite Mission
at Mary Immaculate of Lourdes Church:
Mass offered according to the
Chaldean-Rite on designated Sundays at
1:30 P.M.
Deacon Sermed Ashkouri

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM: The Sacrament of Baptism for infants and children under 7 years of age is scheduled upon request. Please contact the Parish Office (617-244-0558) to request a date.

PENANCE: Confessions regularly heard —
SUNDAY, 10:00-11:00 A.M., 5:00-5:30 P. M.
MONDAY-WEDNESDAY-FRIDAY, before and
after the 12:30 P. M. Mass.
THURSDAY, before and after the 5:30 P.M.
Mass.

SATURDAY, 8:00-9:00 A. M./ 3:30-4:00 P. M.

MATRIMONY: Engaged couples should make arrangements with the parish church so as to allow for adequate sacramental preparation (six months), including a Pre-Cana program.

Pastoral Care of the Sick

**SACRAMENT OF THE SICK, also known as
EXTREME UNCTION**

Communion of the Sick for the Homebound

Please contact Father Higgins at the Parish
Office (617-244-0558)

Pastor's Note



Fr. Higgins

PARISH LENTEN MISSION, 2023: FRERE ANDRE, THE "MIRACLE-MAN" OF MONTREAL CONFERENCE V: "HE HATH DONE ALL THINGS WELL"

*"And they bring to Jesus one deaf and mute: and they besought Him that He would lay His hand upon him. And taking him from the multitude apart, He put His fingers into his ears: and spitting He touched his tongue. And looking up to Heaven, He groaned and said to him: Ephpheta, which is, Be thou opened. And immediately his ears were opened and the string of his tongue was loosed and he spoke right. And He charged them that they should tell no man. But the more He charged them, so much the more a great deal did they publish it. And so much the more did they wonder, saying: **He hath done all things well.** He hath made both the deaf to hear and the mute to speak."*

—St. Mark 7:32-37

By 1890, 20 years after Alfred Bessette had taken the name-in-religion "André", his reputation had spread far and wide that he was a miracle-man, *un faiseur des miracles!* In spite of the derision from within his own Community, the visitors seeking Frere André kept coming in



Pilgrims climbing the stairs to the Oratoire Saint Joseph on their knees.

ever greater numbers. Some parents of the school-boys lodged a protest with the College authorities: all of these sick people coming to see Frere André were likely vectors of infection for their children, they claimed with indignation. They demanded it be stopped!

An ingenious solution was found. In 1893, when a new tram-way line was built, linking downtown Montreal to the small neighborhood of Cote-des-Neiges, the Superior of the College negotiated with the authorities to have a stop near the school. When this happened, they sent Frere André down to the tramway stop to receive his visitors apart from the College. This was his reception room for a dozen years until he had a new one built by the first small chapel of the Oratoire Saint Joseph.

At this point in our story we do well to consider the place of miracles in God's Divine Providence. I draw here from the book *Brother André* by the Montreal priest Jean-Guy Dubuc, published in English translation in 1999. We read in the Gospel Books how Jesus was a great worker of miracles. Even His enemies had to concede that He performed some extraordinary things which could not be explained.

Why did He do them? He did them at once to reward the faith which had already been shown and to express the charity of God. Fr. Dubuc explains:

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"GRATITUDE IS THE THING THAT BRINGS US THE MOST GRACE...I HAVE LEARNT THIS FROM EXPERIENCE; TRY IT AND YOU WILL SEE. I AM CONTENT WITH WHATEVER GOD GIVES ME, AND I SHOW HIM THIS IN A THOUSAND LITTLE WAYS."—ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX (+1897)



2023 CATHOLIC APPEAL

Please support this year's Catholic Appeal for the sustaining of our Archdiocesan Central Administration and for the Ministries Cardinal Seán considers integral to the mission of our local Church of Boston.

Our Parish Assessment for this Year's Appeal is: \$40,264.00

Our Parish Number is: 294

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2022 Catholic Appeal:
Assessment: \$37,796.00
Total Gifts & Payments: \$25,515.00
Billback to Parish: \$12,281.00

STEWARDSHIP



SACRIFICIAL OFFERINGS FOR THE SUPPORT OF OUR PARISH AND THE WIDER CHURCH MISSION
"What return can I make to the Lord for all His kindness to Me?"

SUNDAY OFFERTORY for MARCH 12th, 2023,
\$7,374.00 + OTHER OFFERINGS, \$930.00:
= \$8,304.00



RICE-BOWL DAILY LENTEN OFFERING FOR THE POOR:
= \$1,662.00

"Glorify the Lord generously, and do not stint the first fruits of your hands. With every gift show a cheerful face, and dedicate your tithe with gladness. Give to the Most High as He has given, and as generously as your hand has found. For the LORD is the One who repays, and He will repay you sevenfold."—Sirach 35



EASTER FLOWER MEMORIAL ENVELOPES

Easter Flower Memorial envelopes are available at the entrance tables to the Church. The envelopes received with the names of loved ones memorialized will be placed on the altars for all of our parish Masses during Paschaltide. **THANK YOU** for your gift towards this year's Easter flowers.



"IF YOU ARE WILLING TO SERENELY BEAR THE TRIAL OF BEING DISPLEASING TO YOURSELF, THEN YOU WILL BE FOR JESUS A PLEASANT PLACE OF SHELTER."—ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX (+1897)

Calendar of Masses

(Intention of the Mass—Special Remarks—Requested by)

SUNDAY 4:00 PM Thomas McManus Nancy & Frank Sacco & Family
 March 26th (Vigil) Francesco & Florence Sacco Memorial

PASSION SUNDAY

7:30 AM Pro Populo

9:00 AM Intention of the Donor

11:00 AM

For the Preservation of the Free Exercise of the Latin Mass in the Life of the Church

Jonathan & Marisa Davidson

Rudolf Brestovansky

Gabriel DiDuca

Pino Family (Extended)

Bernadette Kasper

Joseph R. Pollander

Joseph Reigh Pollander

John Steinkrauss

Gabriella Steinkrauss

Thomas Steinkrauss

Joseph Scarlata

Marie Petricone

All Souls

Maureen Nyhen

In Thanksgiving

Intention of the Donor

Vernon Miller

William Burns

Victoria Ogden Harvey

Phillip Monica

Joanna Angelucci

Special Intention

Conversion of Sinners

Bishops & Priests

Marriage

Year's Mind

Special Intention

Living/Deceased

Birthday Intention

Memorial

Memorial

Special Intention

Special Intention

Special Intention

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Memorial

Special Intention

Month's Mind

Memorial

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Special Intention

Mary Miller



Sam & Marisa Williams

Katarina & Family

Monahan Family

Nick Pino

Kasper Family

Kurt Pollander

Kurt Pollander

Luke Kasper

Luke Kasper

Genevieve Kasper

Camille Arcidi

Camille Arcidi

Maureen Nyhen

Mary Tornabene

Belmonte Family

McGrath Family

Bill & Mary Tonelli

Stephen Miller

David Wright

Laura Harvey

Laura Harvey

Anthony & Victoria Angelucci

Anthony & Victoria Angelucci

Rosary Group

Donor



ABOVE: *The Raising of Lazarus, Duccio 14th Century.* BELOW: *St. Joseph and Christ Child*



Mass Intentions

Each week the 11:00 AM Sunday Latin Mass and the Saturday 9:00 AM daily Latin Mass are collective intention Masses. This is done in accordance with the permissions laid out by Cardinal Sean. All other Masses are reserved for one petitioner at a time, although that petitioner can ask for 1 Mass to be said for multiple persons. The requested offering for an intention Mass, announced or unannounced, is \$10.00.

5:30 PM

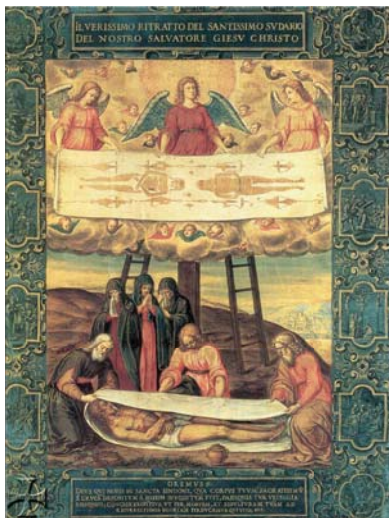
Marie Petricone

Memorial

Camille Arcidi

MONDAY March 27th <i>Passion Monday</i>	7:30 AM	Purgatorial Society of Mary Immaculate of Lourdes	Memorial	
	12:30 PM	Mother Mary Angelica	Memorial	Laura Harvey
TUESDAY March 28th <i>Passion Tuesday</i>	7:30 AM	James Imprescia & Family	Health of the Sick	Margie Bibbo
WEDNESDAY March 29th <i>Passion Wednesday</i>	12:30 PM	Mary O'Brien	Memorial	Sheila Brady
THURSDAY March 30th <i>Passion Thursday</i>	7:30 AM	Deceased Priests of the Archdiocese of Boston	Memorial	
	5:30 PM	James Wilson	Memorial	Ron & Gerrie Goguen
FRIDAY March 31st SEVEN SORROWS of the BLESSED VIRGIN MARY	7:30 AM <i>Health of the Sick</i>	Joseph Johnson	Health of the Sick	Margie Bibbo
	12:30 PM	Carolyn Ward	Memorial	Hobbib Family
SATURDAY April 1st <i>Passion Saturday</i> First Saturday	9:00 AM	Rev. Christopher Roberts Eric Procopio & Sarah Carden Janet Crapo Harvey Julie, Eliza & Stella Miller Corcoran/Mazzarella Fam. Andrew Golo/ H.G. Tudor Marie Petricone Joan Riley Kathy Blake Intention of the Donor Intention of the Donor Lita Uilaoghaire Maria Divine Mercy All Souls Intention of the Donor Intention of the Donor Intention of the Donor Conversion of Sinners Bishops & Priests	Memorial Special Intention Memorial Special Intention Living & Deceased Special Intention Memorial Special Intention Health of the Sick Special Intention Memorial Fidelity/ Protection/ Courage	Juhasz Family Michael & Annie Procopio Laura Harvey Stephen Miller Colbe Mazzarella Jack Monbouquette Camille Arcidi Sheila Brady Belmonte Family Belmonte Family Belmonte Family Jonathan Duong Duong Family Duong Family Donor Bill & Mary Tonelli Bill & Mary Tonelli Bill & Mary Tonelli Rosary Group Donor
	4:00 PM:	Joyce Marie Higgins	Memorial	Sheila Brady

ADDENDA/ERRATA
SATURDAY,
MARCH 25th, 9:00 AM
MASS: INTENTION of the
DONOR, Requested by
ROSE DELGROSSO



**“Each Mass has an infinite, immense value that we can never fully understand.”
—St. John Marie Baptiste Vianney, Curé d’Ars**

**HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SUNDAY
SCHEDULE FOR MARY IMMACULATE
OF LOURDES PARISH:
APRIL 2nd - APRIL 9th, A.D. 2023**

**PALM SUNDAY, APRIL 2nd:
PARISH PROCESSION OF PALMS
at the 11 AM Latin Mass,
Chanting of St. Matthew's Passion
(Traditional Form: Approximate length, 2.5 hrs.)**

**SACRED TRIDUUM
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5th, 7:30 PM, OFFICE
OF TENEBRAE for MAUNDY THURSDAY
(Traditional Form: Approximate length, 2hrs.)**

**THURSDAY, APRIL 6th,
MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER
5:30 PM (Novus Ordo), 1 hour
7:30 PM (Traditional Form), 1.5 hours.
with Procession to the Altar of Repose
ADORATION UNTIL 12 MIDNIGHT**

**FRIDAY, APRIL 7th,
OFFICE OF THE LORD'S PASSION
3:00 PM (Novus Ordo), 1.5 hours
7:30 PM (Traditional Form), 2 hours**

**SATURDAY, APRIL 8th, THE GREAT
PASCHAL VIGIL AND THE FIRST MASS OF
EASTER, 6:30 PM (Traditional Form)
Approximate length, 3.5 hours**

**EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 9th:
EASTER MASSES at
7:30 & 9:00 AM (Novus Ordo)
11:00 AM 5:30 PM (Traditional Form)**



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Miracles can be fully understood—that is, perceived as acts of God's love—only by those who believe in Him. Unbelievers can see only conjuring tricks or sorry acts of magic, all more or less spectacular or comprehensible. For one has to be prepared, to be readied for the sign, in order to recognize it when it appears and to understand its meaning...

*...As related in the Gospels, Jesus' miracles always linked the human, indeed the humane, to the Divine. They were invoked by a cry for help, expressed directly by persons in need or by others on their behalf. Thus initially, it is love for a person that triggers divine intervention. But also, Jesus' actions are either preceded or followed by an act of faith. Miracles, being visible signs of a supernatural presence, can be accepted fully for what they are only in a context of faith. Without faith, they cannot be recognized, much less understood. **A miracle is a sign directed exclusively to the faithful.** A miracle is not a right that can be claimed. It is always an exceptional and gratuitous favor.*

It is with this understanding that we should approach the miraculous in Frere André's life. And then we can see just how abundantly the Divine Pity was poured out in answer to the Brother's compassionate prayer for others.



*+Saint André Bessette,
C.S.C.
"Brother André"
1845-1937*

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS, VIA CRUCIS
FRIDAY EVENINGS DURING LENT, 7:30 PM**

**Please join us for the Stations of the Cross, followed by
a Sermon and Benediction of the Most Blessed
Sacrament: February 24th-March 31st, 2023, A.D.**

**PARISH LENTEN THEME: "FRERE ANDRE,
THE MIRACLE-MAN OF MONTREAL"**

Music Programs for this Sunday's Mass

Mass of Pope Paul VI (1970 Missal)

4:00 PM (*Vigil*), 7:30 & 9:00 AM

Passion Sunday

Prelude: Salve Crux Sancta (Chant)

Introit: Psalm 42(43):1-2

Judica me

Give me justice, O God, and plead my cause against a nation that is faithless. From the deceitful and cunning rescue me, for, O God, are my strength.

(TODAY'S MISSAL, pg. 6)

(7:30 AM & 9:00 AM)

Ordinary Prayers: Mass XVII

Kyrie, Sanctus-Benedictus, Agnus Dei:

Parish Book of Chant, no. 107ff./pp. 107-108.

Credo I (English)

Offertory: John 11:26

Omnis qui vivit

Everyone who lives and believes in Me will not die forever, says the Lord.

(TODAY'S MISSAL, pg. 100)

Mysterium Fidei (The Mystery of Faith): Mortem tuam annuntiamus, Domine, et tuam Resurrectionem confitemur, donec venias.

("We proclaim Your death, O Lord, and profess Your Resurrection until You come again.")

Communion: John 12:24

Amen, Amen dico vobis

Amen, Amen, I say to you: Unless a grain of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains a single grain. But if it dies, it bears much fruit.

Communion Meditation:

Jesu Dulcis Amor Meus (Chant)

Recessional Hymn: O Sacred Head Surrounded

Worship II, No. 211

Postlude

Magnificat

(English Chant)



Mass of St. Gregory the Great (1962 Missal)

Passion Sunday

11:00 AM (5:30 P.M.)

Prelude: Salve Crux Sancta (Chant)(11:00 AM)

Choir Hymn (11:00 Mass): Ave Regina Caelorum
(Chant)

Asperges Me, Parish Book of Chant, no. 22/pg. 34

Introit: Psalm 42:1~3 *Judica me, Deus, et discerne causam meam de gente non sancta: ab homine iniquo et doloso eripe me: quia tu es Deus meus et fortitudo mea. Ps. ibid. 3. Emitte lucem tuam et veritatem tuam: ipsa me deduxerunt et adduxerunt in montem sanctum tuum et in tabernacula tua. — Judica me, Deus*

(11AM)

Ordinary Prayers: Mass XVII Sundays of Lent

Kyrie, Sanctus-Benedictus, Agnus Dei:

Parish Book of Chant, no. 107ff./pp. 107-108

Credo I, *Parish Book of Chant, no. 117/pg. 110.*

Gradual: 142. 9-10; 17. 48-49 *Eripe me, Domine, de inimicis meis: doce me facere voluntatem tuam. V. Liberator meus, Domine, de gentibus iracundis: ab insurgentibus in me exaltabis me a viro iniquo eripies me. Tract: Psalm 128:1~4* *Saepe expugnaverunt me a juventute mea. V. Dicat nunc Israel: saepe expugnaverunt me a juventute mea. V. Etenim non potuerunt mihi: supra dorsum meum fabricaverunt peccatores. V. Prolongaverunt iniquitates suas: Dominus justus concidit cervicem peccatorum.*

Offertory: (11AM) Psalm 118: 17, 107 *Confitebor tibi, Domine, in toto corde meo: retribue servo tuo: vivam, et custodiam sermones tuos: vivifica me secundum verbum tuum Domine.*

Communion: I Corinthians 11. 24, 25 *Hoc corpus, quod pro vobis tradetur: hic calix novi testament est in meo sanguine, dicit Dominus: hoc facite, quotiescumque sumitis, in meam commemorationem.*

Communion Meditation: (11:00 AM)

Jesu Dulcis Amor Meus (Chant)

Recessional Hymn: O Sacred Head Surrounded

Worship II, No. 211

Angelus

Postlude:

Magnificat

(English Chant)

LATIN MASS PROPERS: PASSION SUNDAY

INTROIT: Psalm 42: 1-2 Judge me, O God, and distinguish my cause against an ungodly nation: O deliver me from the unjust and deceitful man: for Thou art my God and my strength. Psalm 42: 3 O send out Thy light and Thy truth: they have led me and brought me unto Thy holy hill, even unto Thy tabernacles.

COLLECT We beseech Thee, almighty God, mercifully look upon Thy family: that by Thy great goodness it may be governed in body and by Thy protection be preserved in mind. Through our Lord.

EPISTLE: Hebrews 9: 11-15 Brethren: Christ being come, an High Priest of the good things to come, by a greater and more perfect tabernacle, not made with hands, that is, not of this creation: neither by the blood of goats or of calves, but by His own blood, entered once into the Holies, having obtained eternal redemption. For if the blood of goats and of oxen and the ashes of an heifer, being sprinkled, sanctify such as are defiled, to the cleansing of the flesh: how much more shall the blood of Christ, who, by the Holy Ghost, offered Himself unspotted unto God, cleanse our conscience from dead works, to serve the living God? And therefore He is the Mediator of the new testament: that by means of His death, for the redemption of those transgressions which were under the former testament, they that are called may receive the promise of eternal inheritance, in Christ Jesus our Lord.

GRADUAL: Psalm 142: 9, 10; 17: 48-49 Deliver me, O Lord, from my enemies: teach me to do Thy will. Psalm 17: 48-49 My deliverer, O Lord, from the angry nations: Thou wilt lift me up above them that rise up against me: from the unjust man Thou wilt deliver me. **TRACT:** Psalm 128: 1-4 Often have they fought against me from my youth. V. Let Israel now say: often have they fought against me from my youth. V. But they could not prevail over me: the wicked have wrought upon my back. V. They have lengthened their iniquities: the Lord who is just will cut the necks of sinners.

GOSPEL: John 8: 46-59 **At** that time, Jesus said to the multitudes of the Jews: Which of you shall convince Me of sin? If I say the truth to you, why do you not believe Me? He that is of God heareth the words of God. Therefore you hear them not, because you are not of God. The Jews therefore answered, and said to Him: Do not we say well, that Thou art a Samaritan, and hast a devil? Jesus answered: I have not a devil: but I honour My Father, and you have dishonoured Me. But I seek not My own glory: there is One that seeketh and judgeth. Amen, amen, I say to you: If any man keep My word, he shall not see death for ever. The Jews therefore said: Now we know that Thou hast a devil. Abraham is dead, and the prophets: and Thou sayest: If any man keep My word he shall not taste death for ever. Art Thou greater than our father Abraham, who is dead? and the prophets are dead, whom dost Thou make Thyself? Jesus answered: If I glorify Myself, My glory is nothing: it is My Father that glorifieth Me, of whom you say that He is your God, and you have not known Him: but I know Him: And if I shall say that I know Him not, I shall be like to you, a liar. But I do know Him, and do keep His word. Abraham your father rejoiced that he might see My day: he saw it and was glad. The Jews therefore said to Him: Thou art not yet fifty years old: and hast Thou seen Abraham? Jesus said to them: Amen, amen, I say to you, before Abraham was made, I am. They took up stones therefore to cast at Him: but Jesus hid Himself, and went out of the temple.

OFFERTORY: Psalm 118: 17, 107 I will confess to Thee, O Lord, with my whole heart: render to Thy servant: I shall live and keep Thy words: enliven me according to Thy word, O Lord.

SECRET May these offerings, we beseech Thee, O Lord, loosen the bonds of our wickedness, and procure for us the gifts of Thy mercy. Through our Lord.

Preface of the Holy Cross

COMMUNION: 1 Corinthians 11: 24, 25 This is My Body which shall be delivered for you: this chalice is the new testament in My Blood, saith the Lord: do this, as often as you receive it, in commemoration of Me.

POSTCOMMUNION Draw near to us, O Lord, our God, and by Thy unfailing help defend those whom Thy mysteries have refreshed. Through our Lord.

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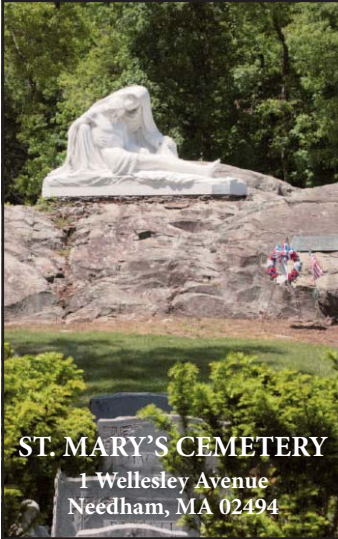
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For information, call the cemetery staff at Mary Immaculate of Lourdes Church at 781-235-1841.



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Fr. Tom Nestor has served as pastor at the Collaborative Parishes of Resurrection and Saint Paul in Hingham for the past ten years, and previously served at St. Eulalia's in Winchester for 17 years. A Harvard graduate and native of West Roxbury, Fr. Nestor is known for fostering a sense of community wherever he goes.

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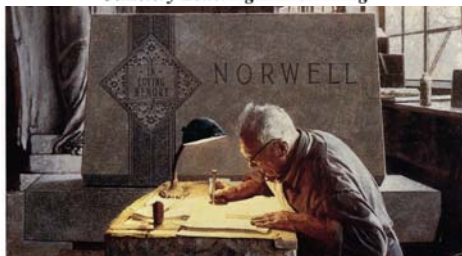
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