

Mass Intentions for October 21st through October 29th, 2017



Sat.	5:00pm	Joseph Peloso	r/b the family
Sun.	8:00am	Mary Chisholm – 1 st Anniversary	r/b the Vandermeir family
	11:00am	Kadeelyn Nicole Konstantino	r/b the Karazulas family
Mon.	7:30am	William Lane	r/b Veronica Adriani
Tues.	7:30am	Lorenzo, Lucia, Rosa & Vincent Liburdi	r/b the family
Wed.	7:30am	Kevin Visokay	r/b the family
Thurs.	7:30am	NO Mass	
Fri.	7:30am	Ann Lyons	r/b the Meno family
Sat.	5:00pm	Tony Grosso	r/b Edward and Gloria Kovac
Sun.	8:00am	Mario and Maria Cortina	r/b the family
	11:00am	James M. Sokolich	r/b the Pagliaro family

Notre Dame's Weekly Collection

Sunday – October 1st collection – \$4,860.80

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ONLINE GIVING

Please consider Online Giving.

It is a simple, safe way to contribute to weekly offerings, as well as to pay for Religious Education tuition and other events within the parish.

In order to register:

1. log on to our parish website;
www.notredameofeaston.com
2. click the Online Giving logo on the homepage
3. fill out the registration form.

If you have any questions please call
(800) 348-2886.

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Ministry to the Homebound

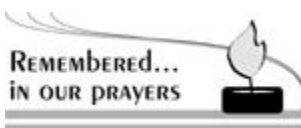
Anyone who is seriously ill, having surgery, or homebound may call the Rectory office and one of our Lay Caring Ministers will bring Holy Communion or just pay a visit. They visit parishioners in Nursing Homes as well.

* For anointing of the sick please call the office so Father Lyons can visit.

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Bequests to Notre Dame of Easton are Strongly Encouraged and Gratefully Accepted

Suggestion: *When a loved one dies, please advise friends and relatives to make a donation to the "Notre Dame Sanctuary Fund" in memory of the deceased and include this wish in the obituary notice.*



October 28th & 29th, 2017

Readers Eucharistic Ministers Altar Servers

Saturday

5:00pm	K. Champagne	D. Baker	P. Martinich
8:00am	B. Constand/ C. Constand	S. Gilbertie	C. & G. Zuanelli
11:00am	H. Egan	T. Vitale	N. Bass

The Liturgy Schedule is on our website:

www.notredameofeaston.com

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Please Pray for the Sick

The names entrusted to this list will always be included in our prayers.

Walter Finck	Susan Williams	Judith Christiansen
Christopher Vitale	Angela Doescher	Diane DiNapoli
Frank Lyons	John Buckley	Mary Biggins
Siobhan Smith	John Ilardo	Marian Basso
Joan McGrath	Michael Glowacki	



If you would like to place someone on the prayer list, please email churchladies@optonline.net, or call the Rectory office at 203-268-5838 during business hours.

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Please pray for the repose of the soul of;

Thomas LaBarbera
father of Rob

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Parish Registration: Please stop by or call the Rectory office (203 268-5838) to officially register. Our hours are 9am to 3:30pm – Monday thru Friday.

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Sponsor Certificates: We cannot give you a sponsor certificate unless you are a registered member of the parish for at least 6 months and attend Mass regularly.

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We ask your prayers for our Confirmation Candidates as they prepare to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation on October 29th.

Joseph Autuori

Peter Billings

Gavin Blawie

Julia Boffa

Giavanna Bravo-Ibanez

Katharine Burriss

Olivia Cascella

Emma Corazelli

Justin Cortina

Jackson Cremin

Sean Devine

Thomas DiScipio

Madison Ganim

Thomas Ganim

Ashley Gillis

Caroline Gromolak

Sofia Goncalves

Emily Grob

Grace Halloran

Charles Johnson

Birch Kellogg

Jack Kelly

Claire Kocis

Emily Larkin

Molly Luckart

Brendan McCarthy

Kelly Moran

Madeline O'Dowd

Sean O'Brien

Angie Porcaro

Mia Prizio

Kayleigh Riccio

Sydney Roberto

Sydney Rodriguez

Will Rojas

Connor Skrtich

Derek Williams

October is the month of Mary

Hail Mary

Hail Mary, full of grace!

the Lord is with thee;

blessed art thou among women,

and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners,

now and at the hour of our death. Amen

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Birthright needs a Special Someone!

Birthright is a pregnancy service offering caring and practical support to pregnant women in crisis. Our guiding principle: It is the RIGHT of every pregnant woman to give BIRTH and the RIGHT of every child to be BORN,

Help a Mother Give Birth to Her Baby!!

Opportunities include friendship counseling, clerical and clothing work. Training is provided. 9 chapters in Connecticut. Call for your nearest chapter

1-800-550-4900

Easton Senior Center

Flu Shots will be administered at the Easton Senior Center on Thursday, October 19th and Wednesday, October 25th between the hours of 7:00am and 11:00am by appointment. Please call. 203-268-1145

Ladies Council News!

The Notre Dame of Easton Ladies Council is coordinating a meatloaf dinner for the

Thomas Merton Center

Saturday, October 28, 2017!

To make this annual event a success, we need:

- 60 two-pound cooked meatloaves in disposable pans (may be delivered frozen).
- 30 pounds of uncooked standard rice (not instant).
- 50 cans string beans (16 ounces).
- 25 dozen frosted cupcakes.
- Fresh fruit (any variety is welcome but preferably oranges and bananas, no apples please).

Sign-up sheets are available in the vestibule of the church.

The Merton Center would also appreciate donations of the following to help stock its pantry: cold cereal, jelly, coffee (regular and instant), boxes of tea bags, and individual packets of sugar, Splenda, and Sweet & Low.

Please drop off your donations in the ND church parking lot on Saturday, October 28, 2017, between 9:00 am and 10:30 am.

If you are unable to provide food and would prefer to make a donation, please make checks payable to Notre Dame of Easton Ladies Council.

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Christmas for St. Charles Families

The Ladies Council is seeking Notre Dame parishioners who would be willing to buy Christmas gifts for a family from St. Charles parish in Bridgeport (a few Notre Dame parishioners could also share gift buying for a St. Charles family). You would receive a wish list from a St. Charles family, buy and wrap one or two presents for each family member, and return the gifts to Notre Dame. Note that we will still have the *Giving Tree* this year. Please contact Jeanine Pagliaro for more information about sponsoring a St. Charles family: 203 259-5916 or jpagliari01@optonline.net.

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Blessed Sacrament Church Food Pantry

Collection for November 4th & 5th:

canned corn beef and roast beef hash



Religious Education News

Office Hours: Monday-Thursday

10 am-4pm;

Other times by appointment (261-5596)

ndore@optonline.net

PARENTS PLEASE NOTE:

Our office has come into the 21st century!
Please note the following cell phone numbers to contact us with an important message regarding your child. We ask that you call our office if your child will not be attending Religious Ed on a particular Tuesday. These cell numbers allow us to receive your call after we have left the office for Religious Ed classes starting at 2:00pm on Tuesday afternoons.

(203) 751-7253

(203) 837-0734

CONFIRMATION 2017

The Sacrament of Confirmation will be conferred on Sunday afternoon, October 29, 2017 at 1:00pm.

Please Save The Following Date:

The Confirmation Rehearsal will be held on Friday evening, October 27, 2017 from 7:00pm-8:30pm.

Attendance will be required for both student and sponsor.

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Worldwide Marriage Encounter

“On this mountain he will destroy the veil that veils all peoples.” Learn how to put aside the veils and masks that prevent true intimacy with your spouse by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Weekends are November 3-5, 2017 in Manchester, CT and February 2-4, 2018 in Manchester, CT. For more information, call Dennis & Jane Lamondy at 860-481-3720 or visit them at <https://wwmectw.org/>

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Jesse Lee United Methodist Church Annual Turkey Dinner

Saturday, November 4th 6:00pm (1 seating)

in Bennett Hall

25 Flat Rock Rd – Easton

Cost: \$15

Children under 12: \$7 - Children under 5: free

Dinner reservations:

Email: jesselee.umc@gmail.com

Church office (203) 372-8250

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Annual Veteran's Day Luncheon

sponsored by the Girl Scouts of Easton.

The Girl Scouts would like to continue the annual tradition of honoring all of our Veterans of our area by inviting them to a luncheon. We will have current Girl Scouts and Boy Scouts helping out at the event. We hope to see you there.

When: November 11th 2017 starting at 11:30am

Where: The Notre Dame Church: 655 Morehouse Rd

What will we serve: Sandwiches, salads, fruits, coffee, tea & water. Of course there will be desserts as well.



NOTRE DAME of Easton is supporting the *COATS FOR KIDS* Program on the weekend of November 11th & 12th

sponsored by your local Knights of Columbus Council - -

Each year K of C Councils from our local area collect monetary donations for purchasing new coats for kids at discounted prices through the nation-wide K of C program.

These coats are distributed to kids in our local area by Action for Bridgeport Community Development (ABCD) and other community support agencies.

With your support last year, the Fairfield K of C Council was able to deliver 10 cases of coats to kids who need them in our area.

Please help us again by contributing to this worthy effort.

Any donation, \$ small or \$ large is gratefully accepted.



Blessed Sacrament Church
275 Union Avenue
Bridgeport, CT 06607

*Thank
you*

Dear Generous Donors,

Thank you for your continued support of our parish, and for sponsoring an ad in our program booklet. I am so pleased to share with you our success! With your help, we exceeded our goal \$25,000.00. This means that we can provide a safe and cleared parking lot for our faithful parishioners during the winter months, we can heat our church, and we can continue to distribute groceries from our Food Pantry.

Know that we ask God's abundant blessing for you and for your families. Keeping the doors open and the lights on in service to the poor....thanks to you.

Fr. Skip Karcinski - Administrator
John and Beatrice Torres
Got Talent 5 Chairpersons

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Baptism – The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated on Sundays at 12 noon. A Pre-Baptism class is required for both parents prior in the Baptism of their 1st child.

Register by calling the Parish Office: 203-268-5838
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Marriage – Weddings are generally celebrated on Friday evening or Saturday afternoon. They must be scheduled at least 8 months in advance.

Please do not make final arrangements for your reception prior to contacting the Parish Office.