

September 25th, 2022 | 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time | 930 (C)

Saint Denis Parish

85 Main Street / Ashburnham, Massachusetts 01430



the gospel of **LUKE**

Luke 16:19-31



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LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday 4:30 pm
Sunday 8:00 am & 10:00 am

DAILY MASSES

Monday–Wednesday
9:00 am

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:30 – 4:00 pm
or by appointment
Meet in church

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Next Week: October 2nd, 2022 | 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time 933 (C)

Readings: Hab 1:2-3; 2:2-4, 2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14, Lk 17:5-10



THE DIOCESAN DISPATCH

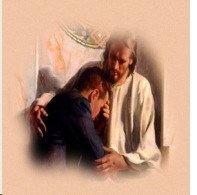
A weekly bulletin to keep parishes informed of news and events.

Sat	9/24	4:30 pm	For Michael Murphy <i>By Family</i>
Sun	9/25	8:00 am	For Lillian Nolan (18th Anniversary) <i>By Kim Nolan</i>
		10:00 am	For John Considine (1 month) <i>By Colleen & Cory Moran & Children</i> For John E. Bresnahan (By Family)
Mon	9/26	9:00 am	
Tues	9/27	9:00 am	
Wed	9/28	9:00 am	
Sat	10/1	4:30 pm	For The Parishioners of St. Denis
Sun	10/2	8:00 am	For Glen A. Reynolds <i>By Sandy & John Fontaine</i>
		10:00 am	For Loretta Collette <i>By Family</i>

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"My child, remember that you received what was good during your lifetime while Lazarus likewise received what was bad; but now he is comforted here, whereas you are tormented. Moreover, between us and you a great chasm is established..." (Luke 16:25-26) When God created the world He declared that it was good and He gave it to all mankind for us to enjoy. However, over the years we have created a chasm between those who have great gifts and those who do not. In today's Gospel we see that with our own generosity we must bridge that gap between those who have much and those who have little or we may find ourselves on the wrong side of the chasm in the next life.

We offer confession in the church Saturdays from 3:30 pm till 4:00 pm or by appointment. Please come in to the confessional room. Nothing you confess, can make God Love you less! His Love is Everlasting!



Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Worldwide Marriage Encounter is sponsoring a variety of in-person and virtual marriage experiences, some on weekends and some on seven weekdays. Couples will explore their relationship with each other, God, and the Church. Registration is limited and a \$100 application fee is required. For more information or to apply, call Joe & Ginny Vatele at 800-710-9963 or visit them at <https://www.mema.org/>.



October 14-16 In-Person in Barre, Vermont at Millstone Hill Lodge
October 14-16 In-Person in Concord, NH at Christ the King Parish

Lucy Langelier Jan
Brielle Chaves Alicia Levanti
Irene Parent Michael
Rebecca Harris
Mark Tisdale
Steve Dame
Ellen Duffy
Bruce Parent
Michelle Nevala
Robert Cormier
Gene Farrell
Jason DesJardins
Cheryl C.
Kevin Leary
Kathleen Fissette
Eileen C

For Our Sick ...

Catechesis of The Good Shepherd will be held on Tuesdays at 10am in Father Lacey Hall for **ages 3 to 5**. Call Kim Brown at 978-827-4892 for more information. Pre-school class with age appropriate teachings and FUN!



It is time to register your child for Religious Education. You can visit our website at www.saintdenisashburnham.org to find the registration forms under the Religious Education tab. In order to help us best prepare, please register as soon as you are able and let us know if there are any changes we should be aware of. Please also help us by sharing this information with new families, such as incoming kindergarten and first graders. We are looking forward to the new school year!



On Saturday, October 15th, at 12 noon, in front of St. Denis Church, a Rosary Rally will be held for the Feast of Our Lady of Fatima. Please come and pray the Rosary for the Triumph of Our Lady's Immaculate Heart.

Ladies Spiritual Enrichment Group

Women meet at the home of Kim Brown for the enhancement of their spiritual lives. To join call: Kim at: 978-827-4892 for info.



Lector Schedule for September/October

Sat.	Sept. 24th	4:30 pm	Jean Torrans
Sun.	Sept. 25th	8:00 am	Bob Feen
Sun.	Sept. 25th	10:00 am	Sheila Donofrio
Sat.	Oct. 1st	4:30 pm	Wes Snow
Sun.	Oct. 2nd	8:00 am	Mike Gingras
Sun.	Oct. 2nd	10:00 am	Sean Kelly
Sat.	Oct. 8th	4:30 pm	Jean Torrans
Sun.	Oct. 9th	8:00 am	Sandi Jaillet
Sun.	Oct. 9th	10:00 am	Jonah Kattau
Sat.	Oct. 15th	4:30 pm	Denise Schaefer
Sun.	Oct. 16th	8:00 am	Mike Dufault
Sun.	Oct. 16th	10:00 am	Nate Comeau
Sat.	Oct. 22nd	4:30 pm	Jean Torrans
Sun.	Oct. 23rd	8:00 am	Kim Nolan
Sun.	Oct. 23rd	10:00 am	Kim Brown
Sat.	Oct. 29th	4:30 pm	Jan Peterson
Sun.	Oct. 30th	8:00 am	Joel Quinones
Sun.	Oct. 30th	10:00 am	Shannon DeMont

Bazaar News!

A Big Thank You! To all who have helped out with the bazaar!
 Drop-offs are still welcome for silent/ Chinese/ new items, and scratch-off lottery tickets. Baked goods are very welcome (Friday night and Saturday only). Come support our St. Denis Parish on Saturday! Family fun for everyone and supports a worthy cause!

You may donate to St Vincent de Paul via the parish website. Go to “Online Giving” and use the St Vincent de Paul form or through the “Offering” Portal.

Many thanks from the St. Vincent de Paul Society for the donations we have received. Every donation, any size, is gratefully accepted. If you need some financial assistance at this time or you know of someone who needs some help, please call the phone number on the front of the bulletin, 978-790-1923.

Coffee House This Sunday

Coffee after 8 am Sunday Mass. Come visit us and share coffee with friends! Donuts too! We are asking for volunteers to help keep this going.



September/October

Sat	9/24	3:30 pm	Reconciliation (In the Church)
		4:30 pm	Saturday Mass
Sun	9/25	8:00 am	Sunday Mass
		10:00 am	Sunday Mass
Mon	9/26	9:00 am	Daily Mass
Tue	9/27	9:00 am	Daily Mass
Wed	9/28	9:00 am	Daily Mass
		9:30 am	Ladies Spiritual Enrichment Group (In Home call 978-827-48)
Sat	10/1	3:30 pm	Reconciliation (In the Church)
		4:30 pm	Saturday Mass
Sun	10/2	8:00 am	Sunday Mass
		10:00 am	Sunday Mass

The Backpack Drive

For Our Father’s House is returning for it’s Eighth Year! Starting on October 1st for 3 weekends, there will be distribution and pickup and delivery at the end of Mass. This supports many homeless of our community and serves their basic needs. Jeff and Rose Lawrence will give a brief summary to introduce this worthy project.



Parish Weekly Financials

Since 9/18/2022

Regular Envelopes	\$	1,651.00
Parish Needs	\$	120.00
Fuel & Maintenance	\$.00
Rel. Ed. Registration	\$.00
Mass Remembrance	\$	40.00
Total	\$	1,811.00

Online Giving:

Sunday Offertory	\$	460.00
Religious Education Reg.	\$	200.00
Formed Donation	\$	15.00
Mass Remembrance	\$.00
Online Giving Total	\$	675.00
Parish Total	\$	2,486.00

Cemetery Donation:

Cemetery Online	\$	25.00
Cemetery Env.	\$	10.00
Total	\$	35.00

Diocese Collection Total

All Souls Day	\$	25.00
Mission Sunday	\$	5.00
Diocesan Total	\$	30.00

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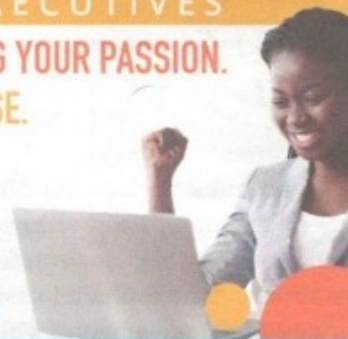
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