The person who is trustworthy in very small matters is also trustworthy in great ones;

HOLY BIBLE

And the person who is dishonest in very small matters is also dishonest in great ones.

Luke 16:10
GOD HAS NO GRANDCHILDREN.
We speak of ourselves as ‘sons and daughters’ of our Father in Heaven. And this is true, however God has no grandchildren. Faith in God does not just happen. We need to be taught. If you do not teach your children their prayers, then some day they will ask you “Dad, who is this god, they speak of?” What will you say then? Like the old songs says: “they’ve got to be taught before it’s too late, before they are seven or eight”.

CLASSES BEGIN. We begin CCD or religious classes, grades K through 8 this weekend from 11:30 until 12:45 Sunday Morning at Sacred Heart School. Have you signed up your children yet? Do so today. And Confirmation (grades 9 and 10) begins in a few weeks. Sign them up now. You and parish members teach your children in the ways of faith.

JOIN US AND VOLUNTEER. Help us with the teaching of the faith. We need some volunteers for Sunday morning. Join us with this work of faith.

Fr. Frank Kelley

We gratefully acknowledge the Gift to the Memorial Fund given to the Glory of God in Memory of:

Robert M. Cuddy Sr. by:
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Registration fee is $75 per couple. For more information or to register, please call the rectory office at 617-325-3322 or come into the rectory during office hours.

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, September 17
8:30 am  Daily Mass
4:00 pm  John Joseph Devine, Bridie & John Mahoney & Maggie Mahoney  Memorial

SUNDAY, September 18
8:00 am  Aisha C Revolus  Memorial
10:00 am  Jose Cruz  Memorial
12:00 pm  Yolanda Amador  Memorial
5:15 pm  Dominic & Maria Luisa Laporta & Dominic Musto  Memorial

MONDAY, September 19
8:30 am  Vernon McDowell  Anniversary

TUESDAY, September 20
8:30 am  Al Schwartz  Memorial

WEDNESDAY, September 21
8:30 am  Valerie Charles Pierre  Anniversary

THURSDAY, September 22
8:30 am  Daily Mass

FRIDAY, September 23
8:30 am  Daily Mass

SATURDAY, September 24
8:30 am  Marie Yvonne Gedeon  Anniversary
4:00 pm  Frances J LaRaia  15th Anniversary

SUNDAY, September 25
8:00 am  Edwin Delgado  Anniversary
10:00 am  Arthur & Barbara English  Memorial
12:00 pm  Angelo Diaz  Memorial
5:15 pm  Donatus Chukwu  Memorial

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WEDDING BANNS

II  Douglas Placeres & Katherine Sanabria

Those we know and love who share in Christ’s suffering through illness:
Sacred Heart Parish

FAITH INSTRUCTIONS FOR ADULTS

Has friend asked you about your Catholic faith? Often people are looking to be asked to come to church. Extend the invitation.

A simple way you can strengthen our Sacred Heart parish is by your invitation to a friend or family member to join us. In the next months we will begin again our introduction to our Catholic faith. Do you know someone who has inquired of you about our parish? Extend to them an invitation to join us. Perhaps they want to return. Or maybe they want our faith. You are God’s inviter. Extend an invitation to our wonderful parish life.

We begin in the fall, new classes of an introduction to the Catholic faith. Extend an invitation. Let me know of someone who has talked with you. I’ll be glad to contact them and welcome them to our parish. I need you reaching out to welcome new members. Msgr. Frank Kelley

Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

The diocese-wide collection today will support the Clergy Health and Retirement Trust which cares for the health and well-being of our priests. In the Archdiocese of Boston, we are blessed to have 614 men including Fr. Kelley, Fr. Guarino and Fr. Sullivan who have devoted their lives to serving Christ and His family. Your gift to this collection will help provide our priests with an appropriate level of care and quality of life so they can continue sharing the good news, performing good works, and spreading good faith. Remember the priests who have been there in your time of need, and consider honoring them with a generous gift to this special collection. You may also make your gift online at clergytrust.org or text the word PRIEST to 56512 (msg. & data rates may apply). Thank you for your generous support of our priests.

GRAND ANNUAL COLLECTION

Our parish GRAND ANNUAL APPEAL begins in a few weeks. Last year we had a very successful campaign. We raised $82,959.00 from 364 parish members. Thank you very much for your generosity and your participation. This was a 20% increase over the previous year’s total ($67,064.00)

In a few weeks we will be mailing out the appeal letter to all of our parish members to make a gift to Sacred Heart. Please consider an increase in your gift over the past year. This is the one time we ask all parish members to make a special gift to Sacred Heart.

Again thank you for your support of our parish. Father Frank Kelley

SACRED HEART PARISH Roslindale, MA
PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Dear Friends: As we enter the summer time, please remember your weekly or monthly support of Sacred Heart Parish. Consider using ParishPay as a simple way of parish support, Fr. Kelley

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(includes Mass offertory and electronic giving via parishpay.com)

Parish Tithes for June 2016 (5% of monthly offertory)

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STEWARDSHIP

Stewardship is planned giving and does not leave giving to chance. It challenges us to plan. It asks us to appraise—deliberately—what we are doing with our time, our talent, and our treasure.

OUR PARISH TITHE

Our project for generosity needs some help. Would you be able to help? We need some parish members to help find opportunities for Sacred Heart community to help others. Please contact me if you can help.

Also, do you have a charity to recommend to us? Please let me know what or to whom we can be of help in the weeks to come. Fr. Kelley

08/07/16 Catholic Relief Services
08/14/16 Crossroads Family Shelter
08/21/16 Maria Anidi/Sandwiches for the Homeless
08/28/16 St. Patrick’s Parish, Roxbury MA
09/04/16 Catholic University
09/11/16 CCD Collection second collection
09/18/16 Clergy Benefit Trust second collection
09/25/16 Louisiana Flood Relief second collection
Spanish CCD Program
Saturday, September 17 10:00 am Class - School
September 24 10:00 am Class - Lower Church
October 1 10:00 am Class - School

English CCD Program
Sunday, September 18 11:30 am Class - School
September 25 10:00 am Opening Mass
11:30 am Class - School
October 2 11:30 am Class - School
11:45 am Parent Meeting in cafeteria

Confirmation preparation is a two-year program starting in grade 9. These classes meet on Sunday evenings with the first session starting October 16.

REFLECTION ON THE GOSPEL OF LUKE
“Give an account of your stewardship.” At some point, God will ask us to account for our stewardship. How will you respond? What does It mean to be a steward? Stewardship is the “careful and responsible management of something entrusted to one’s care.” (Kelly, Matthew. The Four Signs of a Dynamic Catholic, pg. 113)

Who is your master? Money? Possessions? Social Media? Where do you put your trust? What has been entrusted to you and how are you taking care of it? Have any of these “masters” given you anything of value?

God is Master. He has trusted us as stewards of His gifts, notably: time, treasure, and talent. Every minute of every day is a gift from God. When you are called to account for your stewardship of time how will you answer? Have you been generous with your time or selfish? Do you freely give your time in volunteering and praying? Do you squeeze in time to pray at the end of the day – when you are tired and not at your best, not giving God the time He deserves? Do you make time for yourself to rest, and become the best version of yourself? Are you using the time God has given you to become the person He created you to be? In the craziness we all live in, take the time to appreciate time.

How is your stewardship of your treasure? Remembering everything is on loan from God – are you generous with your money and possessions? Are you grateful for all that God has bestowed on you? Can you give more, worry less, and trust God will provide for your needs? Or like me, do you need to be reminded to be generous.

What about the talents God has entrusted to each of us? If you are a “do-er,” are you resentful if others aren’t “doing” as much as you? Are you busy- ing yourself as a distraction or are you using your talents to benefit other people.

This Gospel reminds us to take a breath and think about who or what we are stewards for. What are the true riches of our lives? Keep God as your master, showing responsibility in taking care of the gifts He has given us and when we are called to account, we will be confident in how we respond.

Cheryl Kennedy

ULTREYA
Please join us for Ultreya at S. Mary’s Parish, Dedham on Tuesday, September 27th. Bring a friend or a possible candidate. We meet at 7 pm in St. Joseph’s Chapel in the Parish Center. We welcome all who have lived Cursillo and those who would like to learn more about it. For more info please contact Audrey at nonnipug@verizon.net 781-326-0674.
El Rincón Hispano

XXV DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

1ra. Lectura: (Amós 8, 4-7) Amós ataca a la injusticia de los ricos y la explotación del pobre. Advirtió a los hombres que Dios demanda honradez y justicia en sus negocios.

2da. Lectura: (1 Timoteo 2, 1-8) Pablo dice que la liturgia debe ser una auténtica plegaria de toda la comunidad y así permita llegar más fácilmente al pensamiento de Cristo, nuestro mediador, como base de nuestra fe.

Evangelio: (Lucas 15, 1-32) Cristo expone su doctrina sobre las riquezas y el dinero. Los que son ricos en bienes materiales necesitan ponerlos al servicio de los necesitados para conseguir los bienes del Reino.

Al mal hay que vencerlo, pero también hay que saber aprender de él lo que nos puede enseñar. En síntesis, tal es el mensaje de las lecturas de este domingo. ¿Por qué? porque se puede engañar a mucha gente, nunca se podrá escapar del todo de los ojos de Aquel que todo lo ve.

El evangelio de hoy, sin embargo, nos sorprende con un idea nueva: ¿por qué no aprender de los tramposos?

De manera un poco más práctica, el evangelio de hoy nos invita a asumir una actitud valiente y humilde a la vez frente a la creatividad de la gente perversa. El mayordomo o administrador ese del texto de hoy se rinden cuando aparece una mala cara, se retrasa un poco en el montaje de un paquete o no nos atienden bien en una oficina? ¿Es que en la naturaleza misma del amor conyugal está la conclusión del pasaje evangélico: Ninio siervo puede servir a dos amos. Por consiguiente, ¿es necesario una decisión fundamental para elegir entre Dios y “los ídolos”. En el fondo, se trata de la decisión entre el egoísmo y el amor, entre la justicia y la injusticia; en definitiva, entre Dios y Satanás. ¿Quién está enamorado no se plantea que esa relación pueda ser sólo por un tiempo; quien vive intensamente la alegría de casarse no está pensando en algo pasajero; quienes acompañan la celebración de una unión llena de amor, aunque frágil, esperan que pueda perdurar en el tiempo; los hijos no sólo quieren que sus padres se amen, sino también que sean fieles y sigan siempre juntos. Esto es, que arraiga en las inclinaciones espontáneas de la persona humana. Y, para los creyentes, es una alianza ante Dios que reclama fidelidad.

NUESTROS ENCUENTROS

Los martes: Oración del grupo de la Renovación de 6:30 a 9:00 pm en la Iglesia de abajo.

Los miércoles: Taller de Oración 7:00pm en el salón Murray

Los jueves: ADORACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA, de 6:30 a 8:30 pm en la Iglesia de abajo.

Los viernes: Encuentro del coro a las 7:00 pm en la biblioteca

Tercer viernes del mes: Encuentro de Parejas a las 6:30 pm en la casa Santa Teresa.

Todos los domingos después de la misa de 12:00 pm: Catecismo Latino para todos en el salón Murray.

Clases de adultos: Comienza domingo 25 de septiembre después de la misa de las 12pm.

CONFESIONES (Septiembre)

Primer jueves del mes (el 1) de 6:30 – 7:30pm

Sábado 17 de 3:00 – 4:00pm (Iglesia de abajo)

AVISOS

No se olviden de inscribir a sus hijos/as para el catecismo --Si hay personas enfermas en casa o en alguna institución que desean recibir la UNCIÓN DE LOS ENFÉSOS o la SANTA COMUNIÓN, hágamelo saber.

BENDICIÓN DE LAS CASAS

Si están interesados en hacer bendecir su casa y su familia, se pueden poner en contacto conmigo.

UN POCO DE SABIDURÍA

Hay momentos en que Dios va a tener que separarte de lo que tienes para prepararte para lo que viene.

UN POCO DE HUMOR

Jaimito ¿le temes al Diablo? –Yo, no le temo ni a Malamen. ¿Y quién es ese? –No se, pero siempre que rezan dicen: Y libranos del Malamen

mi correo es: mguarino@sh-roslineldale.org
(617-325-3322 interno 18)

September 18, 2016
MISSION STATEMENT
Rooted in the universal call to discipleship, the mission of Sacred Heart and St. Andrew the Apostle Parish in Roslindale and Forest Hills is to preach Jesus Christ. Proclamation of the gospel of Jesus Christ takes many forms: preaching, worship, education, service, works of mercy, and evangelization. The staff and the congregation are guided by the overall mission to proclaim the victory of Jesus Christ over sin and death in this time and place.

By this mission we are to be judged.

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Sunday Masses:
Saturday Eve: 4:00 PM
Sunday: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM & 5:15 PM,
12:00 PM in Spanish

Weekday Masses:
Monday-Friday: 8:30 AM
Saturday: 8:30 AM

Penance:
Saturday, 3:00-3:45 PM, Lower Church

Baptism:
Call Rectory for arrangements.

Marriage:
Call Rectory to speak with one of the priests at least 6 months before the marriage.

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The Week Ahead
SUNDAY, September 18
Coffee—English 11:30 am St. Theresa House
CCD—English 11:30 am School
Coffee—Spanish 01:00 pm Murray Room

TUESDAY, September 20
Boy Scout Troop 7 07:00 pm St. Theresa House
Prayer Group—Spanish 06:15 pm Lower Church
St. Vincent de Paul meeting 07:00 pm Rectory

WEDNESDAY, September 21
Haitian Bible Study 06:30 pm Rectory
Haitian Bible Study 06:30 pm Murray Room
Adult Choir 07:30 pm Upper Church

THURSDAY, September 22
Spanish Coordinator Meeting 06:45 pm Rectory
Spanish Choir 07:00 pm Rectory

SATURDAY, September 24
Spanish CCD 10:00 am School

Catholic Memorial High School is hosting its annual Open House on Sunday, October 16, 2016 from 10 am to 12 pm for the Middle School Program and 2 pm to 4 pm for the High School Program. Please join us for student-led campus tours. Meet faculty, staff, coaches, students and parents to discuss programs and answer questions.

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