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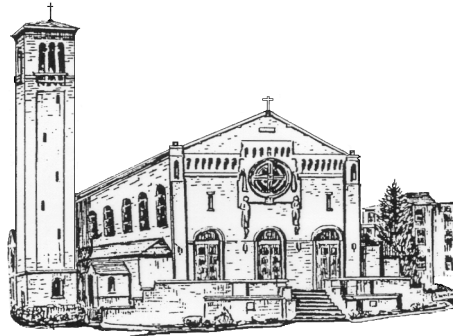
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SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Sunday: Vigil (Saturday Evening) 4:00 p.m.
8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., (Folk Group)
11:30 a.m. (Choir)

Daily: 9:00 a.m. Monday - Saturday
7:00 a.m. in convent Monday
Saturday

Holy Day: Vigil 5:30 p.m., Day 9:00 a.m. &
7:00 p.m. unless otherwise noted

SACRAMENTS

Confessions: Saturday 9:30 - 10:00 a.m.
(lower church) & 3:00 - 3:45 p.m.
(upper church)

Baptism: Third Sunday of the month at 2:00
p.m. Instructions on preceding
Sunday at 12:30 p.m.
Call the rectory to register.

Marriages: Arrange with one of the priests at
least six months in advance

**Anointing
of the Sick:** Call the rectory for Sacraments
and visits to the sick and
homebound

PARISH STAFF

Rev. Sean M Connor, Pastor
Rev, John J. Connolly, In Residence
Rev. Michael C. Harrington, In Residence
Rev. Hung Pham. In Residence

Mrs. Jean F. Hayward, Business Manager
Mr. Jack O'Connor, P.P.C. Vice President

Mr. Bob Collins, Rel Ed Director/Youth Minister
Mrs. Paula Skalinski, Rel Ed, Coordinator
Mrs. Terry Owens, Folk Group Director

DEVOTIONS

Eucharistic Adoration: Saturdays 9:30am-3:30pm
Rosary: 8:30am Monday-Saturday lower church
Our Lady of Fatima: First Saturdays 8:00am
lower church
Divine Mercy Chaplet: M-F 2:30-3:30pm convent chapel
Sat. - 2:30-3:30pm lower church
Mass 3rd Friday at 6:00PM

PROGRAMS

Religious Education Classes: Sunday 10:30 am
Grades 1-6 and 6:30pm Grades 7- Confirmation
CYO Basketball, Mr. Michael Doyle
Color Guard, Ms. Eileen Cunningham 617-775-6644
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PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

The Parish Community of Saint Ann's in Neponset is in the tradition of the Roman Catholic Church. We believe that this tradition is a sacred gift given to us in Baptism and the inheritance bequeathed to us by those who have gone before us through the ages. With our Archbishop and Pastor we are united with our Holy Father, Pope Benedict XVI, in our commitment to- and we are indeed shaped as a people by- the Eucharistic Assembly especially on the Lord's Day. We are strongly committed to maintaining our parish school and religious education programs. We are equally committed to the spiritual needs of those who are grieving or who are ill or because of advanced age are unable to celebrate the Sunday Eucharist. Through the Liturgy we hope to inspire and motivate our parish family to respond to the physical needs of the less fortunate of Christ's brothers and sisters. We are a parish that is deeply committed to the family.

We are a parish with a long and rich history and take great pride in celebrating our Catholic traditions.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

SAT	6/27	4:00	Florence Downey, 4th Anniv
SUN	6/28	8:00	Rosemary Fallon, Anniv
		9:30	Joseph Connor, 28th Anniv
		11:30	James J. Lombard, 6th Anniv
MON	6/29	9:00	Michael J. Grealish, Mem
TUES	6/30	9:00	Eugenia L. Fay, Mem
WED	7/1	9:00	Special Intention, Health
THUR	7/2	9:00	Special Intention, Health
FRI	7/3	9:00	Michael J. Grealish, Mem
SAT	7/4	9:00	Michael & Elizabeth Walsh and Family, Mem
		4:00	The People of St. Ann Parish
SUN	7/5	8:00	Michael J. Grealish, Mem
		9:30	Jimmy Doyle, 10th Anniv
		11:30	Bob and Alice Foley, Anniv

**STEWARDSHIP REPORT
OFFERTORY**

Collected, June 21st\$3,051.00

SCHOOL TAX

Collected, June 21st\$1,950.00

LECTORS/EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

6/27	4:00	D. Weir	J. Downey T. Weir
6/28	8:00	C. Carmody	M. Fitzpatrick
	9:30	M. Flynn	E. Dunne N. Talalas
	11:30	D. Daley	B. Follett N. Follett

ALTAR SERVERS

6/27	4:00	C. Garvey	M. Garvey R. Garvey
6/28	8:00	E. Guerard	T. Guerard
	9:30	A. Pate	M. Neff
		D. Connolly	S. Connolly
	11:30	B. Thomas	M. Mannion
		T. Mannion	S. Mannion

BULLETIN INFORMATION

The deadline for the bulletin is 4:00PM on Mondays

Mark 5:21-43

Today Jesus moves back across the sea. It is this sea where, last week, we found Jesus confronting the fear and faith of the apostles. He said to them "let us go across to the other side." Jesus not only took them on a journey facing the fear, he reveals the Father's love, and he also confronts the evil behind the fear. Today we find faith becoming real as it saves.

The passage that we do not focus on in our cycle of readings- found in between the "Storm of the Sea" and this week's two-fold healing, is Jesus healing the man possessed with unclean spirit. This possession story is helpful to understand the teachings of Jesus in these other weeks. Here the spirit calls itself "Legion," meaning some thousands of unclean spirits who have taken the man. We see the great power that Jesus commands in himself in this story. Jesus does not need to assemble his own armed regiment to battle the evil regiment. Jesus himself, the God made Man, battles against evil and all its so called power. Like last week Jesus commands "Be quiet, be still," in this passage "Come out of the man." It is Jesus' voice, his command that brings about the change, it reveals God's power and love. The fear, the sickness, they plead with him to be cast away into the depths of the sea. Last week the weakness and fear of the apostles causes them to sink. Here the swine in this passage drown, their fear and their evil plead to be cast away into the depths of the sea.

Today we meet *Jairus*, the name comes from old Hebrew, *Jair*, which means "my light" or "he enlightens." We also meet the woman healed. It is the faith of the woman which brings about her healing "daughter, your faith has made you well; go in peace, and be healed..." It is the condition of the little girl that brings about her rising "Little girl I say to you, arise!" The voice of God speaks to her and gives her the gift, she finds healing and she is saved, all in the same touch and command. Her faith is her light. For *Jairus* he will be enlightened.

The Catechism of the Catholic Church Mk 5:21-42: Jesus links faith in the resurrection to his own person: "I am the Resurrection and the life." It is Jesus himself who on the last day will raise up those who have believed in him, who have eaten his body

and drunk his blood. Already now in this present life he gives a sign and pledge of this by restoring some of the dead to life, announcing thereby his own Resurrection, though it was to be of another order. He speaks of this unique event as: the sign of Jonah," the sign of the temple: he announces that he will be put to death but rise thereafter on the third day.
CCC 994

Some writers have said, I wonder if it was hard for *Jairus* to approach Jesus, falling on his knees, seeking his daughters health and healing. Had *Jairus* heard Jesus preach before? Was he already a believer; the passage doesn't seem to suggest this. Jesus had been preaching parables and healing in this region. *Jairus*, the synagogue official would find Jesus' teachings a challenge. As a father, he finds himself powerless, unable to take away his child's illness and save her from death. *Jairus* prays. His love for his daughter is present, but bring about no healing. What he finds is meaning to his name, *Jairus* finds "light" in Jesus- the one who can heal- God who is the "Light of the World." Even Jesus' delay that day, traveling to *Jairus's* house and stopping in the crowd to encounter the woman who is ill, further makes the child to suffer. Part of the healing that *Jairus* and his family find is brought about by this woman of faith. She is a good and faithful servant of the Lord. She has been made to endure these twelve years with no healing, even to living as one ostracized by her own community. Yet it is her faith in God and His servant Jesus- the one who commands/speaks and fear is put to death, the one who makes to "Arise." Jesus transforms, heals and makes new, light truly shines and takes away the darkness.

May the Lord help us to live as children of the light. To be light bearers, witnessing to His healing and love. Make us new, O Lord, so that we may be with you forever.

In His love, Fr. Sean

YOUTH MINISTRY UP-DATE

Up coming events for the Summer (Middle School)

7/30	5:30-8:30	Movie Night	\$5
8/7	10-4	Chunky's Drive-In	\$20

THE FIRST ANNUAL SCHOOL TRAFFIC SUPERVIOR MARIE J. CONLEY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND

This scholarship fundraiser is being sponsored by the family of School Traffic Supervisor Marie J. (Finn) Conley, who was killed in the line of duty October 29, 2008 at the Mather's School crossing and was buried with full honors at St. Ann Parish. The Raffle tickets will be sold after the 4:00PM, and the 9:30AM Masses this weekend, June 27th and 28th.

Tickets are \$5.00 for one and \$25.00 for six
FIRST PRIZE: Trip to Ireland (airfare included)
SECOND PRIZE: Bose Stereo System
THIRD PRIZE: Flat Screen TV

The Drawing will be held at Florian Hall (you do not need to be present) on August 17, 2009 after the Marie J. Conley Golf Tournament (more information about the tournament to follow).

For more information please contact
Lynda Hosea at 617-288-8956 or
Eileen Cotter at 617-825-3493

JUNE CONGRATULATIONS BAPTISMS

We welcome the following children into our parish family:

- Sophia Claire Deibel child of James and Caroline
- Samantha Reese Dyment child of Christopher and Erica
- Aiden Coleman McDonagh child of Michael and Christine
- Nolan Michael Waldman child of Brian and Melissa

Baptisms are celebrated on the third Sunday of every month at 2:00PM. Baptismal preparation is the preceding Sunday after the 11:30 Sunday Mass. Please call the rectory to register.

WEDDINGS

Congratulations to Erin Walsh and Marty Joyce who were married on June 20th. Please pray for all our married couples and all those preparing for marriage.

LUCKY THOUSAND CLUB

It was another wonderful evening at the Lucky Thousand Club Drawing. The drawing on June 8th was for June and July.

Congratulations to our June Winners:

Mary Reilly, James Connor, D.A Juliano, Evelyn Guisti, Tom Ward, Patricia Meade-Meahl, Mary Foley-Eichorn, Margaret O’Gara, Freda Manning Ann Flaherty and the June door prize went to Rita Gillespie.

Congratulations to our July Winners:

Deirdre O’Sullivan, Sarah Connor, Mary Beth Tumilty, Mary Connaughton, Florence Collins, Rose Marie MacDonald, Erin Connor, James Kelly, Jr., Mary Ann Walsh, Michael Juliano and the July door prize went to Jonathon Weydt.

The Lucky Thousand Club Committee wishes everyone a great summer and looks forward to seeing everyone at their next meeting on September 14th at 7:30 in the lower school hall for the August and September Drawings.

MAME

***“You coax the blues right out of the horn Mame
You charm the husk right off of the corn Mame”***

Mame....fabulous musical, live stage presentation by the Reagle Players in Waltham starring Lee Meriwether (of Barnaby Jones and former Miss America). It’s the hilarious story of an eccentric socialite who finds her chaotic lifestyle turned upside down when she is appointed guardian of her orphaned nephew. Auntie Mame takes him on one whirlwind adventure after another, proving that “life is a banquet”

Tickets and Bus are \$47.50. Sunday July 19th matinee. Depart from Florian Hall at 12:45. Contact Marty Allen for reservations and information. Only 24 tickets available so call soon! 617-288-2134.

SUMMMER FOOD SERVICE PROGRAM

Food That’s In When School Is Out

Children who have access to nutritious meals throughout the summer return to school in the fall ready to learn, and the Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) helps make this possible. The Program in your community allows children and youth age 18 and under to enjoy the same healthy food they get in school at a site in your neighborhood all summer long—**for free!**

SFSP sites are located throughout many cities and towns in Massachusetts. No registration or identification is needed. For more information on where and when meals will be served this summer in your community, call **Project Bread’s Food Source Hotline at 1-800-645-8333** or visit www.meals4kids.org in July and August.

**THE WEEKEND OF JULY 4TH & 5TH
LECTORS/EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS**

7/4	4:00	M. Geary	G. Cardinal C. McPartlin
7/5	8:00	F. Conti	M. Braudis
	9:30	B. Finn	D. McGrath M. Reilly
	11:30	T. Lewis	L. Moreno J. Burke

ALTAR SERVERS

7/4	4:00	M. Neff	
7/5	8:00	A. Pate	
	9:30	R. Kulesza	J. Damatin
	11:30	J. Murphy	S. Murphy

PRAYERS FOR PARISHIONERS CORNER

Please note all requests must be in by 4:00PM Monday, Thank You. Please pray for:

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| <i>Judy Finn</i> | <i>Mary Tierney</i> |
| <i>Mary Nagle</i> | <i>Mark Curry</i> |
| <i>Russell Brandi</i> | <i>Helen Maloney</i> |
| <i>Ann Maloney</i> | <i>Catherine Horgan</i> |
| <i>David O’Neill</i> | <i>Mary O’Sullivan</i> |
| <i>Connie O’Sullivan</i> | <i>Ethel & John McPherson</i> |
| <i>Kitty O’Donnell</i> | <i>Mrs. Tighe</i> |
| <i>Barbara Monahan</i> | <i>Brain Lawler</i> |