



**MASS
INTENTIONS**

MONDAY NOVEMBER 24 –St. Andrew Dung-Lac

7:00AM Robert Johnson by Family

**TUESDAY NOVEMBER 25 –St. Catherine of
Alexandria**

7:00AM John M. Parolisi by Wife

WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 26

7:00AM Matthew J. Viveiros by Family

THURSDAY NOVEMBER 27-Thanksgiving Day

9:00AM Dr. Ronald Marcotte, 17th Anniversary

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 28

7:00AM Anthony E. Agatiello

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 29

9:00AM Margaret & Raymond Platt by Doris & Jim
Hanson

Concetta Botelho by Altar & Rosary Society

5:00PM Joseph Caliri by Paul & Carol

Antonio & Maria Campagna & Deceased
Family Members by Rose Campagna

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 30 1ST SUNDAY, ADVENT

7:30AM Roger Desrosiers by Family

Rose Malone, Birthday Remembrance,
by Family

9:00AM Henry Pirri by Daughter Donna Colucci
Mary Travers by Madeline Grimo

10:30AM Albert Del Toro by Children

Arthur & Rose Ayres by Grandchildren

**THE STATUE OF
OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL**

will be visiting homes during Advent. Any parishioner who wishes to reserve a date to host Her, please call Bernice Parella at 253-7395.

OLMC FEAST BREAKFAST will be held this Sunday, November 23rd in the parish center from 7:30am to 12 Noon. Why not join us!



November 24 – November 30

OUR LADY OF GRACE STATUE CANDLES

Manuel & Mary Mello by Daughter & Family
Matthew J. Viveiros by Grandma Mary Viveiros

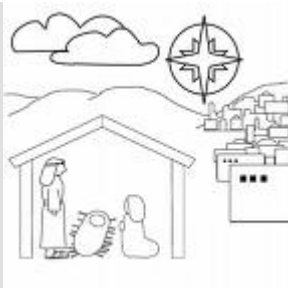
MARCH FOR LIFE TRIP will be coming up. Please read the next Bulletin for complete information, otherwise, call Kathy Barek at 683-0889.

**EVERY YEAR BRISTOL GOOD
NEIGHBORS SOUP KITCHEN**

co-ordinates an Adopt a Family Program for the many families that depend upon their Soup Kitchen. This is to help a less fortunate family to be able to celebrate this wonderful Holiday. The guidelines are very simple, they give you the family information, which is the number of members, ages and if male or female, they ask no more than two gifts per family member. If there is a wish list, they will give you that. Food vouchers or gift cards are very helpful (small denominations). Please wrap all gifts and attach a tag to each (i.e. 6 year old girl, Barbie doll). Please deliver your gifts to the Soup Kitchen, located at the St. Michael's Church Parish House, 378 Hope Street, Bristol, Monday through Friday between 8am to 2pm before December 12th. Please call the Soup Kitchen for further information and questions on the process at 254-0726 and ask for Janet our executive director or Debi Danner or Deb Lavoie the Adopt a Family coordinators. This can be a great project for Religious Education or Sunday School Classes, Youth Groups and Parishes in general. You can request multiple families. Help make Christmas a little brighter for families in need. We thank you in advance for your help and generosity and we pray that the blessings of the Christ Child will be with all of your families during this holy season.

SCHOOL NEWS**OLMC "SHOOTING STARS"**

Make the dreams of Our Lady of Mount Carmel school students come true by buying "Stars" from the school and becoming a "Shooting Star". Names on Shooting Stars will be prayed for all during the year! To become a shooting star, you simply make the donation required (Gold Stars cost \$10.00, Silver Stars cost \$5.00, and Bronze Stars cost \$2.00), write your name, the name of a loved one, or "In Memory" of someone on the star.


**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE
"ADVENT OUTREACH"**

is once again sponsoring a parish wide community reach out project to help those in need this Christmas season, particularly those young people living in state care. **New, unwrapped items only**, should be placed in the large wooden box inside the entrance of the church before Friday, December 19th. Suggestions for donations can be found on the gift tags left in the basket inside the doors of the church. All gifts must be **unwrapped** so that staff members can best distribute the gifts to the many children and teenagers living in group homes in Bristol and throughout the state. Items may be placed in open gift bags.

NOCTURNAL ADORATION SOCIETY MASS

will be celebrated here on **Thursday, December 4th** at 5:30pm. The petition for the month of December is for the return of Christians who have drifted from the Church and for increased vocations to the priesthood and religious life.



our wish to you...

A happy
Thanksgiving

DEAR PARISHIONERS

With everything going on in our families, our children, at work and at school, indeed in the economy, we tend to put aside how truly blest and how truly thankful we should be. Each year at this time, we are given the opportunity to concentrate on God's blessings and to find ways we can show our love and our gratitude.

Certainly, at this thought provoking time of the year, I, myself, thank each and every one of you for the generosity you have shown to the parish this past year. Your donations of time, talent and resources have been a warm and deep expression of your love for Christ, the Church and our Parish. *May God's light and warmth shine upon you and bless all of you this Thanksgiving Day!*

Fr. Zinno

Readings for the Week of November 23, 2008

Sunday: Ez 34:11-17/1 Cor 15:20-26,28/Mt 25:31-46
Monday: Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5/Lk 21:1-4
Tuesday: Rv 14:14-19/Lk 21:5-11
Wednesday: Rv 15:1-4/Lk 21:12-19
Thursday: Rv 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a/Lk 21:20-28
Friday: Rv 20:1-4, 11-21:2/Lk 21:29-33
Saturday: Rv 22:1-7/Lk 21:34-36
Next Sunday: Is 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7/1 Cor 1:3-9/Mk 13:33-37

Weekly Collection November 2 - \$5,788.85
Weekly Collection November 9 - \$6,064.19
Weekly Collection November 16 - \$4,845.80
Capital Improvement - \$682.50
Thanksgiving - \$2,185.00