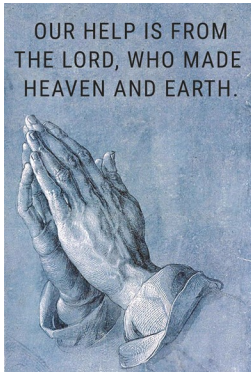


# THE TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## St. Francis Mass Intentions



- Saturday, October 19**  
4:30pm †Jack Orton  
*Requested by Kristina Moore*
- Sunday, October 20**  
8:00am †Clementina Birch  
*Requested by Family*  
10:00am †Timothy Maher  
*Requested by the O'Rourke Family*  
12:00nn
- Monday, October 21**  
7:00am Special Intention  
*Requested by Kathleen Carney*
- Tuesday, October 22**  
7:00am †Carol Meenan & Helen Sandmeier  
*Requested by Viola*
- Thursday, October 24**  
7:00am Mass for the People
- Friday, October 25**  
7:00am †William & Frederick Cloos  
*Requested by Jim & Susan Meehan*
- Saturday, October 26**  
4:30pm †Concetta Wilson  
(Anniversary Remembrance)  
*Requested by Jean McGair*
- Sunday, October 27**  
8:00am †John MacLane  
*Requested by Kathleen & Jeff Carney*  
10:00am  
12:00nn †Joseph & Marion Cappuccio  
*Requested by Family*

## St. Romuald Mass Intentions

- Sunday, October 20**  
10:00am †Tara Higgins  
(Birthday Remembrance)  
*Requested by Family*
- Sunday, October 27**  
10:00am †Teresa Reilly  
*Requested by Luke Reilly*



## SANCTUARY LAMP

This week's sanctuary lamp at St. Francis Church burns in memory of Mr. & Mrs. Thu Chi Tran & John Thanh Ha.

## ALL SOUL'S MASS OF REMEMBRANCE SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2 AT 11:00AM

Won't you consider joining us as we observe All Soul's Day? **Saturday, November 2** is All Soul's Day, a day set aside for special prayers and Masses for the deceased. Consider participating in *our annual Mass of Remembrance at 11:00am* at St. Francis Church when we will honor our parishioners who passed away over the past year. A candle will be given in their memory to their family to take home. Every parishioner at St. Francis and St. Romuald is welcome to participate. There is no better gift we can offer our deceased loved ones than our prayers. Please join us!

**Just a reminder** that the remembrance book will be placed in front of the statue of St. Francis during the month of November. All are welcome to enter the names of their deceased loved ones. They will be remembered during the month of November.



## SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS (Holy Day of Obligation)

**Friday, November 1<sup>st</sup>** we commemorate the great multitude of those chosen by God to be special bearers of grace in this world. All Saints Day, November 1<sup>st</sup>, is the day we honor our "big brothers and sisters" in Christ who have gone on before us. They pray for us, watch over us, and offer a heroic example for us to follow! **Mass times will be 7:00am and Noon at the Church and 6:30pm at the Chapel.** St. Francis of Assisi and St. Romuald, **pray for us!**

## Parish Giving

		October 13
<b>Weekly Support</b>		
Budget envelopes used ( )	-	\$
Loose Donations	-	\$
Online Giving (# of donors-)	-	\$
<b>Total Budget</b>	-	\$
<b>Second Collection (Monthly Collection)</b>		
Budget envelopes used (???)	-	\$
Loose Donations	-	\$
<b>Total</b>	-	\$

This week's second collection is for Mission Sunday. Next week's second collection is for Ongoing Maintenance.

**As always, thank you for your continued generosity.**

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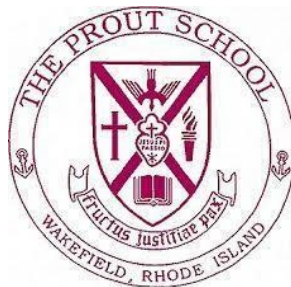
*From the Pastor,*

*Fr. Bodah*

**THE PROUT SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE**  
This Sunday, October 20 from 1-4pm and  
November 5 from 6-8pm

*Discover the Prout advantage!* Prout is the only high school in Rhode Island to offer the prestigious International Baccalaureate (IB) Program. We offer rigorous academics, a strong Catholic identity, amazing theatre, music and dance programs, competitive athletic teams, and numerous clubs and extracurricular activities.

For more information, please call Admissions Director Sharon DeLuca at 789-9262, Ext 514 or go to [www.theproutschool.org](http://www.theproutschool.org).



**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**  
(401) 792-8684



**Sunday, October 20<sup>th</sup>**

**8:55-9:50am** GRADES Kdg-6 (FGC)

**10:00am** Mass-Children's Liturgy of the Word

**12:00** Mass **Mass of Petition** for Confirmation II students

**Monday, October 21<sup>st</sup>**

**Confirmation interviews 3-5pm and 7-8pm**  
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**Wednesday, October 23<sup>rd</sup>**

**4:15-5:15pm** Grades 3-6 (FGC)

**NO CLASS** Grades 7, 8 and 9

**Confirmation Interviews 3-5pm and 7-8pm**  
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**Thursday, October 24<sup>th</sup>**

**Confirmation Interviews 3-5pm and 7-8pm**  
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**Next Sunday, October 27<sup>th</sup> at 10:00a**—**Mass of Belonging** for our First Eucharist class and their families.



# This Week

## Monday, October 21

7:00pm Pastoral Council Meeting (MCCR)

## Tuesday, October 22

6:00pm Social Outreach Committee (HBH)

6:30pm Bible Study (JFGC)

7:00pm Choir Rehearsal (Church Loft)

## Thursday, October 24

7:30am Adoration (Church)

9-10:30am Parish Staff Meeting (*Office closed during this time*)

6:00pm Opening the Word (FGC)

7:00pm Men of St. Joseph (FGC)

## Friday, October 25

7:00 Parenting Group (FGC)



### SAVE THE DATE!

We will be offering flu clinic again this year for ages 3 and up. Following are the dates:

***THIS Sunday, October 20 at St. Francis Church in Helen Bouchard Hall from 9am to Noon***

There is an information flyer at the main entrance of the church & at the chapel about the flu vaccine as well as a consent form that you can prepare prior to attending the clinic.



### WORLD MISSION: THIS SUNDAY

Be Baptized and Sent—  
on Mission in the

World! Today, World Mission Sunday, in this Extraordinary Missionary Month, we are called to personal encounter with Jesus Christ alive in the Church, and to offer, through this Eucharistic celebration, our prayers and our generous financial support, through the Society for the Propagation of the Faith, to continue the mission of Jesus. Today we are “sent” out to witness to Mission in the world through our prayers and personal sacrifices for our brothers and sisters around the world. **As little as: \$25 helps support a catechist for a month in remote Latin America; \$75 provides for the work of religious Sisters caring for orphaned children in Africa; \$100 assists poor children in boarding schools in Asia.** As always, your prayers are your most treasured gift to the Missions. Your prayers and financial help, offered today, **WORLD MISSION SUNDAY**, support mission priests, religious Sisters and Brothers, and lay catechists who are Christ’s witnesses to a world so in need of His healing, love, and peace.

We would like to congratulate  
Sean Michael Comtois &  
Abigail Avery Dandurand who  
were recently married at St.  
Francis Church. May God bless  
you!



### THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE 2019



The Social Outreach Committee is sponsoring the Parish Thanksgiving Food Drive to benefit The Jonnycake Center of Peacedale. The food drive will run for two weekends, October 26 & 27 and November 2 & 3.

The foods being requested are: stuffing mixes, box or bag; gravy, can or package; cranberry sauce, canned; Quick Bread mixes or any cake mix, pie crust mixes and canned pumpkin or any other fruit pie filling. **NO GLASS CONTAINERS, PLEASE.** Please place food items in receptacles by the St. Francis statue in the church and by the entrance to St. Romuald Chapel.

Each year during the holidays the Jonnycake Center distributes food to hundreds of families benefitting thousands of individuals. The need continues to be great. Our St. Francis of Assisi parish family has always been generous when called upon to help those in need. Thank you for your continued generosity!



### DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS ON

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3.  
REMEMBER TO SET YOUR  
CLOCKS BACK BEFORE  
GOING TO BED ON  
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER, 2.**

*Eucharistic Adoration is held every Thursday following the 7:00am Mass and ends with benediction at noon.* If you are interested in adoring Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament weekly, bi-weekly or even once a month, please contact Joe and Sharon Clossick at 401-932-8477. We continue to pray for the sick of the parish as well as our personal intentions. Please consider stopping in to thank God for all His blessings on each of us and our parish family.

