



WHAT ARE YOU WORKING FOR?

At the end of your week, what brings you a sense of accomplishment? Maybe it was a special family event, a big work project or a successful school exam. This week's Gospel asks you to stop and think about the value of what you've worked so hard to complete. Jesus said, "Do not work for food that perishes but for the food that endures for eternal life." Did any of your work this week include God? Would He value your completed tasks as much as you do? Before you schedule next week's "to dos", consider prayerfully what God would like to see on the list - and add a little "eternal food" to the perishable kind.



CLERGY APPRECIATION DINNER

As you know, Pope Benedict has designated this year as the Year for Priests in order to offer an opportunity to renew and reinvigorate the priesthood around the world. Our Clergy Fund is in very serious financial need and this dinner is being sponsored to build up that Fund. On **Wednesday evening, September 16, at the Seaport Hotel, Boston**, there is a special fund-raising dinner for the Clergy Fund. Besides appreciating priests, it is also going to be an evening to celebrate the 25th Anniversary of Cardinal Sean being a bishop. So it will be quite an event! The tables are \$5,000 for ten seats, but we are trying to work with a few other parishes to buy at least one. This is our idea:

- If you would like to attend this special night, you can procure seats for \$500 each. Great!
- If you would like to contribute to the Fund and perhaps attend, we are going to have a lottery for seats. We are asking you to donate \$50 for a chance to get a seat. We will pool the money and then draw names for the seats. You could possibly attend the event for \$50. We will work out transportation.
- Over the next few weeks, we hope that you will consider making a contribution to this Clergy Fund-Priest Appreciation-Cardinal Sean Anniversary-Dinner. Call the office for any other details or questions. We will make the final decisions by mid-August, giving everyone a chance to get involved.

Rest in Peace

*Roger Patenaude
Marie Rita Blanchette*



ALTAR SERVER APPRECIATION DAY

We hope all youth Altar Servers will join us on **Tuesday, August 18th for a trip to Canobie Lake Park** in appreciation for all of their hard work! A **bus will leave from St. Marguerite's at 10:00 a.m.** and will return at approximately 5:15 p.m. Adults who have completed a CORI form are needed as chaperones. For more information or to sign up for the trip, call the Parish Office at (978) 957-0322. Deadline to register is August 11, 2009. See you then!

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

Giving comfort! The Prayer Shawl is given to a person as a means of bringing God's love, comfort and peace. The recipient can wrap themselves with the shawl and it gives them comfort and warmth. We have an ample supply of blessed shawls. If you know of someone who would benefit from receiving a shawl, please call the Parish Office at 978-957-0322.



AVERAGE AMOUNT NEEDED WEEKLY \$8,400.00

Income received from 7/21/09 to 7/27/09

Offertory Collection	\$3,682.00
Other Income	\$390.00

TOTAL PARISH INCOME	\$4,072.00
WEEKLY GAIN or (DEFICIT)	(\$3,698.00)

Average income-needed year to date (4 weeks)	\$23,190.00
Gain or (deficit) to date (4 weeks)	(\$9,780.00)

Central & Eastern Europe Collection \$1,325.00

The second collection this weekend is the annual collection for Catholic Relief Services.

The second collection next weekend will be the monthly Parish Support collection.

Please note that if you do not use offertory envelopes or Electronic Giving, we are unable to keep a record of your donations for tax purposes.

If you would like to begin using offertory envelopes, you will find a blank envelope in the bulletin boxes this weekend. Put name and address on envelope, place donation in envelope and place in offertory collection.

We now offer several ways to make it convenient for our parishioners to contribute—either electronically, weekly, or monthly. Many of our parishioners have changed their way of giving to the parish, so no longer donate to the regular Offertory Collection each week. We ask that everyone appreciate and respect how each person decides to give their gift. As always, we thank you for your continued and generous support.



600 CLUB DRAWING

The Ste. Marguerite d'Youville 600 Club drawing for July, which was postponed due to church painting, will take place this Sunday, August 2, 2009 at 9:00 a.m. Please join us in the Parish Hall for a pancake breakfast from 8:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. The drawing and pancake breakfast for August will take place on August 16.

STE. MARGUERITE D'YOUVILLE 600 CLUB

August brings us to the end of the fiscal year for the 600 Club. If you are presently a member of the 600 Club, it is now time to renew your membership for the 2009-2010 season. If you are not contacted by your captain, please give him/her a call to renew your membership. Cost is still \$5.00 per month or \$50.00 for the entire year (a saving of \$10.00 if paid yearly). Anyone wishing to become a member, or if you would like additional numbers, please contact a captain listed below. We are looking for new captains. Captains must sell at least ten numbers. They receive 10% of the value of the prize won by one of their ticket holders. If you are interested in becoming a captain please contact Lucien Dalpe at 978-957-1710.

Present captains:

Claire Beaudette	978-957-2251
Paul Bergeron	978-453-2020
Denise Belleville	978-458-1908
Al. Bourgeois, Jr.	978-957-3680
Al. Bourgeois, Sr.	978-957-0735
Michael Brunelle	978-957-5210
Leo Cloutier	978-453-3366
Lucien Dalpe	978-957-1710
Sue Dery	978-454-7223
Ann Marie Dion	978-453-4000
Sharon Maxim-Eno	978-459-3383
Diane Ervin	978-957-1432
Roma Fauvel	978-957-6486
Sue Fauvel	978-957-3332
Marie Phillipon	978-957-4759
James Sigman	1-978-360-2294
Maureen Toupin	978-957-1733



PARISH PICNIC

The annual Parish Picnic will take place on Sunday September 20th from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Acacia Club.

Anyone wishing to volunteer for the Parish Picnic is asked to attend a meeting at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 5, 2009 in room 101 of the Parish Center. It is very important that we have enough volunteers for this parish event. It would make it so much easier on everybody if there were many people sharing the work.

FAIR-FEST

Saturday, August 22, 2009

9:00 am to 3:00 pm & 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Sunday, August 23, 2009

12 noon to 4:00 pm

(ON PARISH GROUNDS)

FOOD – GAMES – PRIZES

INDOOR FLEA MARKET

Saturday 9:00 am to 8:00 pm

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PENNY SALE

Saturday

9:00 am to 3:00 pm & 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Sunday, August 23, 2009

12 noon to 4:00 pm

DOLL CARRIAGE PARADE

Saturday - 10:30 am

BICYCLE PARADE

Saturday – 11:30 am

DJ – Corey Lamarre

LIVE MUSIC

Saturday 5:00 to 8:00 pm

The Movers & Shakerz

AND MUCH, MUCH MORE!

RAFFLE

1ST PRIZE

PAIR OF RED SOX TICKETS

(Boston vs Toronto Blue Jays)

2ND PRIZE

150 - \$2 SCRATCH TICKETS

3RD PRIZE

\$100.00 CASH

TICKETS ARE \$5.00 EACH OR 3 FOR \$12.00

If you did not receive tickets in the mail, they are available at the Parish Office.

Registration forms for Doll Carriage and Bicycle Parades are available at the parish office.

Table rentals fees for flea market are:

1 day 1 table \$15 – 2 tables \$25

2days 1 table \$20 – 2 tables \$30

For more information

Please call 978-957-0322

AUGUST 2, 2009



This week, at all Masses, the gift of Bread and Wine is given in memory of *Gerard Clermont*. Please remember him in your prayers.

We invite parishioners to donate the Bread and Wine for consecration at all Masses for a given week. The person remembered will be listed in the bulletin on the weekend and will cover all Masses for that week. Suggested offering for this gift is \$50.00. Please call the Parish Office at 978-957-0322 to schedule this special memorial.

MASS INTENTIONS

There are still many Masses without intentions through December of this year. Now would be the time to schedule a Mass for your deceased loved ones. Please call the Parish Office at 978-957-0322 to schedule a Mass.

This Weekend – August 1 & 2

Saturday

4:00 p.m. Pauline Gamache (6 mos.)

Sunday

7:30 a.m. Doris (Honey) Dufour (10th Ann.) and
Gerard (Gerry) Dufour (9th Ann.)

9:00 a.m. Deceased Members and Family
Of Men's Club/Parish Club

11:00 a.m. Gerard Clermont

Weekday Masses

Monday	7:30 a.m.	Frances Drouin and Donna Whiteside
Tuesday	7:30 a.m.	Parish intention
Wednesday	7:30 a.m.	Edward & Olivine Painchaud
Thursday	7:30 a.m.	Parish Intention
Friday	7:30 a.m.	Roger Patenaude
Saturday	7:30 a.m.	Henry Greaves (1 st Ann.)

Next Weekend – August 8 & 9

Saturday

4:00 p.m. Marcel Therriault

Sunday

7:30 a.m. Pauline Bourret

9:00 a.m. Henry Moisan (8th Ann.)

11:00 a.m. Janet Provencher (17th Ann.)



FAIR-FEST

Many helping hands are needed to assure the success of **FAIR-FEST**. We will need people for inside and outside, set up and clean up and for many other duties. If you are available, whether it is for a short period of time or for both days, your help will be appreciated. For more information or to volunteer, please call Joanne at the Parish Office (978-957-0322).